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ORIENTATION WEEK 1975 February 24 to February 28. See page 4 for programme * of introductory lectures * and activities. *

DISCUSSIONS UNDERWAY ON PROPOSED TRAFFIC CONTROL AND PARKING REGULATIONS

Discussions between the Estate Division and representative groups within the University about proposed traffic control and parking regulations are underway.

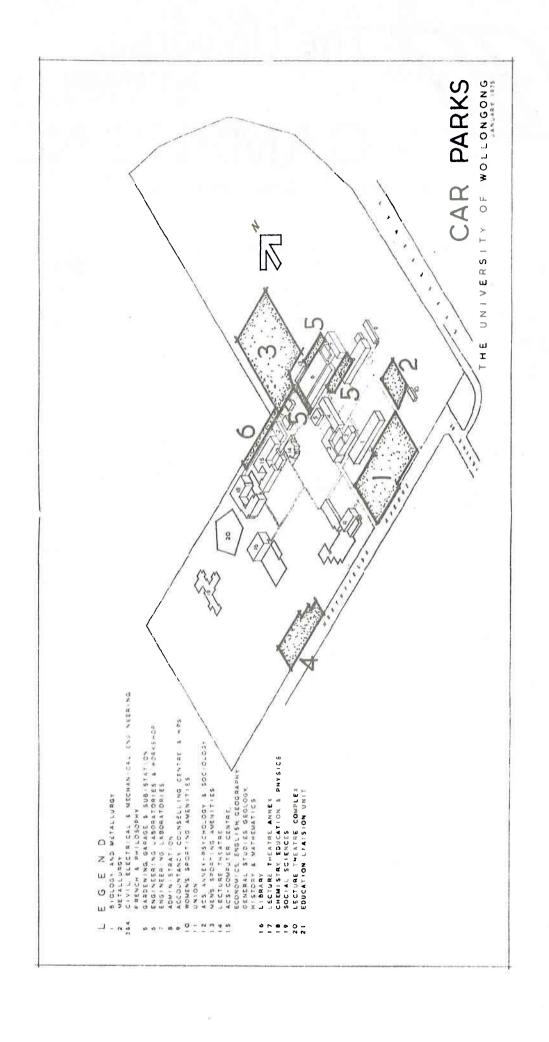
The representative groups include the Students' Representative Council, the Academic Staff Association, the Public Service Association and other interested people.

An unresolved matter is a proposal to introduce parking permits for regular users of University car parks and to charge a fee for these permits. Before making a policy decision, the University Council wishes to be informed of the views of all concerned.

Estate Manager, Mr. J. F. Bell, this week summarised the proposals. He said: "To construct properly marked parking spaces in surfaced car parks, which are provided with convenient access to the pedestrian area of campus, will in future cost at least \$200 per parking space.

"The Australian Universities Commission, which recommends the grant of government funds for both capital and operating costs of universities, does not accept that the government should pay the full costs of this amenity for those members of the University who bring their own cars.

"Unless the University demonstrates a degree of self-help in providing additional funds for new parking areas, we can expect to have our use of funds for this purpose severely restricted. This will in turn mean either that late-comers will be unable to park or they will have to use open areas which will rapidly become unsightly and very uncomfortable to use. Many University people are all too familiar with the muddy, rutted areas which result from use of unmaintained open areas for parking.



"The desirability of having fewer cars and more people coming by public transport is represented by some people. But unless they convince others, and the University can establish that there is a sufficient demand for public transport - or possibly for some form of university subsidised transport, this does not solve the problem.

"A poll of users is planned in first session to obtain information about transport needs and the co-operation of all members of the University is sought to make this survey as useful as possible."

800 VEHICLES EXPECTED ON CAMPUS AT PEAK TIMES

The latest estimate of the maximum number of motor vehicles which staff, students and visitors are likely to bring onto the campus at any one time during 1975 is 800.

This peak number may be reached early in first session. Accordingly, the University Council has approved action to increase the number of vehicle spaces, in designated parking areas, to this number. (See map. Page 2.)

Estate Manager, Mr. J. F. Bell, said this week that to achieve full utilisation of these areas all users would need to park in the defined spaces and not obstruct the access of others nor occupy more than one car space. He sought the co-operation of all users.

Mr. Bell said: "The reconstruction of Car Park No. I between Northfields Avenue and the Metallurgy Building is well underway and will provide spaces for 308 motor vehicles.

"The area is being laid out to permit landscaping, and our landscape consultants, Bruce McKenzie & Associates, are detailing the treatment preparatory to calling tenders for this work. Meanwhile, drains and water supplies are being provided and light standards have been ordered.

"This area should be available for use in March, though the landscaped planting will still remain to complete the area."

Mr. Bell said that, in addition to Car Park No. 1, the following other sections were being marked out:

Car Park No. 2 60 including 12 visitors' places

Car Park No. 3 200

Car Park No. 5 55 in three sections

Car Park No. 6 58

Altogether, the number of existing motor vehicle spaces was 681.

Mr. Bell said: "To meet expected requirements, at least 120 additional spaces are needed and these were planned for Car Park No. 4. Work to provide a temporary surface for this car park is at present awaiting Wollongong City Council approval.

"If the City Council refuses our application, it will be necessary to extend Car Park No. 3 to the north. This would be unsatisfactory because of the traffic increase on the north-south road and doubts about the final configuration of Car Park No. 3. The configuration will depend upon approval to the proposed

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revised master plan to provide access to the northern side of the pedestrian precinct by direct entry from Irvine Street."

Mr. Bell said that decisions were being pursued urgently to avoid overcrowding and inconvenience at the beginning of first session.

ORIENTATION WEEK BEGINS

The first Orientation Week of The University of Wollongong begins today. In previous years, Orientation has been held over three days. However, with this week being the first Orientation of the new University, a greater variety of functions and activities has been planned for students.

The week is designed to introduce new students to their University - academically and socially. The academic side of Orientation comprises a set of introductory lectures which are given by one or more academic staff members of a department and usually by a S.R.C. member who has been involved with the department. From this the new student obtains a brief outline of the course from the points of view of both staff and students. The lectures are usually informal and are run for the enlightenment of new students.

The social aspect of Orientation is everything else that happens, most of which is free to all students. The organisation of these social functions is undertaken by the S.R.C., the Union, or Individual clubs and societies. The revised programme is set out below.

Monday, February 24 (L.T.: Lecture Theatre; P.L.T.: Physics Lecture Theatre)

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9.30am - 12.30pm
                    Introductory Lectures: Mathematics (L.T.), Geography (P.L.T.).
10.30am - 11.30am
                    Introductory Lectures: Accountancy (L.T.), French (P.L.T.).
11.30am - 12.30pm
                    Introductory Lectures: Biology (L.T.), Economics (P.L.T.).
12.30pm -
           1.30pm
                    Inter-Faculty Get-Together (Common Room).
1.30pm -
           7.00pm
                    Formation of Kingdom (Union Complex).
7.30pm -
           8.30pm
                    Folk Night: Kristopher (Union Hall).
8.30pm -
           9.15pm
                    Folk Night: Gary Bevan (Union Hall).
                    Folk Night: McAuley, Rentz and Martin (Union Hall).
9.15pm - 10.00pm
10.00pm - 11.00pm
                   Folk Night: Mike McLellan (Union Hall).
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Tuesday, February 25

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9.30am - 10.30am
                    Introductory Lecture: Chemistry (L.T.).
10.30am - 11.30am
                    Introductory Lectures: Physics (L.T.), History (P.L.T.).
11.30am - 12.30pm
                    Concert, with Crossfire (Union Lawn).
12.30pm -
           1.30pm
                    Concert, with Band of Light (Union Lawn).
 1.30pm -
           2.30pm
                    Concert, with Chariot (Union Lawn).
 2.30pm -
           3.30pm
                    Concert, with La De Das (Union Lawn).
 7.30pm
                    Casino (Reading Room).
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Wednesday, February 26

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9.30am - 10.30am
Introductory Lectures: Engineering (L.T.), Psychology (P.L.T.).
10.30am - 11.30am
Introductory Lecture: Metallurgy.
Introductory Lectures: Hist. & Phil. of Science (L.T.), Geology (P.L.T.)
12.30pm - 1.30pm
Music Recital: The Denleys - Guitar, flute & folk (Common Room).
Sports Clubs' Barbecue (Under Fig trees).
Fencing Exhibition (Union Hall).
8.00pm - 11.00pm
Film: Butch Cassidy (Common Room).
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Thursday, February 27

| 9.30am | | Bus Tour of South Coast Pubs. |
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| 12.30pm - | 2.00pm | Union Luncheon with 20 first-year guests, (Reading Room). |
| 2.00pm - | 3.00pm | Robert Lloyd Ensemble (Union Lawn or Hall). Compliments of the Union. |
| 3.00pm - | 5.30pm | Debate (Common Room). "That this University's Motto should be in |
| | | English". |
| 5.30pm | | Hawaiian Night on North Beach. |

Friday, February 28

| 9.30am - 1 | L2.30pm | Cricket Match: S.R.C. v Rest of World (lawn in front of Library). |
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| 11.30am - 1 | L2.30pm | S.R.C. Luncheon with Jack Mundey and 20 first-year guests |
| | | (Wentworth Room). |
| 12.30pm - | | Address by Jack Mundey (Common Room). |
| 1.30pm - | 3:00pm | Introductory Lecture: Sociology (Lecture Theatre). |
| 3.00pm - | | Film: Slither (Lecture Theatre). |
| 7.30pm - | 2.00am | Reincarnation Ball (Union Hall). |

STUDENT HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL REBATE SCHEME

Students who wish to join the Australian Union of Students Friendly Society Hospital and Medical Rebate Scheme can obtain application forms from the S.R.C. Office in the Union.

The combined public hospital and medical contribution rates are: \$13.50 (half year) and \$27 (full year). They are payable through the Cashier, Administration Building. Membership is open to full- or part-time students - 30 years of age or under - of an Australian University or Educational Institution affiliated with the Australian Union of Students.

UNION CAIERING HOURS

The coffee bar and cafeteria catering service in the Union Hall will operate from Monday, February 24, as follows:

Orientation Week (February 24 to 28)

Coffee Bar 9am to 5pm Cafeteria (Takeaway Meals) 11.30am to 1.30pm

First Session (Beginning Monday, March 3)

Coffee Bar 9am to 8pm, Monday to Friday.

(Note When films are held in the Union Hall, the following times will apply for the Coffee Bar: 9am to 7.30pm Wednesdays; 9am to 7pm Fridays.

Cafeteria: 11.45am to 1.45pm Lunch; 4.45pm to 6.45pm Dinner.

POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH AWARDS

The Registrar has released the names of applicants who have been awarded postgraduate research awards commencing this year. The recipients are:

Australian Government Awards

| KANTSLER, A. | B.Sc. Hons. Il Div. I (Wollongong) Department of Geology. |
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| LILL, C. | B.Sc. Hons.1 (Wollongong) Department of Mathematics. |
| MCLEAN, A. | B.E. Hons.1 (Wollongong) Department of Mechanical Engineering. |
| MAITLAND, H. | B.A. Hons. 11 Div.1 (Wollongong) Department of Psychology. |
| MARTIN, S. | B.A.(A.N.U.), M.A.(Alberta). Department of Geography. |

University Awards

ROWLAND, R.

| DEPERS, A. | B.Sc. Hons.11 A. (Adelaide) Department of Geology. |
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| DONEGAN, K. | B.Sc. Hons. 11 Div.1 (Wollongong) Department of Mathematics. |
| SYMES, C. | B.Ed. Hons. 11 (Uni. of Southampton) Department of Education. |

CANBERRA APPOINTMENT FOR ECONOMICS GRADUATE

B.A. Hons. 11 Div. 1 (Wollongong) Department of Psychology.

Mr. Peter Weeks, who qualified for First Class Honours in Economics on completing his B.Com. Honours degree in 1974, has been appointed to the Industries Assistance Commission staff in Canberra.

RESEARCH GRANT TO DR. DE LACEY

Dr. P. R. de Lacey, Chairman, Department of Education, was granted \$7739 earlier this month for his research into the immediate and long-range effects of compensatory preschooling. The Australian Advisory Committee on Research and Development in Education recommended the grant.

COUNSELLOR TO SPEAK AT DRUG SEMINAR

The University Counsellor, Mr. Jim McLennan, will be among the speakers at the Wollongong Drug Committee seminar on Community Health and Drugs at the Barclay Reception Centre, Wollongong, on March 12, 13, 14, 17 and 18. Mr. McLennan will deliver a paper on Problems of Communication, in the section headed Drug Effects and Consequences, during the morning session on March 13.

The Committee has invited the University to send representatives, but at this stage is interested only in accepting people who are able to attend the full five days. The initial reservation of places will close at 5pm on Thursday, February 27. Anyone interested should contact Mrs. Helen Visser (telephone 28 8699). There is no seminar fee.

Among its general objectives the Committee has the aim of improving community awareness and knowledge of drug problems in general. The specific aims of the seminar are: 1. to provide information and resource material for key people in the community; and 2. to train people who may be available to lecture interested community groups.

POSTGRADUATE TRAVEL GRANT

Application forms are available from the Student Enquiries Office for the 1975 Canadian Pacific Airlines Award. The award entails one free economyclass return flight a year from any airport in Australia used by the company to any airport in Canada used by the company. Candidates must be graduates of an Australian university. The award is not available to permanent staff, students who hold or are already enrolled for a Ph.D., or students who hold another award which pays all or part of the fare. Applications must be lodged with the Registrar, Mr. R. F. Stewart, by May 15, 1975.

CORRECTION

In Campus News Vol.1 No. 1 (Feb.7, 1975) on page 3, reference was made, in the first line of the second last paragraph of the "Report from Academic Senate", to "the Audio-Visual Unit". This should have read, "Audio-Visual Committee". No decision has yet been made to constitute a unit.

ADVERTISEMENTS

- For Sale. Home unit at North Wollongong. 2 bedrooms, large living room plus dining alcove. Block of 6; unit has private entrance to upper floor. Carport. Carpets and blinds and curtains. (See Christine Price, Room 126, Engineering Building).
- For Sale. Secluded family home set in ½-acre of established garden with mature trees of many species; delightful views; convenient to Figtree shops, schools and transport (5 min. by car to the University). Exceptionally well built full brick and tile house; 3 bedrooms, 9'4" ceilings, large aluminium-framed windows. Contact Malcolm Atkinson, internal telephone 212, or 28 9242.
- Calculators. Orders for the following Sanyo calculators can be placed with the S.R.C.

 Office in the Union: 8-Digit AC/DC Scientific Calculator (CZ8106) \$80 plus \$9 for adaptors; 8-Digit Portable Calculator with Memory (CX8105) \$40 plus \$10 for adaptors; 10-Digit Scientific Calculator with 2-Digit Exponent \$107 (complete with own charger).

DIARY OF EVENTS

SESSION 1

March 3 to May 11

May Recess: May 12 to May 18

May 19 to June 15

Midyear Recess: June 16 to July 20

SESSION 2

July 21 to August 24

August Recess: August 25 to August 37

September 1 to November 2

Study Recess: November 3 to November 9

FEBRUARY 24-28

Orientation Week.

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| 24 - 28 | Enrolment of re-enrolling students 9.30 a.m | to 7 p.m · |
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| 44 - 40 | Arts A - O, February 24 | . co / p·m.: |
| | Arts P - Z, February 25 Science All Students, February 25 | • |
| 320 | Engineering A - R, February 26 | |
| | Engineering S - Z, February 27 | |
| | Commerce All Students, February 28 | |
| 28 | University Council, 2 p.m. | |
| MARCH | 4 | |
| 3 | Session 1. Lectures begin. | |
| 12 | Academic Senate, 9.30 a.m. | |
| 25 | Lecture Series: Sir Macfarlane Burnet. | |
| 28 | Easter Holidays begin. | |
| APRIL | | |
| 16 | Academic Senate, 9.30 a.m. | |
| 18 | University Council, 2 p.m. | |
| 25 | Anzac Day. | |
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| MAY 2 | Graduation Ceremony | |
| 9 | Academic Assembly, 2 p.m. | |
| 12 | May recess begins | |
| 14 | Academic Senate, 9.30 a.m. | |
| 18 | May recess ends. | |
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| JUNE | Anadamia Gamata 0 20 a m | |
| 11 | Academic Senate, 9.30 a.m. | |
| 16 | Queen's Birthday. Mid-year recess begins. | |
| 17 | A.V.C.C. Meeting. Lecture Series: Professor | c D.P. Derham. |
| 27 | University Council, 2 p.m. | |
| JULY | | |
| 9 | Academic Senate, 9.30 a.m. | (2 |
| 20 | Mid-year recess ends. | |
| 21 | Session 2. Lectures begin. | |
| AUGUST | | |
| 1 | University Day. | |
| 12 | Academic Senate, 9.30 a.m. | |
| 16 | Open Day. | |
| 25 | August recess begins. | |
| 29 | University Council, 2 p.m. | |
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August recess ends.

SEPTEMBER

Academic Senate. 9.30am.

OCTOBER

6 Eight Hour Day.

Academic Senate, 9.30am.
Academic Assembly, 2pm.

Lecture Series: Professor R. I. Downing.

31 University Council, 2pm.

NOVEMBER

Session 2 ends.

Examinations begin.

Academic Senate, 9.30am.

DECEMBER

17 Academic Senate, 9.30am. 19 University Council, 2pm.

ITEMS FOR DIARY

All sections of the University are invited to submit items for publication in the Diary.

CAMPUS NEWS: IS YOUR COMMUNICATION CHANNEL

Campus News is intended to be a communication channel for students and staff. Frequency of publication will depend not only on the flow of news and information reaching the Information Office from students and staff but also on the need to keep the campus informed of various events and activities. All members of the University are invited to submit material for publication.

Campus News carried a variety of news and information, including:

- * reports of meetings of University Council and Academic Senate;
- * news from the Vice-Chancellor;
- * announcements, notices and news from the University administration, academic departments, the Library, the Union, and the Students' Representative Council;
- * appointments and resignations of staff;
- * a Diary of Dates and Events;
- * letters from students and staff (200 words maximum);
- * reports from clubs and societies;
- * sporting results and news;
- * news from other universities; and,
- *'classified' advertisements.

Material for publication should be typed or neatly handwritten and forwarded to the Information Office which is now located in Room 116, Administration Building. Telephone extension: 375.