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UNLV students Mark Heftman and Diana Schmitt volunteered their time and effort as key workers to the United Way campus campaign.

Campus campaign in full swing

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UNLV President Carol Harter has set a \$35,500 goal for the 1995 campus contribution to the United Way of Southern Nevada. The campus campaign runs through Nov. 2.

The United Way is offering prizes for those people who contribute to the cam-

pus campaign this year. Among the prizes are a family membership at the Green Valley Athletic Club, and a month of dinners for two at the Crocodile Cafe or Stage Deli.

UNLV is a major contributor to the United Way campaign, and set a university contribution record in 1994, with campus donations totaling more than \$32,000. Students contributed more than

\$450, and 15.7 percent of UNLV employees contributed to the fund.

A portion of the 1994 donations were used to provide 8,300 pounds of food for the Community Food Bank, supplies for 144 low-income children enrolled in the Classrooms on Wheels program, and sheriff and health cards for 100 Salvation Army clients.

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"I have a difficult time attending an inauguration when there's so many unmet needs," Alden continued. "Every time we spend a dollar, we take it away from the students."

The greetings were followed by a musical interlude performed by the UNLV Varsity Men's Glee Club and Women's Chorus, after which Harter approached the podium to address the audience.

"I am honored to be here today in celebration of academic community. The motive for the ceremony, is a passionate desire to reaffirm our purposes, our values, and our shared sense of meaningful human development, the life of the mind and the spirit," Harter said.

Harter promised a leadership in which "teamwork will be rewarded," and emphasized the importance of uniting faculty, staff, alumni, and student leaders to define specific

goals and priorities.

"We can become a model of outreach into the community, creating synergy with our students," Harter said. "We can still shape ourselves and determine our destiny in fresh ways, and we have begun that process," she added.

Harter spoke of the need to reevaluate the current core curriculum to ensure UNLV students of a program grounded in the liberal arts and sciences. The solution Harter posed was to insist on a core curriculum that requires mastery by all students, regardless of their majors.

The importance of alumni was noted by Harter, who called them "our strongest measure." Harter clarified her statement by saying that, how UNLV prepares its students to be responsible citizens, hard workers, and educated individuals, is how we will be measured as a university.

The Las Vegas community was praised by Harter, who acknowledged that more than \$100 million in private sup-

port has fueled the university during the first 38 years of its existence.

The unprecedented growth of the city of Las Vegas and of the university was mentioned by Harter as having been an indication of a "meteoric rise to national visibility."

"We can become a model of outreach into the community," Harter said, "creating a synergy with our students."

Harter concluded by thanking her husband of 35 years and her family for their tolerance and support. She has been separated from them since her move to Las Vegas from New York.

"I am proud to be able to lead what can only be described as an evolving university still seeking its identity as it approaches the 21st century," Harter said.

"It's a humbling task for which I ask nothing more or less than your patience, your affection, and your support."

keep in a fund for Mosca. Plinski has collected approximately \$200 thus far.

Senior Michelle Slichko has remained in contact with Mosca's family members and said they have requested people write or call District Attorney Stewart Bell to express outrage against gang violence. The family is encouraging students, faculty and members of the community to ask Bell to seek harsher penalties for gang related violence.

"There's strength in numbers and they (gangs) think they can get away with anything," Slichko said.

Joe Emory, human resources manager for Warehouse Entertainment, said Thursday, "We're looking at deterrents to prevent people from doing these things."

"I've been with the Warehouse for eight years and this is the first time an associate has been injured to this magnitude," Emory said.

News Briefs

Motivational workshop set

A motivational workshop presented by Deborah D. Wicker Wright, Ph.D., will be held tonight from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Classroom Building Complex C218.

"Goal Setting and Maximizing Time Effectively," is specifically intended for the nontraditional student, and teaches the steps to goal setting. Strategies for learning how to write attainable goals and objectives will be taught. For information call the Jean Nidetch Women's Center at 895-4475.

Graduate Record Exam course scheduled

A Graduate Record Exam preparatory course is being offered by the Division of Continuing Education from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturdays, through Nov. 18.

The fall GRE is scheduled for Dec. 9. Students planning to apply for graduate or professional schools can register for the course for \$150. The fee includes the course manual and exercise materials. For information call 895-3394.

Mascot tryouts

Tryouts for UNLV's mascot will be held Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the McDermott Physical Education Complex. A scholarship for the Spring semester will be awarded to the person selected. Call Mary Rene, UNLV's cheerleading coach, at 593-4933 for additional information.

Wolfson to speak about Nevada in the nuclear age

Richard Wilson, Ph.D., will speak at UNLV Wednesday in conjunction with his seven-part, statewide lecture series exploring the growing scientific, philosophical, and social concerns of the nuclear era in Nevada. The free event will be held in the Robert L. Bigelow Physics Building at 7:30 p.m.

Wilson is a distinguished scientist and interpreter of science for the non-specialist. He is the author of *Nuclear Choices: A Citizen's Guide to Nuclear Technology* and is a contributor to such publications as *Scientific America*.

For more information call toll-free at 1-800-382-5023.

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Legislature.

In a memorandum to the Regents, Harter said, "It would seem prudent to move the process forward by commissioning a series of more specific studies under the direction of an expert in legal education."

Harter presented the board with a plan for the feasibility study to entail the selection of a statewide advisory committee, recruitment of a prestigious legal consultant with experience as a law school administrator, and studies on American Bar Association accreditation requirement, law library construction and previous feasibility reports.

According to a rationale sheet presented to the regents, 500 Nevadans are attending law schools elsewhere at any given time. The University of Nevada, Reno has the state's medical school and "equity would suggest that the state commit itself to a parallel professional school at UNLV." The potential school would service the growing business climate

in the state's southern region.

The regents also held a workshop to discuss the university system's future. A summary of the workshop included the UCCSN enhancing academic planning and budget efforts, emphasizing the quality of undergraduate education and selectively developing graduate education that serves the state's needs. Providing more curriculum information in public post-secondary education, reflecting and enhancing diversity within its institutions and continuing in its commitment to accountability through evaluation and promoting research for health and growth were also discussed.

Regents also approved two new degree programs. A new undergraduate program at UNR will offer a bachelor's degree in science, business administration and an international business. Under a new graduate program at UNLV, a master's degree will be offered in the field of health physics.

Staff Writer Eric Feldman contributed to this story.

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incident. Hall said he feels no remorse for his actions and stated that he "did not know the lady so why should I feel sorry for her?"

No additional arrests have been made since Oct. 17. According to Petersen, several more suspects have been interviewed and more arrests are expected.

Students in the Mechanical Engineering Department at UNLV have begun organizing to help Mosca and her family. Senior Mike Plinski has begun collecting donations to

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