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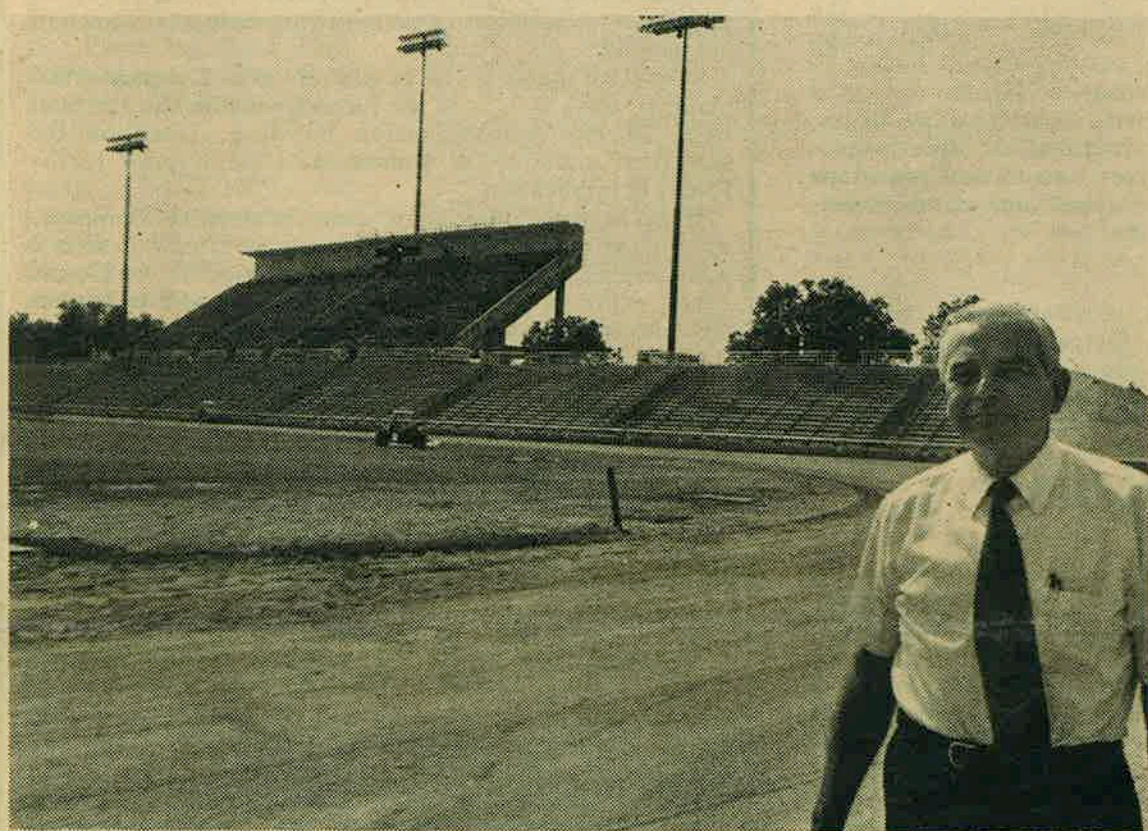


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Lou Huszar, Fresno City College plant facility manager, announces the completion of the Ratcliffe Stadium 9-lane track.

Rampage/Terry Pierson

New school year begins with old traditions

By Jim Rhodes

"Getting back to the old traditions" could be the motto of the 1984-1985 Associated Student Body Senate.

The Senate has plans to bring back some of the old activities and events. According to Denise Bartlett, ASB president, the ASB will once again hold the Ram-burger Round-up. The Round-up was not held last year because of scheduling problems.

This year the Round-up, which was originally held in the fall, will return to the fall and the name has been changed to the Ram Round-up.

"We are going to combine it with Homecoming, and make it a two-day celebration," said Bartlett.

The Round-up will have the traditional events, such as, organization floats, Homecoming Queen and court, plus a dance. Also included during the Round-up will be the First Annual FCC Turtle Road Race.

Another tradition that has been revived this year is the ASB Photo Identification Card.

"In 1977-78 we had photo ID's but the idea got lost somewhere. Now we've returned to the old card," explained Bartlett.

The cards cost \$5.00 and permits the buyer/holder to attend FCC events, sporting and non-sporting, free. Also the holder is entitled to the use of the Student Center.

Among the ASB's improvements for this year is the Student Center.

"We have new video and table-top games, we painted the walls and refurbished the floors," said Bartlett. She added, "It really looks much better, we even have vending machines."

The ASB will once again show "first-rate films" in the Center, a series that started last fall and received great acclaim.

The movies will cost 50 cents to non-member students and will be free to the

approximately 2,750 card-holding members.

According to David Pinuelas, legislative vice-president, the ASB has more members than ever before.

"We are still looking for two or three senators," said Bartlett.

A student can only be a senator if he/she can satisfy four requirements. The student must have an ASB card, must be able to attend the 1 p.m. Thursday meetings, must be enrolled in at least four units and must maintain a 2.0 grade point average.

"Freshmen and sophomores are equally welcome to become senators, it's a good chance to develop leadership qualities, and to become involved in school politics," added Bartlett.

Applications can be obtained at the ASB office, second floor of the Student Center building and must be submitted by September 20.

Why Ratcliffe didn't rock & roll in '84

By Donna Reese

As a result of construction projects to expand the track inside Ratcliffe Stadium, a series of summer concerts designed to raise money to renovate the stadium has been delayed until next summer.

What was to be a 45-day contract, beginning July 1, to expand the stadium's track from seven to nine lanes turned into a summer-long project.

Darryl Toews, contractor of Asphalt Specialties, said the reason the project took longer than expected was because the job was done in phases. Portions of the work were completed at different times so the construction could be arranged around any concert that happened to be scheduled at the stadium, according to Toews.

A contributing factor leading to the lack of concerts this summer was the State Center Community College Board of Trustees decision in April approving concerts at Ratcliffe, according to Richard Cleland, college business manager.

"Most of the major touring groups put their schedules together in January, February and March," Cleland recalled. "By the time the board (of trustees) gave its approval, most of the groups

had put their touring schedules together."

Country performers Willie Nelson and Alabama made inquiries about using the stadium but had to be turned down because the dates they wanted to play interfered with construction.

"At the time they (Nelson and Alabama) wanted to come (to Ratcliffe) a contract had already been awarded to begin construction," said Cleland.

Cleland also stated that based on the success of the concerts held at the stadium last year, Rally for Ratcliffe lost approximately \$100,000 because of the construction. Rally for Ratcliffe is a fundraiser designed to raise money to renovate the stadium.

"Based on what we did last year we could have made about \$100,000 from three successful concerts," said Cleland.

Dr. Clyde McCully, president of Fresno City College, said Rally for Ratcliffe would have "to delay any receipts from concerts until the next concert season."

"We had hopes of scheduling two to three events at the end of the summer but the work had been delayed," said McCully. "It is not possible to schedule large scale concerts in the facility while construction is going on."

Aid offered to help pay enrollment fee

By Denise Bartlett

Beginning fall semester of 1984, a first ever enrollment fee was imposed on the California Community College System of \$50.00 for students enrolling in six or more units.

In response to the students who would be denied access to education on the Community College level due to the imposition of the fee, the California Community colleges Board Financial Assistance Program established three programs to assist students in paying or waiving the fee.

In all three programs, the

student must be a resident of California, and must be able to prove financial need through the application process.

According to James Johnson, in the Financial Aid office, many students were assisted this semester through the programs. As of Sept. 5, 2,586 individuals for a total of \$121,175.00 in fee waivers and deferrals were given for the fall semester of 1984.

"Surely this at least allowed students who would have been unable to register during their original registration time to register on

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Diamond Jubilee
 FRESNO CITY COLLEGE

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FCC celebrates its Diamond Jubilee.

By Barbara Parks

In 1910, something happened in Fresno that would change the California educational system. Fresno City College, California's very first community college, was established.

This fall Fresno City College will begin a year-long celebration of its 75th year of service to the Central Valley.

Throughout the academic year the college plans to host a series of special events to mark the 75th Diamond Jubilee Anniversary.

Fresno City College started with three instructors and 20 students. The college now enrolls almost 15,000 students on its 103-acre campus.

The college offers 90 associate in arts or science degree programs, and transfer majors for students planning to attend four-year colleges and universities. The college also offers "certificate of achievement" programs for specialized vocational training.

Most Fresnoans are familiar with the college's campus,

located on East University Avenue, near the corner of McKinley and North Van Ness. In 1910 the original Fresno City College, then called Fresno Junior College, was established at the site of the old Fresno High School on "O" Street in downtown Fresno.

Later, Fresno City College shared the campus and faculty of Fresno Normal School, which became California State University, Fresno. In 1948 Fresno City College returned to the original "O" Street campus, which it shared with Fresno Technical High School. By 1950 the Technical High School had been phased out, and Fresno City College began looking for a larger and more adequate site.

In 1956 Fresno City College purchased the old University Avenue campus of CSUF. Since then the college campus had been completely revitalized with the addition of 17 new buildings, including a new science and engineering facility, the college theatre, business buildings, and six technical and industrial buildings.

FCC now enjoys one of the most up-to-date compuses in the state.

The campus still retains some of its older buildings. Most notable is the college's old Romanesque library. The 51-year-old library features an ornate reference room with a 35-foot high heavily-timbered ceiling, brass chandeliers, and elaborate terra cotta decorations.

The building's historic architecture belies many of the improvements added to the library, including a full-production television studio, a tutorial center, computer instruction, typesetting and graphics services, and the Learning Center. The Learning Center boasts 95 student stations equipped with cassette tape decks, synchronized slide projectors, record and videotape players, and microcomputers.

On Saturday, May 4, the college will host a major open house, which will feature tours and exhibits in the various campus divisions.

Back to school confusion

By Denise Bartlett

With the seemingly endless process of registration finally at an end, it is now time to concentrate on the also seemingly endless task of actually living through all of the classes you have signed up for.

All one has to do to recognize the shock some people are experiencing is to saunter through the cafeteria and listen to the conversation.

"I can't believe that teacher," confided one incoming freshman to his sophomore buddy one recent sunny afternoon. "Why didn't you WARN ME about her? She is a real barracuda!" (I must inform this young man however that I have it on good authority Fresno City College does not employ members of the aquatic species.)

It is always humorous to those of us who are veterans of the campus to observe the hopeless dilemma which seems always to plague new students. To be absolutely honest, I STILL don't know where more than half of the buildings on this campus are according to the map printed on the schedule. I mean really, how in the world was I to know that SS stands for Student Services building, and SO is Social Sciences? Then there's S, which is Math/Science. . . or

is that really for "Somewhere Over The Rainbow?"

Probably the most common problem faced by all students in this fantastic institution of learning is the incredible line at the bookstore. I like to think of it as a great chance we all had to get to know

each other. The worst thing about it was when you finally got through the line, one of three things began to happen: 1) They were out of the book you had to have TODAY; 2)

you ran out of money before you ran out of titles you needed to purchase, then had to desperately try to prioritize on the spot; or 3) you triumphantly marched up to the counter, paid for your books, went to your first class, and then found out you purchased the wrong ones!

Not to be missed by anyone is the thrill of trying to find a parking space at 7:52 a.m. before your 8:00 a.m. class. The normally peaceful campus avenues flowing their way through the campus become suddenly menacing as pedestrians and cyclists flee the onslaught of fast moving automobiles

caught up in the race to find the last five remaining parking spots available to students on campus. The pulse jumps and an evil gleam comes to the eye of the driver who sees someone unwittingly pulling out of a space at the moment he turns the corner. With a roar of the engine, and a squeal of tires, the driver slides around only to find it's a STAFF parking spot to which he was dashing.

And whoa to he who parks in a STAFF parking spot in full view of an eagle eyed instructor! I know of one who spent at least 10 minutes of the first meeting of class warning of the special dangers awaiting a student who parks in STAFF parking spots. I honestly believe this particular instructor would seriously consider exile to Siberia ample punish-

ment for such an offense. So, be advised this is not a good practice.

So now you're set. You sat through your first two or three morning classes, and have decided to head over to the cafeteria to partake of a well deserved and much needed break. All you really need is just a cup of coffee or a Coke and a little conversation with a friend or two. But just when you thought it was safe to go into the food-service counter, there it is... the line you thought you'd left behind at the bookstore!

Wild-eyed and hungry, other students crowd around you and sweep you through the turnstile as you were contemplating heading outside to let a glass of water suffice. Then the dazzling array of sandwiches, chips, fruit, soups, hot food, cold food, coffee, tea, sodas... the choices seem to await you endlessly there. You arrive at the cashier with at least twice the amount of food that is possible to consume in the 20 minute break you have. Make that had--you just spent 10 minutes of it in line. You stumble out and find a seat at a table next to someone who is pouring over a book trying to make sense of it all before the next class, and begin wolfing down your purchases.

Tucking the cookies which seem to have appeared from out of nowhere into your daypack, you rush to your next class, (which, of course, is all the way on the other side of campus!) There you find the cookies have melted all over the homework assignment which is now due in three minutes....

Isn't the beginning of a new school term wonderful!

Students welcomed by President and Editor

By Donna Reese
Editor-in-Chief

With the first issue of the **Rampage**, the staff would like to take time out to introduce you to your campus newspaper.

The **Rampage** is a weekly newspaper published every Friday. It can be found in various locations on campus, such as in front of the library or the Administration building, in the red **Rampage** box.

Each week 4,000 copies of the **Rampage** are printed and distributed containing news which the staff hopes will interest you. Since it is your student newspaper, any comments, story ideas, letters to the editor, or articles you wish to submit are welcome. The editors reserve the right to edit any submission for clarity and brevity.

Submitted letters and articles must be typewritten, double spaced, and include the author's name, address, and telephone number. Pen names are not allowed. Anything submitted for publication not following these guidelines will not be used.

Submitted material can be placed in the **Rampage** office mailbox, room B-3, or in the **Rampage** mailbox in the mail room of the Administration building. Deadline for submitted material are Monday at 1 p.m., prior to the Friday of publication.

If you have any questions or concerns about the **Rampage**, stop by our office Monday or Wednesday afternoon after 2 p.m. and ask for Jim Rhodes, managing editor, or Donna Reese, editor-in-chief, and they will be pleased to answer any questions you have.

Dear Students:

I am pleased to have this opportunity to welcome you to the campus for fall semester 1984. The 1984-85 year is a special one for Fresno City College, and I hope that it will be a special one for each one of you personally, one in which you make substantial progress toward achievement of your educational and career goals.

The College this year celebrates its 75th anniversary. Founded in 1910, Fresno City College has the honor of being California's oldest community college. Since its beginnings with 3 instructors and 20 students on the old Fresno High School campus, the College has grown and changed in response to student and community needs. Today it serves almost 14,000 students enrolled in a wide variety of programs, and it provides an ever-increasing range of student and community services.

While the campus and the student body have grown and changed over the years, the central purpose of the College, educational development of the individual student, has not. The College takes great pride in its past accomplishments, but even greater pride in the excellence of its present professional and support staff members who are working diligently to assure that you attain your educational goals. I urge you to become familiar with the resources of the campus and to use these resources fully in the pursuit of your studies. May you have every success with your studies during the coming semester.

Sincerely,

Clyde C. McCully
President

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Ram athletic department trusts its future in Luck

By Tom Ferrall

On July 20, the Fresno City College administration believes it hit a stroke of "Luck" for the schools athletic program.

It was on this date that FCC President Clyde C. McCully received a signed contract from Dr. Emery F. Luck of Elgin (Ill.) Community College, thus making Luck the new Ram athletic director.

Luck was officially offered the position by McCully and the school's board of education on July 10. Luck replaced Hans Wiedenhoefer, who retired at the end of the spring semester.

The 57-year-old Luck comes to FCC with a vast amount of experience and success. His past performance sheet reads impressively.

Luck was a player-coach on the western team of the world famous Harlem Globetrotters from 1950-58. As head coach of the University of Illinois fencing team, he guided his squad to a Big Ten conference championship. Last year at Elgin CC, with Luck as the director of women's athletics, the

school's female athletic teams pulled off a hat trick, taking league championships in volleyball, basketball and softball. Luck managed the triumphant softball team.

In 1970, Luck was hired as the assistant basketball coach at Northern Illinois in DeKalb. Three years later, when coach Tom Jurgenson retired, Luck was named head coach.

Unfortunately for Luck, at the same time NIU named him head basketball coach, the school officials decided they wanted to go, in Luck's words, "Big Time Football". NIU's decision to go "Big Time Football", a status NIU has never obtained (the school is on the verge of being kicked out of the Mid-American conference), resulted in a tremendous cut in recruiting budget for basketball.

This and other problems caused by NIU's singular concern for football prompted Luck to leave the school after three seasons. His team's records were 8-17 (1973-74), 8-15 (1974-75) and 5-21 (1975-76).

After leaving NIU, Luck went into the housing business. But after the bottom

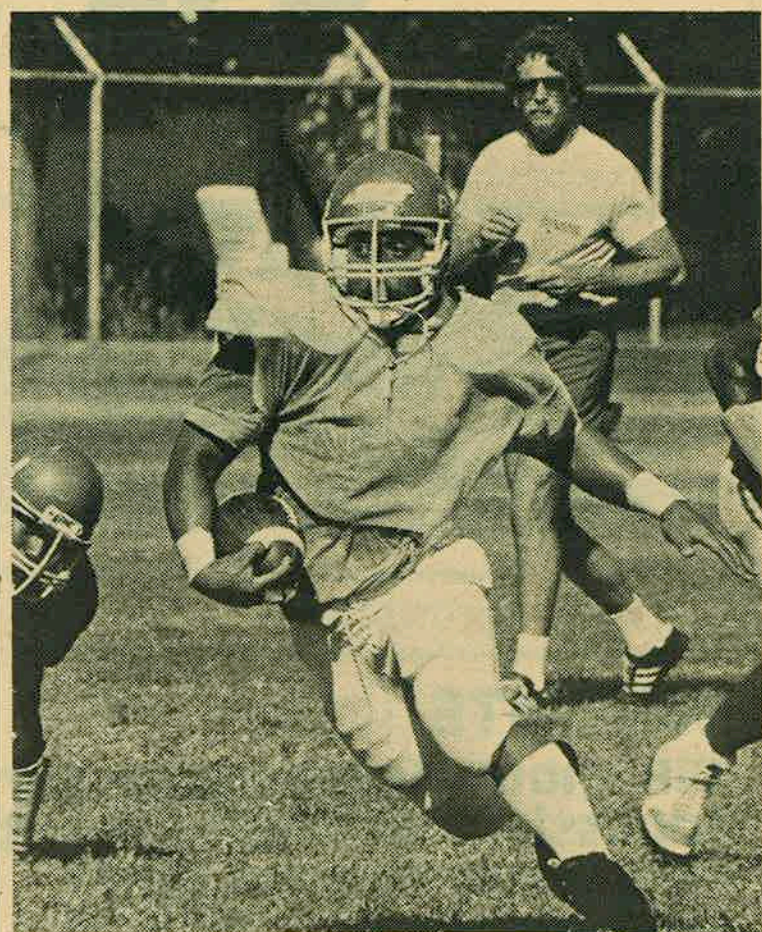
fell through there, Luck went to Elgin.

Besides being the womens athletic director (1981-83) and softball coach (1980-83), Luck's past duties at Elgin included being director of operations last season, golf coach (1980-83) and assistant basketball coach (1980-84).

Along with his athletic director duties at FCC, Luck is also teaching two physical education classes, racketball and body building. If FCC has a golf team this spring, Luck will coach that squad.

Attendance at Ram sporting events, and better planning when it comes to supplying out-of-state and out-of-district athletes with financial aid, are the first two things Luck would like to improve at FCC.

Luck said he hasn't set any goals for himself in his initial year as athletic director at FCC. "Right now I just want to get my feet on the ground and see what's going on around me," said Luck. "After I find out just where our program is, then next year I can sit down and say I'd like to do this or that."



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The Fresno City College football team will open its 1984 season tonight, traveling south to face the Renegades of Bakersfield College. Kick-off time at Memorial Stadium is 7:30 p.m.

Coach Bill Musick begins his sixth season as the Ram's head coach, and his team faces a very tough test tonight. FCC has never won at Memorial Stadium and the only victory in the 15-game series which dates back to 1952, was a 31-27 thriller in the rain at Ratcliffe Stadium in 1976.

Plagued by eight turnovers, the Rams lost a tough 17-13 decision last year at Memorial Stadium. The last turnover, a fumble with 1:16 to play and the Rams on the Renegades 23-yard line, was a heartbreaker.

FCC goes to the movies

By Asa Soderman

A Future Festival Week takes place on campus the first week of October. Three outstanding films on the theme of the future will be presented: "Futureworld," "Soylent Green" and "Rollerball".

A journey through China with photographer Raphael Green, is offered next. His slide show, "China - An Adventure to Far Cathay" will be shown in the Theater October 21.

Two other highlights are a September 14 performance by "Sabia," a Latin American folk dance troupe and the Wajumbe Concert of African Dance with traditional drummers, dancers, singers, musicians and poets

in November.

Right now an excellent print show by Australian students is on display at the Art Space Gallery through September 21.

The Theatre Department offers two plays this semester, beginning with "The Love of Four Colonels" by Peter Ustinov in October followed by Ralph Pape's play "Say Goodnight, Gracie" in November and December.

Fresno City College's various instrumental groups and choirs perform several concerts beginning November 2 with the FCC College Community Orchestra.

Questions about tickets and performances will be answered by the Community Services office, telephone: 442-8256.

Fall Art Schedule

CONCERTS

Date	Performance	Location	Time
Sept. 14	Sabia, Latin American Folk Music	Recital Hall	8 p.m.
Nov. 2	FCC College Community Orchestra	Theatre	8 p.m.
Nov. 9	Wajumbe Concert of African Dance	Theatre	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 18	FCC Jazz Bands	Theatre	8 p.m.
Dec. 6	FCC Woodwinds Choir/ String Orchestra	Recital Hall	8 p.m.
Dec. 8	FCC College Choir	Recital Hall	8 p.m.
Dec. 11	FCC City Singers	Recital Hall	8 p.m.
Dec. 13	FCC Brass & Percussion Ensembles	Theatre	8 p.m.
Dec. 16	FCC College Community Orchestra	Theatre	3 p.m.
Dec. 16	FCC Jazz Bands	Theatre	8 p.m.

PLAYS

Oct. 18, 19, 20, 21, 25, 26, 27	The Love of Four Colonels By Peter Ustinov	Theatre
Nov. 28, 29, 30	Say Goodnight Gracie By Ralph Pape	Theatre
Dec. 1, 2		

FILMS

Oct. 4	Futureworld	Forum Hall A	2:15 p.m.
Oct. 5	Soylent Green	Forum Hall A	2:15 p.m.
Oct. 6	Futureworld	Forum Hall A	8:15 p.m.
Oct. 7	Rollerball	Forum Hall A	3:00 p.m.
Oct. 21	China - An Adventure to Far Cathay	Forum Hall A	2:30 p.m.

DANCE

Nov. 9	Wajumbe Concert of African Dance	Theatre	7:30 p.m.
Dec. 1	FCC Dance Workshop	Gymnasium 101	8 p.m.
Dec. 2	FCC Dance Workshop	Gymnasium 101	2 p.m.

ART

to Sept. 21	Australian Student Printmakers	
Oct.	Robin McCline, painting show	
Nov. 1-3	Lester Harries	
Dec.	Student Art Sale	
Dec. 10	Faculty Show	

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time," said Johnson.

There are three ways to gain assistance through the programs; a fee waiver, fee credit, or a Board of Governors grant.

One of the programs, the fee waiver is available to students who are receiving Social Security benefits, or Aid to Families with Dependent Children. The fee credit is available to students who meet certain income levels, and are enrolling in fewer than six units. The Board of Governors grant is available to students who enroll in six or more units who have also applied for a Pell Grant and have filed a Student Aid Application form for California.

Even with these efforts to assist students in the enrollment process, enrollment figures for Fresno City College are down by about 5.6 percent for this year. These figures are important because it is by the Average Daily Attendance (ADA) the funding bases for FCC are tallied on the state level.

Dr. Clyde McCully, FCC president, said the Fresno campus' enrollment this fall is 13,576 students, down from 14,382 last fall. This is 806 fewer students, as of the second week of instruction.

Dr. McCully noted that while enrollment is down slightly, students are taking a somewhat higher load of class units. He said that recently initiated plan for short-term classes this fall should help the college make up its enrollment deficit.

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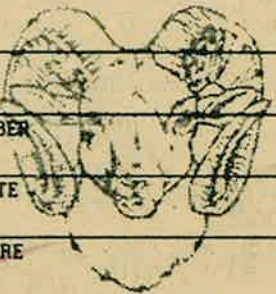
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ASB Card \$5.00 Available at the Campus Administration Business Office

PHOTO SCHEDULE **Sept. 17, 18, & 19** **STUDENT CENTER LOUNGE**
10:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

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APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE FOR:

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ASB Constitution Committee
ASB Programming Committee

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Committee on Registration
FCC Goals and Objectives Committee
Curriculum and Instruction Committee
FCC Campus Bookstore Committee
Committee on Student Services
Committee on Student Financial Aid
Fresno City College Governance and Administration Committee
Campus Advisory Committee on Serving the Needs of the Disadvantaged Student

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Community Services Accreditation Subcommittee
Educational Program/Institutional Staff Accreditation Committee
Physical Resources Accreditation Subcommittee
Learning Resources Accreditation Subcommittee

Pick up applications:

ASB Office, Student Center Room 205
Student Affairs Office, Student Services Bldg.

DEADLINE DATES: Sept. 20 for Senate positions; Sept. 26 for committees



INTER-CLUB COUNCIL

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

10:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

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HOMECOMING 1984

Diamond Jubilee
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OCTOBER 26 and 27, 1984

FRIDAY, 26th:

RAM ROUND-UP Bar-b-que
Live Entertainment
Turtle Road Race
Volleyball Tournament
Homecoming Dance

SATURDAY, 27th:

Homecoming Parade and Queen Announcement
Home Football Game VS Porterville College

STEERING COMMITTEE MEETINGS
FRIDAYS, 1:00 P.M. ASB SENATE CHAMBERS