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Florida International University is becoming known for its outstanding students in the field of Social Services and Special Education. One of those students who has made herself known in this field is Karen Zohn.

Karen is a senior and will graduate this June. She entered the field because of a paper she had to do while in the fifth grade. "We had to do a paper on what we wanted to be when we grew up. I had no idea, so I did a paper, the national Council Dominican Republic and Peru." We have provisions to have

One of those students that has made herself known in this field is Karen Dean Glenn Goerki, standing students in the field of Social Services and Special Education.

Karen Zohn is a volunteer at the Florida Children at the Flagami division. Cerebral palsy patients. She showed her also finds time for her "The Organization of children working with the retarded, the epileptics, and students who should be appointed Meyer was in the Dominican questions asked by concerned working with the Division of dedication in the field of went to the athletic department. She traveled in Dade and Monroe counties and talked to executive of agencies for the retarded, the epileptics, and cerebral palsy patients. She also finds time for her hobbies, photography and horses. She was seen at Flagami taking pictures of the retarded children in various activities. She makes horses relax and "get away from it all."

Karen has definitely shown a great dedication in the field of Social Services. Her determination and willingness to help others that need her has made her truly an outstanding senior here at FIU.

S.G.A. Next!!

Based on a recommendation from a quorum of the Student Government Committee, Dean Clark has declared the Constitution of the future Student Government Association ratified. Over 99 of those voting, voted Yes. Nearly 48 of the student population voted to ratify this document.SGC also recommended that additional monies be immediately allocated to print additional copies of the Constitution. These copies will be made available to students in the near future; distribution will be from room 216, Student Services Offices.

SGC further recommended, the purchase of space in Action to announce the candidates who are running in the first election. Candidates may submit a picture and or written material (space not to exceed 3 column inches) attaching it, to their petition and submitting it to the Elections Committee. Petitions are available in room 216, Primera Casa. All petitions and copy are due no later than 5 P.M. Monday, April 30 room 230 Student Services.

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Round Campus

WITH Bob Barry

It's been an exciting and history making two weeks since the students expressed their desire for a nickname...for the James River Company Aquatic Team. We have had the great pleasure of listening to the possible candidates...and watching Dr. Hartman's young lacrosse team play the Miami Club apart 13-6. Very exciting sport and a real team effort...but I guess with all the pretty girls at the picnic and the cool brew the gutty stickmen had to go it alone.

Speaking of sports...SUNBLAZERS is the name University sport's team will carry into future engagements. We were most happy to see the voting over and done with at the soonest possible time. Whereas we agree with President Perry's desire to have the democratic process utilized to the fullest, we wish to make two points...first, all the things we've done to make it easy for you to express your desire for a nickname...a choice was made. As for the number of votes involved that's what makes learning...fun. In addition, if the President thinks having ballots mailed to faculty and staff while the student body received none is democratic...well it's all over and now let's continue winning.

The policy of the Finance and Accounting Department of the University is by law. We are not referring to Don Smading and Emma Olsen and their team in Financial Aid. We are talking about the policy of University Graduate Students. Some how this fifth floor wizard has developed a system that has a built in three week waiting period to process financial aid checks and disbursement checks for student activity accounts. It has taken a full one-third of the Spring quarter for more than $30,000 in student funds to be released. The weather didn't cooperate too much but...there's always tomorrow. The International Hosts did a great job.

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The results of the "Action" poll sponsored by Student Services are:

14 - total respondents
7 - do not distribute
5 - distribute to all on first-come, first-serve basis
2 - limit the distribution.

Several thousand others apparently don't care...so the Division of Student Services has decided to limit the distribution to only those who requested it. Any mature person attending college should be able to handle an envelope without looking to see if there's something in it. We believe in Student Freedom...don't stop others from having this most useful convenience.

ACTION is independently published without state funds by students at FIU. ACTION may be reached thru the Office of Student Services, ROOM 220 PC or ROOM 406 DM. Phone Ext. 2842. ACTION welcomes all comments, criticisms, and suggestions. All letters will be held upon request.

F.I.U. Postal Unit Opens

On April 2, 1973, at 9 a.m., the United States Postal Service and the University Student Services Postal Center located on the south walkway between Prima Casa and the Deuxieme Maison.

The mini-Post Office has been called the convenience of faculty, staff, students and visitors on the campus. It is designed to accept mail that is already stamped, and which can be deposited in the slots conveniently.

The S.S.P.C. will offer the following services:

24 hour basic mailing service every day of the month and every month.

Vending machines that let you buy single stamps or books of stamps, as well as postal cards, envelopes, and even minimum parcel post insurance.

Either may make complete with scales and a rate map.

Dollar bill and coin changers.


A hot line telephone directed to the nearest manned post office so that a user can get any needed mailing information.

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Everything you always wanted to know about S.G.A.
But were afraid to ask!

F.I.U. Student Government
To Be Challenging, Innovative

FIU, has been founded with an eye to progress and innovation, which we the students will make operational with our collective support and involvement. One of the signs of this progressiveness is seen in the concepts for the governance processes.

The highest governing body will be the University Council, which shall be composed of twenty (20) voting members, five from each of the four Senates. These are the Administrative-professional, the Non-academic, the Faculty, and the Student Senates. Two of the students must come from the Senate, the remaining three will be interviewed and recommended by the Committee on Committees, and need not necessarily be from the Senate.

The President's Council will serve in an advisory capacity and act as a sounding board to President Charles Perry. There will be sixteen members, four of whom will be students. Two of these students must come from the Student Senate, the other two will be interviewed and recommended by the Committee on Committees.

This student government is different than at most universities, because it allows for student input, involvement, and advantage of the students if we cooperate and work hard and to cooperate with others for the benefit of the entire Student Body at FIU. They must also expect no remuneration and little, if any, appreciation.

All students of FIU including full and part time, special, external degree, and graduate, but with the exception of those members of the faculty and administration who are also students, are eligible to run for office in the SGA. The first thing that a candidate must do is obtain a Petition for Candidacy from Student Services Office, PC 220.

Those who seek a position in the Student Government must be self-motivated, be able to devote considerable time to the job, be willing to work hard and to cooperate with others for the benefit of the entire Student Body at FIU. They must also expect no remuneration and little, if any, appreciation.

Student Government At—A—Glance

Now that the Student Government Constitution has been ratified, we the students at FIU are ready to go into full swing to have our first elections and get our Student Government working for us.

There will be five students elected by each of the schools or colleges to represent that school or college. The election to choose these representatives, the Associates, will be held each first and third quarter, with the term of office to be for one full year so that only half of the Senate goes out of office at a time and there is always an ongoing process of government. The twice a year election will bring new people into the system to make SGA more challenging and more responsive to the students' wants and needs.

To initiate this process, three-fifths (3) of the Associates elected in this first election will hold office for only five (5) months until the Fall Election, at which time they may run again if they so desire.

Also, in this election the five (5) members of the Presiding Board will be elected. They will hold office for one year, that is, until the Spring Election of 1974. These candidates will run at large from among the entire Student Body and will represent the entire University. They shall be:

THE CHAIRMAN who will chair SGA meetings and be the official representative of the Student Body.
THE ASSOCIATE CHAIRMAN who will be responsible for the coordination of Student Organizations and will replace the chairman when necessary.
THE COMPTROLLER who will be responsible for budgetary matters involving SGA.
THE SCRIBE who will be responsible for secretarial matters of SGA.
THE CONSULAR who will be responsible for the orderly and proper running of SGA.

Volunteers are needed
For Elections Committee

Do you want to be a part of things, to help this University grow, to be involved in the Student Government that is going to be an integral part of this growth and progress? But do you find that you do not have the time that will be necessary to hold an office? Or perhaps you will be graduating soon and will not be here? You can do something now to help. An Elections Committee is now being formed to conduct the initial SGA election.

This Committee will be responsible for verifying the petitions that each candidate for any office must present, for seeing that the polls are manned properly during elections, seeing that the votes are accurately counted, and settling fairly any disputes that may arise.

We need at least 30 mature, reliable, and capable students to volunteer to be on this Elections Committee.

If you are interested in becoming involved, sign immediately at the receptionist's desk in Student Services, PC 220. Elections will be held May 15, 16 and 17.

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Meet the Courts

By DAVID WALD

How many people are aware that we are now under a new court system in Dade County? As of January 1st, 1972 the eight different types of trial courts which use to exist have been replaced. Now there are only two levels of court, the county and circuit. Instead of each county having many different kinds of courts, everyone is operating under the uniform two tier trial court system. Gradually being phased out are the municipal courts. This could be completed by 1977.

Under the new system the Supreme Court and the four District Courts of Appeal stay the same except now the Supreme Court has more administrative authority.

Now you may ask who made the changes? The answer, we did, the Florida voters. They approved the changes in the March 14th, 1972 election. The new Article V in the state constitution and judicial section up dates the original section written in 1868.

In the new court system the Principal Route of Appeal in Dade County, are as follows:

Dade County Courts— consisting of 24 judges holding 4-year terms.
Municipal Courts— being phased out.
Dade County Circuit Courts— made up of 46 judges with 6-year terms.
Dade County 11th Judicial Circuit.
3rd District Court of Appeal— has 3 judges each 6-year terms.

As of February 1st, 1973, the non-credit course meets Tuesday and Thursday from 3:30 to 4 p.m. in Room 228. Full credit will be given to those who attend all classes. A grade of C or better will be required for course credit. The class is taught by Dr. Olga E. Campillo.

ABORTION IN FLORIDA

To obtain a low cost, legal and safe abortion in Florida, contact Florida Family Planning, Inc.
(305) 251-3543

A Non-Profit Organization
Pregnancy testing arranged.

Credit- No Credit??

Florida International University is one of the few universities that offers grades, credit, no credit, or honors credit. As in most other cases there are those that are displeased with this grading system. But!!!

Don't just talk about your complaints to those you sit with in the classroom. Call the office of Dr. Nancy Goodwin in room 499 A in the new building. Dr. Goodwin is the director of Institutional Research, and without your help she will be unable to help you.

This is your opportunity to have your say. It is being made as easy as possible for you to do. Should we keep it? Should we change it? Why or why not? Show a little interest and you will get a lot out of it.

Results of the questionnaire will be in the next newspaper which will be out May 11. Be sure to get your say voiced. It's an offer you can't refuse.

Cooking Lab Opens

By SCOTT JAY

The School of Hotel, Food, and Travel's cooking Lab opened this quarter after a three month delay. The lab is equipped with 16 stations and allows for students to get a basic understanding and knowledge of kitchen procedures.

The preparation and usage of basic recipes is being taught in Introduction to Commercial Cooking, HBM 315. Students also learn how to detect and correct errors.

Associate Professor Dr. William Morgan said, "Although we realize that the majority of the students will go into institutional research, and without your help she will be unable to help you.

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FIU's current policy of allowing individual faculty to set the smoking policy in their classrooms results in smoking in most classes. To get "ACTION" on this issue, the Division of Student Services is requesting you take a moment to state your opinion below:

□ I agree with the current flexible policy to allow each class to set its own smoking policy.
□ I disagree with this policy and would support a University wide ban against smoking in classrooms.

Tear out and return to front desk, PC 220, Division of Student Services.
I just think you Oughta know...

By Jack Sideran

Many individuals will take a drink "socially" and find that the enjoy themselves while conversing, dancing getting high (a term which may also be used in conjunction with alcoholic beverages) or just dieing.

Men drink for reasons which may or may not differ from those reasons women seek out the taste of the wine. The everlasting myth of alcoholism also be used in conjunction with alcoholic beverages) or just dieing. Many persons would like to think that social drinking is not harmful. These persons would have us believe that, "a drink will do you some good" and that it is, indeed, helpful!

Of course when we look at the medical people that study social drinking on a daily basis we find that over 80 percent of those physicians also drink. Could this have any cause for underdiagnoses of alcoholism. I suppose that moderate drinking would mean about one or two drinks. This can bring blood alcohol up to a level of .05 per cent. It really isn't important to know what the blood level of alcohol is. But, it is important to know that in the state of Florida you can be convicted of DRUNK DRIVING with a .1 percent reading of blood alcohol. That, my friend can consist of less than four drinks and you are busted, my friend can consist of less than four drinks and you are busted, you are busted. Nearly 50 percent of "drunken drivers" are not arrested because they rip off the cops with their "respectability" and their promises to "go right straight home."

So, a guy gets busted, it's sure not the end of the big happy world. You will lose you drivers license, get fined a couple of hundred dollars or get sent to jail for a while. So what? Maybe this doesn't scare you.

So hear this! The social drinker promises to "go right straight home." The social drinker promises to "go right straight home." The social driver and a good deal more of those who drink socially are not arrested because they rip off the cops with their "respectability" and their promises to "go right straight home."

Insurance statistics show that in three classes of social drinkers the actual death rate was about 300 percent higher than expected. That's a bad risk for the insurance company and not such a hot one for you either. Even with minimum drinking the death rate was 250 percent of the expected.

Brain damage from alcohol can occur. Normally this occurs from heavy consumption, although social drinking can cause a horrible hangover and a heck of a headache. The brain damage is usually a result of alcoholism and malnutrition.

Did you ever drink because of a broken heart? Well the human heart can develop an alcoholic heart disease. The death rate for this disease is very high. The best way to beat this in problem is simply to stay away from beer and wine. It seems that as long as you can afford whiskey you may keep your heart as well as your heartbreak.

There are liver diseases and inflamed pancreases as well as overall changes in the EKG. There is little doubt that excessive drinking can be damaging. So why do people drink? That question has been asked since the invention of the grape.

Men drink to hide, to celebrate, to forget and sometimes just to be a man. I'm not ashamed to say that I take a drink from time to time. Of course I'm over 21. If you are under 21 and want to drinks (legally) I can tell you how to do it.

If you are interested in find out how to drink, legally, if you are under 21 write to ACTION for information.

The School of Hotel, Food and Travel Services, in conjunction with a class in Volume Feeding Management, is prepared to offer Quantity Food Service to college related groups of up to 50 people.

In the interest of this training experience to be realized, it will be possible to offer a very attractive pricing structure. Special menus, service procedures, and program requirements may also be provided.

Questions relating to the use of this service may be referred to the School of Hotel, Food and Travel Services.

The Bee Hive Boutique PRESENTS Anniversary Sale 50% Off Everything in the store ONE DAY ONLY — MAY 9/1973 3029 S.W. 107th AVE. ONLY 3 MINS. SOUTH OF FIU
Championships find their way to New Mexico in June, Pat should be one Gator Contest at the University of Florida and the Sears Classic at Port St. Lucie. Ms. Bradley fired a two round total 160 to take second place in the Florida Women's Intercollegiate last week at Key Biscayne.

for shower, locker room, training, gymnastic, and wrestling facilities. handball courts, and other recreational and field areas. The existing buildings will be renovated to provide a rivalry the FIU production line of athletic superstars will instigate. Plans for the first phase, which will cost $900,000, will include the building of an intercollegiate baseball diamond, sports courts, handball courts, and other recreational and field areas. The existing buildings will be renovated to provide for shower, locker room, training, gymnastic, and wrestling facilities.

BASEBALL
It is the players, who make a baseball squad into winners and the FIU team has fulfilled the talents of its leading hitter, Danny Price, a junior outfielder, who is now batting .360. Price came to Florida International University from Indian River Junior College, where he was an outfielder for the All-Star team in the South Florida Conference in his sophomore year.

Marty Jacobs, an infielder from Broward Community College is now batting .360 to match his abilities at the plate with Derek Crass, another of the squad's outfielders, who followed Wondering to FIU from Austin Peay. Crass was named Most Valuable Player in the Embry- Riddle Invitational Baseball tournament held recently at Daytona Beach, where FIU defeated Wabash College in the final playoffs.

Willie Cannon, who carried his talents from Miami-Dade JC South has been the key to two important wins for Wondering's squad. The JBV centerfielder hit a home run to win the game over Montclair State and struck a single for another team victory over New Haven.

SOCcer
The international sport, played with the checkered ball has already returned to the FIU playing field at Tamiami Park with weekly practice sessions supervised by Head Soccer Coach Greg Myers. The team, a culmination of some of the best talent in the game of collegiate soccer minds every Wednesday from 12 noon until 2 PM. Anyone who is interested in trying for a place on the team should bring his shorts and shoes out to the field at this time.

To further encourage soccer in the South Florida area, the Miami Tuna, who opened their 1973 season in the Orange Bowl May 5 against the Montreal Olympiques, are offering FIU students a season special. The ten game home schedule can be seen for ten dollars, that's only one dollar per game. Contact Coach Greg Myers on campus ext. 365 for more information.

Next in the fishing line. There are many types of hooks—nail, snell, overhand line and monofilament line. The last I believe to be the most utilitarian due to its stretching feature, its wear resistance and low cost. The pound test depends on the size of your rod and reel, but it should be somewhere in the weight class of 15 to 20 pounds no more.

At the end of your line lies the hook—a very important item, due to the fact that without it, the only thing you'll catch is a cold. Hooks come in various shapes and sizes, ranging from size 1 (for very small fish, i.e., pinfish, etc.) to size 30 (for giant marlin and swordfish). The range for the fish available in our waters would be from a blank, sailor's choice and small snappers to 3 or 4 for large snappers, tarpon, groupers, etc. Mackerel and trout also fit within this size range.

Hooks are available either with short, smooth shanks or long, barbed shanks. I recommend the latter for its holding quality, due to the added barbs.

The only remaining items are the weight and the bait.. The proper weight to use is the one of least amount needed to get your bait to the bottom and keep it there. You add to your weight as necessary. Mullet and or shrimp, live or dead, are the most common types of bait, other than lures, which will be discussed in our next article. A mullet should be filleted and cut into pieces large enough to cover the hook—about one inch. A shrimp should be used in the same manner. If alive, hook the shrimp anywhere except through the black spot behind the head, which is the heart.

The above and foregoing was written for those of you who have never fished before and I hope it will enable you to have an enjoyable and rewarding first outing of "getting your feet wet" in this sport.

Good weather and great fishing!