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ELECTIONS

SBA RUN-OFF ELECTION RESULTS:

President
Daniel Hernandez' 210* Winner
Willa Chapman 121

Doy Vice President
Walter Riley 146* Winner
Mark Wissenaum 101

Night Vice President
Michael Grimes 36* Winner
Steven Runcoey 20

2nd Year Night Rep
Mary Selvey 25* Winner
Dorothy Dana 14* Winner
Karl Brandes 4

3rd Year day rep
Robert Haden 51*Winner
Hendy Young 48* Winner
Phillip Sacharach 32

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1. The Golden Gate Chapter of the N.L.G. is hosting a general meeting on the United Farm Workers of America, A.F.L.-C.I.O and their current struggles in lettuce fields. Five strikers from Salinas and UFW spokespersons will be at GGU on Wednesday, April 18 at 7:30 P.M. in Auditorium 1.

2. This meeting is co-sponsored by the N.L.G.-S.P./Bay Area Chapter and O La Raza. All are urged to attend.

3. Migrant Legal Services, a non-profit corporation of law students, will be interviewing students from Golden Gate, Hastings and Boalt for summer employment. Employment will consist of working with labor law and migrant legal issues with the United Farm Workers and other organizations and is a 10 week commitment. Interviews will take place the weekend of April 20-23. Interested students should contact Kevin Robinson at 552-7424 or the Migrant Legal Services Office, Room 37, Boalt Hall, U.C.B. 642-1398.

4. Graduating 3rd year students interested in working in LaPaz, California with the United Farm Workers of America, A.F.L.-C.I.O should contact Kevin Robinson at 552-7429 or M.S., Rm 37, Boalt Hall, Berkeley, 642-1398 to set up interviews during the weekend of April 20-23.

5. Migrant Legal Services, a non-profit corporation dedicated to aiding Farm Workers, invites you to spend an evening with Cesar Chavez in solidarity with the farmworker movement. This benefit for MLS will take place Saturday, April 28th at the Finnish Hall, 1819 - 10th St., Berkeley. A homemade Mexican dinner and full evening of entertainment will be provided. Dinner from 5 pm to 7 pm with formal program beginning at 6:30 p.m. and salsa dance from 9 pm to 1 am. For tickets contact Kevin Robinson at 552-7429 or MLS, Rm 37, Boalt Hall, UCB, 642-1398 (day) or 848-9088 (night).

SPRING SEMESTER EXAMS: Please remember, as you were put on notice at Spring 1979 Registration, there will be NO rescheduling of exams except in case of emergency. Two exams in one day is not an emergency.

Marge Holmes

NOTA BENE

ATTENTION 1979 GRADUATES: Graduation packets have been mailed with pertinent information regarding graduation ceremony and party. Included also is job placement information. If you have not received yours please check in the Dean's Office.

FINAL NOTICE - SENIOR GRADUATION PARTY: Saturday, April 21, at Kirby Cove-Golden Gate Recreation Area. Exit Alexander Ave. from Hwy. 101 and follow our signs! Seniors, friends, family, faculty: Don't miss it. Square dance music by The Arkansas Sheiks. Bring your own picnic, as long as you can carry it in (approximately 1/2 mile). Motor vehicles must stay up on the hill! No Pets. Be there or be square, BABY. Call Mike McGuire 664-5852 evenings for further info.

SUMMER WORK STUDY: First year Law Students are eligible to apply for Work Study funds for the Summer, 1979. Also, during the Summer session you do not have to be attending classes to receive Work Study. However, you must submit a proper application and qualify based on need. For further information regarding Summer Financial Aid, please contact the Financial Aid Office, Room 100, or by calling 442-7270.

Applications are available in the Financial Aid Office, Room 100, and the Deadline Date is April 13, 1979.

LAW PLACEMENT NEWS: Dear Students,

The Law Placement Office will be open during study week, exams and all summer. There is still time to get a summer job and we will continue to receive job ads all summer for part-time and possibly full-time jobs. Please stop by if you need help. Happy summer vacation.

Laura Greenfield

NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD: The N.L.G. is presenting a subjective preview of next year's classes by second and third year students and graduates. All first and second year students are welcome. Thursday, April 19 at Noon in Room 205.

POETRY READING: Wednesday, April 18 at 12:00 Noon, Fifth Floor Auditorium. Come share some wine, cheese, poetry, music, etc. to celebrate my Birthday! Charles Holzhauer

A.B.A./L.S.D. NEWS: Employment opportunity - 3rd Year students. Applications are being accepted for the position of Assistant to the President Elect/President of the American Bar Association. Employment will start in the summer of 1979 and requires a commitment of two years.

Law School graduation and a demonstrated capacity for excellence in writing are essential. Extensive travel may be required. The starting salary will be competitive with first year placements in the Chicago area.

The duties will concern legal matters and administrative functions, i.e. edit and draft articles, memoranda, reports, and public expressions of the ABA. As President Elect/Elect, the Assistant will be assisting in policy decisions and ensuring that those decisions are implemented; advising President Elect/President; acting as a liaison between President Elect/President and other ABA and public leaders; handling correspondence, committee appointments, travel and speaking engagement schedules.

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Frances Lish Challenge to SBA Election: On Monday the Election Committee of the SBA met to hear Frances Lish's challenge to the Presidential Election. The committee concluded that the election was valid and that the run-off election should continue. Following is the report of the election committee on this matter:

Frances Lish has challenged the SBA presidential election. The issue, she says, is that the election is invalid because only five announced candidates appeared on the ballot. Frances Lish's name was misspelled as Liss on 58 ballots. The remaining 354 ballots contained her name correctly spelled.

In her letter to the SBA dated April 4, 1979, Frances says "The election process just concluded the 1979-80 election is invalid. I was an announced candidate for this office. My name did not appear on the ballot. Please rule on the validity of an election held under such conditions. As remedy I request that my name appear on the run-off ballot or in the alternative that the entire election process be repeated. Certainly at a law school a candidate is entitled to expect a lawful election. Thank you for your full consideration of this problem.

We have reached the unanimous conclusion that the election is valid. In reaching this decision we analyzed the vote and separated the ballot count into three categories and the total. The categories and total are: (1) misspelled (2) corrected (3) correct and (4) total.

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In none of the three categories or in the total does Frances' vote enable her to become one of the two top candidates eligible for the run-off. Frances came in fourth in two categories where her name was spelled correctly and third in the one category where her name was misspelled as Liss.

We believe it would be unfair to the other candidates and the student body if we were to hold another complete SBA presidential election and a run-off. We also believe it would be unfair to all of the candidates if we were to place Frances's name on the run-off ballot along with the two top candidates.

We believe that any confusion that might have resulted from this misspelling was insignificant. Frances, herself, said that she did not notice the misspelling at the time she voted.

We regret that Frances's name was misspelled and we have tried to deal with the situation in an equitable manner for all concerned.

After considering all the factors we conclude that the election was valid. This decision is unanimous. Craig Correll, Alice Montgomery, David Rubino, Sheila Damico

The next avenue of appeal will be the SBA meeting on Tuesday, 4-17, at 5 p.m., room 326.

SBA FACULTY EVALUATIONS: The SBA will be distributing faculty evaluations for completion by students and faculty this week. Please complete an evaluation for each instructor you have had this year. This form is designed to give students information to help them decide which instructor they will take for a particular course. The results will be published in the first Caveat Editor next year and will be posted on the SBA office door during the summer. Please take the time to complete these forms. Put them in the SBA box in the faculty center or the box outside the SBA office as soon as possible.

YMCA PASSES: Y passes are good until 4-30. I have been called for jury duty starting today and will need people to help pass out Y passes during the week. If any of you can help me with this task, please leave your name and number in the SBA box.

THANK YOU: I wanted to take this chance to thank all of the students who have been so supportive of me, both with words and help on projects and active house halls. I have really enjoyed being SBA President and getting to know so many of you this past year. There are too many people to list and thank, but I have really appreciated your support and encouragement. As I am a 3rd year night student, I will be around next year also. I know that Danny will be a great SBA President and ask all of you to give him your support. Thank you so much and have a good summer.

Alice Montgomery
SUMMER SCHOOL 1979 REGISTRATION ANNOUNCEMENT

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HOURS OF REGISTRATION - SUMMER, 1979

WEEK # 1

Monday, May 28, 1979: Memorial Day; Holiday- NO REGISTRATION

Tuesday, May 29, '79: Golden Gate University GRADUATING STUDENTS ONLY (ONLY students who will graduate in Summer, 1979; Fall, 1979 or Spring, 1980 may register today.)

Hours: 10:00 - 6:30 PM
Registration CLOSED 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Wednesday, May 30: Open Registration
Hours: 10:00 - 6:30 PM/ CLOSED 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Thursday, May 31, '79: Open Registration
Hours: 10:00 - 6:30 PM/CLOSED 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Friday, June 1, 1979: 10:30 AM - 5:30 PM (LAST DAY TO REGISTER WITHOUT LATE FEE)

WEEK # 2

Monday, June 4 thru Thursday, June 7, 1979: $10.00 LATE FEE IN EFFECT.

Open Registration
Hours: 11 AM - 6:30 PM/ CLOSED 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Friday, June 8, 1979: LAST DAY to register. Hours: 10:30 AM - 5:30 PM

PLEASE NOTE: The absolute LAST DAY TO REGISTER, paying at least 1/3 tuition and fees, for summer semester is June 8, 1979. NO REGISTRATIONS ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE. Graduating students in particular should keep this very important date in mind. If you anticipate problems, monetary or otherwise, you should visit Associate Dean Marge Holmes or Registrar Wally Walker well in advance of the June 8, 1979 deadline. All balances from previous semesters must be cleared prior to registration. Students with outstanding balances may not register! Payment in full is encouraged, but at least one-third of the tuition & all fees must be paid upon registration. This deferred payment plan is available to all students.

Be careful in your course selections. Any change in your program at a later date will cost FIVE DOLLARS PER COURSE CHANGE.

(OVER)
OTHER IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

GRADUATING SENIORS: Please mark your exams accordingly, in bold letters:
GRADUATING SENIOR!! This is to expedite grading so that all deadlines are met.

SPECIAL ATTENTION, GRADUATES: If you owe the university any money at the time of certification to the Committee of Bar Examiners, you will NOT be certified as having been awarded a degree by Golden Gate University. This could, of course, present serious problems for students who hope to sit for the Bar Examination in any state. All previous balances should be cleared by May 1, 1979 to insure timely and proper certification to the Committee of Bar Examiners.

PRE-REGISTRATION, FALL 1979: Pre-registration by mail is coming for the Fall, 1979 semester. You can reserve a seat in classes you wish to take in the Fall by mail, and then confirm them during the normal registration period at a later date when you pay tuition and fees.

If you wish to participate in the pre-registration by mail, leave your summer change of address, be it temporary or permanent, with the registrar's office so that you don't miss fall pre-registration.

COMPUTATION OF G.P.A. (GRADE POINT AVERAGES): Quite a few students have asked me to demystify the computation of G.P.A.s so that every student will be able to calculate individual standing. It's really a simple process if you begin with this formula:

A = 4. grade points; B+ = 3.5; B = 3; C+ = 2.5; C = 2; C- = 1.5; and D = 1. grade point. An "F", "Incomplete", "Credit", "No Credit" or Withdrawal is equivalent to zero grade points.

Example: If the course in question is a 4 unit class and the FINAL grade of "B" is achieved, 12 grade points (4 units x 3 grade points per unit) will be assigned by the University Record's Room.

Example: If the course in question is a 3 unit course and the FINAL grade of "C+" is achieved, 7.5 grade points are assigned. (3 x 2.5)

Example: FALL 1978 SEMESTER AT. UNITS SEM. UNITS GRADE GRADE POINTS G.P.A.

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In the above sample (11) semester units were attained, but only (7) attempted units were utilized to compute the G.P.A. If you need additional assistance figuring your own GPA, do not hesitate to ask.

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If living in Chicago and the above duties, responsibilities, etc. sounds enticing please send your resume, as soon as possible, to:

Ms. Chris B. Bardwell, Dir. Employment & Compensation, American Bar Association, 1155 East 60th St., Chicago, Ill. 60637. Phone (312) 947-4152.

If I can be of any help in applying for this highly regarded position please contact me at 834-5571 or leave a message on the student message board. Thank you all for re-electing as your ABA/LSD representative. Don't forget our big Spring Party on Friday, April 20th.

Judy Middlesworth

WOMEN OF GOLDEN GATE LAW SCHOOL: Remember the Wine & Cheese Gathering at Dru's! Great Food, Great Drink, Great Company, Great Music.... Well, here we go again - it's the Annual Wine and Cheese Potluck Banquet Honoring Third Year Women Law Students. This will be THE gathering of the year. Don't miss this final opportunity to see all your friends and familiar faces before summer vacation starts. All the Big Names will be there, and even some little ones. Tuesday, April 24th at 6:30 at Golden Gate - the room will be announced later. If you're coming (and there's no good excuse for not coming), sign up in the women's washroom near the library.

ALL GGU WOMEN: Hastings Women's Association has invited us to join them for Clara Poltz Day, April 20 (Friday) 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. This event to be held at Hastings will include speakers, food, etc.

TALENT SHOW THANKS: Students, Faculty & Staff. To conserve space I will not list individual names but that does not diminish the appreciation we feel for your participation and hard work to make this year's Talent Show a success. Thank you for your dedication, cooperation and talent.

Women's Association

PROPOSAL FOR 11th NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON WOMEN AND THE LAW: Anyone interested in drafting the final bid proposal to hold the Women and the Law Conference at Golden Gate in the Spring of 1980 should attend a meeting at Noon, Wednesday, April 18, in Room 312.

Thanks a lot. If you have any questions, etc., please call me at 441-2618 in the afternoon, or 648-1751 evenings, or leave message somewhere?

Ellen Shapiro

HIKING CLUB: The Hiking Club will meet at noon on Thursday, April 19, in Room 203. The date and location of the First Annual Midsummer Law School Camporee will be decided. This will be an easy backpacking trip in the Sierras. Plans will also be made for a rafting trip this summer. If you're interested but cannot attend, call Howard Klepper at 548-6709.

LAW REVIEW TO CONSIDER NON-STAFF ARTICLES: The Editors of the Law Review will consider for publication articles written by non-staff members which meet our criteria—which are of publishable quality. Since our policy has not been formulated at this time, those interested should contact the Editors of the Law Review after Final Exams.

CHILDCARE UPDATE: GGU has submitted to the S.F. Bureau of Building Inspections its second application to locate the Childcare Center at the plaza level of the old building. Formal approval should be granted in two to three weeks. At that time, we will apply to the state for our day care license.

At the last Childcare meeting, the personnel and admissions committees were formed. Any students wishing to be included on these committees should contact one of the members. Phone numbers are listed on the Childcare Bulletin Board, second floor, between rooms 203 and 205.

Our sincere thanks to everyone who attended the April 3 general meeting.

NEXT CHILDCARE MEETING: April 20, 12:15 p.m., Room 203.

LESBIANS IN THE LAW: Donna Hitchens, director, Lesbian Rights Project, will speak about the woman's movement and future political organizing at Noon, Thursday, April 19, Room 306.

People interested in working on next year's CAVEAT staff, either in the capacity of Editor, Reporter, Manager, etc., should sign up on the CAVEAT Bulletin Board, second floor, Coke Machine by Wednesday, April 18.

A brief writing sample will be required stating your interests in next year's CAVEAT and what you perceive its goals should be.

INTERESTED IN PART-TIME CLERKING?

Work at your own convenience on memos, briefs, general research and clerking work. $5.00/hr. Send resume and writing sample to:

Babette Donaldson
220 Redwood Highway
Mill Valley, CA 94941


Dear Caveat:

We'd just like to say a big "Thank-you" to Alice Montgomery. Non-CAVEAT readers probably don't know that Alice is the 1978-9 president of the SBA and author of the now famous PREZ' CORNER.

Among her many attributes, Alice has three that are important in any one but particularly in the leader of an organization. Alice communicates. She works hard. And, Alice cares.

Alice began working even before the SBA took office last year and she'll continue to work after the new SBA takes office this year.

In spite of recent campaign rhetoric to the contrary, Alice led the SBA in its successful attempt to lower fall tuition last year and led the SBA in meetings with Pres. Butz, John Teitscheid, Dean McKelvey, and Assoc. Dean Holmes re the new building and tuition.

She organized the SBA representatives and officers into a working unit which started last summer to plan for the 1978-9 school year. Besides her official duties such as presiding over SBA meetings and representing students at FSC and trustee's meetings, Alice also saw to it that students raised funds to attempt to match the faculty scholarship contributions. And, of course, Alice practically single-handedly distributed "y" passes.

You can see that Alice is a worker. She's a communicator, too. Her weekly PREZ' CORNER kept the student body apprised of what the SBA was doing. She scheduled the Tuesday SBA meetings at 5 p.m. so both day and evening students could have equal access.

But most of all, Alice cares. She cares about people and she cares about this school. The next president has a hard act to follow.

We just wanted her to know how much her effort and energy are appreciated. Thanks Alice.

Anne Hipshman, Night Vice-President
David Cooper, Day Vice-President
Ralph Eliseo, Treasurer
Sheilla D'Amico, Secretary

4th Night
Rod Guyette
Tom Andres

3rd Day
David Rubinoff
Craig Corell

3rd Night
Richard Clark
Diana Taylor

2nd Night
Chuck Crane
Phil Robertson

2nd Day
Danny Hernandez
Sandy Van Broek

1st Day
Mark Nissenbaum
Mary Canning

1st Night
Steve Runchev
Colleen Hoy

Dear Editor:

While competition is hardly foreign to a law student, scholarly contests are normally run with clear or equal criteria. One may even contact a professor after an examination to clarify what happened and why. Nevertheless, the Law Review refuses to clarify this basis for rejection of papers this year without differentiating those rejected for possible plagiarism and those for deficient writing or analysis. In light of their changing the rules in midstream, we the undersigned would like notice to suspected plagiarism in our papers so that we may defend our honor and our work, and insure fairness when judged by our grades next fall.

We feel a response from the 1979-80 Law Review editors as well as the advisor is appropriate.

Liz Shiwell
Jean M. Ouellette
No Malvem
Michael Pitts