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# Welcome to P.C.

It is my pleasure on behalf of the staff and faculty to welcome you to Parkland College. To some of you this year at Parkland will represent your introduction to college life; in others it will be a continuation of your work in higher education. In any event, it is important that you get off to a good start, and all of us are eager to help you in any way that we can.

In five short years Parkland has grown into one of the state's largest community colleges. It is also rapidly becoming, in my opinion, one of the nation's finest. Each year brings significant events which are extremely important in our development, and this year is no exception. Sometime this winter we will be visited by an accreditation team from the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools for the purpose of determining whether we are ready for full membership in the Association. Successful attainment of full accreditation by the Association will make 1971-1972 a historic year in the development of Parkland College.

We have assembled an outstanding staff of highly competent instructors at Parkland College, and I speak for each of them in wishing you a rewarding and enjoyable year.

Sincerely yours,  
William M. Staerkel  
President



President Staerkel

## Coalition For Voter Registration, Student Voter Registration: What You Need to Know

It has been widely accepted, in theory at least, that to work democracy must be based on the principle of one-man, one-vote. This should translate into equitable voting procedures which make the vote more accessible to the franchised. Unfortunately, theory is not reality and the continuing harassment of the student voter has proven to be a conscious effort to make citizenship for a particular group harder to exercise. By making registration next to impossible, the system actually works to disenfranchise students.

The move to force the student to register in his hometown presents a hardship to many who wish to vote in the coming

elections. Absentee ballots are not available in some states, and in such cases the student must appear in person in his hometown during the specific registration period, or be subjected to a much closer registration deadline than other citizens. This of course proves especially difficult for the out-of-state student. In fact, historically the absentee ballot is often an obstacle in itself: it produces few votes. More particularly, long-distance voting over an extended period of time almost guarantees disinterest and lowered voter participation. In this light, the 26th Amendment merely extends the right and not the means to exercise the vote.

To make matters worse, the issue of student registration is being handled inconsistently throughout the country, and throughout the state. Texas and New York have both tightened residency requirements in fear of mass student voting, while Massachusetts has offered a choice of residency to its students. In Illinois, county clerks have chosen to interpret the issue politically. Macon County, which has a Democratic clerk, has remained lenient in registering its students. In Champaign County, with a Republican county clerk, students are being denied registration unless they can produce proof of "prior residency": a local address on a driver's license, proof that the University does not classify the student as being from out-of-state, and proof that parents did not claim the student as a deduction on their income tax.

Such procedures single the student out as a member of a particular group and every argument in favor of such discrimination subverts the right to vote as interpreted in the Constitution. So far, four basic ones have been advanced:

1. Students are never full-time residents; their real home is still with their parents.

-Many students spend little, if any, time at their parent's home once they have started college. Some work full-time in their college town during the summer months. However, if the judgement of residency is to be decided on amount of time spent, the student spends at least nine months in his college town and should, on this basis, be allowed to vote there.

2. Students are not permanent residents because they plan to leave when they graduate; they are transient.

-The law states only that a person who has resided (the law is specifically past and present tense, not future) in the area for a certain length of time may register to vote. It appears that only students are asked to measure up to these terms. Four years (minimum in most cases for a student) is a reasonably extended stay in our mobile society.

-Owning and paying taxes on property is not a prerequisite to the franchise. Most students pay some kind of taxes anyway. Apartment livers pay taxes through their rent, drivers pay gas taxes, out-of-state students who hold part-time jobs pay taxes on their income, and the money students spend provides support to the local business community, sales tax added. In addition, he money students spend provides support to the local business community, sales tax added. In addition, the community receives rebate money for each student in the latest census count.

3. The real crux of the issue, however, is the town's fear that the student community will pull off another Berkeley. This is, in fact, at the heart of de facto opposition to the one-man, one-vote principle.

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## Policy Changes On Student Deferments

The Selective Service System today clarified expected policy changes on undergraduate student deferments.

College students who were enrolled full-time in the 1970-71 academic year will be eligible for student deferments in the 1971-72 school year if they continue to make satisfactory progress in their programs of study. Selective Service officials said. However, young men who entered school for the first time this summer and those who enroll as freshmen this fall will not qualify for student deferments if the pending changes to the Selective Service Act are passed by Congress. The House has completed action on the bill and final Senate action is expected in September.

Dr. Curtis W. Tarr, Selective Service Director, said: "Few incoming freshmen students are likely to be inducted in the near future because of the student deferment phaseout. Of the 1,034,000 incoming freshmen males estimated by the Office of Education, approximately 80 per cent are 18 years old and only 20 per cent are 19 years of age or older. The 18 year olds will receive their lottery numbers in 1972, and they will not be subject to induction until 1973, when draft calls should be low. The 19 year old freshmen received their lottery numbers August 5 of this year and will be subject to induction next year; at least 1/2 should have high enough lottery numbers to preclude their induction. Of those remaining, approximately 50 per cent will be disqualified on mental, moral or physical grounds. This means that a maximum of 50,000 men will be directly affected in 1972 by the student deferment phaseout and one-half of these, or 25,000 will probably not be inducted because of enlistments in Regular, Reserve or National Guard units, participating in commissioning programs or because of procedural delays.

Dr. Tarr said that college students will not be drafted in the

middle of a semester or term. "If called while enrolled, they will be allowed to postpone their induction until the end of the semester, or term. If in their last academic year, they will be able to postpone their induction until after graduation."

Dr. Tarr advised incoming freshmen and students who started their program of study in the summer of 1971 or later not to file applications for student deferments even though the current law authorizes granting deferments to students in full-time programs of study.

"If the pending Selective Service legislation does not pass," Tarr said, "it would not be in a registrant's best interest to obtain a student deferment which would extend his liability until age 35. Should Congress change the legislation to provide for deferments will not be jeopardized by delaying their submission until after passage of the new law."

The President's authority for the induction of all men under 35, except for those who have or who have had deferments, expired on June 30, 1971. If Congress does not reinstate the general induction authority, the President could authorize the induction of those registrants who hold or have held deferments. In this unlikely event, Selective Service officials believe that manpower requirements of the Department of Defense probably could be met by inducting those young men who have recently dropped deferments because they graduated, dropped out of school, or changed their occupations. Recent college graduates or dropouts would make up the bulk of inductions, the officials said. The officials added that cancellations of deferments probably would not be necessary nor would it be necessary to call those who have passed into the second priority selection group.

Currently, there are approximately six million young men under age 35 with deferments.

## President's Message

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the 1971-72 school year at Parkland College. Whether you are a new student just out of high school or the armed forces, or a returning student from the past year, we in Student Government hope that this year lives up to your every expectations. With your help and cooperation, I'm sure it will.

The Student Government is an organization that in a sense is under your employ. We were all hired, or elected as the case is, to help you in any way we can. Don't forget that in order to do an efficient job for you, we have to be aware of what you expect. If you have a suggestion or complaint to make or a new program that you believe has merit, please feel free to come in to the office and sit down and lay it on the line. We like people; we need all of you to do a good job.



Bob Bales, President  
Student Government

## prospectus

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## Tournament of Roses Float Queen Contest

**PURPOSE OF THE CONTEST:** The contest is being held to select a queen for the Farmers Insurance Group float in the Pasadena, Calif., Tournament of Roses parade.

**FLOAT THEME:** Theme of the float will be "I Love You Truly," based on the popular wedding song, and the float will depict a bride and bridegroom leaving a chapel following their wedding. The queen of the float will portray the bride.

**AWARD:** The winner of the contest will be given a trip to Pasadena, California, where she will ride the Farmers Insurance Group float in the Tournament of Roses parade on January 1, 1972, and attend the Rose Bowl football game.

She will be provided transportation to Los Angeles four days prior to New Years.

The winner will be provided hotel room and meals while she is in southern California.

**HOW TO ENTER:** Any unmarried woman, between the ages of 18 and 25 inclusive, may enter the contest if she is a resident of the company's operating territory. She must have reached her 18th birthday by December 1, 1971.

Winners will be selected on the basis of photographs. These should be portrait-type (8x10" - preferably glossy finish).

Additional full-length snapshots of the candidate in street attire should be snapped (only one full length snapshot is mandatory.) Size should not exceed 4x5".

**JUDGING:** As in the past years, the contest will be run on a local, state, regional and national level. To give the candidate from a college an equal chance with the candidate from a community, the college will be considered a "community" and its candidate or winner of its contest, if those responsible for selecting a candidate decide to hold a contest, will be considered a local winner and her photograph will compete on a state-wide basis. State winners' photographs will compete in the regional contest, and regional winners' photographs will compete at the national level.

National winners will be selected from the regional winners by a committee composed of

Film and TV stars. Past judges have included such famous personalities as Bob Hope, Art Linkletter, and Dennis Day.

**REQUIREMENTS:** The winner will be expected to follow to the letter the schedule laid out for her.

Members of the national winner's family will not be allowed to accompany her. If members of her family do go to Los Angeles on their own, the Farmers Insurance Group will not be responsible for obtaining game tickets, parade seats, hotel reservations or any other accommodations for them. This should be made known to all contestants before local judging.

**PUBLICITY:** Campus newspaper editors and campus contest committees will be kept informed of their candidate's progress throughout the contest.

See Student Activities for further information.

## S.A.S.L.A.

Student Association Student Loan Account is a non-profit student association designed to meet a specific need of more monies for short-term loans and student achievement awards.

The goal of this fund is \$3000 per quarter, one-half of which will be used for short-term loans to needy students and the other half to be awarded each quarter in the form of fifteen (15) achievement scholarships of \$100 each. Thereby, enabling thirty (30) students to receive help each academic quarter.

The short-term loan funds' eventual goal is \$15,000, which it is felt on the basis of projected support, will be reached by the Spring term of 1973; at which time this fund will be frozen and all money collected through this program thereafter will be used for achievement awards. This would mean thirty (30) achievement awards and 150, at a minimum, short-term loans would be available each quarter. This way, over the period of an academic year, 540 people could conceivably be helped.

**ADMINISTRATION PROCEDURE** - The loan portion of this fund is to be administered by a student committee and Ken Gunji, Coordinator of Financial Aid and Placement, to insure that the student body has a voice in the use of the fund. The achievement award portion is to be administered solely by the SASLA Committee as representatives of the student body as a whole.

**Fund Raising** - The money is to be donated by students on an optional basis at registration each quarter at the rate of two dollars per individual. At the current enrollment figure, this gives us a potential of \$6,000.00 plus!

With the potential we now have, any money over \$3000.00 collected each quarter would be placed in an endowment fund so that SASLA would eventually become self-perpetuating. The result, therefore, will be that students contributing now will not only help current students but insure future students help as well.

## Prairie Cycle Club Sponsors 100 Mile Ride

Do you enjoy riding a bicycle? Do the pleasures of the outdoors thrill you? If so, the Prairie Cycle Club of Champaign-Urbana has organized an event that should interest, as well as challenge you.

On Sunday, September 26, the club will sponsor a 100 mile "bike hike" which is actually an endurance race beginning at 7 a.m. at Hessel Park in Champaign. In addition to the length of the course, there will be a 12-hour time limit imposed to further test your stamina.

The ride will be through the country and will pass through many of the rural communities in the area as well as a portion of Allerton Park near Monticello, Illinois. The route has been planned so as to minimize the amount of riding that must be done on heavily traveled roads.

The ride is being held in conjunction with National Century

Day, a nationwide attempt by the League of American Wheelmen, to promote bicycle riding in the United States. To commemorate the day, all finishers will be awarded a National Century Day patch.

There will be \$3 in advance registration fee or \$3.50 at the start for all participants. This fee covers two food stops, the patch, sag wagon or straggler service, and maps.

For further information contact Mr. Bruce Cygnar at 352-7600 or 359-8802 or come into the Student Government Office in the Student Center where you may also pick up your registration form.

Help support Century Day and have a good time too.

## Music Department Currently Enrolling

The Parkland Music Department is currently enrolling students in the choirs or bands this quarter. In either band or choir you may elect to receive one credit or may participate on a non-credit, no fee basis.

The choir, MUS 100, meets Tuesday at 11, Wednesday at 10, and Thursday at 9. Evening chorus meets on Tuesday night from 7 to 9. Many students attend both sections which meet in the Methodist Church Room 210. If credit is desired, you must attend at least three of the total five hours offered each week, and sign up for MUS 100.

Instrumental music offerings include Jazz Band, Community Band, and Pop Band. An orchestra will be organized if enough interest is shown. Students desiring one hour credit should register for MUS 140 and participation for credit is thereby possible for any of the instrumental

groups provided that at least three hours rehearsal per week are completed of the many offered. The band rehearses at the Jefferson Auditorium from 7 to 9 on Tuesday nights; Jazz Band meets Saturday from 11 to 1 and Friday from 2 to 4 in the Methodist Church Room 204. Pep Band rehearsals will be arranged.

If you have already pre-registered, see Erwin Hoffman, Director, at the music desk during the registration period, or call the office at 9 1/2 Taylor Street, 328-3562, and he can arrange the addition of any music group to your schedule whether for credit or non-credit. No additional visit to your advisor is required. It has been advised that approval for overload is not necessary in the case of one hour music courses.

A good year is coming up for the music groups, with periodic tours and regular concerts given in the community. Exchange concerts with other colleges are being planned.

## Help A Child

by David A. Friedmann  
Many people help UNICEF each year by collecting money in the Trick or Treat Program at Halloween. This year, a second nationwide program called UNICEF Treat of Life Program is underway to help children in need throughout the world.

How can you help? Hunt Wesson Foods is joining the Committee for UNICEF in bringing medical aid to millions of underprivileged and deprived children. For every two back ingredients cartons we send to Hunts they will provide money for 3 children to be vaccinated against Diphtheria, Whooping Cough and Tetanus.

If you now buy this product or local grocers pick it up at your local grocers to give ingredients labels from the back of the

**ATTENTION**  
Anyone wishing to submit an article or articles for the second issue of PROSPECTUS should have the article turned in to the PROSPECTUS office by Friday October 1. Articles turned in later than noon on Monday, October 4, cannot be used. In case no one is in the office, articles may be left in the PROSPECTUS mailbox in the Student Activity Office.

package and bring them into the Student Government Office any time between now and November 1st.

Help save a life. Let's all do our part to save this world's most precious resource, its children. Tell your friends and relatives too. Its for a good cause.

**Coming  
MOVIES**

Kelly's  
Heroes  
September 21

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F.B.I.  
October 5

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Show time will be posted in Student Center

All movies are free to Parkland Students and will be shown in the Student Center in the Quiet Lounge.

## Merchandise For Sale

The Student Activities Office which is located in the Student Center has "T" shirts and Sweat Shirts (long and short sleeve) for Sale.

These items have the college crest on the front and the college's name. The "T" shirts are sweat shirts are \$3.00 and the short sleeve sweat shirt cost \$3.00. All prices do not include sales tax.

In addition, the Student Activities Office sells College decals, which may be used in car windows, doors, and on books and supplies.

### GIFT PACK

All students may secure their "Gift-Pac" from the office of student activities in the student center. These gifts are given to all students without charge or obligation via courtesy of manufacturers of participating companies.

## Road Rally Club

The purpose of Road Rally Club is to give all Parkland Students and Faculty a chance to improve their driving skills and have fun doing it.

A prescribed rally course is followed by the driver and his navigator. You are given a set of instructions to follow which will take them anywhere around. You must follow these instructions to the letter or you are docked points for showing up at a check-point too early or too late. The car with the least points - wins. These rallies usually end at the Pizza Hut.

At meetings the club plans upcoming rallies and other activities to raise money. Come and join the fun.

## Be A Swingle

What is a Swingle?  
It is any single adult between 25 and 45 who likes to have fun. Each month there are planned parties for Swingles at different members houses. If interested you should contact Ron DuFrane at 344-5026 or Judy Decker at 367-5501.

September 25 there is a Wine and Cheese Party at Pat Lockhart's, 810 N. Coler, Urbana. Guys bring the wine, girls bring cheese snacks, all bring \$1.

Do not be shy about offering to HELP! SWINGLES NEED YOU!!



**PARKING STICKERS FOR STUDENTS**

The Parkland College Student Government has developed a program for student parking in four (4) downtown Champaign parking lots. This program has been developed in cooperation with the City of Champaign and your Student Government.

Parking stickers shall be issued to all students enrolled in ten (10) or more credit hours for the Fall Quarter 1971. The stickers shall be sold for \$12.50 in the Office of Student Activities, Student Center. (When you come to purchase your sticker, please bring your Fall 1971 class schedule with you. Checks should be made payable to: PARKLAND COLLEGE.)

The stickers are valid ONLY between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 midnight, Monday through Friday until December 10, 1971.

Cars parked in lots other than the ones indicated will have to pay a parking meter and shall be subject to city imposed parking violations.

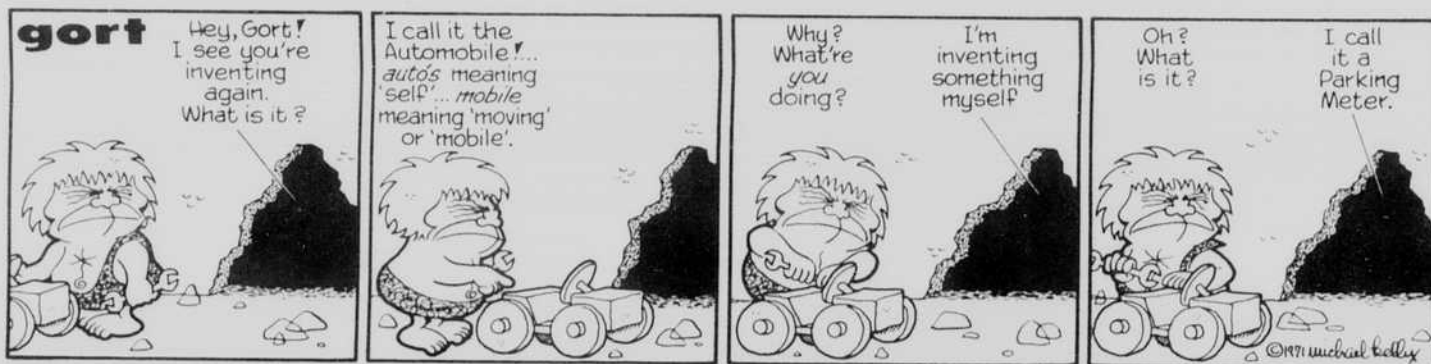
The stickers should be placed in the LOWER, RIGHT-HAND CORNER of the car's windshield.

The below listed parking lots are the ONLY lots the stickers are valid for: (Please Note Map)

- Lot A - Corner of Randolph St. and Washington St.
- Lot E - Corner of Water St. and University Ave.
- Lot F - East of State St. on Clark St.
- Lot H - Corner of Second St. and University Ave.

**LEGEND OF CAMPUS BUILDINGS**

- A - Armory
- C - Computer
- EC - Episcopal Church
- G - Gregory
- H - Hickory Annex
- J - Jefferson
- LRC - Library & Administration
- M - Methodist
- P - Presbyterian
- SC - Student Center
- T - Taylor Annex
- UA - University Avenue



**Parkland Intramurals**

Football, bowling and tennis will start the fall intramural program for all Parkland students.

Men's flag football and Women's Powder Puff football leagues will be organized September 28, with league play starting the following week. Anyone interested in organizing or playing on a team should contact Mr. Bob Abbuehl, Supervisor of Intramurals at the Physical Education office in the Armory.

The intramural program is open to all regular students of Parkland College. A wide variety of individual and team activities will be offered throughout the year. These will include Basketball, Volleyball, CoRec Volleyball, Badminton, Swimming, Table Tennis, Softball, and Golf plus several special one day events. The IN office is open for any additional program suggestions.

An IN Advisory Committee,

composed of students and faculty will be formed to assist and expand this year's program.

Large participation is expected this year. It's your opportunity to "do your thing" in the Parkland Intramural program.

**Do You Have Insurance?**

Parkland College is co-sponsor of a Student Accident and Sickness insurance program which is available to ALL students who are enrolled in nine or more credit hours for the Fall Quarter 1971.

This coverage includes a \$2,000.00 Major Medical Protection program and includes coverage for 24 hours a day throughout the college year. Students can enroll in the program for one full-year or until the completion of the spring quarter in 1972.

Cost of the program for the period of September 20, 1971 to September 19, 1972 is \$25.00. If you are interested, please secure your information brochure and application in the Student Activities Office in the Student Center. The brochure includes the coverage and insurance claims procedure.

Don't fail to take advantage of this outstanding student accident and health program.

**A New Colorful Way To Fly**

If you have been missing that foul odor and nasty black smoke usually present every time one of those archaic, dull green monstrosities, (that we have been calling buses), passes by, thank the new Champaign-Urbana Mass Transit District.

Not only have they removed a sizeable amount of air pollution from our city, but in an attractive and colorful way which is long overdue in Champaign. Something even more unique is that the guiding heads of the M.T.D. have even seen fit to actually route the buses in such a manner that they can now be considered a public service to the people that

need to ride them.

Parkland Students should be especially concerned with the Red Line, which takes you to the Edgebrook Annex and the Green Line which takes you to the Science Building. These buses should be a great improvement in transportation for students with classes in these buildings. As an added improvement to the new services, Parkland College is presently negotiating with the Mass Transit District to secure free bus tokens for students with a need to go to the annexes. At the time of printing no final decision has been made, however, and we will have to notify you at a later date.

At the present time a complete set of routes and schedules is available in the Student Government office. Do not hesitate to stop in and pick them up.

**WANTED Sports Page**

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**Coalition For Voter Registration**

In a democratic system the majority cannot be allowed to exclude a minority group of voters on the basis that the majority doesn't like the way the group may vote.

Hatred grounded in fear has pushed the issue of student registration beyond logic. The paradox of chiding young people to abstain from violence and to "work within the system" while at the same time excluding them from the decision-making processes is clear. Students are members of their college town communities, and as such they have a say in community matters. The time has come to buttress theory with reality.

**Support  
your  
newspaper  
and your  
Student Body  
during the  
upcoming year**