UNLY Sponsors Re-Entry Workshops

UNLV's Academic Advising and Resources Center will present a series of four miniworkshops this month designed to help nontraditional students make a smoother transition into the academic environment.

The workshops, set for 6:30-8:30 p.m. on Aug. 19 and 21, will feature presentations on the university structure and campus resources, communication skills, study skills and vocational assessment. There is no cost for the workshops and they are open to anyone interested in learning more about the university.

On Aut. 19, John Martin of the UNLV Admissions Office will give participants an overview of the university structure, the colleges and departments, and the campus resources available to UNLV students. The same evening, Pat Griffith of the Division of Continuing Education will present a program on communicating with confidence.

The Aug. 21 session will feature Shelly Fischer of UNLV's Learning Abilities Center talking on study skills, followed by Dorothy Bristow, director of the Re-Entry Center at Clark County Community College, discussing vocational assessment.

Workshops are geared to non-traditional students who have been out of the academic environment for a number of years and have either enrolled or are considering enrolling in university courses. The re-entry workshops are part of the university's growing effort to attract non-traditional students and ease their fears about returning to school.

For more information, call Marilyn LaMascus, 739-3627 or 739-3177.

JERUSALEM (WNS) — The 13th International Book Fair will be held in the city's convention center from April 6 to 12, 1987.

Refusenik Chess Champion Checkmates Members Of Congress

International Grand Chess Master and former refusenik, Boris Gulko, checkmated several members of Congress during a chess exhibition on Capitol Hill. The exhibition, not only focused on the game of chess, but also drew attention to the use of Soviet Jews as pawns in the international political struggle between the United States and the Soviet Union.

Talking to members of Congress as he simultaneously played four challengers, Gulko stated, "The question of emigration is the most important aspect of the Helsinki accords agreements. My presence here with you today is proof that the Helsinki process works. I urge you to continue your activities through the Helsinki process and also to increase pressure on the American Administration in view of the upcoming Summit and Vienna Review Conference of the Helsinki process."

Congressman Tom Lantos (D-CA), Co-Chairman of the Congressional Human Rights Caucus, made the first move for Soviet Jewry against Gulko. "I move this pawn on behalf of all the Soviet Jews still trapped in the Soviet Union and desire to be released. It is my hope that the chessboard of international relations will soon prove favorable to the brave people still suffering in the Soviet Union," stated Lantos.

Gulko's visit to Washington was sponsored by the Union of Councils for Soviet Jews and the Congressional Human Rights Caucus in celebration of the 11th Anniversary of the signing of the Helsinki Accords.

Gulko, 39, emigrated with his wife and son from the Soviet Union in May of this year. The family first applied to emigrate in 1979 but was refused for the Soviets believed that there was "no reason for the family to emigrate."

Since 1979 and most recently in April of this

year, Boris has held numerous demonstrations and hunger strikes as he attempted to convince Soviet authorities to allow he and his family to emigrate.

Both he and his wife, Anna, are Grand Chess Masters and Boris was the Soviet champion in 1977. Chess Masters throughout the world have been active in Boris' efforts to emigrate.

A Happier Time



Thinking of a life in freedom, Leningrad refusenik Dr. Vladimir Lifshitz (wearing a Western
Soviet Jewry t-shirt), his wife Anna, son Boris
and daughter Maria smile for the camera, in a
photo obtained by the Student Struggle for
Soviet Jewry. Now, Dr. Lifshitz is a Prisoner of
Conscience, shipped to virtually the most
remote part of the USSR, and Boris has been forcibly drafted into the Red Army. In a recent letter
addressed to supporters abroad, Dr. Lifshitz
wrote: "It is very important for me to know that
you exist, that you are waiting for me and that
you are doing everything possible to help me."

