

CAMPUS EVENTS

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Cancellation of Gerasimov lecture

The April 2 Barrick Lecture Series guest lecturer Gennady Gerasimov will be cancelled.

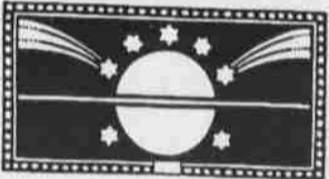
American Marketing Association elections

Start building your resume now—join the American Marketing Association. Membership is open to all students regardless of their major.

Election of officers will be held April 2 at 7 p.m. in FDH 201. Open offices include: president, executive vice president, v.p. of communications, v.p. of advertising and promotions, v.p. of finance, v.p. of membership, v.p. of programs, v.p. of career and placement, newsletter chair and intramural chair.

If unable to attend the meeting and for more information, contact the marketing department at 739-3364.

Planetary Society scholarships



"College fellowship award"—Undergraduates majoring in science or engineering may apply for one of up to five \$1,000 grants in 1991. Each applicant must be a

member of the Planetary Society or nominated by a member. Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of scholastic achievement, commitment to a career in planetary-related science or engineering, and a 2,500-word essay on a related topic.

"Mars Institute contest"—High school and college students are eligible to enter the 1991 contest administered by the Planetary Society's Mars Institute. The prize, awarded for best essay on the year's designated topic, is \$500 plus an all-expenses-paid trip to a Mars-related conference to receive the award.

This year's essay topic asks students to design a power system for a Mars base that would support a crew of ten for a year on the surface of Mars, and provide for the possibility of growing to support a crew of 100 people over the following decade.

All students who submit a complete paper will receive an Explorer's Guide to Mars poster and a one-year membership in the Planetary Society.

Entries for all scholarships and contest administered by the Planetary Society must be received by May 1; winners will be selected by June 1. More information for the scholarships may be obtained by writing: The Planetary Society, Scholarship Department, 65 N. Catalina Ave., Pasadena, CA 91106.

'International Resume Book'

The American International

Press is currently publishing a new directory book for United Nations organizations, international companies, major recruitment offices worldwide, and U.S. Government projects and embassies overseas called "The International Resume Book."

The objective of the book is to help these organizations find highly qualified American-trained individuals to fill their international and personnel needs. It will also help those who are interested in an international career.

There is no deadline, but they will stop accepting applications immediately after receiving the required number of qualified resumes. Send resumes to American International Press, 177 Webster Street #462, Monterey, CA 93940, or call (408) 655-2895.

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Freedom from smoking class

The American Lung Association of Nevada will hold a Freedom from Smoking clinic April 24 through May 29, beginning at 7 p.m. Classes will be held at Desert Springs Hospital, 2075 E. Flamingo Road, 2nd floor classroom B. They will meet for six weeks. Registration fee is \$50.

The Freedom from Smoking class emphasizes unlearning a habit and helping smokers cope with stressful situations without lighting up. The class is designed to help every type of smoker quit permanently.

The following areas will be

covered: evaluating the smoking habit, preparing to quit, relaxation techniques, coping in the short term, recovering, managing stress and learning about nutrition. To register, call Jolene Stewart at 454-2500.

Art-A-Fair competition



A single judge will select the winners of the 17th annual Art-A-Fair, the fine arts competition and exhibit sponsored by the Las Vegas-Clark County Library District. Associate Curator Susan Anderson of the Laguna Art Museum in Laguna Beach, Calif., will pick the first, second, third and honorable-mention artworks from the hundreds of entries.

Prizes include \$950 in cash or gift certificates and purchase awards totalling \$1,000. Entries for Art-A-Fair are due to the Clark County Library Main Gallery, 1401 E. Flamingo Road, April 3 from 10 a.m.-6 p.m., and April 4 from 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Art-A-Fair is one facet of the "Festival of the Arts," now in its

second year, which showcases performance arts as well as visual arts. The Festival will be held April 6 and 7 at Clark County Library with an arts-and-crafts sale, children's activities, music, dance, theater, and such visual arts as painting, sculpture and mixed media works.

For more information regarding requirements and fees, contact the manager at 733-3601 or the programming office at 733-3613. March calendars at any branch library.

Chance for senior citizens to go to Washington

Congress member Barbara Vucanovich is seeking applicants for the 1991 Senior Citizens Intern Program, designed to provide older Americans with the opportunity to gain a practical understanding of how public policy affects their lives and how individual efforts affect public policy.

Those selected will travel to Washington, D.C. from May 12-18 for a week-long session on national issues. The participants will meet with Congressional leaders, administration officials and foreign officials in behind-the-scenes seminars and working visits.

The 1991 Congressional Senior Citizen Intern Program is conducted in association with the Close Up Foundation. The cost is \$815 and all interested parties should contact Vucanovich's Reno office at 784-5003, North Las Vegas office at 399-3555 or Elko office at 738-4064 before April 1.

Upcoming Earth Day activities focus on the environment

by Rick Nielsen

Guzzle that Coke and save the empty can for admission to the second annual Earth Day Celebration and Picnic which is fast approaching. Co-sponsored by UNLV and EPA, this year's event offers a wide range of activities and speakers and may prove to be the best yet.

Earth Day is officially scheduled to start at noon on Sunday, April 21. However, Robert F. Kennedy Jr. will speak Saturday April 20 at 7:30 p.m. Kennedy is an attorney for the Natural Resources Defense Council, and an environmental law professor at Pace University in New York. He will speak on challenges that face the environment in the 1990s.

The Spring Valley Bike Club (SVBC) will again sponsor an Earth Day Bike-In, which begins at 10 a.m. and precedes the official noon opening ceremonies. Participants are encouraged to bike from home to UNLV to demonstrate the bicycle as a non-polluting, fuel-conserving, alternate form of transportation.

Upon arrival, bikers are asked to stop by the SVBC booth and log in their miles. There will also be a group photo in front of the flashlight at 11:20 a.m.

Governor Bob Miller recently issued a proclamation designating April 1991 as "Nevada Bicycling Month." The proclamation covers several aspects relating to bicycling and specifically denotes the Earth Day Bike-In to encourage year-round use of bicycles for daily commuting and for participation on the route through the

campus, which will be marked with points of environmental interest.

Everyone benefits when there are fewer cars on the road and less pollution being emitted into the air. Any questions about the Bike-In can be directed to Gail Lucas at 736-1910. Everyone is invited.

The rest of the day's events include the opening ceremonies and tree planting, the awards pre-

Nevada Chapter of the Electric Auto Association. The whole event is centered around the family picnic, so bring a blanket and a lunch basket if desired, or take advantage of the many food booths.

For entertainment, The Press, a band featuring Marty Mahoney of Mahoney's Drum Shop, will play. Attempts to organize more national and local acts are underway.

Of special interest is the Car Battery Drive sponsored in part by SCOPE (Students Conscious of Protecting the Environment), the student environmental group at UNLV. In an effort to remove hazardous car batteries from the environment, while at the same time raising money for the Environmental Studies Scholarship Fund, everyone with an old battery lying around the house or yard is urged to bring it in to be safely recycled. To make it as hassle free as possible, SCOPE will be set up in front of the MSU building. Enter off Maryland Parkway via the circle drive, drop off the battery and then park.

Jim Concannon of American Battery has offered to buy all the batteries collected at a premium and grant the use of his truck to deliver the batteries to his shop. In an attempt to calculate a rough estimate of the total batteries that will be collected, please call Rick at 594-2535 if you plan donate a battery.

Don't forget, the price of admission for Earth Day is one empty aluminum can. Stay tuned for more details as they become available.



sentation to the winners of the Clark County School District (CCSD) Science Fair, Nevada Wildlife Poster Contest and EPA Photo Contest. The poster contest is restricted to students in the CCSD, but the EPA Photo Contest is open to the public. This year's topic for the photo contest is "How People Effect the Environment." Senators Richard Bryan and Harry Reid and Mayor Ron Lurie will be on hand.

There will be tours of the EPA's laboratory, and UNLV's arboretum and desert garden. There will also be an exhibition of electric autos sponsored by the

Debate team goes to international conference

The Intercollegiate Debate program at UNLV distinguished itself last weekend by advancing

At the Novice National Tournament, hosted by Towson (MD) State University, Carolyn Potter (JR, Las Vegas) and Jennifer Cole (SO, Las Vegas) advanced to the round of 16 before elimination.

Potter and Cole earned a slot in the elimination bracket after a preliminary record of 6 wins and 2 losses. Their record included wins over the University of Vermont, Towson State University, University of Miami (FL), Middle Tennessee State University, San Jose State University, and Adams State (CO) College.

Seeded 11th after the preliminary rounds, in the double octafinal round of 32, Cole and Potter defeated the University of Miami (PL), before dropping to San Jose State on a split decision in the octafinal round of 16.

Close to 60 teams from 35 colleges and universities participated in the tournament including Columbia University, Cornell University, Syracuse University, University of Notre Dame and Vanderbilt University.

At the JV National Debate tournament, hosted by Johnson County (MO) Community College, Jeff Bradley (SO, Shreveport) and Jason Gordon (FR, Las Vegas) advanced to the octafinal round of 16 as well.

Bradley and Gordon reached the elimination round after a

preliminary record of 5 wins and 3 losses. Their record included wins over Kansas State University, Wichita State University, the University of Kansas, Arizona State University, and Northwestern (LA) State University.

In the octafinal round, Gordon and Bradley dropped a split decision to Emporia State (KS) University.

UNLV was also represented at the tournament by Punky Finmark (FR, Las Vegas) and Sean McConville (FR, Malibu Beach). Finmark and McConville had been strong in recent tournament competition with a quarterfinal finish at the Biola Eagle Classic in February.

Tom Murphy, Director of the Intercollegiate Debate and Forensics Program at UNLV, was pleased with the performance. "We are the only university in the United States to advance teams to the elimination rounds at the Novice and JV Nationals. I think it speaks highly for University and the future of the forensics program."

To put things in perspective, Murphy analogized to the NCAA tournament. "It is the equivalent of making the Sweet Sixteen for those teams in their respective divisions. While nobody pays attention to JV or freshman games, it is an integral part of college debate competition."

UNLV will be represented by two teams at the CEDA National Tournament later this month.