Senate Ways and Means OK's 4 percent pay hike

By Dave Baumgart

OLYMPIA—Senate Bill 5497, which is out of the Senate Ways and Means Committee Feb 22, 23, with only one significant change.

Part-time community college faculty are now included, as well as full-time, state funded faculty, to receive a 4 percent pay increase, according to a legislative aide for Sen. Gerald Saling, R-Spokane, who initiated the original bill, SB 390.

"The bill still meets some of the legislative requirements of the Senate," Saling said, "but it has to return to the floor for final approval."

Meantime, it could still die in committee before even reaching the final vote.

The 1987 International Women's Day celebration, co-sponsored by Women's Activities and Multi-Cultural Programs, Continuing Education, Student Center, Bldg. 7, and the Women's Center, is scheduled for Tues., March 10. The event is open to all faculty, students, and staff.

Women's Day celebration

By Heidi Pitzen

The 1987 International Women's Day celebration, co-sponsored by Women's Activities and Multi-Cultural Programs, is scheduled for Fri., March 13.

Included in the activities is a special recognition of Native American women, according to Gwen Bagley, poetry editor for Carolyn Vaughyn's book and acolyte, "Women in HCC's Women's Studies Program will have special events to celebrate the women's achievements."

Women's Day celebration includes an event by the Women's Center, "It is a celebration of all the people, touching across boundaries to create," said Anita Graham, coordinator of the Women's Center.

The Women's Center scheduled in room 207, and at 1 p.m. in the Artist's-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7.

Women from various ethnic backgrounds will present the Asian American Arts and Crafts exchange in their culture in Bldg. 7. Demonstrations of Japanese tapestry weaving, as well as demonstration of jewelry techniques by area artists and craftspeople, are included in the event.

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The Women's Center scheduled an "International Women's Day to help underline the things women have in common."

"It is for all men and women, from diverse backgrounds," said Graham. "We are the last 'best chance' to reach that plateau for another century."

She also told the group, "If we all work together, we'll have the movement in a four-year institution simply, because if the higher we go, the higher we can go."

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Hine proposes conditional scholarship program

By Matt Esgut

House Bill 857, created by Rep. Lorraine Hine, D-Des Moines, will endeavor to give tuition to college students who plan to become public school teachers.

The grant will require the recipient to remain in the profession at least five years.

The scholarship would allow $3,000 a year to selected students who demonstrate scholastic achievement, leadership ability, community involvement, and are pursuing a teaching career in the Washington school system.

The scholarship program, bill sponsored by Rep. Nita Rinheart, D-King County, but it only awards $2,500 to each selected student and each student must meet a "needs" criteria.

Hine's bill, the Higher Educating Coordinating Board, would establish the criteria for scholarship nominees.

Gardner presents new tax plan

By Kris Lundeen

Governor Booth Gardner's education program, and the tax plan he has proposed to fund it, top the list of issues facing the 1987 Legislature which convened Jan. 12.

Gardner's proposal states that community colleges would receive at least $44.7 million of the $90.2 million in higher education funding.

Of that $44.7 million, $26.6 million would increase faculty salaries 5.4 percent next year and 4 percent the following year.

If approved, Gardner's program would automatically extend the state and local tax to previously exempt services, which are business and professional services such as advertising, engineering and legal services; consumer services like barbers and cable television operators; and selected financial services such as commissions on real estate sales and fees charged by banks.

If Gardner is elected governor, he would want the "grant amount of $3,000 was decreed as competitive scholarship," the scholarship fund, when the bill is enacted.

Businesses in Washington have exhibited a great interest in improving the educational system in our state.

The Washington Roundtable, consists of the chief executives of 31 of Washington's largest corporations, announced that it supports all of Gardner's $100 million program for the improvement of higher education, but not the manner in which to raise the funds.

Regarding the tax package, which the governor says is essential to the adoption of his education program, John Ellis, chairman of the Roundtable board, and President Pacific Power and Light Company, described the Roundtable's response as a "skeptical maybe."

Gardner's state of the state speech, Jan. 13, closed with this thought: "Somebody will all be gone. I don't know what you want to leave behind, but I can tell you what I would like to leave behind. If I had but one thing to leave, I would rather leave the children of this state an opportunity for a good education than anything else I can think of."

New plate designs please Washingtonians

by Karen Cooley

For the first time in almost 30 years, the Washington State Legislature has initiated a major change in the style of vehicle license plates.

The new design, which became available Jan. 1, are part of the state's centennial celebration which will be in 1989.

The new design, featuring a light blue plate with an inscription that reads, "Washington," was introduced by Rep. Eric Booth, an 18-year-old Bellingham resident.

Booth's design also announces the "Centennial Celebration" in red lettering beneath the dark blue print.

In the past, the plates were minimal so as to avoid dissaparation and complaints from the public. In 1937 the plates were solid blue with white lettering. The colors were changed in 1939 to green and yellow for the "Golden Jubilee" celebration which marked Washington's 50 years of statehood.

In 1954 Washington's plates changed again to green background with white lettering. For the first time, metal tabs were placed on the plates to indicate the expiration date rather than reissuing new plates each year. The metal tabs were eventually discarded, and stick-on tabs were first issued in 1964.

In 1962 the vehicle plates said only "Wash.," but they were eventually changed back to read "Washington" because of complaints from both the public and the Legislature.

The color and style of the plates have remained basically the same since 1963, except for the use of reflective paint introduced in 1966.

In order to avoid repeating numbers issued in the past, the new plates have reversed the positioning of the letters and numbers so the numbers now appear in front.

At the time the plates are produced at Walla Walla State Penitentiary there have been no changes in the production system or the production costs of the new license plates.

The old green and white plates have been discontinued, and all plates issued will have the new graphic design.

So far, the colorful new plates have been issued to all new vehicles and are also available to car owners renewing their tabs. However, anyone can purchase the new plates, and the Department of Licensing has been experiencing quite an increase in business lately.

"We've been doing ten times the amount of normal business," said a spokesman for the state's Department of Licensing when interviewed by the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. Even the manager of Licensing when interviewed by the Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

The plates are available for $23.50 for motorcycles, campers, and trailers.

For special or personalized plates, the cost is $33 for passenger plates and $33.50 for motorcycles, campers, and trailers.

This is the first time Washington's plates have displayed a well-known state landmark, and because they are commemorating the 100 years of statehood, they will be available until the Legislature finds a better design.
Phi Theta Kappa: Dedicated to excellence

By Rick Jackson

Pi Sigma is the HCC chapter of Phi Theta Kappa, a fraternal organization, that provides members a path to excellence. There are currently 700 chapters of Phi Theta Kappa across the U.S. "We are dedicated to excellence of all types: academic, artistic, and leadership," said Lori McConkey, president of Pi Sigma. "Phi Theta Kappa may not only broaden your horizons for opportunity in the future, but horizons within yourself."

The purpose of the organization is to encourage scholarship among two-year college students, and provide opportunities for personal development and exchange of ideas, she added.

Qualifications for membership include maintaining a 3.5 grade point average. Membership fees are $25 for active members and $30 for non-active members.

"Every year we pick a theme for the Honors Colloquy," McConkey explained. "This year is The American Dream: Past, Present, and Future."

Senior classes

By Diana Baumgart

Highline Community College sponsors credit courses targeted for adults 60-years of age or older which are offered at locations throughout south-west King County.

Instructors are selected for their professional training, instructional capabilities and genuine interest in people. "It's exciting and rewarding to be involved with this program," said Betty Colasurdo, director of Continuing Education.


A pass grade is awarded on the basis of attendance and participation.

"The Skills for Memory Sharpening course has been one of the most popular classes offered," Colasurdo said. "When people realize they are starting worrying about their memories. This is a part of aging and most people want to do something about it."

Senior adults are encouraged to register at any of the following locations: Federal Way Center, 3125 Pacific Highway South; Federal Way Senior Citizens Center, 4016 South 320th; Auburn: The Greater Des Moines Senior Center, 1061 South 220th; and the HCC Lecture Center, Bldg. 7.

Other locations are the Highline Senior Center, 1210 S.W. 136th, Burien; Judset Park, 23100 Marine View Drive South, Des Moines; Wesley Gardens, 815 South 216th, Des Moines; Wesley Terrace, 816 South 216th, Des Moines; and Kingston Village, 1333 S.W. 104th, Seattle.

For further information call HCC at 878-3710 Ext. 341. Registration is $2 per credit, plus any lab fee.

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Car break-ins

By Tom Clark

Car stereo equipment and cassette tapes were stolen from five cars parked on the HCC campus between Feb. 5 and Feb. 9. Estimated value of the stolen items totals over $1,000.

Each of the cars were parked in the South parking lot. They were apparently burglarized at night.

Campus security believes the thefts were committed by the same person or persons. In each case, the thieves smashed a window to gain access. These incidents may be related to a series of similar robberies last fall. Six to seven cars were robbed on campus in the same manner.

"I have a feeling they are probably connected," said Jack Chapman, head of campus security.

In last fall's robberies, one person broke into the car while it was parked by a car driven by an accomplice.

Campus security maintains regular patrols to combat crime on campus. Chapman would like to put another officer on patrol, but budget limitations preclude such methods.

"There are times when we really need another officer," Chapman said. According to Chapman, extra personal would bolster weekend security.

Chapman suggests individuals take measures to prevent theft.

"A lot of people advertise," said Chapman. "Conceal expensive stereo equipment and lock loose items in the trunk."

Students or staff who find their cars broken into, or witness any suspicious behavior, should contact campus security immediately.

The car should not be disturbed, in order to allow security to collect evidence.

Any suspicious persons seen in the parking lots should be reported to security extension 220 or 878-3712 after hours.

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Highline nursing program rated in state top ten

By Karen Cooley

In a recent licensure examination for registered nurses, HCC nursing graduates scored in the top 10 percent in the state, along with graduates from eight other community college nursing programs.

Approximately 70 percent of Washington's registered nurses are graduates of community college programs like HCC's. According to the State Board for Community College Education, Highline is rated as one of the best nursing programs in the state.

I am proud that our graduates do so well, but I'm much more impressed by community feedback and employer comments rather than the State Board exam scores," said Melanie Wroe, HCC Nursing Program Coordinator.

Admission to Highline's nursing program is on a selective basis for both incoming students and licensed practical nurses who are working toward a nursing degree. The program consists of 121 credits, which include general requirements and specialized courses during the second and third years. Nursing students are required to spend 12 to 16 hours a week every quarter in a hospital environment with patients at Highline, Auburn General, and River- town Hospitals.

"We have an outstanding nursing faculty," said Wroe. "We also have a very well-rounded curriculum, which emphasizes all aspects of the patient—not just the illness."

Highline's program, which has been in operation for 21 years, caters to students wishing to earn an associate degree in nursing and also to LPN's who want to "step-up" to a baccalaureate level. Four-year institutions offer an extensive baccalaureate program for those who want to receive a bachelor's degree in nursing.

The University of Washington's four-year program includes research, leadership, and community health studies not available through community college programs. The UW also offers a transfer program for associate degree registered nurses who want to earn their bachelor's degree.

In both the community college and the four-year university programs, graduating students can become registered nurses after passing the State Board exam. As shown by the 1986 State Board exam scores, graduates of community college programs scored just as well as graduates from schools of higher education.

Recently, there have been some questions over the difference between RN's with associate degrees, RN's with bachelor's degrees, and LPN's. Previously, it was thought that each nurse should be a prerequisite for the nursing profession. He also mentioned that four-year schools would not be able to accommodate the large number of registered nurses needed for the future without the associate degree program.

"To institute the four-year degree as a prerequisite for registered nursing would be a disaster for the health care industry," said Terry.

In any case, many LPN's with nursing experience are interested in community colleges to obtain an associate degree and increase their knowledge of nursing. The degree also helps to secure a future position in the nursing profession for nurses without formal education.

Although both graduates of two and four-year schools may score equally well on the State Board exam, RN's with bachelor's degrees are found more often in positions of leadership and independence. "State Board exam scores are designed to test minimum competency; therefore, they don't mean that much in a nurse's long-term career," said Jessica Myers, Undergraduate Program Coordinator in the UW's School of Nursing.

Although RN's with a bachelor's degree may be accepted in more areas, they also pay a lot more for their education. The average quarter's cost for the University of Washington is at least double that of HCC, and the UW's program is approximately four years longer.

According to Wroe, the graduates of HCC's program have established good reputations with several respected institutions, such as the Veterans Administration Medical Center.

"Our graduates stand out among others because of their depth of knowledge," said Wroe.

For men only

By Rick Jackson

Earlier this month, a new area was opened near the Counseling Center to serve the special needs of men. Ranging above the location map which reads Men's Information and Reading Area, although the counselors prefer to call it "The Men's Corner."

According to Sterling Larson, Counselor, the Men's Corner was created to provide more emphasis on men's issues within the counseling center.

Swanson enlisted the aid of Julie Burr, coordinator of the Women's Center, and Sterling Larson, of the Counseling Center.

Burr said she was hesitant at first because of the time she already devoted to the emerging women's cause. She changed her mind when she realized that men do have unique issues which need addressing.

"I think if men work on their own issues it will be mutually beneficial to the other people in their lives, many of those other people being women," Burr said.

Swanson and Burr then contacted Sterling Larson of the Counseling Center. Larson had previously been involved with men's issues and was usually the main contact when a man with questions entered the Counseling Center. Larson agreed about the need for a special place for men to receive information.

Swanson, Burr, and Larson met, and the idea for a Men's Center came into being.

"The counselors are enthusiastic about the new center," said Lance Gib- son, Counselor. "It might provide a doorway into areas not traditionally used by men."

There will be a Men's Center Open House on Wednesday, March 4. Several people will be on hand to answer any questions.

For more information contact Sterling Larson at the Men's Center or at ext. 333.
Accent on People

Hospitality, tourism: programs best at HCC
By Gerri La Marche

Students travel from around the world to participate in HCC's Hospitality and Tourism Management programs, according to Edward "Ted" Brodsky-Porges, department coordinator.

"Students who come to the U.S. and graduate are highly regarded in the job market upon returning to their countries," Brodsky-Porges said.

Much of HCC's course material, he said, is published in academia journals around the world because it offers more than just food service, lodging and tourism options.

"Foreign students tend to be more serious about getting an adequate education," Brodsky-Porges stated.

As a guest speaker for the Organization of American States, Brodsky-Porges participated in a workshop on tourism and education in Jordan.

He said Highline is famous for its Hospitality and Tourism program and cited student Hisham Kurdi, a Jordanian who was influenced by the workshop and decided to attend Highline, as an example of attracting foreign students to HCC.

Alberto Martinez, a student from Columbia, South America intends to open a resort hotel in the capital city, Bogota, his hometown.

Martinez said he has found more information in the U.S. regarding how to plan a career in tourism management than in his home country.

"I visited Miami, Fla. twice, and Dallas, Texas once as a tourist," Martinez said, "and I find U.S. libraries have a lot of information to help you plan a career."

One barrier many foreign students encounter is having adequate funds to live and study here. Students aren't permitted to work off-campus while living in the country on a student visa. Furthermore, as non-residents, they have to pay higher tuition fees.

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Therefore, such students must find financial assistance, and seek grants from their governments, based on maintaining a high grade point average, Brodsky-Porges explained.

HCC singers to perform with soloists
Grace Baptist Church in White Center that day.

Nancy Strand, a soprano soloist, performs at many Christian conference centers on the West Coast and has appeared in numerous concerts in the area with Robert McGrath.

McGrath has appeared with the Seattle Opera Company, on CBC television in Canada, and has toured the Far East. He is best known for singing the national anthem at University of Washington sporting events, the Rose Bowl, and for Seattle Sonics basketball games.

Doug Manning, a baritone soloist recently appeared in the HCC Showcase of Talent and has appeared as a soloist throughout the region. He is presently the choral director at Decatur High School and Supervisor of the Federal Way School District.

These programs are conducted by Gordon Voles, HCC music instructor, and accompanied by Sue Vercammen at the organ. All programs are free.

By Bill Stevenson

The Highline College Choir, Vocal Ensemble, and college band Alumni Singers will be joined by three well-known soloists to present "The Seven Last Words of Christ," by Theodore Dubois, March 13 at noon in the Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7.

An encore performance will be presented March 15 in Bldg. 7 at 7:30 p.m. A performance of "The Seven Last Words of Christ" is also slated by the troupe at Haruo "Harry" Kawabe, Japanese student, and his American friends, to provide the public with a chance to experience their culture.

For more information, contact Brodsky-Porges at Bldg. 16, Rm. 1, or call him at ext. 480.

By Bill Stevenson

HCC student Victoria Carpenter was recently crowned "Queen of the Rhinestone Ball," a debutant event for young black women in Washington state.

The honor comes with a $1,000 scholarship to continue her education, based on having the highest grade point average in her senior year of high school.

The event included a reception, a dance where the participants, called debutants, were formally introduced to the public and the coronation of the queen.

Carpenter also received a personal letter of congratulation from HCC President, Dr. Shirley B. Gordon.

Carpenter earned the honor from a field of 23 other high achievers. Terri L. D. Crews, also of HCC, competed in the event.

Carpenter, who attended Rainier Beach High School in Seattle, is currently enrolled in the fashion merchandising program here at HCC. After she graduates she would like to own her own clothing shop.

"I'd like to own a store with my name on it," Carpenter said.

Carpenter's victory came as a complete surprise to her.

"I never expected to win," said Carpenter. "I didn't think my 3.5 grade point would be enough to win."

According to Carpenter a lot of pressure came with the honor of being selected as queen.

"Once I learned I had been chosen I became very aware of how I performed my routine," said Carpenter. "I wanted to make sure I got it right." Carpenter said that her parents support helped her through the experience.

The highlight of Carpenter's evening came after her coronation. She was required to drink a glass of champagne, then hurl the glass to the floor in order to break it.

But trying to drink a glass of champagne while retaining her crown on her head proved to be a difficult task.

"It was really hard to drink the champagne and keep the crown on my head," Carpenter said.

Even with the pressures, Carpenter is pleased with her title and the experiences that lead up to her victory.

"It was a worthwhile experience and gave me a chance to get close to the others," Carpenter said.
News Briefs

College transfer information day
Representatives from a majority of the baccalaureate institutions in the state of Washington will participate in Highline Community College’s Transfer Information Day.

The representatives will be available to talk with students and staff on February 27, from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on the second floor of Bldg. 6.

Institutions participating will be:
- Bastyr College of Naturopathic Medicine
- Central Washington University
- City University
- Cornish College of the Arts
- Eastern Washington University
- Gonzaga University
- Pacific Lutheran University
- Reserve Officers’ Training Corps
- Seattle Pacific University
- Seattle University
- Evergreen State College
- University of Puget Sound
- Walla Walla College
- Washington State University
- Western Washington University
- Whitworth College

Job seminar offered
A Job Search Resources seminar will be held Feb. 27, March 6 and 12, from 1-3 p.m.

The seminar will be hosted by
- Paulette Stochel, job search specialist.

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Veterans benefits available

Veterans in Washington State may lose over $8,100 each in education benefits. Many post-Vietnam veterans, while on active duty, contributed up to $2,700 in to the Veterans Educational Assistance Act program. In order to qualify for benefits, they must sign up within 10 years after being discharged from active military service.

According to Richard F. Murphy, the Director of the Seattle Veterans Administration Regional Office, over 290,000 eligible veterans nationwide have yet to sign up.

We do not know exactly how many Washington State veterans may be eligible," Murphy said. "Some of them have simply forgotten that they signed up for this program in the first place. Some may have changed their minds and do not realize that they can apply for reimbursement of their contribution. Either way, it would be a shame for a veteran who could benefit from this program to lose out because the time limit elapsed before he or she applied."

To be eligible for this program a serviceperson would have entered on active duty after Dec. 31, 1976 and signed up for the VEAP program. Veterans who would like more information on their eligibility for this or other VA programs should call 624-7200/Seattle), 363-3851 (Tacoma), or 1-800-955-7482 between the hours of 7:30 A.M. and 3:30 P.M.

Awardwinners announced

The Academic Scholarship Committee recently awarded free tuition scholarships to 15 quarter to fifteen students.

Scholarships are awarded every quarter except summer for scholastic achievement, educational goals, recommendations, and activities.

The names of the scholarship winners are:
- Terri Lynn Bates
- Dorothy Carpenter
- Deanna Lynn Ferguson
- Alison Elaine Ganung
- Mark Kelly
- Darrell Harrison
- Verda M. Hinton
- Kelli M. Keegan
- Kris Kenworthy
- Theresa Murrow
- Kara Kay Munson
- Wendy J. Olson
- Mirian R. Rasmussen
- Laurie Schaffler
- James M. Thayer

Spring scholarship winners announced

The Academic Scholarship Committee recently awarded free tuition scholarships to 15 quarter to fifteen students.

The Pi Sigma chapter of Phi Theta Kappa will offer open memberships for qualified students through March 13.

Requirements for acceptance include maintaining a 3.5 GPA, and enrollment in 20 credits or completed 30. Those interested should contact Lori McCorkle, chapter president, or the secretary in Bldg. 5.

There will also be a reception held for honor students in the Artists-Lecture Center on March 9.
State sandwich bill survey successful

Amidst the plethora of important legislation on the floor in Olympia this week is House Bill 826, a proposal which would declare smoked salmon the official state sandwich.

The bill also includes a list of official suggested condiments: Waalla Walla sweet onions, mustard and mayonnaise.

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Many contraception experts also point out that condoms are the most plentiful and accessible form of birth control available, especially to teens.

Condoms do not require medical supervision, as do diaphragms and the Pill. They also do not place the onus of birth control on either party: both males and females can purchase condoms.

When used correctly, condoms are also effective in the prevention of sexually transmitted diseases, and this is the market which the ads, if aired, will play to.

Teen pregnancies are on the rise, as are the incidents of sexually transmitted diseases throughout every age group in America. To continue to educate our youth about their sexuality through the school of whispers and street waves are already too clogged with rumors of others, bris- tlers of scalp itch and mother-daughter melodrama centered around feminine hygiene preparations.

They suggest that the print medium, with its vast array of specialized publications, is the place to advertise contraception especially to teens.

The most vocal and politi- cally-active group of opponents conten- tion is that the ads encourage promis- cuity, especially in teenagers—and make more trauma centers needed in U.S.

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By Gerrit LaMarche

The Golden Hinde II is a full-scale replica of the ship used by Sir Francis Drake to circumnavigate the world, 1577-1580. Having recently spent three weeks moored in Seattle's Lake Union, it will sail up The Manchester port in Tacoma on Jan. 30, after sailing past Des Moines on its way to Tacoma, and being visible from the HCC campus. Before mooring in Tacoma, the Hinde will make a two-week stop in Bremerton before docking in Portland, Ore. on March 27.

Flying the waters against the wind, relying primarily on the modern 300-pound diesel engine—something Drake probably would have liked to have had—the craft took almost 10 hours to make the trip to Tacoma.

Built in 1972, the ship is a floating museum of 16th century sailing life. The 130-ft. long craft is the world's only sea-worthy square-rigged galleon, and displays 8,500 sq. ft. of canvas when completely unfurled.

Made of Scotch pine, the three-masted vessel is a complement of 20 officers and 80 crewmen in a space no larger than the average modern apartment-size kitchen. It has 22 fully-functional cannons, a tiny brig, a microwave oven, a few modern conveniences for the comfort of the present-day crew. For instance, a microwave oven, electric lights, and some other things generally taken for granted, today.

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The original cannons were often used against Spanish treasure and supply ships. While the Hinde is not a real pirate ship, it does collect booty and resupplied the Hinde's small storehouses with fresh meat and wine.

According to the Hinde II's tour guide, James Carter, during Drake's 1577-1580 voyage, the officers generally ate better than other crewmembers, leaving them the remains of maggots-ridden sea biscuits and vying for the delicacy of baby rats. The officers generally ate better than other crewmembers, leaving them the remains of maggots-ridden sea biscuits and vying for the delicacy of baby rats.

Once a week, the crew's pasttimes, Carter said, was racing the maggots-filled biscuits against Spanish treasure and supply ships. But the role of actually skippering the ship falls to Martin "Goldie" Goldsmith. The pilot of a 175-foot tug, he normally makes his living hauling a large between Vancouver, B.C., San Francisco and Los Angeles.

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By Ellen Dahl
and Robert Antonelli
Des Moines may be a small town, but it has one of the biggest thrift stores/garage sale/thrift markets in the Papio Sound area: the Midway Swap Meet.

Just across Highway 99 from HCC, the swap meet is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. every Saturday and Sunday, and after Memorial Day, until 5 p.m. (or who get here after about 8:15) p.m. It is also smart to arrive with a good idea of what you are looking for, and how much you are willing to pay for each item. There are so many items offered, it is easy to become distracted.

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Arts and Entertainment

Leave the old greats in living black-and-white

By Ellen Dahl

In an attempt to appeal to younger audiences and make more money, owners of the rights to black-and-white films have resorted to a method that threatens to destroy their beauty: computer colorization.

Colorizing black-and-white film is accomplished by assigning a color to each item in a particular scene. To ensure they appear bright enough, simple colors such as yellows, lavenders, and other pastels are used. The result of this color scheme usually looks bad enough (as in it’s a Wonderful Life and Yankee Doodle Dandy) but skin and black coats look especially bad. The purpose of colorizing a film in the first place is to make the "old-fashioned" black-and-white films appeal to those who grew up with color in their movies and on television.

The colorizing jobs on It’s a Wonderful Life and Yankee Doodle Dandy were especially botched. The added colors bleed, faces are bright peach, and a bush in Wonderful Life which is supposed to have tiny purple flowers comes out with patches of purple and green. The results are very unattractive, and for those who know the movie was colorized, very distracting. "Of Blue Eyes" himself, Frank Sinatra, wound up with brown eyes in one film. Films shot in black-and-white require different lighting techniques as opposed to color. A filmmaker who employs black and white places more emphasis on dramatic use of light and shadow than on special effects exploiting the use of color.

The fact that the main goal of colorization is to make more money is bad enough. However, the effects of the practice go deeper than that. Some movies were meant to appear in black-and-white. Night of the Living Dead, made in 1968 when color movies had been the norm for some time, was colorized. Although a better job was done on this film as compared to other colorizing attempts, the point of the movie, which was to be a low-budget, gross, schlocky B movie, is destroyed. Black-and-white film was used to make it appear unsophisticated. Putting color in a movie such as Star Wars disregards any concern for filmmaker George Romero’s purpose.

Someone in favor of colorizing films ("Oh, it looks so pretty! Now we know what color her dress was, blah, blah...") might tell and colorization fadists that they can simply turn the color knob all the way to the left when a classic B&W film is shown on TV.

On campus

Tuesday, March 3
Brown Bag Concert Series presents
comediane Peggy Platt
Noon, Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7, free.

Thursday, March 5
Free Brown Bag Series: Careers in Hospitality and Tourism
 Noon—1 p.m., Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7, free.

Monday, March 9
Monday Night Jazz featuring the HCC Jazz Ensemble and special Seattle jazz musicians 7 p.m., Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7, free.

Tuesday, March 10
International Women’s Day Activities 11 a.m.—1 p.m.
Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7, free.

Music, food, displays and demonstrations
Sponsored by the Women’s Resource Center, Events Board and the Multicultural Student Services Office (see story this issue)
Thursday, March 12 through Saturday, March 14
HCC Drama Department presents the children’s play At Last We Meet, by David Scully and Anna McAllister (see full-length story in the Feb. 13 Thunderword) 8 p.m., HCC’s Little Theater, Bldg. 4 $3 students, senior citizens $5 general public
Friday, March 13
HCC Oratorio Society Noon, Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7, free.

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Arts and Entertainment

The problem with ‘Mannequin?’
It finds the wrong audience
By Ellen Dahl


What could have been a funny, touching film on the level of Squeak falls flat with too much reliance on mainstream gimmicks and with too much predictability.

The movie starts out originally enough, with an animated introduction like in Grease (but still original). The story concerns Jonathan (Andrew McCarthy), who loses every job he finds because he wants to be artistic. He finally finds success designing poses and outfits for mannequins in a department store window display.

Jonathan feels a special attachment to one of the mannequins he works with, because he created it all by himself. This mannequin is his only inspiration, making it obvious right away the movie isn’t to be taken too seriously. Wonder of wonders, this particular mannequin, Emmy (Kim Cattrall), surprises him and comes to life, but only when Jonathan is the only other person around. She is as attracted to Jonathan as he is to her, and helps him create exciting, Wilde displays that make passers-by stop and stare at the window in amazement.

Unfortunately, the film’s charm is buried beneath the seemingly forced inclusion of mainstream elements. Any American over 15 has seen it all before. A car chase, a dumb dog, scenes hinting heavily at sex, fast-paced direction, plays that make passers-by stop and stare at the window in amazement.

Overall, the acting is good, but the characters take themselves a little too seriously for the movie to appeal to adults wanting a comedy with substance. With more silliness and less insistence on building a teenage audience, Mannequin could have gained more respect and probably a longer theater run.

‘Annie Hall’ not to be missed
By Ellen Dahl

Annie Hall, a delightful Woody Allen comedy from 1978, will be shown as part of the Human Comedy Film Series Wednesday, March 4 at 7 p.m. in the Artists-Lecture Center.

The structure of the film is the same as in Manhattan, Play It Again Sam, and last year’s Hannah and her Sisters. Allen’s character is a dumb klutz who’s unsuccessful with women, and Diane Keaton plays his girlfriend. As in the aforementioned films, there’s little plot, but the film doesn’t try to have one; it goes through several events in the lives of the main characters, and makes you gaggle. One different aspect of Annie Hall is Allen’s occasional narration while looking right at the camera, telling about his life.

This was the movie that got me interested in Woody Allen films. If you’ve enjoyed his others, don’t miss the uncut version of Annie Hall. Cost is $1 for HCC students, $2 for the general public.

performing arts series

PHILADELPHIA STRING QUARTET

The Performing Arts Series will present a concert featuring the Philadelphia String Quartet on Tuesday, March 3 at 7:30 p.m. in the Artists-Lecture Center. The Philadelphia String Quartet is acclaimed throughout the world for the beauty and depth of its playing. Praised for its profound musicianship, warmth of sound and ensemble perfection, it continues to delight audiences everywhere.

Tickets are available in advance at the HCC bookstore or at the desk of the performance, which will be $3 for students and senior citizens and $5 for the general public. This event is sponsored by the Highline College Events Board and is funded in part by the King County Arts Commission and Selco.

recreation

ski

Cross Country Ski Trip
6 a.m.-6 p.m.
Friday, March 6
Ski areas: Stevens Pass, Alpental, Snoqualmie
$16 includes lift ticket and transportation

Films

Wednesday, March 4
The Human Comedy Film Series presents Annie Hall, starring Woody Allen and Diane Keaton. 7 p.m., Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7
$1 students/staff/children under 13
$2 general public
(see preview this issue)

Wednesday, March 11
The Human Comedy Film Series presents Road Warrior, starring Mel Gibson
Two showings: noon and 7 p.m., Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7
$1 students, $2 general public

Lectures

This series involves the speaker imagining he is giving his last address to an audience. The topics are open and determined by the instructor. In doing these lectures, we hope to enhance the intellectual atmosphere on campus.

Upcoming Lectures:
April 16—George Donovan, HCC psychology instructor
April 29—Charles Storey, HCC science instructor
May 6—speaker to be announced

Wednesday, noon—1
Artists-Lecture Center, Bldg. 7, free.
Sports

T-bird women play in conference championships

By Jeff Hensley

The past two weeks have been pretty quiet for Highline's women's basketball team. Even during Wednesday's final regular practice, only the squeak of shoes on the gym floor and a few dim voices from the players broke the nearly hollow emptiness of the Pavilion.

The Thunderbirds clinched a spot in the conference tournament after winning their league championship with their victory over Edmonds, Feb. 11.

Since, the team has been preparing for their first game of the tournament, with Yakima Valley, Thursday, Feb. 26.

Yakima is the only team to make the tournament that Highline had not previously met this season.

Head Coach Dale Bolinger said that he had been an assistant coach in Yakima though, and expressed one of his chief concerns was in rebounding.

Bolinger said his team is not as big as the players' height. Highline's members are relatively short in comparison to Yakima's, which has a number of women over 6 feet. Kelly Neymor, assistant coach, said that the Thunderbirds are faster though. Thus, the team's strategy was to heavily use the fast break and run down Yakima.

If HCC was victorious over Yakima, they would advance to a game this evening, Feb. 27, at 7 p.m.

Last year's team finished fourth overall in the tournament. After losing their first game to Green River, the Thunderbirds went on to win the next two.

Green River rallied to win the championship.

Green River is favored to win the title again, was contested at Green River Community College, Feb. 26-28.

Green River is the winner of the western division with a perfect 12-0 league record, and 23-2 overall record. Yakima Highline is the winningest team this season, with a 25-3 season record.

Two other teams from the same league are in the tournament. Second place Edmonds, and third place Bellevue will provide Highline with more than enough competition.

The Northern division is the only league to have three teams in the conference tourney.

Kathy Brumley, a starting guard for the T-birds, said her challenge would be to just "play smart" and not let the pressure of the games affect her play.

Spurr was in agreement, adding that the members needed to play as they would in any regular season contest.

Although Bolinger said it is unlikely a team would make it to the conference tournament if it relied on one outstanding player.

He added that if a team with a couple top players were able to enter, the chances of such a team making a strong showing or returning would also be improbable.

"That was the big question," said Bolinger. "Can we come out of it?"

After the team's 2-6 season start, the question mark was pretty large.

"It started out kind of tough," said Brumley.

Only one more defeat was to strike the team.

In the T-bird's regular season opener against Edmonds, the two battled into overtime before Edmonds emerged victorious.

Highline then countered to win ten straight games, including two over Bellevue, Jan. 14 and 31. Bellevue is one team in the conference tourney.

With matching 10-1 records, Edmonds and HCC collided again. This time with different results. This game was for the league championship and an automatic berth in the championship contest.

Edmonds took an early lead in the Feb. 11 event. However, the Thunderbirds were able to strike back from a near 10-point deficit in time to end the first half with a narrow two point lead, 37-35.

Oddly, Spurr's fouling out may have turned the tide Highline's way. Bolinger felt Edmonds didn't capitalize on the out of the game, caused them to lose their concentration.

Although only a subtle mental difference was made, it caused Edmonds to change its tempo. Highline then poured on an aggressive offense and a strong defense.

Both teams scored an equal 38 points in the second half to end the game in regulation time with HCC squeaking by 75-73.

Despite fouling-out early, Spurr led the team in scoring and rebounding with 22 and 14 respectively. Kernan followed in points with 17.

Bonnie Vorwerk led in assists, with four, in addition to five rebounds and ten points. Brumley scored nine and Kris Foster had eight points.

Tina Washington was second for the team in rebounds, with nine, and also had four points.

Also scoring four points was Chere Burbridge, to round out all scorers for the T-birds in the game.

"It's been a real enjoyable season," Kernan said.

Winning the league championship will add to the team's accomplishments. A good showing in the conference tournament will make for quite a first season for the young team with much to look forward to in the coming season.

Swimmers end season, show strong in Portland

By John Batinovich

Both the HCC men's and women's swim teams made a strong showing on Feb. 19, 20 and 21 at the Small College Championships in Portland, a meet where six of eight teams in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics competed.

Both teams placed ninth overall out of a field consisting of 13 teams. Central Washington University, Pacific Lutheran University, Lewis and Clark College and Whitworth University rounded out the top five.

"We had a bellman meet. Considering the competition, I'm real happy with the way we did," said swimming coach, Milt Orphan about the performance of his team.

Orphan was impressed with the physical stature of the swimmers from the competing schools. He said most of the men stood at least 6'-3" and were obviously in good condition.

This, combined with the fact that HCC entered the meet with only 10 swimmers, compared with CWU's 36, made it tough for the T-birds to win a lot of events.

Even in light of this, the T-birds, led by Jerry Ferrell, Tyler Patterson, Leigh Norling and Michelle McConnell, made a strong showing.

The SCC meet was the T-bird's first exposure to a meet that involved starting with large heaps of swimmers which are progressively eliminated until a final heat of eight swimmers is reached.

Norling and Ferrell reached the final in their respective events, the 200 yard butterfly and 500 yard freestyle. Karen Shaw and Brenda Lilly both reached the finals in the 200 yard backstroke.

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Sports

Soccer club streaks toward finals

By John Bezinovich

Continuing a strong HCC tradition, the mens soccer club has streaked to a 4-1 record this year and prospects look good for a first place finish.

The club won its second division title last summer in a division that consisted of 12 teams. HCC followed up that finish with a strong third place finish last fall.

In games so far this season, HCC lost a heartbreaker to the StraightShots club in a score of 3-2.

"It was a game we let get away. We should have won."

said Head Coach Ed Newell.

In other games, HCC trounced the Encore Soccer Team 109 on Feb. 8, beat the Strikers 4-2 on Feb. 1, downed the Fisen Destroyers 3-1 on Jan. 25, and shut out the Pubbers 8-0 on Jan. 18.

The HCC team consists of players who attend classes at Highline either in the day or at night. On the average, the HCC players are younger than teams in the Northwest Conference.

"Having younger guys help playing against older teams. We can keep them running," explained Newell. He said the age difference allows them to play a faster paced game without tiring.

Playing such fast-paced games accounts for much of the high scoring by Highline. Newell said Normally soccer is characterized by low scoring games.

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Helmsmen drown in over-time

By Todd McDonald

On February 18, the Highline Thunderbirds in overtime, 104-101 at Bellevue last Wednesday.

Bellevue had previously defeated the T-birds twice and were looking to make it three in a row over the HCC men's basketball team. A win by the Helmsmen would have kept alive their hopes of playing on their home floor for the Northwest Conference Championships to be held in Bellevue this weekend, Feb. 28-Mar. 1.

Coach Fred Harrison and the rest of the T-birds men's hoop team had ideas of their own, however.

By virtue of Bellevue's win over Evergreen and Highline's victory over Olympic in earlier playoff action, the teams met for a third time in a loser-out battle.

Patience was the key to Highline's success as they consistently got the ball into their big men in the first half. Greg Sparling 6'7" and Brian Berndt 6'6" each chipped in 13 first-half points in leading the T-birds to a 42-33 halftime lead.

At the beginning of the season Harrison stated that patience would be the key to Highline's winning ball-games.

In the second half the pace of the game changed changing the speed of your recent player from 33 to 40.

Bellevue began to put their fast-break offense into high gear in an effort to get back into the game by forcing the ball up the floor and taking 3-point shots. But the gusty T-birds answered the task at hand and held on to a slim six-point lead with two minutes left in the contest.

At this point free-throws started to become very important, and Highline guard Mills Grant and front-row Sparling showed just how calm they were as each hit one of ten from the charity stripe to keep their lead intact.

Just when Highline thought they had the game in the bag, Bellevue guard Terrill Hall struck for two 3-pointers. The last came with eight-seconds left, tying it, and eventually tie it, and eventually

Bellevue lost their last two regular season games to Slagle 93-72 and to Edmonds 75-67 bringing their regular season games to 8-12 overall.

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Co-Captain Sparling took matters into his own hands and pumped in five of his team's 12 overtime points to lead the T-birds to a 104-101 victory.

"In a season of ups and downs, it was the most gratifying victory of the season," said Assistant Coach Paul Gerry.

All five starters scored in double figures led by Sparling's 34 point outburst. Grant popped in 21 and Co-Captain Bettis hit for 18 dingers.

Lilly turned out, we could have salvaged a somewhat of an already disappointing season. Game faces were put on by all of the Thunderbirds.

Swimmers show strength

heat, which is made up of eight swimmers who do not reach the finals. Several T-birds swam in the consolation heat for the first time this season.

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The team will lose top swimmers Chris Cushing, Ferrell, Fraser MacDornell, Patterson, Tim Pretare and Dave Wheatman. Skagway to the women's team are, Lilly, McConnell, Norling, and Alida Mecklenburg.

Orphan believes a strong recruiting program this year will help build a strong team next season. According to Orphan, however, "You can't tell how good they are going to be until you see the whites of their eyes."

The swim team will hold their annual awards banquet March 14, at the Glen Acres Golf and Country Club.
Sports

Sailing courses provide instruction, competence

By Tom Clark

In 1970 Ed Fish, a music instructor at HCC, was preparing for an engagement at the Bayshore Inn in Vancouver, B.C. Instead of staying in a hotel, he opted to sail to Vancouver on the drummer’s boat. It was Fish’s first sailing experience, and apparently he was hooked.

Three years later Fish opened the Argosy Sailing Club to teach sailing and provide access to boats—primarily for entry level sailors.

Argosy teaches sailing lessons ranging from basic sailing to coastal navigation. Memberships are arranged. Argosy taught sailing to approximately 200 students last year.

Basic sailing, a 12 hour course, is offered through the office of continuing education at HCC. The course is broken into four three-hour sessions from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays. Basic Sailing teaches its students to sail a boat up to approximately 25 feet long.

Coastal Navigation covers basic coastal and inland navigation, including nautical charts, tide and current tables, and course plotting. A ten-hour course, Coastal Navigation is broken into four evening sessions. It is also offered at HCC.

Basic Coastal Cruising and Bareboat Chartering classes are available through Argosy Sailing.

Men’s Basketball

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Up first was the Olympic Rangers who Highline had already beaten twice; but this was no easy task. Just two weeks prior, the Rangers defeated previously unbeaten Skagit Valley to give Skagit it’s only regular season loss.

Led by Bill Hart’s 15-points and 12 rebounds and Berrid’s 10 points and 14 boards, Highline proceeded to make their way through district playoffs, beating up on Olympic 79-64.

This was just what the doctor ordered, getting a little momentum going before having to play the Bellevue Helmsmen. After beating Bellevue, Highline had to go down to Clackamas to play the Cougars three days after, to go down to Clackamas to play the sky-high T-birds back down to reality. The Cougars shot down the Thundertbird’s 86-67.

From the opening tipoff the Cougars dominated the game. Gerry said the well-coached Cougars made very few mistakes, as they jumped out to 49-26 halftime lead.

Highline put together a second half rally to bring them within ten points, but a tough man-to-man defense applied by the Cougars wouldn’t let them get any closer. Highline eventually lost by 18-points, 86-67.

Gerry said that the team improved quite a bit over the course of the year, adding he was proud of the way the team stuck with it throughout the year.

“We’re a young team and should be a contender next year,” Gerry said.

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