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Student views

What is your opinion of present Dress Code at Foothill College?

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is a man-on-the-street interview with students enrolled in summer school at Foothill College. The students were asked to give their opinions of the present dress code. Opinions expressed are not necessarily those of the Foothill Sentinel or the college.

By CINDY KLEINHANS and ED SMITH

Students at Foothill College, generally speaking, have gone along with the dress code during regular semester classes. However, it was expressed by students that the code should be relaxed slightly during the summer months. Bermudas seem to be their answer to the problem. Furthermore, some students felt that the administration is taking away some of the initiative from them to think for themselves.

Here are a few comments made by students concerning the code; "I think we should be able to wear bermudas," stated Dick Hughes, biological science major. He said that he didn't think that this should be a "beach bum" campus but that cool clothes such as shorts sleeve shirts and hemmed bermudas should be permitted.

"It would be nice if they let up a little on the dress code," commented social science major Fran Cunningham.

"I think that the dress code should be left as is," Barry Hunt stated firmly. Hunt a music major, has been active for two years on student government. He said that the possible reason for the dress code being upheld is the appearance of the campus.

"Now that summer is here, the dress code should be relaxed as far as visitors are concerned," explained Bonnie Carlson, a special education major. "I think you should be able to wear bermudas in the Campus Center because your legs are under the table anyway," she added.

From whole heartedly ap-

proving it to completely disagreeing with it were the answers so far. But Eileen La-Fontaine, geography major, added another category when she said, "I don't think they really need one." When asked why she felt this way, she replied, "Because the students feel they know how to dress decently."

Whether or not students are in favor of the current dress code, it is here and nothing can be done — or can it? Rumors have been circulating about campus to the affect that petitions may be started in an effort to ask the administration to ease up on the code.

FESCA supports bond election fund

Foothill Evening College Student Association (FESCA) members voted to appropriate \$1,000, June 28, to support the \$14 million bond issue to build the Foothill College Cupertino campus.

FESCA first voted upon their support of the bond issue on June 21, but the vote was nullified by lack of a quorum.

According to Bob Littlefield, FESCA president, arguments presented in favor of supporting the issue were, increasing enrollments will soon crowd the present El Monte campus and to ensure a new campus in time to meet future needs, the bond issue is needed now.

Arguments against FESCA's support, said Littlefield, were that the present population and business expansion in this area will not continue and the tax increase due to the bond issue will be more than the citizens can afford.

The \$14 million bond issue will be voted upon by registered voters in the college district on Sept. 18. The bond fund will be used to build a complete second campus in the Cupertino area, with initial construction planned to start in 1966.

Bond election for second Foothill campus set for Sept. 18; two-thirds majority necessary

By CINDY KLEINHANS

Voters in the Foothill College district will go to the polls Sept. 18 to vote on a \$14 million bond election for the construction of a new Foothill College campus in Cupertino.

Surveys show that there will be a need for a second campus since the present Los Altos Hills campus, built to accommodate 4,000 full time day students, may reach capacity as early as 1966.

Office set up here for bond issue work; rally ends Sept. 17

A Citizens' Committee for Foothill College Bonds has set up office in Room A-31 to begin work in supporting the bond election of Sept. 18.

The office, which began operating on July 2, is functioning on contributions of friends of the college rather than on district funds and will be in operation until Sept. 17. The office site is being rented from the college by the Citizens' Committee.

According to Ruth M. Durst, secretary in charge of the Citizens' Committee office, the function of this office includes telephoning organizations in the area to find out if they would like a member of the committee's Speakers Bureau to give a seven minute speech explaining the bond issue. The Speakers Bureau is made up of six college administrators; Dr. Calvin C. Flint, Dr. A. R. DeHart, Bill Cutler, Dr. William B. Harwood and Ervin L. Harlacher.

Miss Durst added that a group of college secretaries, coordinated by Miss Lorraine Anderson, Secretary to Dr. Flint, is volunteering their time to work for the bond office to obtain donations toward the bond fund.

Students or any person wishing to volunteer their help to the bond office may do so by contacting the bond office at 941-0446 or 941-0447.

FOUR LOAN FUNDS HERE

There are currently four student loan funds on campus, ranging from \$25 to \$500 grants. They are the Associated Students Emergency Fund; Palo Alto Kiwanis Emergency Fund; National Defense Student Loans; Altrusa Club of Sunnyvale Loan Fund for Medical Technicians and Nurses.

THE \$1 MILLION bond proposal, which must be approved by a two-thirds majority vote, will incur less than a \$1 per year tax increase on a district home owner until the bonds are paid off, according to the bond-sponsoring Citizens' Committee. The committee also state that at no time during the life of the bonds will this bond issue increase taxes more than \$2 over the current tax rate.

The pro-bond group adds that construction of a Cupertino campus may have to start as early as 1966 and three years of planning will be required to meet this deadline.

Plans for a second Foothill campus will keep duplication of facilities at a minimum though the Cupertino plant will be a complete college facility with a comprehensive college program.

CERTAIN SPECIALIZED occupational programs at the present campus will not be repeated while new ones will be established on the second campus.

Outlay such as the football stadium will not be duplicated at the Cupertino site, but a symphony-sized auditorium is planned.

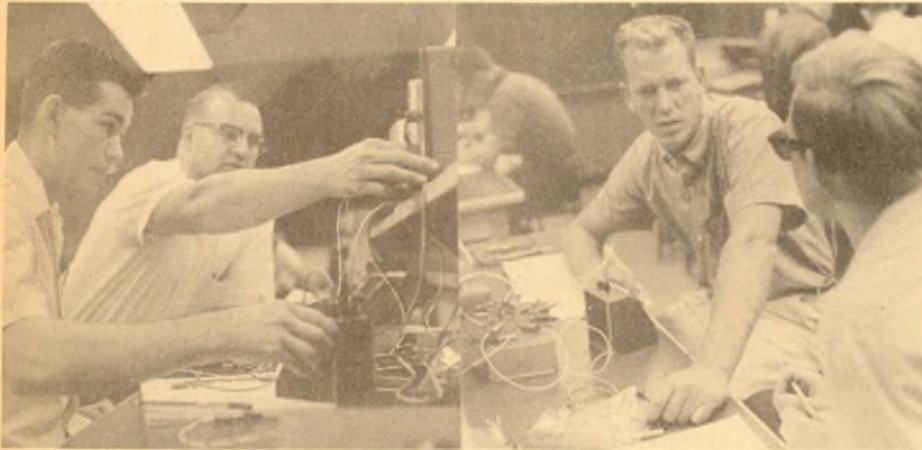
The Citizens' Committee for Foothill College Bonds is headed by Judge Robert F. Peckham, chairman and Mrs. Mary S. Levine, vice chairman. It is composed of 5000 people, including nine area chairmen.

Sports teams increase to 10

Foothill College, for the first time in its short history, will offer a full 10-sport intercollegiate program.

During the fall semester, football, wrestling, water polo, basketball and cross country will be scheduled.

Spring semester sports include track and field, baseball, swimming, tennis and golf.



SUMMER SCHOOL IN FULL SWING— Pictured above is just a few of the many activities going on during summer sessions at Foothill College. In first two panels, students busy themselves in the electronics laboratories. At right, in final panel, Campus Center employees meet

the hungry crowds that pour into the Owl's Nest each day from noon until 10 p.m. Summer sessions, which run for six, eight and ten weeks, will be concluded on August 24. The fall semester begins Sept. 11.

(Photo by Norman Starratt)

Commerce Club 'A' team nabs AAU water polo crown

The City of Commerce "A" team swept to the national AAU outdoor water polo championship July 8 with a fourth period rally to defeat the Illinois Athletic Club 3-1 in the Foothill pool.

Through the first half the contest was scoreless, despite the fact that the Chicago team had to play without the services of its star Sam Kooistra most of the way. Kooistra was benched for a penalty in the first period and, under water polo rules, Illinois had to play with a man short until a goal was scored.

KOOISTRA FINALLY got back into the struggle in the third period when Commerce's Ron Volmer scored the first goal of the game.

Jack Wardrop tied the contest for Illinois early in the fourth period.

In a bitter under water battle, Commerce's Ron Crawford was fouled and he pushed his penalty shot through the net for the winning point.

BEFORE CRAWFORD was able to take his shot, however, he suffered an embarrassing moment. His trunks had been torn during the scramble. A teammate leaped into the water, swapped trunks with Crawford under water, and climbed out of the pool clothed in a towel.

Ron Severa, who was voted the tourney's most valuable player award, iced the game with a late goal. Severa garnered a total of 16 goals in Commerce's seven games.

Cultural events scheduled through Sept. 8; Summer Operas continue

Cultural events highlight the summer session Public Events Calander through Sept. 8.

The Summer Opera Series, produced by the San Jose Civic Opera Association, will present four operas during the remainder of the summer session.

ON JULY 20, "Die Fledermaus" will be presented at 8 p.m. in the Foothill Auditorium. A matinee of "Die Fledermaus" will be presented at 2 p.m., July 22.

The Opera, "La Boheme," will be given on August 3 at 8 p.m. and August 5 at 2 p.m. Other operas to be presented include "Madame Butterfly," August 17 and 25 and "Regina," a West Coast premiere, August 31 and Sept. 2.

FECSA grants \$625 toward new sound system equipment for college auditorium

Foothill College Evening Students Assoc. (FECSA) officials recently gave approval of \$625 toward a new sound system for the college auditorium.

The new equipment, a gift of FECSA, includes 10 twelve-inch speakers which will be installed by members of the FECSA board.

ACCORDING TO Kenneth Griffin, assistant director of the evening college, the auditorium is presently wired for a sound system but the money was not available for sound

equipment when the wiring was done.

An exhibit by Michele Cascella, "one of Italy's greatest living painters," will begin today in Appreciation Hall. Cascella will exhibit 20-25 oil and water color paintings. His Foothill exhibition was arranged by Mrs. Louis Rose-laar.

ON JULY 27 and 28, "Brigadoon" will be presented by the Junior Artists Guild at 8:15 in the college auditorium. Admission price is \$1.50 for adults and \$1 for teens and under.

The El Camino Hospital Auxiliary will present a recital by pianist, George Bolet at 8:15 in the Auditorium. Donations for the recital are \$7.50 for patrons and \$3.50 general admission.

Law enforcement program added to fall term schedule

A full strength program course in law enforcement, passed by the Curriculum Committee in Feb., '62, will be added to the college curriculum in the fall semester, '62-'63.

According to Kenneth Griffin, assistant director of the evening college, when the college was constructed, an area was developed for this program in the technical education division of the campus.

APPLICANTS TO THE law enforcement program must meet special qualifications of height, weight, age, citizenship and residence requirements and must be dependable, alert, have tact, good judgement and must be able to deal with others. Admission to the program includes a personal interview with the Law Enforcement Selection Committee and fingerprinting of the applicant.

The Curriculum will prepare its applicants for protective services by providing such courses as; introduction to law enforcement, criminal and related laws, police tactics, investigation techniques, gunnery, traffic laws and control and field practices.

Instructor for the day time law enforcement classes is, Eugene M. Freeman, a graduate of Michigan State University. Evening courses will be taught by leading law enforcement officers now in the field, according to Griffin.

THE LAW ENFORCEMENT program was developed by Dr. Nathan Boortz, director of technical education.



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