

# De Anza lacking minority reps

A feeling of futility, a lack of encouragement, and comparatively few district residents of ethnic groups accounts for the apparent scarcity of minority groups representatives on the De Anza campus.

According to a study done by instructors Jose Coleman and John Lovas on minorities in the Foothill Junior College District, entitled the Black-Brown-White Project, there are only 115 blacks in the service area, less than one percent of the area's total population.

According to Rich Rios, De Anza's multi-cultural consultant, one of the reasons there are so few blacks in this area is because of the geographical boundaries.

Chris Cross, BSU minister of education, added that the cost of living in the service area is above the average income of blacks, and therefore "They can not sustain themselves economically."

Bob Snowden, BSU chairman, agreed, saying of the college-age blacks in this area, "They are busy just trying to survive."

Cross added, "Others are turned off by the lack of identity, of being maneuvered into vocational jobs, and having to support large families," he concluded.

"Mexican-Americans are a different matter," Spanish instructor Jose Coleman commented. "Eight to ten per cent of the district's population is Mexican, yet at De Anza, out of 4,000 students, only 300 are of Spanish surnames (seven per cent). Very definitely there should be more Mexican-Americans on campus."

To attract minority students to De Anza, a counselor aid program has been initiated by the administration. Several De Anza students are counselors at Sunnyside and Mountain View High Schools.

Gonzales explained that the counselors work on a one-to-one basis with the students. "The idea of the program is to make college more feasible for them, demonstrate the availability of us, fellow chicanos, to create an atmosphere here at De Anza for them, and to dispel fallacies about college."

Besides the counselor aid program, the Ethnic Studies Division hopes to bring in more students. De Anza will be drawing students from outside the service area. There seems to be some doubt about the success of these programs, since, as Bunnell Mack put it, "De Anza is in the heart of white suburbia."



There are only around 300 students with Spanish surnames and 115 blacks in the service area at De Anza. Rich Rios, multi-cultural consultant, attributes this to geographical boundaries.

Members of the De Anza Black Student Union blame the small number of minority students at De Anza on economic reasons.

(La Voz photo by Dennis Bellman)

## Festival in store for English course

One unit of credit, a four-day vacation in Oregon and four Shakespearean plays are the ingredients for English 97.

Sign-ups began April 23, appropriately Shakespeare's birthdate, for this summer's annual trek to Ashland, Ore. Ashland's famous Elizabethan Theater, now in its 29th season, will be the focal point of the course.

**THIS YEAR'S** students will see "King John," "Romeo and Juliet," "Twelfth Night" and "The Tempest."

"What a bargain!" responded Jack Wright, Language Arts Division chairman. "The total cost is \$60 per person."

**AS A BONUS** this year, the company is presenting a musical rendition of "Virtue in Danger." This farcical romantic comedy made its debut in 1963 in London's Mermaid Theater.

Anyone residing in the Foothill College District is eligible to attend. Prospective takers will be signed up on a first-

come, first-served basis. The limit will be 39 students, with a waiting list of up to 20 additional names.

Dates for classes other than the field trip are August 11, 13, 18 and 20, with a final exam on September 1. To insure a place on the list, students should contact the De Anza Registrar's Office or Joseph Gallo, English instructor at Foothill.

**PREREQUISITES ARE** English 1A, Communications 120 A, B, C, or consent of the instructor or counselor.

## Art, films, lectures highlight Cinco de Mayo celebration

The Cinco de Mayo (Fifth of May) will be celebrated at De Anza all next week, sponsored by the Mexican-American Student Confederation.

The holiday is a celebration of the day in 1862 when Mexican forces under General Zaragoza repelled a French invasion. This was the first encounter of a war

between the Mexicans and the French.

During the week, Monday 5 through Saturday, May 10, De Anzans will be able to celebrate and learn about the contributions of the chicano culture to this country and the problems chicanos face today.

All events will be open to the public.

## 'Right' views in Comment

Speaking out for a professional military, ending East-West trade, and a lower voting age, the De Anza Young Americans for Freedom (YAF) distributed their first news flier last week.

Comment, which plans to become a semi-monthly publication of "fact and opinion," is financed by members of YAF.

"La Voz is editorializing in its news columns and it is too liberal," explained Pat Brown, Comment contributor, as to why YAF feels there is a need for another newspaper at De Anza.

Mark Miller, founder of the Blue Button campaign at De Anza and past director of mass communications, is the editor of Comment. Contributors to the first issue included, Brown, Tom Comer, Carl Lockwood, Ian Valentine and The Phantom. Alan Booth is adviser.

The articles are printed by offset process by the Foothill District printers. The headlines are set by the ASDAC publicity office.



The Campus Security Office has recently been relocated directly below the Campus Center.

Joseph Silva, Campus Police Supervisor, said the move was necessary for better radio reception between Foothill and De Anza Colleges.

Two signs indicating the location of the headquarters will be set up over the new office so that it will be easily visible from the parking lot.

(La Voz photo by Ken Jeffries)



# La Voz

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## La Voz hits financial crisis

After much heated discussion and parliamentary delay, La Voz was allocated \$11,500 by the student council Monday for next year's publishing expenses.

A small contingent of council members questioned the validity of the amount of money requested by La Voz.

**WARREN A. MACK**, La Voz adviser, was summoned to the

council meeting to justify the newspaper's cause. Mack pointed out that instead of simply adding cost upon cost, several cuts and deletions from the proposed budget were made.

He said that La Voz will cost the students approximately one dollar per person annually. La Voz will print 27 issues next year, amounting to a little over three cents an issue.

Pat Brown maintained that the students shouldn't pay for a newspaper that editorializes, has one slanted political viewpoint, twisted information, and misquoted references throughout its issues.

**MACK AND** Joaquin Herrero, student activities assistant, countered that the council chambers was not an arena for personal comments about the student newspaper; rather Brown should submit his complaints to the Mass Communications Board which is set up specifically for complaints.

John Sterling's motion to accept the La Voz portion of the ASDAC budget was finally pass-

ed by a roll-call vote, 12-4. Those dissenting were Brown, Art Kubiak, Jim Marshall and Tom Riel.

The student council also questioned the validity of the Physical Education and Athletics Division's request for funds. Division Chairman Charles Crampton was present to defend the department's proposed budget for next year.

**THE COUNCIL WAS** concerned about the amount allotted to traveling expenses and athletic awards. Crampton said that if De Anza was to field its athletic teams as has been done in the past, and if the school was to recognize its athletes for their excellence in competition, the present budget request should be adopted.

Crampton commented that he has pared his budget to meet next year's demands.

The council deferred all discussion on the athletics budget to a special meeting held last Wednesday. (Due to printing deadlines, La Voz was not able to report the outcome.)

## Graduates posted in Campus Center

Carmelita E. Geraci, registrar, has published a list of students whose petitions to graduate have been received by her office. She requests that the graduating students check the list for errors and notify her immediately of any corrections.

William Minney, bookstore manager, has announced that graduates will be measured for caps and gowns May 7 through 9. A robe fee of \$10 is due at the time of measurement. Five dollars of the fee is a deposit and

will be refunded when the cap and gown are returned.

The caps and gowns may be picked up on May 17 and 18. The bookstore will be closed on May 18 to aid the students and faculty in picking up their robes.

Minney also said that students wishing to purchase school rings may order them from the bookstore at any time, but should allow six weeks to get them after the order is placed. Prices of the rings range from \$30 to \$55.

## Logan defends freedom

Editor,

Although I dislike using La Voz as a battleground for personal attacks, I feel I must address myself to Mr. Laus and his "bloody" notions of this nation's virtue.

Mr. Laus states that, "Freedom is not free." I quite agree. A great many people have died defending freedom. But many people have also died only believing they were defending this nation's freedom, as in Vietnam. The agreement that those of us who fought in Vietnam fought for America's freedom is ridiculous. This nation is not threatened by North Vietnam. There is no freedom in South Vietnam either.

**MR. LAUS FURTHER** moralizes by saying, "love America or leave it." Why? So those of us who love democracy, justice, equality and freedom should turn this nation over to a bunch of fascists? I think we had best stay and try to cure the sickness. I do love America, but I am not blind. Am I to love poverty, injustice and pollution that may destroy this nation? I do not believe I must and I never will.

Dissidents founded this nation

They were the writers of the Declaration of Independence. Were they wrong? No! Were the dissidents that demanded an end to slavery wrong? No! The fact that a person is a dissident does not make him an Un-American commie to anyone except to the 110% Americans and superpatriots who try to dictate morality.

Mr. Laus asserted that I ridiculed Catholics. I did not. I merely used some of their ceremonies as examples. The ridicule was not in my mind.

**SPEAKING OF** religion further, my "creators" were my mother and father (yes, I have both!) and not any imaginary diety. The reason I am an atheist, however, is due to religious history. Specifically, the Crusades, 2000 years of persecution of Jews and a complete disregard by humanity of the teachings of their religious leaders.

If your kind of thinking is an example of "good Christian" being, then I thank your God that I am an atheist.

John Logan  
Social Science  
Division  
Representative



## Letter to editor

### Student defends Logan

Editor,

I would address this letter to Anthony J. Laus and to the students who read his letter about John Logan.

First I would assure Mr. Laus and the students that I am a loyal American. I present the following facts about myself so that I will not be written off as another dissident. I am 24 years old, a veteran of four years service with the Air Force, a registered voter, a Roman Catholic, a member of the De Anza College Veteran's Club, and a full time student of this college. Furthermore I am employed and I pay federal, state and property tax.

**MR. LAUS**, the picture you have painted of John Logan is inaccurate to say the least. Whether it was done because of ignorance or because of the narrow-mindedness that normally characterizes a bigot, your letter has slandered a person that I consider a loyal American and an asset to this college.

In your letter you inferred that John Logan has not earned the right to enjoy the freedom of America. You also inferred that because John is an atheist and because he is attempting to make changes at De Anza that we should consider him to be an unloyal dissident.

In defense of John Logan I would like to acquaint you with the fact that John Logan was

wounded and awarded the Purple Heart while serving with the Army in Vietnam.

I would also like to point out that freedom of religion, which you and everyone else enjoys, includes the right to be an atheist. I would ask you when a belief in God became a pre-requisite for loyalty to this country?

**AS FOR** "demanding changes in everything from curriculum to hiring and firing," John, to my knowledge, has never demanded anything. He has worked with students, faculty and staff in an attempt to bring about changes that would be beneficial to all members of the college.

Your specific charge that John scandalized the flag, is unfounded. It is a fact that John proposed a motion to discontinue the pledge of allegiance before student council meetings. Before I or any reasonable person would call this scandalizing the flag we would question John, in person, about his motives for making the motion.

I feel that you as an instructor should have known better than to slander a person without even taking the trouble to investigate that person's motives. I also feel that you owe John Logan a written apology to be printed in La Voz.

Michael L. Brown  
Chairman, Inter-Club  
Council

## Letter to Editor

### Evening College vet defends Laus

Editor,

I am an evening college student and am returning to college after almost a ten year "lay-off" so to speak. I am concerned about De Anza College not only as a student but also as a taxpayer.

Generally I am not one for writing letters to the editor, but Mr. Logan's motion to abolish the flag salute has stirred my pen.

**PERHAPS** Mr. Logan's observation of other members of the council "bumbling" their way through the pledge is correct. If this is true, then I feel sorry for them also. However, I do not feel that this council represents a good cross section of this country.

I don't always agree with U.S. policy and I certainly disagree with the U.S. involvement in Vietnam, but I do not condemn my nation for it.

I suggest that the "... liberty and justice for all" has not been

betrayed by the country but by some of its people. People just like Mr. Logan and his five supporting votes. People who would rather sit back and complain instead of going out in understanding to give their help and support.

**MR. LOGAN** also states that he is an atheist; for this I pity him also. I ask you Mr. Logan, have you ever looked up at the stars at night or better yet have you ever held a new-born baby in your arms while you say there is no God?

In conclusion I am left with only one simple statement, if you dislike my country so much, if you dislike its flag or its heritage, then why don't you leave us Americans alone!

Frank Grice  
evening student

## Letters to editor

La Voz welcomes all letters to the editor written on any subject as long as rules of good taste and libel are observed.

All letters must have a written signature and have the writer's telephone number or some instructions regarding a form of communication with the author, and his ASDAC card number. The author's name will be withheld upon request.

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## Coming Events Calendar

College hours each Tuesday and Thursday, 1 to 2 p.m.

- MAY 2**  
Camino Norte Conference Tourney Tennis at De Anza.  
State J.C. Swimming Championships at De Anza.  
Chorale Festival Trip to Pasadena.  
Modern Dance Concert, Campus Center—8 p.m.  
Community Recreation, PE Area 7 p.m.  
Co-Rec Beach and Camping Trip.
- MAY 3**  
Club Bid Dance, Campus Center 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
Baseball vs. West Valley at De Anza—1 p.m.  
Camino Norte Conference Tennis Tourney at De Anza.  
Camino Norte Conference Track Championships at Santa Rosa 1 p.m.  
State J.C. Swimming Championships at De Anza.  
Chorale Festival Trip to Pasadena.  
Co-Rec Beach and Camping Trip.
- MAY 4**  
Chorale Festival Trip to Pasadena.  
Co-Rec Beach and Camping Trip.
- CINCO DE MAYO WEEK**
- MAY 5**  
Cheerleader and Pom Pom Workshop—4-6 p.m. Planetarium.  
Afternoon  
Introduction Presentation to Week's Festivities.  
Evening  
Keynote Speaker and Mariachi Music.
- MAY 6**  
Northern California Tennis Finals at Foothill.  
Golf vs. West Valley at Riverside Country Club. 1:30 p.m.  
Afternoon  
Mexican Film—1 p.m. Forum 1.  
Evening  
Mexican Rapp Session, Campus Center.  
Play by Chicano High School Students.
- MAY 7**  
Northern California Tennis Finals at Foothill.  
Carnival. Sponsored by De Anza College and the Cupertino Historical Society.  
Afternoon  
Rapp Session.  
Evening  
Farm Labor Speaker.
- MAY 8**  
Music Recital, A-11—1 p.m.  
Afternoon  
Chicano Panel Presentation.  
Evening  
San Jose State Teatro Urbana Performance  
Rapp Session.
- MAY 9**  
Afternoon  
Fashion Show  
Arts and Crafts & their History  
Rapp Session 1-3 p.m.
- MAY 10**  
Afternoon  
"Folklorico" Music-Dancing  
Evening  
Baile de cinco de mayo Dance  
Campus Center—9 p.m.-1 a.m.

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## Letter to Editor

### Student asks why few blacks

Editor,

The question has risen in my mind as to why there are so few black students at De Anza College. There are less than 100 blacks in both day and evening classes as compared to the approximately 8,000 enrollment. I am sure that this campus is not so unappealing that there cannot be at least 400 blacks enrolled at De Anza. Why then, are there not? If at all possible I would like an answer to this from an administrator.

Gary Beldner  
student

**Editor's note:** For results of a La Voz investigation into the questions raised in this letter, please see page 1.

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# Cinco de Mayo

## May 5 — Monday

12 p.m. — Presentation by MASC co-chairman Robert Gonzales — Hyde Park  
 7 p.m. — Mariachi Music — "Los Compadres"  
 8 p.m. — Leonard Olquin — education  
 Table in Campus Center for entire week, with music and information.

## May 6 — Tuesday

1 p.m. — Forum I; ACT presents "America: Black White." One dollar general admission, 75c with student body card  
 7 p.m. — Andy Chavez, United Farm Workers Union, San Jose  
 8 p.m. — Two-hour rap session

## May 7 — Wednesday

Book display in Campus Center all day  
 7 p.m. — Danny Hernandez

## May 8 — Thursday

1 p.m. — Movie, Forum I  
 1 to 9 p.m. — "Teatro Urbano," Campus Center

## May 9 — Friday

11 p.m. — Music, food and jaiquin  
 1 p.m. — Ralf Poblano, San Jose State ombudsman

## May 10 — Saturday

11 a.m. — Booths: food, arts, and crafts, all day  
 12 noon — Forum I: Movies  
 2 p.m. — Feliciano, history and culture  
 12 to 6 p.m. — Mariachi music  
 9 p.m. — Dance: Kiko Morales, one dollar admission

# New magazine designed to aid Chicano education

Joe Sanchez is indeed "at it again," as the Grapevine notice announced. Sanchez, entertainer turned student, held his second Forum meeting last week to announce plans for a new magazine and club.

The magazine is to be "a clean-cut collegiate type appealing to minorities," according to Sanchez. Although centered on a college theme, the magazine is aimed at parents.

"IT'S THE FATHER who tells his son, 'Get into the fields and start making your own bread,' after the son graduates from high school. Hopefully, the magazine will make the father realize that the kid has to make it mentally," Sanchez said.

The idea for the magazine first came to Sanchez in a Psych 50 class at which five Chicano students were present.

Sanchez stated about the encounter later, "I began thinking,

these kids wouldn't be rapping if something wasn't wrong. So I did a little research and found that the Mexican-American is on the bottom of the totem pole educationally."

THE MAGAZINE, therefore, is aimed not only at "representing what college presents, but indirectly to brainwash the father into getting higher education for the sons and daughters."

The club that Sanchez hopes to start will be solely to hold dances and functions to raise money to finance the magazine. The magazine itself will be non-profit; anything over and above the cost of printing will be used for scholarships for minority students.

"I need not only a staff majoring in journalism, English and art to work in their profession, but also people with quick minds and worthwhile ideas to work with club functions," Sanchez



JOE SANCHEZ

appealed at the Forum meeting.

He invites anyone with any ideas for the magazine and club to put them down on paper and leave them in the Student Activities office.

## Letter to editor

### Minister brings truth

Editor,

I wish to correct a statement attributed to me in last week's La Voz. It is true that Christ was critical of those who were versed in the letter of the law, but had not the spirit; he called the Pharisees, the clerical dogmatists of his day, whitened sepulchers. But whether Christ studied or not, I don't know. From Luke, II, 46 and 47, it seems at least possible that he did: "And it came to pass that, after three days, they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the doctors, hearing them, and asking them questions. And all that heard him were astonished at his wisdom and his answers." I infer from this either that he studied or had intuitive wisdom. Regardless of whether Christ studied or not, I want to correct the impression left by the article

that I feel formal learning somehow prevents a person from living a holy life. Dr. Albert Schweitzer is probably the greatest example of the 20th century of the compatibility of holiness and formal learning. I have never subscribed to the idea that ignorance is a prerequisite for holiness. Ignorance is a prerequisite only for intolerance, resistance to change and the grossest kind of superstition. At the same time, in an age that is suffering from academic degree fallout (including Doctor of Divinity degrees), it is well to remind oneself that neither the degree nor the period of formal learning preceding it automatically confers the reverence for life essential to holiness. Stalin, I believe, studied for the priesthood, and Mussolini had a PhD.

William Skyles  
 English instructor

Editor's note: All activities listed are open to the public. There may be an admission charge in some cases.

#### Music

"Cow Rock Show," including Guess Who, Youngbloods, Classics IV, Sir Douglas Quintet, Grassroots, People, and Delaney and Bonnie, Saturday, 8 p.m., San Francisco Cow Palace.

Grateful Dead and Jefferson Airplane at Winterland, San Francisco, tonight and Saturday, 8 p.m.

"Two Days in May," Frost Amphitheater, Stanford University, Saturday and Sunday, 12:30 p.m. Saturday show includes O. C. Smith and Chicago Blues All Stars; Sunday, Duke Ellington and Smoke. Dick Gregory emceeds both days.

#### Theater

"The Importance of Being

Earnest," West Valley College auditorium, Campbell Ave. and Winchester Blvd., Campbell, tonight and Saturday, 8:15 p.m., presented by the West Valley College drama department.

"Showboat," San Jose Light Opera Association, Montgomery Theater, San Jose, Saturday, 8:30 p.m.

#### Art Exhibits

Paint Brush Gallery (14583 Big

Fasin Way, Saratoga), paintings and collages by Donald Louthian, through May.

De Saisset Art Gallery (University of Santa Clara), electronic sculpture by Ross Drago and Marilyn Stone, through May 30.

Villa Montalvo Center for the Arts (Villa Montalvo, Saratoga), paintings and drawings by Seldon Conner Gile and Milvin Ray, through May 4.

# Everywhere ELSE

## Letter to Editor

### Students sees KKK flier as pulling joke

Editor,

Concerning the Ku Klux Klan fliers that were passed out on campus last week, I would like to know who the "culprit" had to apologize to. I'm not a member of the Klan but it seems a bit ridiculous to apologize to someone else other than the students themselves. The fliers were probably intended to affect the student body, not "those concerned." I assume he didn't apologize to the student body because I am a student body and he didn't apologize to me. I realize he should have gone through the MassComm Board before pulling the joke, which I thought was sort of funny.

Tom James  
 student

## District gets harpsichord built from kit; housed here


De Anza's latest addition to the music department had its debut last Thursday. The newly finished harpsichord was the result of a special project financed by the Foothill district.

The campus chapter of Music Educators National Conference (MENC) initiated the project with members Bob Trainer and

Steve Anderson doing the actual building.

Trainer said the kit took 160 hours to assemble. The total cost of the kit was \$450.

Although Trainer does not play the harpsichord, he said, "I've always had an interest in Renaissance music and instruments."



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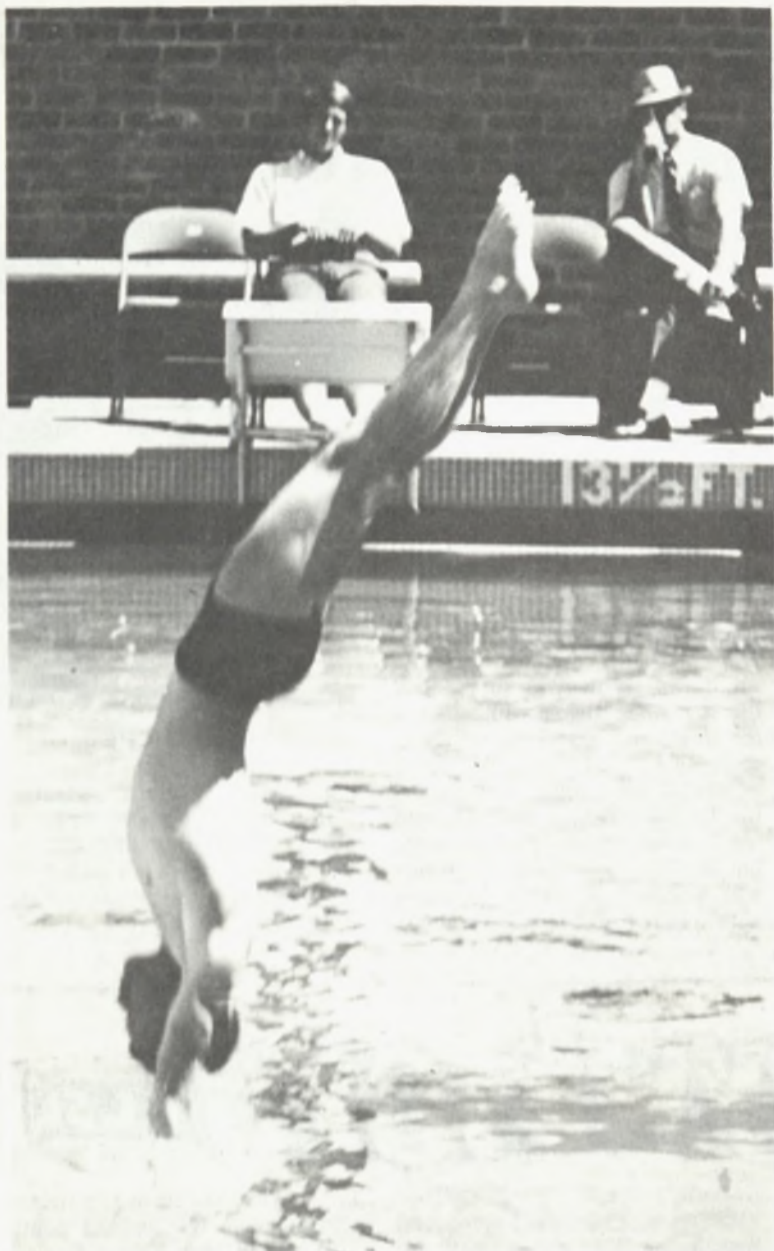
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A De Anza diver slips into the Foothill pool in almost perfect form at the Northern California JC Championships. De Anza placed fourth in 20 entries, the lowest being CCSF with no points. (La Voz photo by Raylene Frantz)

# Swimmers fourth best

By MARY DONAHUE  
and STEVE SHARP  
La Voz Sports Writers

De Anza's 1969 swimming team is the fourth best team in Northern California. Or at least that's where the Art Lambert-coached Dons finished in the Nor-Cal Swimming and Diving Championships held last Friday and Saturday at Foothill College.

Out of 20 schools, De Anza captured fourth place, accumulating 163 points. District rival Foothill copped the title with 400 counters.

**FOR THE DONS**, their highest finish came in the 400 free relay, where Hal Powell, Jim Wilten, Greg Gibson, and Lance Dillo-way finished second with a time of 3:22.2. In diving competition, Roger McEvoy ended up seventh.

Don Dave Kirby finished third in the 500-yard freestyle in a time of 5:09.1, which rates fifth in all of California. Kirby's teammate, Greg Gibson, tied for second place in the 50-yard free with a time of 22.7, as did Don Jim Wilten. Kirby also took third in the 200 freestyle with 1:52.3, while Lance Dillo-way captured 12th in that same race.

Bill Simpkins of the Dons took a second in the 400 individual medley, and Jim Wilten finished fourth in the 50 yard free. Simpkins and Hal Powell also ended up fourth and ninth, respectively, in the 100 yard butterfly.

**IN STATE** ratings, Greg Gibson has the fourth best time in the 60 freestyle race, a 48.8, which is only four-tenths of a second off the top state clocking. Gibson also boasts a fourth-best in the 500 freestyle with a 5:07.2, besides a third-best in the 200 individual medley.

Lambert's squad came into the championship with a Camino Norte Conference swimming title under their belts.

De Anza has its first state meet by hosting the 21st annual State J.C. Swimming and Diving Championships this Thursday through Saturday.

**TRIAL HEATS** begin each day at 10 a.m. with finals set for five p.m. daily. The admittance charge is \$1 for adults for morning and afternoon sessions, and 50 cents for students for each finals session.

## Netmen grab CNC crown

If a questionnaire were distributed among tennis coaches in the Camino Norte Conference asking what they'd do if their team had to play De Anza's squad over again, they'd probably be one answer—take a sedative before the match. Doing that might relieve the pain of seeing a 7-0 shutout loss.

**TEN OF THOSE** shutouts were recorded by the Don netters in 1969 league play—ten whitewashes in 10 matches. Of course that 10-0 record was good enough for championship honors in the infant CNC.

In addition the entire De Anza team, Tom Martin, Steve Sharp, Jim Pfann, Don Caraher, Howard Fisher, Bill Reinhard and Rick Meider—all went undefeated in league action.

Such positive statistics only mean two things — either the Dons were strong in 1969, or the CNC was weak. The answer turns out to be a combination of both possibilities.

"THE TEAMS in our league

Foothill has won the California and the imaginary National J. C. titles eight years in a row. Other dominations included Fullerton's seven titles from 1949-45 and Long Beach City College's crowns in 1956-61. The Don's hopes for the crown are alive, though Don coach Art Lambert noted, "We'll need to capitalize on every single break we can get to be a title candidate. If we don't win the title ourselves, in the process we'll have a lot to say about who does."

were just a joke," commented head Don Coach Bob Potthast, "and I'm sure lots of high school teams in the area could have beaten them. Most of the players are beginners." Well, that clarified the weakness of the teams in the CNC.

Just how strong were the Dons? In Nor-Cal, they only lost to one team—Foothill. Potthast's netters whipped San Mateo and Chabot, who rate second to Foothill in the Golden Gate Conference.

Also, the Dons beat Santa Clara University, Cabrillo College, ex-Coast Conference winner, and Menlo College. So, it's conceivable that De Anza's squad rates in the top five in Nor-Cal, with the College of Sequoia and American River College pretty even with them.

**MOST RECENTLY**, the number one and two Don singles players, Tom Martin and Steve Sharp, played in the Ojai Tournament in the Junior College Division.

Now that dual matches are over for the Dons, only tournament play remains. This weekend, the CNC tournament is being held, with finals slated for Saturday. The following weekend the Nor-Cal tournament is scheduled.

## Dons host record breaker

Merritt College assaulted the record books last Saturday at the Nor-Cal JC Track and Field Relays hosted by De Anza.

The attack was led by Merritt sprinter Warren Edmonson. The talented freshman tied the national JC 100-yard dash record with a 9.3 clocking. He was also a key man in the team's other three national JC records.

Merritt's cindermen cracked the national standards in the 880 relay (Edmonson 20.8, Henry Stuckey 21.2, Larry Glenn 20.8, Norbert Payton 21.5) with a team time of 1:24.1, beating the old mark of 1:24.7.

The mile relay team (Stuckey 48.0, Glenn 47.5, Edmonson 45.9, Lamont Jackson 46.8) turned 3:08.2 to break the old mark of 3:10.1.

Payton, Stuckey, Glenn and Edmonson combined to turn a 40.7 in the 440 relay to tie the national JC record for the distance.

Merritt smashed the records but Fresno College wound up with meet honors in division one

competition with 66 points to Merritt's 63½.

Division two, small colleges, as taken by Porterville with 63 points while Hancock took second with 53 points.

The Dons were competing in division one and could only muster nine points for eleventh place out of a field of 17. The small college division had 12 teams competing.

Two-miler Steve Fagundes was the highest finisher for the Dons with a second in his event. He turned a time of 9:24.4. Team mate Gordon Currie finished fifth in the same event.

Grady Rogers in the long jump and Lane Herrmann in the shot put also picked up fifth places. The only relay team to place for the Dons was the sprint medley team with a fifth.

The Nor-Cal Relays were a qualifying meet for the upcoming West Coast Relays at Fresno May 10. Before the Dons head for Fresno they compete in the Camino Norte Conference championships May 3 at Santa Rosa College.

## Co-rec meets begin

With the coming of sunny days, tennis and softball buffs will get the chance to play in Co-Rec tournaments which begin May 6.

According to Co-Rec Director Helen Windham, the tennis tournament will run for two weeks and the softball tournament through the month of May.

Miss Windham said the tennis tournament will be set up for beginning and intermediate players, and will be closed to members of the De Anza tennis team or anyone who has played on a college team.

She added that there will be three classes, men's and women's singles and mixed doubles, with first and second place trophies given in each class.

According to Danny Morrison, Co-Rec softball chairman, there will be ten softball teams, for

which sign-ups are still being taken.

Tennis sign-ups are also open. Students can sign up for either tournament in the physical education area by the swimming pool.

A Co-Rec sponsored archery tournament attracted eight contestants last Tuesday during college hour.

Contestants shot 72 arrows—24 each—form 20, 30 and 40 yards cut. Scores were totaled after every 6 shots.

Trophies were awarded in two categories, intermediate and beginning. Steve Itow, who was the first place winner at the San Francisco Sports Day May 9, won first place in the intermediate class. Carole MacKinnon was first in women's division, beginning class.

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