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LET'S HAVE A PICNIC!

With a wary eye on leaden skies and another on picnic menus, the university community is preparing---with vigah---this week for University of Alaska Day at A-67.

The big day is Sunday, July 30, and the big event of the day is a family-style picnic (everyone brings his own) at about 5 p.m. in the plaza behind Seward Hall on the A-67 site.

Seward Hall is a cold-domed building in the western part of the site (turn left as you enter the A-67 main gate). Picnic tables and some fireplaces will be provided. The picnic area is partially covered.

To help the university community celebrate "its day," A-67 will admit free for the day all university personnel---regular and summer faculty, staff and students and their families.

In addition, anyone (and his family) attending any workshop, institute, seminar or special program at the university will be admitted free.

Admission will be granted all persons wearing a special name tag, now available in the offices of University Relations and News Services, Rooms 103 and 104 of the Bunnell Building.

The tags will be distributed until 5 p.m. Friday (July 28). A-67 officials have indicated that only the tags will constitute license for admission. Each member of a family should wear a tag.

In observance of UA Day A-67, a number of university departments and institutes are planning exhibits, depicting their programs and activities. The exhibits will be set up just inside the main gate.

BASKETBALL NANOOKS GET NEW COACH

Allen R. Svenningson, head basketball coach at Wayne State College in Wayne, Neb. for the past eight years, has been named coach of the University of Alaska Nanooks.

His appointment was announced by Dr. William R. Wood, UA president, and Dr. Charles K. Ray, dean of the College of Behavioral Sciences and Education.

Svenningson succeeds Fred Crowell who resigned in April to work for his doctorate at the University of New Mexico.

The new Nanook mentor compiled a 123-72 record while coaching Wayne State College. Previously, he had guided the Houston (Minn.) High School team to a 16-5 season mark.

'MOBY DICK' PERFORMANCE SET

Repertory actor Phillip Hanson will present his one-man production of Herman Melville's "Moby Dick" at 3 p.m. Sunday, July 30, in Schaible Hall.

Hanson portrays 18 characters in his production - ranging from the vengeance-obsessed Captain Ahab to the crochety ship's carpenter.

Hanson has been touring his one-man repertory shows since 1959. He last performed at the university in 1963 - to two standing-room-only crowds.

The performance is sponsored by the university Special Events Committee. There is no admission charge.

PETROLEUM FOUNDATION GIVES \$25,000 GRANT TO U of A

The University of Alaska has received a \$25,000 grant from the Pan American Petroleum Foundation, according to an announcement by Dr. William R. Wood, president of the university.

The grant is payable to the university over a five-year period.

F. R. Yost, president of the foundation, said the money may be used by the U of A in any way.

A first installment of \$5,000 was accepted by Dr. Wood at a luncheon Saturday (July 22) at the Travelers Inn in Fairbanks.

In an acknowledgement, Dr. Wood said:

"All state-supported universities welcome private grants of this nature---simply because we never quite get enough money to do all the things we would like to do.

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"We are deeply appreciative of this grant by the Pan American Petroleum Foundation and we hope that other private institutions will be inspired to support our program in a similar manner."

MOVIES, AUTHORS TO BE SEEN, HEARD

Project Upward Bound and the Alaska Writer's Workshop will sponsor special showings of Steven Becker's "A Covenant with Death" and Thomas' Gaddis' "Birdman of Alcatraz" at 1 p.m. today and tomorrow (July 27 and 28) in the Lacey Street Theater in Fairbanks.

A panel discussion by the authors, Supreme Court Justice Jay Rabinowitz and poetry award winner Henri Coulette, will be given after each movie.

Both showings are open free to university faculty, staff and students.

REGISTRATION OPEN FOR SWIMMING CLASSES

Two non-credit swimming classes for advanced-beginner children (ages 10-16) and advanced-beginner adults will be held at the university swimming pool from July 31 through August 18.

Classes will be held from 9:30 to 11 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for children and 7 to 8:30 p.m. for adults.

Persons wishing to enroll should pre-register by calling 479-7295 or 479-7292. A fee of \$15 will be charged for the course.

PROF. BILLAUD TO GIVE PIANO RECITAL

A piano recital by Prof. Jean-Paul Billaud will be presented Friday evening (July 28) as a highlight of the university's fourth annual Summer Music Camp.

The recital will begin at 8:15 p.m. in Schaible Hall.

Prof. Billaud has been a member of the Music Department faculty since the fall of 1965. He is a graduate of the Ecole Normale de Musique de Paris, France's foremost school for the study of music, and has appeared frequently in recital and in concert.

His recital Friday will include works by Wolfgang Mozart, Enrique Granados, Isaac Albeniz, Emmanuel Chabrier and Franz Liszt. The entire second half of the program will be devoted to music written by Liszt.

The recital will be open free to the public.

ARCTIC CLOTHING, NUTRITION TO BE DISCUSSED

Two participants in the International Symposium on Circumpolar Health-Related Problems will present their views on clothing and nutrition in a public lecture at 8 tonight (July 27) in Schaible Hall.

Dr. Edward Scott, chief of the Arctic Health Research Laboratory, will discuss nutrition and Robert Woodbury, chief of the Environment and Survival Branch, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md., will discuss clothing.

MUSIC TO FILL THE AIR

Music will fill the air on campus Sunday and Monday, July 30 and 31.

The nationally-known Naval Air Training Command Choir from Pensacola, Fla. will give a free concert at 7:30 p.m. Monday in Schaible Hall.

At 6 p.m. Sunday, the Ninth Army Band from Fort Wainwright will present a concert of traditional marches, songs from Broadway musicals and popular music. The concert will be at the Commons.
