

## COSTUME DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

Laboratory party-goers are reminded that they have only one more day to rig up some sort of outfit for the Activities Association's Costume Dance tomorrow night at the Activities Building.

The theme of the affair will be centered around Halloween with prizes going to the man and woman with the best costume.

Dance melodies will be furnished by Blair Blanton and his orchestra from 9 p.m. 'til one in the morning. Featured vocalist will be Shirley Coleman, Pilotless Aircraft Research.

Persons desiring to make reservations for section parties are reminded that they have until noon today - no reservations will be taken after this time. No reservations will be held after 9:30 p.m.

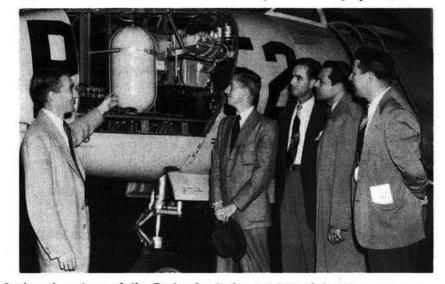
Admission will be the usual one dollar, stag or drag, and tickets may be purchased at the door.

## WILL GIVE AWAY TELEVISION SET

Next Thursday is pay day which means that it is also Bingo night. Number calling will get underway at 8:30 p.m. at the Activities Building and by popular demand of the contestants at the last game the grand prize will again be a Motorola Television set with 8½-inch screen and antenna.

No one won the jack-pot last time so next Thursday eight numbers will be called and an electric kitchen wall clock will be added to the list which now consists of a Universal pressure cooker, Manning-Bowman twin automatic waffle iron, Proctor pop-up toaster, Proctor never-lift iron, a Universal Coffeematic Percolator.

Officials of the Activities Association pointed out that it is hoped that brass end table lamps and hurricanelamps will be added to the regular prize list which consists of such items as a waffle iron, pop-up toaster, musical alarm radio, clothes hamper, etc.



Last week members of the Peninsula Junior Chamber of Commerce were conducted on a three-hour tour of several of the Laboratory's research facilities. Julian D. Maynard, 16-Foot Tunnel, explains some points about the P-80 Shooting Star to William W. Wyatt, Thomas Ayers, Roy Clark, president of the Peninsula Junior Chamber of Commerce, and Hank Fedziuk, Research Records.

——Photo by Bill Taub

## CHEST DRIVE STARTS AT LAB

Organization of the Laboratory's Community Chest campaign was effected this week with a meeting of the various division chairmen on Wednesday and meetings this morning which brought together the solicitors in the East and West Areas for final instructions before beginning a canvass of the Laboratory Monday.

The Laboratory drive, which is being spearheaded by the various division chairmen and their corps of approximately 75 solicitors, will continue through the November 24 pay day. No Laboratory goal will be set, but efforts will be made for a record collection in view of the impending need during the coming year of the services of Community Chest member agencies in the local community.

A total of \$7,260 was collected at the Laboratory last year, approximately 80 per cent of the 3,000 employees on the rolls at that time contributing. This year it is hoped that an even greater percentage of the staff will contribute and that individual contributions will show an increase over last year, thus sending the total collected at the Laboratory well past the \$10,000 mark. The Elizabeth City County Community Chest, which includes the areas of Hampton, Phoebus, and the county, has announced a goal of \$45,000.

The Laboratory has always taken an active interest in community affairs and it is hoped that those employees who plan to contribute will make their donation at the Laboratory in order to assist the Laboratory's campaign workers in achieving success.

In recent years, the Laboratory has been divided into four areas with a campaign chairman for each. This year, as a means of canvassing the Laboratory more thoroughly, each division has a chairman or co-chairman.

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#### The Laboratory Life At

rang last Saturday when Lelia Byrd, Pilotless Aircraft Research, took her final vows with Dr. Herbert Ribner, former Head of Stability Analysis now at the Lewis Laboratory. The event took place at the Congregational Church and Sid Harmon, Stability Analysis, served as best man.

Larry Hewin household awake nights is a ten pound, eleven ounce son, James Bryant, who arrived on Saturday, October 22. The proud father works in West Engineering.

Another Laboratory. . .

employee, Irving C. Rowe, West Sheetmetal Shop, took a nose dive into the sea of matrimony when he said "I do" to Dorothy Hogge. The wedding took place Saturday, October 22 in North Carolina.

Celebrating the. . . .

arrival of a new heiress is Paul Purser, Pilotless Aircraft Research. The young lady has been named Peggy and she arrived on Wednesday, October 26.

Next Friday. . . . .

is Armistice Day which means that it is a legal holiday which in turn means that the "Air Scoop" will be published on Thursday instead of Friday. Since the publication date has been moved up one day the deadline for submitting material for publication will have to be moved up a day. In other words, persons having material for next week's "Air Scoop" are asked to submit it to the "Air Scoop" Office, Service Building by noon on Monday, November 7.

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arrival of a new son on Tuesday, October 29 is Willard Underwood of Instrument Construction.

## TURKEY SHOOT IOVEMBER

Final plans have been made for the Activities Association's Turkey Shoot on Saturday, November 19 at the Activities Area. The affair will get underway at 8:30 a.m. and run until 5:30 p.m. Turkeys and hams will be awarded the winners and all turkeys will be dressed and ready for baking. No admission will be charged other than fifty cents for each shot.

There will be matches for both shot guns and rifles. Contestants must furnish their own fire arms, but the Association will supply 12 and 16 gauge shot gun shells and 22 long rifle shells. Anyone desiring to use a smaller gauge gun in the matches will be required to furnish his own shells. Any ammunition brought to the match must be turned over to the man in charge of ammunition. The maximum charge of powder and minimum size of shot should not exceed 3 3/4 drams for powder and #8 for shot.

In order to give everyone a fair chance of winning, controlled chokes for shot guns and telescopes for rifles will not be permitted. There will be no requirements on the firing position of the contestant except for rifle, which will be standing position

A special rifle event will be held for women and will get underway at 1:30 p.m.

Sandwiches, soft drinks, and other refreshments will be available for lunch.





Community Chest Campaign Division Chairmen: Front row (from left) Joe Herrig, Compress. (East); David M. Goldenbaum, Hydro; Vera Huckel, W.A. Financial Chairman; Janie Burroughs, Stab. (West); Barbara Durling, PRD; Lucy Bainbridge, Gen. Serv.; Marsena Ankeney, E.A. Financial Chairman; Bill Whelan, Fiscal; Bob Shanks, Stab. (East); Marvin Forrest, Maint.; second

row: Harry Shoaf, Eng, Ser.; Leon Harbaugh, IRD; Jerry Hammack, Flight; Dave Buchanan, Procurement; Bud Mulac, Independent Units; Gene Guryanski, FSD; M. A. Emmons, Compress. (West); Jennings Byrd, Personnel; Pat Chiarito, Structures; Jack See, Loads; and Tom Hulcher, PARD. Percy Keffer, Mechanical Service Division, was absent when the picture was taken.

## **BOWLING NEWS**

TENPTN LEAGUE

The lead changed hands in both snpin Leagues with Flight taking the top bracket in the Monday group with 12 wins and 6 losses and Headpins and Repro's tying in the Tuesday League with 13 wins and 5 losses.

MONDAY LEAGUE

Team-	W	L	Avg.
Flight	12	6	.667
Cherokees	11	7	-611
Equip. Eng.	11	7	.611
LTS-I	10	8	•556
W. Engineering	9	9	•500
Structures	8	10	-1414
Const. Eng.	8	10	-444
Pinbusters	8	10	الماليا
Misselot	7	11	•389
LTS-II	6	12	•333
TUESDAY	LEAGUE		
Headpins	13	5	.722
Repro's	13	5 5 6	•722
Miscellaneous	12		.667
Alleycats	12	6	.667
16-Foots	10	8	-556
Tyro's	8	10	- 1444
Elec. Eng.	7	11	.389
7 X 10 Foots	7	11	•389
Kibitzers	5	13	.278
ll" Tunnel	3	15	.167

WEDNESDAY DUCKPIN LEAGUE

The tie for first place was broken this week with 16-Foot #1 taking a one game lead over West ngineering. Leading in the high individual category are Earl Justice with 112.8 and Libby Wilson with 92.7.

#### STANDINGS

Team	W	<u>L</u>	Avg.
16-Foot #1	$\mathbf{D}_{\mathbf{i}}$	4	•778
W. Engineering	13	5	•722
Sound Lab	11	7	-611
PARDners	11	7	•611
GRIS	10	8	•556
West Model	8	7	-533
Flight Ragouts	7	8	-467
Stenographic	7	8	.467
Tank	8	10	-1111
16-Foot #2	8	10	· 1414
Free Flight Triers	6	9	• 400
Independents	3	12	•200
Flight Deadpins	2	13	•154

#### IRD LEAGUE

Pinhookers still lead the IRD bowlers with a record of 19 wins and 5 losses and Rebels are trailing in second with 15 wins and 9 losses. STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Avg.
Pinhookers	19	<u>1</u>	•792
Rebels	15	9	.625
Nodamgoodnics	14	10	•583
Wrecks	13	11	•542
Wheels	12	12	•500
Gremlins	12	12	•500
Bloodhounds	11	13	.458
Sutter Rats	11	13	•158
Unholy Rollers	8	16	•333
Aristocrats	5	19	•208



Shown above are the winners of the Activities Association's Team Match Golf Championship. They are (from left): Johnny Campbell, Free Flight Tunnel, and Walter Bressette, PARD, winners of the first flight; Nick Jevas, Chairman of the Activities Committee, Arvo Luoma and Bob Pendley, 8-Foot High Speed Tunnel, winners of the second flight. The trophies were engraved by F. P. Waters, Instrument Service.

FOR SALE: Sofa bed and matching chair and baby carriage. H-32941.

WANTED: Ride for 2 to Philadelphia Armistice Day week-end. Kerner, 1489.

WANTED: 2 tickets to William and Mary - U.N.C. game. Hampton 32286.

WANTED: Passengers or riding combination from 3200 West Ave. to E.A. on 8 shift. Richards, 2278.

WANTED: Passengers to N.Y. Armistice Day week-end. Heyson, Hampton 7613.

#### MONDAY DUCKPIN LEAGUE

Things are all tied up in the Monday League with Free Flight Fliers and Strike Sures having 12 wins and 6 losses and PRD 10 wins and 5 losses for an average of .667.

STANDINGS

Team	W	$\overline{\mathbf{r}}$	Avg.
Free Flight Fliers	12	6	.667
Strike fures	12	6	.667
PRD	10	5	.667
Mech. Maint. #1	11	7	.611
Gutter Balls	9	6	•600
Lucky Strikers	9	6	•600
Stock Section	9	9	•500
Demons	6	9	-400
Scotch 'n Tapers	6	9	.400
Gas Dynamics	7	11	.387
Rocketeers	7	11	. 387
Mech. Maint. #2	6	12	•333
Gutter Rats	4	11	.267

# 16 TEAMS ENTER BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Sixteen teams were represented at the organizational meeting of the Men's Basketball League held last Monday night in the Activities Building.

Bill Morrison, 7 X 10-Foot Wind Tunnels, was elected secretary and treasurer and Harry Mickleboro, Aircraft Loads, and Daniel Knoll, IRD, were appointed to the scheduling committee.

The League will begin play on the second Monday in January and games will be scheduled for Monday and Wednesday nights. Refrees will be Ed Beck, Impact Basin, and Jim Dawson, East Sheetmetal.

Teams in the league include the following: Construction Engineering, IRD, Supersonics, West Model, E.R.C.S., Aircraft Loads, West Machine I, Low Turbulence, Structures, Stability, West Engineering, Apprentice I, Apprentice II, 19-Foot, 16-Foot, and Variety.

FOR SALE: Norge gas range - \$100. Hampton 3-3749.

FOR SALE: Breakfast table and 4 chairs - \$15. Hampton 8604.

## ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION'S QUARTERLY REPORT

OPERATIONS AND PROFIT AND LOSS

JULY 1 - OCTOBER 2, 1949

INCOM	r.			-
THOOP	Counter Sales\$	2370 01		
	Coca Cola Commissions Earned	1321.35		
	Bingo Parties	274.00		
	Juke Box	1.25		
	Cash Over	100000000000000000000000000000000000000		
	TOTAL SALES AND OTHER INCOME		\$ :	3912.42
COST	OF GOODS SOLD:			
	Merchandise Inventory July 1, 1949\$	923-52		
	Add Purchases	1862.87		
	Cost of Goods Available for Sale			
	Deduct Merchandise Inventory October 2, 1949			
	Cost of Goods Sold	104000		2082.19
	GROSS PROFIT.		_	1830.23
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OPERA	ATING EXPENSES:			
	Wages\$	1000.58		
	Supplies Counter	72.37		
	Office Expense	2.96		
	Depreciation - Govt. Purchased Equipment	159.39		
	Depreciation - Assn. Purchased Equipment	107.43		
	Insurance	75.83		
	Telephone	14.30		
	Car Rental	7.05		
	Laundry	1.55		
	Bank Service Charge	2.95		
	Prize Expense - Bingo	219.27		
	Cash Short	7.25		
	Repairs to Equipment	8.50		
	Miscellaneous			
	TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES			1691.68
	NET PROFIT FROM OPERATIONS	•••••	\$	138.55
OTHE	R DEDUCTIONS:			0.4-
	Subsidization of Activities		_	8.90
	NET PROFIT FOR PERIOD		\$	129.65

## ELECTION FINALS NEXT TUESDAY

As the "Air Scoop" went to press the returns had not come in from the primary election for representatives to the General Assembly of the Activities Association.

On Tuesday the final election will be held and the Balloting Committee has requested that election supervisors abide by the following rules: (1) A register of those voting must be included with the ballots or the votes will be void. (2) Sections must be identified. (3) Ballots will be distributed to the staff and each individual Will be responsible for returning his vote to his election supervisor. (4) All ballots must be returned to the Balloting Chairman by Wednesday at 4:30. (5) Supervisors are requested to enclose the tabulated results with the register.

### VOLLEY BALL

Flight Pilots handed Rotating Machines three losses, dropping them to third place and allowing last year's champs to occupy the runner up spot. 24-Inch came through with six wind to place a close fourth in the standings.

M	T	Avg.
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23	1	.958
11,	4	.778
13	5	.722
16	8	.667
10	11,	.417
9	15	•375
4	14	.222
4	20	.167
3	15	.167
	13 16 10	1/1 4 13 5 16 8 10 1/1 9 15 4 1/1 4 20

FOR RENT: 3 room unfurnished apartment - kitchem and all utilities furnished. Indian River 5001.

WANTED: Ride to Miami December 16. Pasteur, 4479.

### **BRAINBUSTER NEWS**

By Joe Dodson

At the club meeting held last Tuesday members discussed and voted on the AMA proposed rules for the current season. The most noteworthy change from last year's rules was the new gas model engine class proposal.

The second free-for-all model contest was held last Sunday with Paul Marchal, West Engineering, taking first place with a three hundred square inch gas model powered by an "Arden .09". Second place went to Bill Ramsey, West Engineering, who flew a one hundred and fifty square inch rubber powered model. Third place was won by John Worth, Flight Research, with a CO2 powered model.

The hand launched glider event was won by Seymour Stein, West Engineering who nosed out Woody Blanchard, PARD, by ten seconds.

## **COMING EVENTS**

Printed below is a calendar of events scheduled to take place at the Activities Building throughout the coming week.

November 4 - Compressibility
Division Party

November 5 - Association's Costume Dance

November 7 - Skyhawk Practice Volley Ball

November 8 - Ping Pong Bridge Club Skychick Practice

November 9 - Male Chorus Bridge Class Skyhawk Practice

November 10 - Bingo Party

FOR SALE: Rulane gas 30 gallon side arm water heater - \$5. Cliff Link, East Model.

FOR RENT: Room for 1 or 2 men. 312 54th St. N.N. 5-1752.

FOR RENT: 2 or 3 room furnished apartment. N.N. 31294.

WANTED: Late model standard typewriter. N.N. 2-2802.

WANTED: Passengers to N.Y. Armistice Day week-end. Kainer, 1478.

WANTED: Passengers to N.Y. Armistice Day week-end. Milwitzky, 1593.

WANTED: Ride to Baltimore or Washington November 10. Sternfield, 1585.

WANTED: Passengers to Washington Nov. 10. Bates, 2356.