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Zoom to defy the FCC at FCC

First Amendment radio station to broadcast from campus without license

John R Graham
Editor-in-chief

The question at the Mixed Media Club meeting was "would Zoom Black Magic dare to broadcast from Fresno City College on Free Speech Day, Monday, May 7?"

"If our equipment is ready we will," said Walter Dunn later that afternoon. Those who know him don't think he is bluffing.

Dunn, better known as the Black Rose, is the owner of Zoom Black Magic radio station. Three times the Federal Communications Commission has raided Zoom and confiscated the broadcasting equipment and each time Dunn has managed to get back on the air with his unique blend of jazz, rap, pop and gospel music mixed with discussions of important contemporary issues.

He estimates that about \$18,000 worth of equipment has been seized in the raids including some that had been borrowed from friends.

"How can we possibly get this piece of equipment?" he once asked "Mr. Ebony" his disc jockey and right hand man.

"Just ask God for it," replied Ebony. "If it's right it will come together — if it isn't we don't really need it."

They must be doing something right because it keeps coming back together every time the government thinks Zoom has been silenced. Whatever is truly needed is obtained but there are no luxuries. Zoom broadcasts out of a little trailer with a leaky roof using equipment most radio stations would throw away.

"We started with just one-tenth of a watt broadcasting to a one mile radius," said Dunn.

"We chose ZOOM as our call letters so they couldn't accuse us of impersonating a licensed station." All FCC licensed stations in the United States have call letters starting with K or W.

Dunn doesn't plan to apply for a broadcasting license. He sees it as a constitutional issue.

"It's not a race issue," he said. "It's a people issue. It's about people being free to speak out without government interference."

A free press has long been considered one of the cornerstones of liberty. Newspapers are protected by the first amendment of the Constitution, making them exempt from licensing and control by government.

"If I had to choose between a government without newspapers or newspapers without a government," said Thomas Jefferson, "I would not hesitate to choose the latter."

But newspapers are no longer the mainstay of the press. Radio and television each have larger audiences and more power of persua-

sion than the newspapers have now.

"If the two biggest components of the media are not free, how long can liberty endure in America?" asked Dunn. He rejected the idea that free speech can exist on licensed stations.

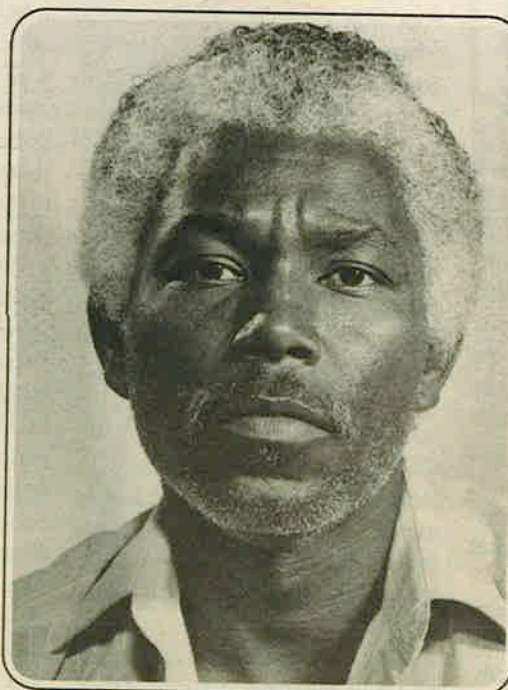
"It can't be considered free if you have to ask the government for permission," he said, "and it isn't free if you have to pay a fee."

In the early days of radio the Federal Communications Commission was created because "there weren't enough frequencies for everybody." Dunn maintains that with today's technology that argument is no longer valid.

With modern faze loop technology and digital

tuning there is no limit to the number of stations that could broadcast in the same area, he explained. Market forces would limit them much sooner than lack of space on the dial.

"We may have home made equipment but it's definitely state of the art," he said.



See ZOOM on page 8

Happenings

Tryouts for the FCC pep and cheer squads will be held on Saturday, April 21 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in rooms G-101 and G-103.

The Student Lounge hours have been changed to 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

It is time to say good-bye to our retiring staff with a fabulous dinner dance on May 11.

The event will be held at Tornino's restaurant and will run from 6 p.m. to midnight. The dinner cost is \$25 per person and reservations must be made prior to May 4. For information contact Evelyn Fioriani.

Alcoholics Anonymous is holding meetings on Tuesdays, Noon to 1 p.m. in the Learning Resources Center room LI-123.

Fresno City College graduation ceremony will be held on Tuesday, May 22.

Info. has been mailed to 900 1989-90 candidates. If you are a candidate and have not received the info. please contact Admissions and Records staff at Counter A between 8:30 a.m. and 6:45 p.m., Mon. thru Thurs. and 8:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. on Friday.

Orville Redenbacher Second Start Scholarship-Students must be over 30 years young and enrolled either part-time or full-time in an associate, bachelor, or graduate degree program. Deadline to apply is Sept. 1, 1990.

Meredith Broadcasting Minority Scholarship-Available to minority students pursuing a major in broadcasting or radio and television studies. Student must be enrolled full-time as a sophomore or junior, or planning to enroll full-time at a four-year college or university. Deadline to apply is May 1, 1990.

The Rocky Horror Picture Show will be presented free by the CSUF Vintage Days Committee.

This cult film will be shown on Thursday, April 26 at 8 p.m. in the CSUF Amphitheater.

Vintage Days will present The Fabulous Thunderbirds on Friday, April 27 at 8 p.m. in the CSUF Amphitheater.

Advance Tickets, \$5 Students and \$8 General, are available at the USU Information Center and BASS ticket outlets.

Scouts from the NFL, CFL, and Arena League will attend the 7th annual nationwide professional football search tryout at the University of California Irvine on April 28. Interested players may call (714) 248-7255 for registration details.

A two day bicycling trek to Sequoia and Kings Canyon National parks will raise camperships so kids with asthma can attend summer camp.

For more info. call the American Lung Association at 266-5864.

The Blue Monthly Party to benefit Poverello House will be held Friday, April 27 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at The Old Town Saloon. For ticket info. contact 264-1811.

An Eccentric Fashion Show to benefit the Rape Counseling Service will be held on May 17 in the Hilton Hotel ballroom.

Tickets are \$25 in advance and \$30 at the door. Call the Rape Counseling Service at 227-1800 for ticket info.

The Fresno County Water Safety Task Force will sponsor a background tour and recognition tour on May 9. For more info. contact Cynthia Campbell at 224-4224.

Showcase '90 Shows Off FCC

Jennifer Gilbert
Staff Writer

Celia Maldonado, committee chairperson for Showcase 90, the third annual FCC open house, proclaimed the event was, "Great, everyone felt that the participation was great, and everyone had a good time,

days after it took place.

In an interview before the event Maldonado expressed hopes for an attendance of five thousand, but a turn out of only three thousand was reported.

"That was o.k. because we had a greater participation this year," stated Maldonado.

Showcase 90 was an opportunity for FCC

clubs, divisions, and programs to show off their stuff to students from ten local high schools, Del Mar Elementary School, and Scandinavian Middle School. FCC alumni, senior citizens, and parents from the community were also present.

Celso Velazquez from Madera High School was impressed, "I've seen many things. I think I'll want to come here next year."

Showcase 90 was also an opportunity for clubs on campus to raise some money through fundraisers.

The Associated Students Ramburger Round Up raised \$255.35 an amount many credited to the professional burger flipping of Steve Chase of the national Denny's chain. Mike Gaskin stated, "Hey, It's better than nothing."

The Ramburger Round Up received substantial burger competition from the FCC Police Academy. According to Ron Graham, Coordinator of the Police Academy, "Showcase 90 was dynamite! After all expenses were paid the Police Academy made about a thousand dollars."

The Alpha Gamma Sigma Egg Throw raised money for scholarships and laughs for spectators and participants. The Egg Throw raised approximately \$300, when asked about the egg remains Club member

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JOB FAIR in the Free Speech Area
Thursday, April 26, 1990 * 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

OPINION

East coast consultant says

Fresno fashion trends are confusing



Jennifer Gilbert
Staff fashion critic

Before I moved to California I had never actually heard someone say, with true conviction, "Gawd. . . that is sooo trendy." Nor have I ever seen so many bleached blond, artificially tanned (kind of an orange tint) anorexics with LA Gear tennis shoes and multi-colored claws in my life.

I'm originally from the East Coast, a little state with less than 10 percent of the population of California but it was home, and the only true trend on any college campus there was to not be trendy.

California and FCC in particular has just blown me away with its great tendency to be trendy.

Don't get me wrong, I'm no walking fashion statement. I'm really trying to get a grip on this thing. Maybe I am blessed with a greater insight because it is so foreign to me. I do have some unanswered questions though.



You all notice how the cheerleaders in high school were popular?

Well now they're nothing at FCC. They feel out of place because they're not in.

In fact, some of them don't even compare to the other women on campus.

Mark Scott
Art major

Fashion is a way of thinking and being yourself. Fads are conforming, limiting tools used by those who lack identity.
Whitney Brown

What is the deal with these Oakley sunglasses? Let me understand this concept. I think I'll take a wide strip of ugly cheap plastic and wear it across my face, and sure I'll pay eighty bucks for it. What the hell are you people thinking? Do you have any idea how much it costs to manufacture those things in Taiwan? We're talking about pocket change here.

Shoes seem to be really "in" here. What is it with this hiking boot thing? Everyone's wearing them, but no one seems to have ever hiked a mountain and no one seems to have any intention of ever doing so. So let me get this straight, you guys are dishing out some hard cash for a quality hiking boot to walk to your car? Basketball shoes seem to be a must, but do any of you actually play?

Then you've got your Birkenstocks. What a fantastic shoe! I just don't understand why they're charging triple out here from what I paid for them on the other side of the country. Maybe because you are willing to pay?

I don't want to offend anyone, I'm just trying to figure California out.

What about these lethal, multi-colored daggers women are gluing to their nails? Why all the tacky colors? And diamond studs on your nails, come on. I just don't get it. Are you that unhappy with your own nails? Can you actually function with those on? And you really don't mind dishing out forty-five dollars every 2 weeks to have them?



I feel that fashion isn't a statement but a reflexion of ones individual style.

I feel that one can reflect their mood in fashion by what they feel like in the morning.

In short, anything goes.

Ray Ramirez
Interior design

Why oh why is it so cool to wear clothing with other people's name on them. Are you just insecure or what? Or are these people actually close friends so your allowing them to completely RIP YOU OFF because you care about them or something.

Two hundred dollars for a cheap coat with the team of your choice written on the back! Why, why, why?

No offense ladies, but no one looks good in these shiny plastic shorts you call spandex. Just think of the concept. I'm going to put my body into a child size piece of rubber. Who the hell would look good? Maybe you think it like holds everything in or something. It may be holding but it's not hiding anything.

You people get all dressed up for school here. Is it like a big deal? Colleges back home have people in their pajamas, barely dressed, barely awake. No one cared what they looked like at 9 a.m. You people get all done up. But come on—this is school, not club MTV.

Why is everyone wearing black? Did someone really important die? There are just too many of you for me to believe that no one died. Come on, you can tell me. Was it the President?

And then you've got your hippies— who are trendy as all hell out



Blazer bustier, lot of ethnic accessories, florescent colors, ethnic print... definitely hot! Harem pants and tank tops for guys.

Lavette Thomas
Business management

Bleach blondes, wanna-be rastafarians, too much florescents, tacky ugly biker shorts, Oakley oil spill shades, names on the back of your head and Bobby Brown's hairdo's.

Get rid of it all!!

David Moore
Music

here. We have hippies back home too, the only difference is they know it's not 1967 anymore. Being a hippy back home is more of a state of mind, a way of living if you will.

Here it's a dress code established by someone on "students for peace and phony hippies." I can say that because I've really known true hippies, so don't freak out, just think about it.

What is with these nose rings? What are you thinking? I think I'll put a piece of wire through my nose to freak my parents out and call myself a nonconformist. Can you people still pick that nostril?

I have never seen so many back packs (what is the name, Jansport?) yarn bracelets, gold, car alarms, or beepers in my life. So many people here (too many) smell like a Macy's perfume department. I've forgotten what human beings actually smell like. Was it that your own personal scent was that terrible, or did you really fall for those magazine ads that guaranteed love, success, and sex appeal if you paid at least eighty dollars for some scented water?

Tanning Beds. . . you may look orange now but in twenty years those tanning beds will give you the leather skin and wrinkles you've always dreamed of. What are you thinking?

I just can't adjust to this materialistic, phony, copy cat environment called FCC. Even the people who look totally outrageous are secretly trendy cult members. Black-haired, white-faced women with BRIGHT red lipstick! Where are you all coming from?

Did you know that red lipstick originated with ladies of the night who wanted to suggest genitalia on their faces to lure customers? How do you justify spending your money on this crap? And why do you?

Just take a look at your wardrobe. How much is it worth. How much more could you have done with that money, and how much are you willing to pay to look like everyone else?

Now hold on a second before you tell me to go home and get the hell out of California. I want to understand, that's why I've asked all these questions. If anyone can help me please write to me, care of the Rampage.



Fresno people! Always worrying about the other person's attire. Whatever it takes to look your best - hey! Do it!!

One thing's for sure. Long hair is here to stay!

Cindi Villarreal
Theatre arts



Whatever's funky. Why dress like everyone else? It's no fun.

If you have to wear clothing you might as well make it interesting.

Some people get really uptight when everything isn't the same.

'All I can say is 'loosen up and get a little funky.'

Kolette Robertson
Fashion merchandising



Polka dots & guys with long wavy gorgeous hair, ethnic print, florescent colors still in, LA style bell bottom pants.

Black hair is in. Blond is out.

Red lipstick is very in.
Delia Diaz
Secretarial science

PEOPLE

Showcase 90

Enjoying the scene



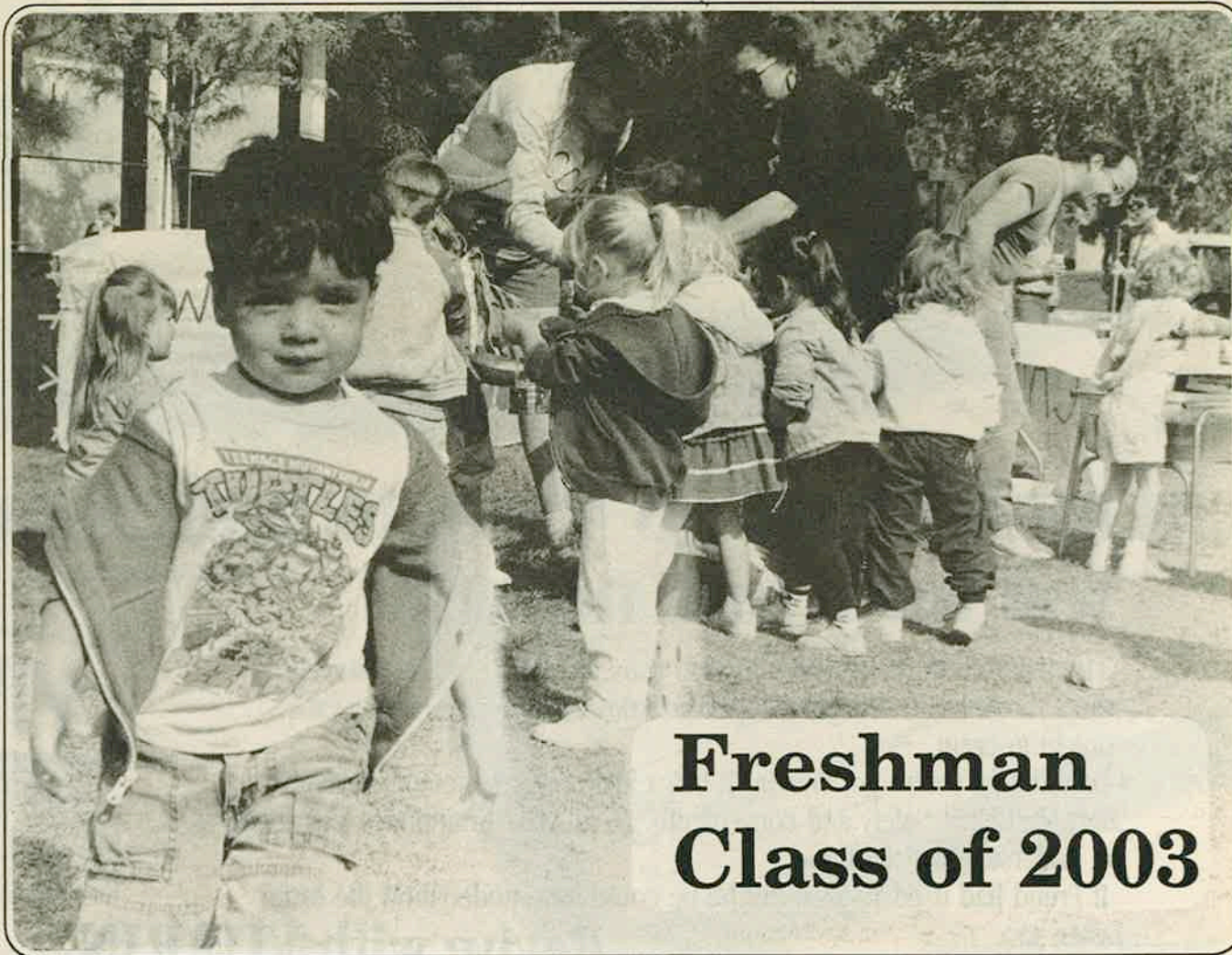
Happy campers? No, it's the architecture club.

Just kickin' it.
No sweat here.



Photos by Brocks, Stubblefield and Graham. At 3:30 a.m. we can't remember which are which.

Whaddaya mean,
you don't have my
major?



Freshman
Class of 2003

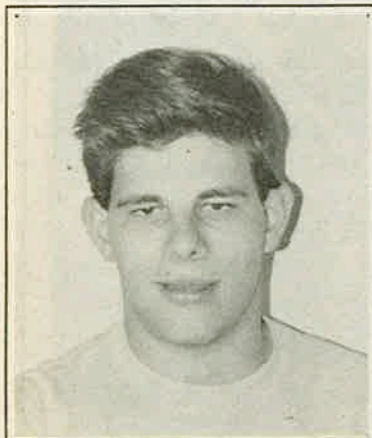
PEOPLE

AS Elections

Candidates for Executive Offices Speak Out



Don't forget to vote
April 24 and 25



**Mike Januse for
Legislative U.P.**

Back to the Basics: Honesty, Integrity and Student Welfare.

To get back to the basics we must first make the Associated Students more visible to you. This will occur by intense publicity of weekly meetings and if necessary bringing the meetings outdoors, to you.

With me as Legislative Vice President you will be made aware of the issues and you will have the opportunity to voice your concerns on these issues. I will carry these concerns to the appropriate persons, your voice will be heard. Let's get Back to the Basics.

**Simone White for
President**

Back to the Basics: Honesty, Integrity and Student Welfare

It is my goal as President to direct the Associated Students to a union. A union that rallies for the concerns of the students.

This union will address the bookstore; this union will make more loans available for you; we will take actions to solve the parking problem, the understaffing of the Health Services, reopening the Business Office on Fridays.

It is time for the Associated Students to become a strong coalition that represents you, with honesty and integrity. Let's get Back to the Basics.



**Teresa Turner for
Executive U.P.**

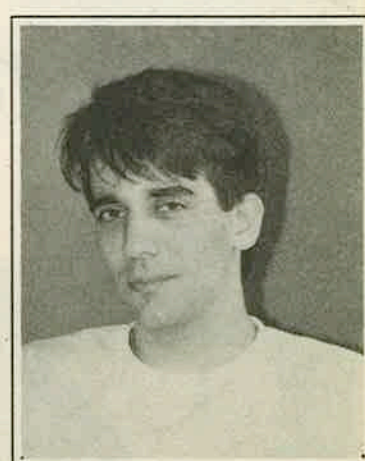
Back to the Basics: Honesty, Integrity and Student Welfare

Calling upon my experience as a two-term senator and relying on my knowledge gained from the occupation of a brokerage firm file clerk and bookkeeping manager at a retail store, I intend to manage the AS financial accounts with accuracy while keeping student interests foremost.

I'll keep our dreams within our means. I plan to have a running budget of updated expenses available on demand. The increase of the loan program and activities budget will be my greatest priority. My extensive experience in this field is my contributing asset. Let's get back to the basics.

**Doug Williams for
President**

I wish to be President so as to continue the trend of meeting the needs of the students which was started this semester. I have a fantastic team that is hardworking. We believe in action not rhetoric. On our flyers you will also see the bills and donations we have produced to enhance the lives of Fresno City College students. This is our wish and our goal. This desire I hope all students wish for this wonderful school. I want this campus to be active politically. We all must do what we can to help our school, which in turn helps all of us. So please come join us in our efforts and vote for the Students. By such action you will insure that Fresno City College remains in good hands and continues to progress.

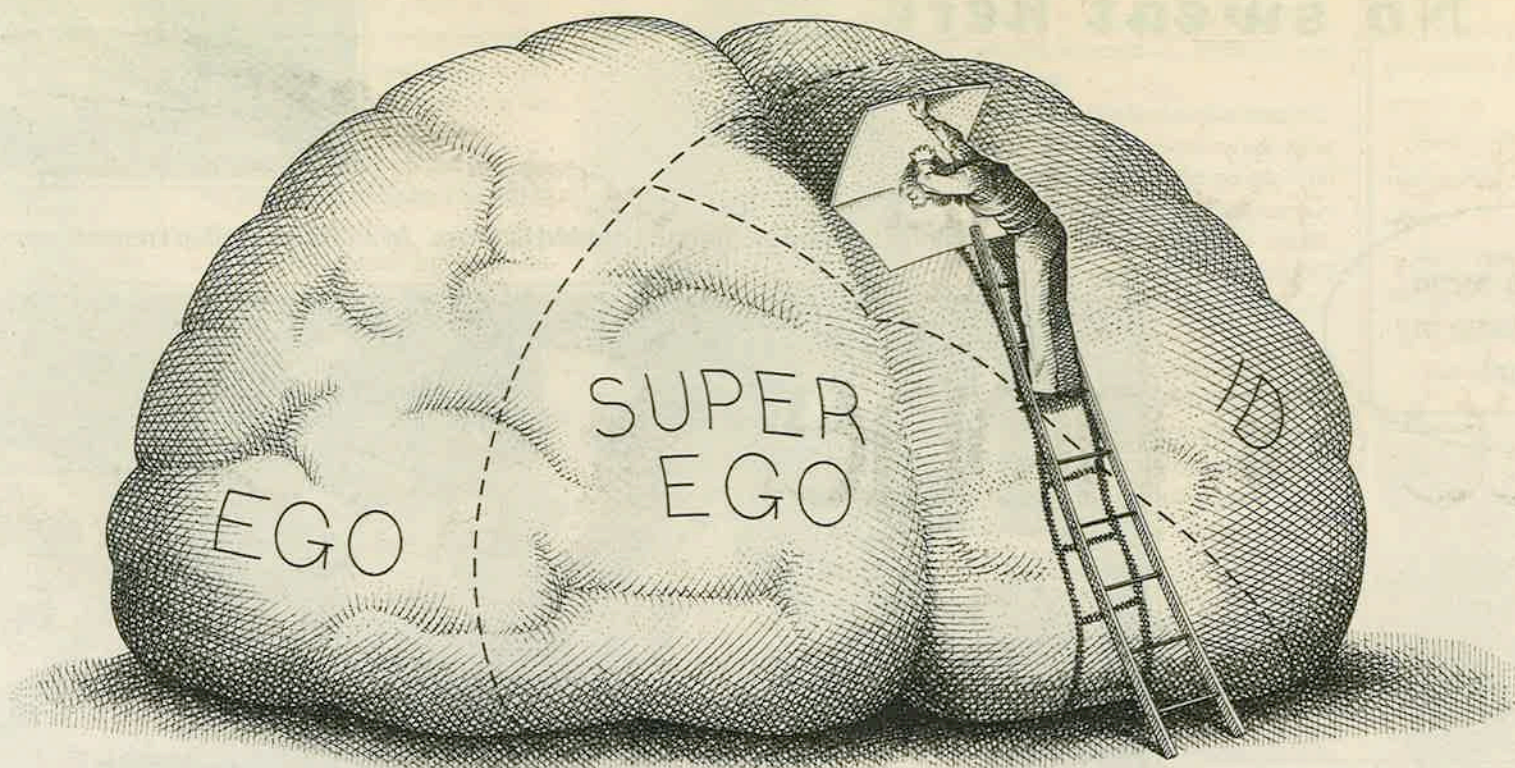


**Mike Gaskin for
Legislative U.P.**

Basically the reason why I chose to run for Legislative Vice President is to insure that the current trend on campus continues, and that the students are properly represented on campus. The group of senators responsible for this trend are running for executive positions. It is my hope that with an even more cooperative group of individuals we can continue to move forward.

Looking ahead I can see where basics are needed, however sometimes you have to exceed beyond the basics in order to achieve your potential. This past semester the senate has accomplished much more for the students and I feel that if I were elected Legislative Vice President we could accomplish even more.

For the Students-Action not Rhetoric



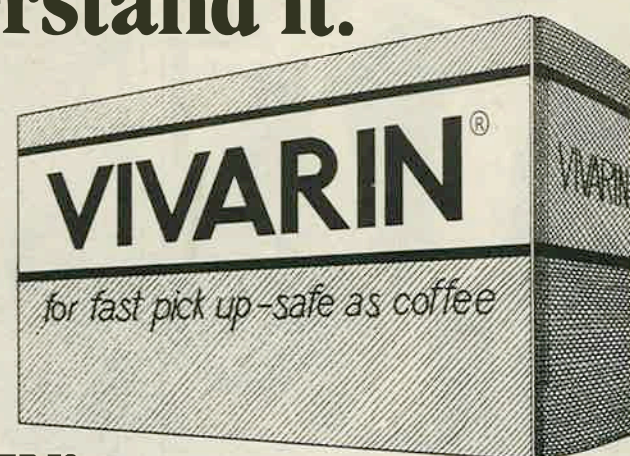
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ECOLOGY

Major event on campus May 7

Earth Awake!

Environmental activism coming to Fresno City College

James Donnelly
Staff writer

Earth Awake!, a day-long celebration honoring the importance of the environment, will be held at FCC in the Free Speech Area May 7.

Organized by the Students for Peace and Justice and the Associated Students, Earth Awake! presents, according to Senator Kim Kasten, "a means of informing the campus and community about the importance of

living in an earth-centered, environmentally concerned manner."

Kasten, the coordinator, is working closely with councilman Craig Scharton to insure that the environmental message is delivered effectively.

"Our future is being endangered by misuse and abuse of our beautiful gaia [earth]," says Kasten, referring to the gravity of the perils now facing our planet.

"We must make sure that we

recognize that we must protect what is vital to our existence," she continues.

Earth Awake! will offer a variety of culture, knowledge, insight, and love- specifically love for our mother nature. Many events are planned to insure a positive and uplifting experience for all present.

Organizations expected to participate include San Francisco Greenpeace, and keynote speakers including Scharton, Marsha Bedard (eco-feminism), and

Dave Todd (Fresno water conservation).

Entertainment will be provided by African dancers and drummers, and a band to be named later. Maya and the Elf will also be performing sometime during the day.

Kasten hopes the combination of information, discussion, and entertainment will be appealing to event-goers.

"This effort on behalf of all those participating will create an informative, entertaining, and

possibly controversial arena for discussion and action," predicts Kasten.

According to Kasten, Earth Awake!, much like Earth Day, is an event "founded to mobilize a collective effort for community and global change" in our awareness of the vital interconnectedness of our own well-being and that of our planet.

There is little doubt that Earth Awake! will indeed awaken many to the future of our environment. Kasten hopes all will also become aware of the spiritual aspects of the issue.

"The earth is called Mother-Goddess by the very fact that she is our home, birthplace, and returning source," she says. We as her children are ultimately responsible for her demise, or her revival. Only Father-Time can reveal if we've slept too long.

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Friday, May 4, 8p.m. FCC Student Lounge

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Comedians sponsored by College Activites

\$5 admission, \$4 with student ID at the door.

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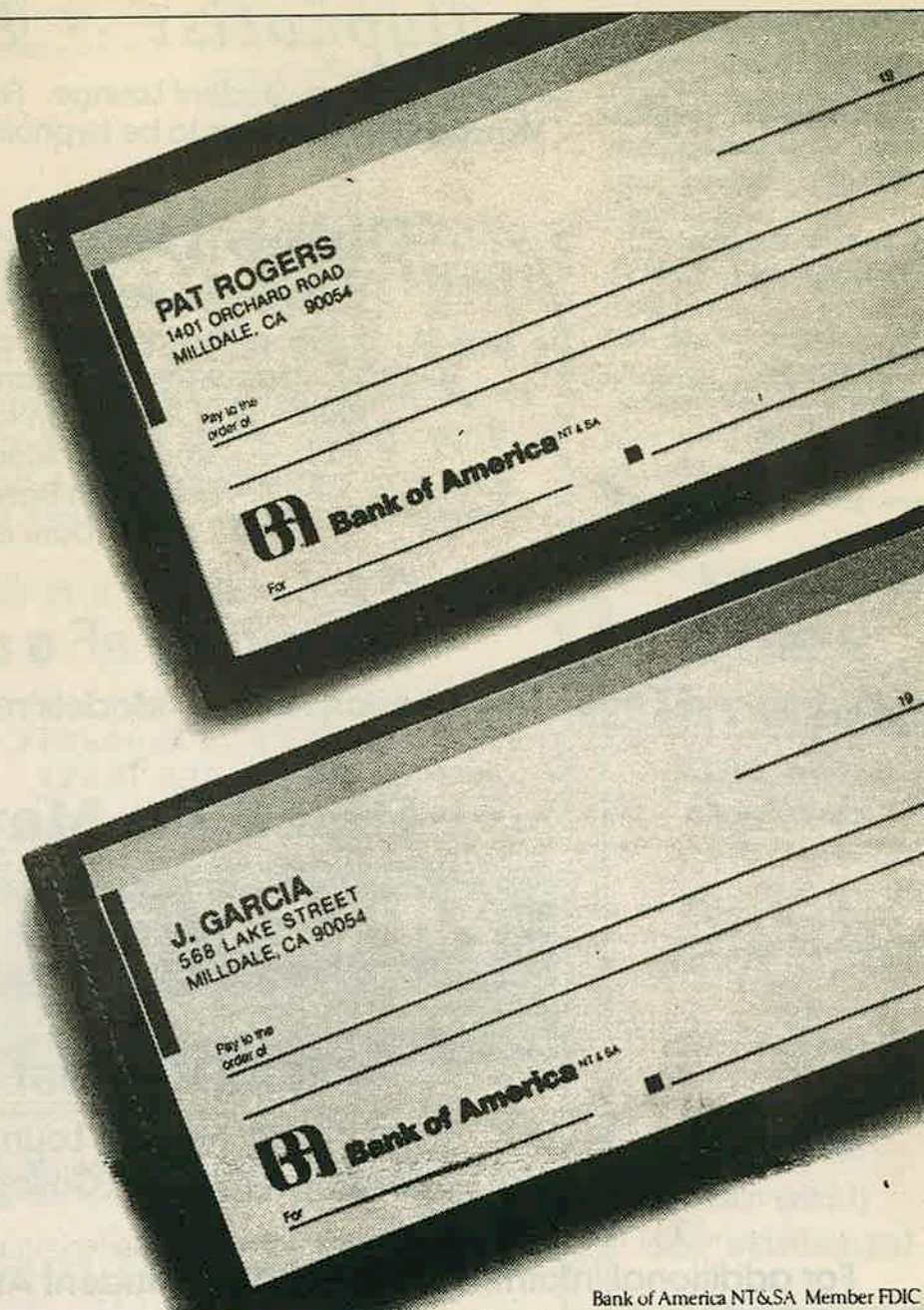
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EVENTS

Fresno City College

Activities Office Presents:

Spring Fest '90

Monday, April 30

"Monday Sadness"

"A day to bury school apathy"

Meet in front of the Administration Building at high noon for a funeral procession to the Free Speech Area.

A real New Orleans Burial with Dixieland Music and a BBQ. Don't forget! Wear red and white!

Tuesday, May 1

Club and Cultural Awareness Day

9 a.m. - 2 p.m. Free Speech Area * 11 a.m. Mexican Dancers "Los Paisanos" from Selma High School

Wednesday, May 2

Air Guitar Contest

Cash Awards!! Guest appearances by CSUF Air Guitarists

12 noon - 1 p.m. Free Speech Area

Sign-up in the Student Affairs Office (above the bookstore room 201) or the Associated Students Office

Stress: Help or hindrance in Test Taking

Lecture by Dr. Robert Richardson * Noon * Senate Chambers

Power Lifting Competition

1 pm * Free Speech Area

Sign up in P.E. Office

Thursday, May 3

Hypnotist -- Prof. Lew March

11 a.m. Student Lounge. Free admission and refreshments

Wanted: 30 volunteers to be hypnotized. Sign up in the Student Affairs Office

Cinco De Mayo Celebration

Sponsored by MeChA and College Activities

9 - 10 Teatro de las cucarachas Student Lounge

10-10:30 Speakers: Mr. Adame/Mr. Arago Staff Dining Room

10:30 - 12 Reception for Artists Staff Dining Room

12 - 1 Roosevelt Mariachi Free Speech Area

1 - 2 Firebaugh Dancers Free Speech Area

2 - 3 F.C.C Dancers Free Speech Area

Friday, May 4

"Spring Fashion Fling"

12 noon Free Speech Area * Models needed: Sign up in the Student Affairs office

Cinco De Mayo Celebration

9 - 11 Indian Findings Staff Dining Room

11 - 12 Poetry by Dr. Soto Staff Dining Room

1 - 2 The Alligator & The Bayou Boogie Band Free Speech Area

Spring Fest Dance Party

8 pm - 1 am Student Lounge: Live bands and comedy

Sponsored by AGS, College Activities And KFSR Radio

SPORTS

Sports Schedule

Next week, the baseball team will be at home on April 21 against Hancock and have two away games on April 24 against Kings River and April 26 against COS.

Both the men's and women's tennis teams will compete in the Ojai Classic Tennis Tournament April 26-28.

On April 27, the track team will travel to Porterville to compete in the CVC Championship meet and the softball team will compete in the Napa College Silverado Invitational Tournament in Napa on April 20-22.

CVC Baseball (as of 4-19-90)

Fresno CC	14-4	-
Taft	12-6	2
Hancock	9-9	5
Sequoias	8-10	6
Kings River	7-11	7
Porterville	4-14	10

Martial arts at FCC

Dan Andre
Sports editor

People who are interested in the martial arts usually have to pay a fortune to get professional instruction.

Or a person can get a subscription to Black Belt Magazine or watch countless Bruce Lee-type movies and call themselves a martial artist.

Perhaps the best route to go would be to join the Fresno City Martial Arts Club.

Men and women of all ages can learn everything from karate to eskrima from instructor Al Smith.

Smith not only heads the Martial Arts Club but also teaches self-defense to the handicapped, instructs an introduction to the martial arts class, teaches an Adaptive Physical Education class to the disabled and teaches self defense to women.

Smith got into the martial arts when he was 12 years old. The first form he studied was judo.

"My dad has a black belt in judo. I studied under him for three years," said Smith.

While growing up, Smith studied Korean-style karate and also got a black belt in American kickboxing and Shotokan karate. He also holds a "guro" or black belt in Eskrima, which is a Filipino weapon.

Smith came to FCC in 1978 to work in the Enabler Program. The Health, Arts and Sciences Department learned of his background in the martial arts and persuaded him to teach some classes.

Smith soon started his own business and opened two of his own martial arts studios in the Fresno area. After two and a half years, he closed both studios and opened another in a different location.

"My studios were making money but I also had a lot of bills to pay. But when teaching, I was making money without all the bills," Smith said. "It was easy to see which one was more lucrative."

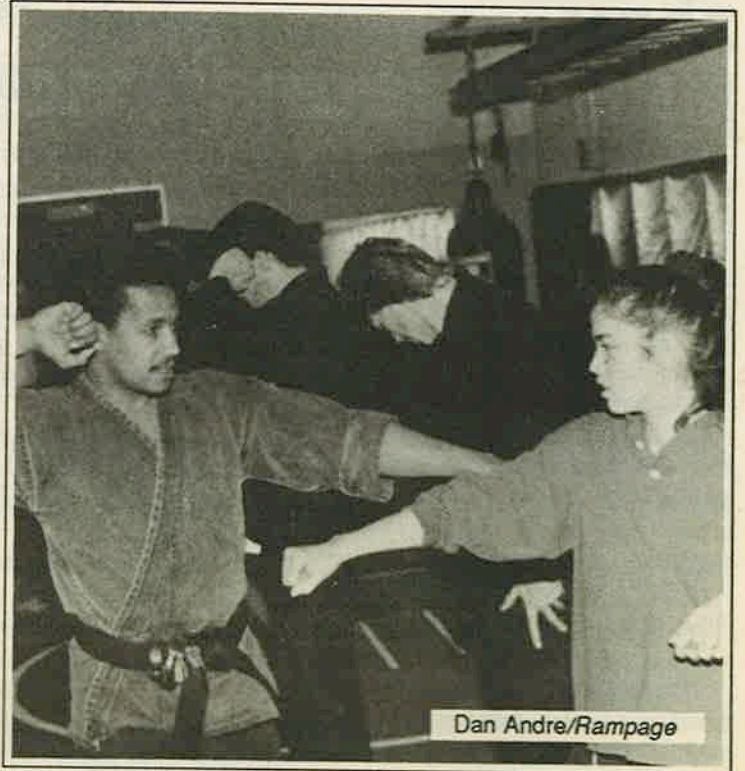
The Martial Arts Club holds a competitive tournament every year in April with a large part of the proceeds going to the Adaptive Physical Education Department. A portion of the proceeds also go to the club itself.

Smith teaches eskrima, karate, boxing and has guest instructors teach everything from tai chi chuan to the use of various weapons.

Smith, who hopes to study anthropology next fall at Berkeley, said, "Everyone should learn self defense or a martial art. It teaches self discipline that will be useful not only now but all through life."

The Martial Arts Club meets every Thursday evening at 6:30 in the gym.

Smith shows student proper arm positioning.



Dan Andre/Rampage

Taft moves closer in CVC race

Dan Andre
Sports editor

The Taft Cougars edged the Rams 8-7 last Tuesday to pull to within two games of the first place Rams in the Coast Valley Conference baseball race.

Home runs by John DaSilva and Jason Wood put the Rams ahead but they couldn't hold the lead as Taft pushed the winning run across in the bottom of the ninth.

FCC fell to 14-4 in the CVC while second-place Taft improved to 12-6. They will meet one more time this season on April 28 in Fresno.

New hoop coach inked

Dan Andre
Sports editor

Former Clovis West coach Steve Cleveland will take over as the new FCC men's basketball coach, FCC president Ernest Leach announced Monday.

Cleveland, a native Fresno, attended Hoover High before coming to FCC in 1973-74 and then transferred to UC Irvine. He played basketball throughout his academic career.

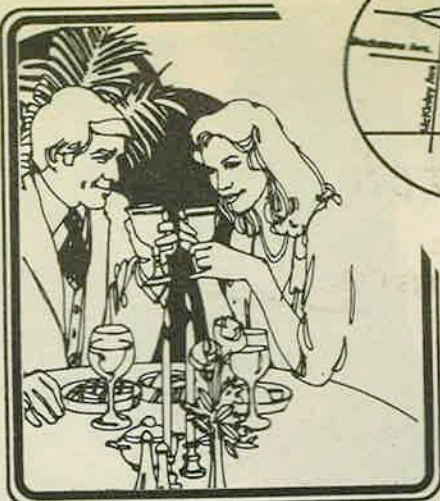
Cleveland's record at Clovis West was 176-81. In his 10 years at CW, his team won the North Yosemite League in 1981 and were division champs in 1984.

Cleveland seemed to have the inside track because he was a volunteer assistant last season under interim coach and athletic director Emory Luck.

Cleveland said he wants to attract as many local players as possible.

"We plan to concentrate on area players as much as possible. There will be seasons, I'm sure, when we might have to go outside the area for some players," Cleveland said. "I know this is a strong area for basketball."

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Will the FCC raid FCC? Will there be free speech in the Free Speech Area?

"We operate without bleeding over into other bands which is more than can be said for many of the licensed stations, he claimed."

Ebony claims that limiting competition to protect the powerful commercial stations is the real purpose of the FCC.

"Most media is about selling garbage," he said. "It's clowns selling little kids hamburgers and bombarding the masses with subliminal urges to purchase worthless garbage."

"Zoom is needed," said Ebony. "Could Zoom exist if there wasn't a void that needed to be filled?"

"The fact that we can set up and broadcast for a few grand and give our music away free is a real threat to the established stations," said Dunn. "We don't sell ads. We are not involved in a joint maritime venture with the Department of Commerce."

According to constitutional scholars it was only through declar-

ing radio and television "joint maritime ventures" that allowed Congress to bypass the constitutional safeguards and regulate them. By declaring Zoom a First Amendment Station" and refusing licensing under maritime law Dunn has removed the legal pretext under which the FCC operates.

"We are men who believe in the US Constitution and we believe that humanity has been abused by a few greedy people," said Ebony.

"Are we wrong because we believe in the principles set forth by the founding fathers?" asked Dunn.

But the FCC has taken and is still holding Zoom's equipment. Dunn wants it back but has been unsuccessful in getting the agency to return it.

"Most lawyers are afraid to take on the FCC in court because they're not trained in constitutional law and they want to keep their plush positions as part of the bar association," said Dunn.

"They're part of the profit crowd—not the prophet crowd," quipped Ebony.

So a lack of legal counsel has kept Zoom from recovering its property despite obvious errors in the search warrant, the fact that some of the equipment seized wasn't broadcasting equipment or listed on the warrant and constitutional issues questioning the FCC's jurisdiction.

"But they're the government, said Dunn. "They've got the guns and power to do whatever they want whether it's legal or not."

One of the things the FCC raid did was to terrorize Dunn's dying mother.

"There was no need for them to tear apart her room," he said. "It wasn't even close to the broadcast trailer and they already knew where the equipment was. All they accomplished was to scare her so bad that she fretted from then on (the rest of her life) worrying that they'd come back and take us all away to

jail."

The FCC attempted to fine Dunn \$2,000 for operating Zoom without a license. Not having the legal power to levy fines they sent him a notice of "apparent monetary forfeiture" which he ignored saying "it's not apparent I owe them anything. Even to answer could be admitting something I'm not guilty of."

"Zoom is needed because the 1990s demand change," said Ebony. "More rights are being legislated away daily."

"The valley needs Zoom Black Magic TV," said Dunn. "It will be on channel 14 when we get it together."

"It's not just Fresno, my man," said Ebony. "There's a First Amendment Network springing up throughout the country."

Movie director Allen Moyle recently produced a motion picture, *Pump Up The Volume*, about a radio station in Harlem that operates without FCC licensing.

"We went to the pre-screening in LA," said Dunn. "They still haven't made the final cuts." He said it was real interesting but he wished it

covered the free speech issue more thoroughly. "It's really just covering one aspect," he said. "Maybe *Pump up The Volume II* will cover the rest."

What's it like being the focal point of liberty on the air waves? The Black Rose described it as like being on a roller coaster and not being able to get off.

"It's not about you anymore," said Ebony. "It's much bigger than any of us."

"Zoom is the people's and (we) just can't quit no matter how much we might want to," Dunn explained.

"We're bringing a piece of the people to themselves," said Ebony. "That's why Zoom is so popular."

Once you free your mind your behind follows," the Black Rose summed his attitude up."

But free mind or not there will be a lot of people watching May 7 to see if broadcasting from FCC will get the Black Rose behind bars on Free Speech Day.

Will the FCC dare raid FCC? Can there really be free speech in the Free Speech Area? Only time will tell.

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Becky Caraveo stated, "Nobody still has egg on their face but my hair sure came out great."

The Native American Indian Student Association helped sponsor an authentic Navajo food booth. The recipes of Irene Gatewood and Mirdle Wood were used to create Navajo fry bread and Indian tacos.

NAISA Commissioner Richard Gomez said, "We are doing pretty well. This is a fundraiser to help pay for their childrens dancing participation in pow wows. The jewelry and costumes are expensive, so we're trying to help them raise some money."

The American Institute of Architects club displayed their "Wild Thing" structure that they will be taking to a architectural competition at the upcoming Poly Royal. Vice President John Holder was at the scene to explain the construction and how it came about. The planning began in January, and eventually lead to a concept that evolved around a toy called a Yosee. The construction is made of wide sheet aluminum, masonite, and water proof canvas. "Last year's entry wasn't very well planned, and we hope to do much better this year," Holder said.

Various Police Departments were represented on campus to recruit from our police academy cadets including our own college police who had the new blazer from Kings River College because they were ashamed to be seen in the old ugly squad FCC rates.

The ceramics classes of Christopher Glaves and James Shepard sold students' works including vases and bowls. Small bowls with ice-cream were sold. Student Dee Beebe stated, "We're having a lot of fun. It's exciting because it's all students work."

Brian Whenon had a booth for

his new club entitled Students for a Clean environment and by noon had five new members.

The Manchester Beauty School booth was a popular stop for female visitors at FCC. The school had demonstrations for all three of it's programs including skin care, cosmetology, and manicure.

The Danielson Quartet entertained an audience at the fountain area with a variety of jazz. The quartet included Carlos Sermano on trumpet, Dave Miller on base, Dan Neilson on piano, Lynn Farmer on drums, sound engineer Micheal Auld and later Terry McDonald joined on sax.

"It looks like it's a little bigger this year," said Lou Harikian, participant in the AASA bake sale.

This was an event that nearly every organization on campus participated in but Chairperson Maldanodo hopes for "an even bigger and better one next year!"



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