

Air Scoop



DANCE OPENS SOCIAL SEASON

Saturday, Oct. 8 is the night when the Activities Association opens its social season with a Fall Dance at the Activities Building. Dress for the affair will be semi-formal which means evening clothes for the women and most anything for their escorts.

Dancing will get underway at 9 p.m. and the dance melodies will be furnished by the Townsmen until one in the morning. One outstanding feature of the dance is the reduction in price of admission tickets. In previous years tickets have been \$1.50 but this year they go on sale for one dollar, stag or drag.

Bob Harrington, Chairman of the Social Committee, announced that it is the Activities Association's plan to hold a dance every two weeks. Dances will be held on alternate Saturday nights and tickets will be one dollar.

LITTLE THEATRE TRYOUTS SUNDAY

Tryouts for the Hampton Little Theatre's forthcoming production of Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" will be held Sunday, October 2 at 2:30 p.m. at the Syms-Eaton Community Center. The play was presented by the Little Theatre ten year ago and was so successful that numerous requests have been made that the group repeat it again this year. "Our Town" is the first play to be repeated by the organization and it will be presented November 18 and 19 at the Hampton High School auditorium.

Director Dave Goldenbaum, Tank #1, stated that a large cast is needed and that almost all who turn out for tryouts can be assured of a part in the play. The cast calls for fourteen men, three boys ages 12 and 9, eight women, one girl age 9, a choir of approximately ten voices, and an organist. Goldenbaum pointed out that he is not looking for pro-

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The 1949 Fall Semester of the University of Virginia Graduate and Undergraduate School of Engineering opened last Tuesday night in the Hampton High School with a record enrollment of 322 students.

Of these students 280 are completing courses of study toward a Master's Degree in Aeronautical, Electrical, or Mechanical Engineering. The remaining students are taking undergraduate courses in Mathematics.

Classes in each course meet on Tuesday and Thursday nights each week from 7 to 9 p.m. The Fall semester is scheduled to run for twelve weeks or twenty-four class meetings.

Upon satisfactory completion of the semester's work each student will receive three semester hours of credit with the exception of one four semester hour undergraduate course in mathematics.

A total of nineteen classes started in the following graduate subjects: Aerodynamics of Compressible Flow, Aircraft Stability and Control, Gas Dynamics,

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URGE INCREASED USE OF OLD WEST GATE

In view of the congested condition of traffic on Langley Field Road during the morning, employees living in the Southampton, Wythe, and Newport News areas are urged to make use of the old west gate in driving to work in the mornings.

The gate has been opened to traffic from 7:15 to 8:15 a.m. and 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. A number of employees have reported that the use of the old west gate has considerably shortened the time usually required in driving to and from the Laboratory.



The Hampton Little Theatre's membership drive for the coming season is now underway and tickets may be purchased from the section representatives. Discussing the progress of the drive are President Granville Derby, 8-Foot, and Membership Chairman Dick Cole, Purchasing. - Photo by Nelson & Chard

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LIFE AT THE LABORATORY

Well, IRD.

came through with another offspring. We still haven't been able to figure out what number this one makes for the division but the new arrival is a six pound, one ounce girl, Catherine Ann, and she was delivered to the G. B. Graves, Jr. household on Friday, September 23.

Keeping the.

Robert W. Milling household awake nights is a son who arrived on Sunday, September 18. The proud father works in 16-Foot Tunnel.

Bing Crosby.

has nothing on Jerry Brewer, Head of Full Scale Tunnel, except a million dollar voice. Jerry celebrated the arrival of his third son on Wednesday, September 14.

Wedding bells.

will ring tomorrow when Clara Haynes, Low Turbulence, and John L. Simmons, Gas Dynamics, take their final vows at the Hampton Baptist Church. Barbara Wylie, Gas Dynamics, will act as mistress-of-ceremony.

Passing out cigars.

is Ivan Edgett, Instrument Service. He just became the proud father of a six months old adopted daughter, Mary Claire. The new mother, Marie, is formerly of Cost Office.

Celebrating the arrival.

of a son on Friday, September 23 are Frances, East Library, and George Castile, Physical Research.

The stork must.

have had a busy day last Friday and most of his bundles were boys. During the course of his rounds he dropped a son at the Henry Smith household. The father works in Pilotless Aircraft Research.

Navy Unification.

Former Laboratory employees Oscar Seidman, Jerry Kayten, Bill Koven, Fabian Goranson, and Chuck Daniels are pleased to announce the engagement of their secretary, Miss Carol Taylor, to Paul Comisarow, formerly of the 7 X 10-Foot Wind Tunnels. The wedding is scheduled for December in Hart, Michigan.

We picked up another.

bit of news during the Transonic Conference. It seems that Jerry Kayten, formerly of 19-Foot Pressure Tunnel, recently became the father of a daughter, Phyllis.

The entertainment committee.

of the Stability Research Division is grinding out ideas for its annual picnic on Sunday, October 16. The feature event of the afternoon will be the perennial Battle of the Plaque in which the winning section gains custody of the coveted trophy for the following year. Supper will be served and other games and entertainment will be offered. Stabilites will not want to miss this affair.

The Laboratory lost.

another potential member of the Bachelor's Club when Andy Anderson, Structures Research, took his final vows with Maria Swanson in Seattle, Washington on September 14. The marriage climaxed a romance that had its origin at an American Consul Picnic in Sweden.

BRAINBUSTER NEWS

By Joe Dodson

The Brainbusters Model Club will sponsor a model meet on Sunday, October 9 at 2 p.m. on the Langley Air Force Base. The contest is being held to determine the most consistent type of model airplane. Rules for the contest are as follows:

1. Any type model may be flown - gas, rubber, tow line glider, CO₂, etc.

2. Only one model of each type may be entered by the contestant.

3. There shall be no class distinction such as Class A, B, C, or D.

4. Each model shall be flown three times with no provision for delayed flights.

5. Maximum time per flight shall be two minutes and any time over that amount will be deducted from the maximum flight limit.

6. Entry fee will be fifty cents for one entry and twenty-five cents for each additional model entered.

7. The winner of the contest shall be the contestant whose total recorded three flights is the closest to six minutes.

8. First place award will be 50 percent of the entry money, second place 30 per cent and third place 20 percent.

9. Any contestant shall be eligible for more than one award.

10. Engine run for gas models shall be twenty seconds or less.

11. Weight and cross section rules will not apply to this contest.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS OPENED

The Fourth U.S. Civil Service Region announces that examinations are open for the following positions: Tabulating Equipment Operation Supervisor, CAF-7; Tabulation Project Planner, CAF-7; Billing Machine Operator, CAF-2 and CAF-3; Miscellaneous Duplicating Equipment Operator, CAF-2, 3, & 4; Blueprint Operator, CAF-1, 2, & 3; Photostat Operator, CAF-2 and 3; and Blueprint and Photostat Operator, CAF-2 and 3.

Applications must be on file with the office of the Director, Fourth U.S. Civil Service Region, Temporary Building "R", 3rd and Jefferson Drive, S.W., Washington 25, D. C., not later than the close of business on October 27.

FOR SALE: 4 room house with refrigerator and gas range. 423 Clovelly Lane.

BOWLING NEWS

MONDAY DUCKPIN LEAGUE

Leading the Monday night bowlers with high game and set are Ed Kruszewski with a 122 game, Red Nelhouse, 137 set, Marge Zender, 108 game, and G. Gilbert, 282 set.

STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Avg.
PRD	3	0	1.000
Rocketeers	3	0	1.000
Scotch and Tapers	3	0	1.000
Gutter Balls	2	1	.667
Lucky Strikers	2	1	.667
Mech. Maint. #1	2	1	.667
Free Flight Fliers	1	2	.333
Mech. Maint. #2	1	2	.333
Strike Sures	1	2	.333
Gas Dynamics	0	3	.000
Gutter Rats	0	3	.000
Stock Section	0	3	.000
Demons	bye		

WEDNESDAY DUCKPIN LEAGUE

Taking top honors in the opening night of the bowling league were C. A. Noce with a 120 game and 353 set and Loraine Reece with a 102 game and 272 set.

STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Avg.
GRIS	3	0	1.000
16-Foot #1	3	0	1.000
Free Flight Triers	2	1	.667
Sound Lab	2	1	.667
West Eng.	2	1	.667
6-Foot #2	2	1	.667
West Model	1	2	.333
Tank	1	2	.333
Stenographic	1	2	.333
PARDners	1	2	.333
Independents	0	3	.000
Flight Deadpins	0	3	.000
Flight Ragouts	bye		

TENPIN LEAGUES

Leading the Monday and Tuesday leagues respectively are Hughes with a 184 game and 508 set, Turner with a 203 game and Cole with 503 set.

MONDAY LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Avg.
Equip Eng.	3	0	1.000
Cherokees	3	0	1.000
Flight	3	0	1.000
West Eng.	2	1	.666
Const. Eng.	2	1	.666
LTS-II	1	2	.333
Structures	1	2	.333
Pinbusters	0	3	.000
LTS-I	0	3	.000
Misselot	0	3	.000

TUESDAY LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Avg.
Headpins	3	0	1.000
Repro's	3	0	1.000
Elec. Eng.	3	0	1.000
Miscellaneous	3	0	1.000
16-Foot	2	1	.666
Alleycats	1	2	.666
Abitzers	0	3	.000
7 X 10	0	3	.000
11" Tunnel	0	3	.000
Tyro's	0	3	.000



Shown above are members of the West Machine Softball team who walked off with the 1949 Softball Championship. Shown above are front row (from left) Bob Stewart, Freddy Eubank, Billy Catlett, Bill Ferguson, Jack Kinzler, Benson Gardner, and Woodrow Johnson. Second row (from left): Robert Freeman, James Chacamaty, Ray Goodman, John Bristow, Leon Fontaine, Raymond Ensley, Paul Holt, Ralph Moscatery, Bob Keller, and David Gourley. Eubank was the pitcher for the winning team. —Photo by Bill Taub

WANTED: Ride from Grand View to W.A. on 8 shift. Mapp, 4447.

WILL TRADE: 2 tickets to Georgia vs. Ga. Tech. game for tickets to Duke vs. Ga. Tech. Hankinson, Hampton 3-2943.

WANTED: Girl to share apartment. Peacock, Hampton 3-2073.

FOR RENT: Room and board for men. Mrs. Mann, Hampton 3-3917.

FOR SALE: 1938 Ford - \$250. Summers, IRD.

FOR RENT: Room for gentleman. Mrs. Green, 224 Little Farms Ave. Hampton 3-5305.

IRD LEAGUE

The Rebels still lead the IRD league with a perfect record of nine wins and no losses. Frank Dreisback and Abie Davis still lead in the individual average category with 116.6 and 97.8, respectively.

STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Avg.
Rebels	9	0	1.000
Pinhookers	7	2	.778
Nodmgoodnics	7	2	.778
Wrecks	6	3	.666
Wheels	5	4	.555
Gremlins	4	5	.444
Bloodhounds	3	6	.333
Unholy Rollers	2	7	.222
Gutter Rats	1	8	.111
Aristocrats	1	8	.111

IRD DEFEATS ALL STARS 6-2

The NACA All Stars lost their second straight game last week when they came out on the short end of a 6-2 game with Instrument Research. IRD started things rolling in the third inning when they scored three runs. The All Stars came back to add one to their record and trail by a 3-1 score. IRD added three more in the fifth and the losers chalked up another lone rune to lose 6-2. Winning pitcher Raoul Bugg gave up two hits, struck out seven and walked two while losing pitchers Lange and Lewis together gave up six hits, walked twelve, and struck out four. Star batter for the day was Nelson Catlett who connected for a home run.

FOR RENT: 2 room furnished apartment. Mrs. McSmith, H - 6661.

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom house. Jacobson, 19-Foot.

FOR RENT: Studio apartment on Chesapeake Blvd. Baab, N.N. 26228.

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom home in Sherwood Pk. Hampton 4041.

FOR SALE: Moth class sailboat. Marte, Hampton 3-2469.

WANTED: 1 or 2 passengers to N.Y. Oct. 7. Schultz, 4452.

GOLF FINALS SET FOR SUNDAY

The finals in the Activities Association's Second Annual Championship Team match tournament will be held tomorrow at the Hampton Country Club. Battling for top honors in the first flight will be Walter Bressette and Johnny Campbell versus Jim Bertoci and Jack Paulson. Shooting for second flight honors will be Cliff Fitton and Bill Outten versus Arvo Luoma and Bob Pendley.

Bressette and Campbell reached the finals by defeating Hart and Harold Crate in the first round and George Griffith and Sam Huston in the second. Bertoci and Paulson defeated Grady Mitcham and Bill Dunn in the first round and Abie Bloxom and Gray in the second.

In the second flight Fitton and Outten defeated Jim McNulty and Ray Goodman and Luoma and Pendley defeated Smith and Redman in the first round and Len Bartone and Bob Corker in the second.

The winners of the two flights will receive trophies and the date of the presentation will be announced as soon as the trophies arrive.

The NACA Golf Association took another defeat last Sunday when they came out on the short end of a 22½ to 7½ match with Langley Field. Adding three points to the losers' record were Jim Jones and Bill Bates who defeated Colonel Morris and Colonel Smiley. George Griffith and Frank Hart did their share for the team by adding two points and coming in with a 69 low ball over Captain O'Neal and General Lee.

Next Sunday the Association will meet the Laurel Country Club at the Hampton Golf Course and players will tee off at 12 noon. On Sunday, October 9 they will journey to Laurel, Virginia for a return match.

FOR RENT: Room for man. Call Hampton 5355.

FOUND: Sport cap. Call Woods, 4491.

FOR SALE: Kitchen table with extra leaf. Outten. H-35437.

FOR RENT: 4 room apartment. Hampton 3-3402.

FOR SALE: Florence oil circulator, easy spin dryer washing machine. Justus, 5936 Marshal Ave., Sussex-Hilton.

VOLLEY BALL STARTS OCT. 10

The Volley Ball season will get underway this year on October 10 and practice games have been scheduled for Monday, October 3.

A new system will be used this season with each team meeting two opponents each night. Games will be played on Monday nights from 6:30 to 10:30 and the team with the most wins at the close of the season in December will be awarded the championship trophy.

The league is composed of nine teams. Wally Schulze, Rotating Machines, was elected chairman of the rules committee assisted by Kurt Strass, PARD, and Jim Gallagher, 9-Inch.

LITTLE THEATRE

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professionals for the mixed chorus but just people who like to sing as the group will represent a typical small church choir.

"Our Town" will be presented on a bare stage with no scenery, however, stage hands will still be needed as an elaborate lighting plot is needed to carry out the moods.

The Little Theatre Membership drive is still on and Laboratory employees may purchase season memberships for \$1.50 each from section representatives.

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Advanced Structures, Advanced Engineering Mathematics I, Advanced Engineering Mathematics, II, Functions of a Complex Variable, Operational Methods in Mathematics.

The following undergraduate courses are being taught: Fundamentals of Aerodynamics, Ordinary Differential Equations, Calculus Review, Analytical Geometry, and Mathematical Analysis.

WANTED: Ride from Fairland Ave. or La Salle and Shell Rd. to E.A. on 8 shift. Willoughby, 2221.

WANTED: Ride from 1115 24th St. to E.A. on 8 shift. Baylor, 2337.

WANTED: Ride from Sussex-Hampton to E.A. on 8 shift. Dedtmont, 2387.

WANTED: Ride from Ft. Monroe to Langley Field on 8 shift. Lovett, 4507.

SPOLTORE NAMED SKYHAWK COACH

The Executive Board of the Activities Association announces that Arthur Spoltore, Hampton High School basketball and track coach, will take over the Skyhawks along with his official duties as coach of the Hampton Crabbers. A graduate of Appalachian State Teachers College, Spoltore majored in physical education, played basketball and football and was picked on the Little All American football team. In addition to his duties as coach at Hampton, he also teaches History.

The Skyhawks will scrimmage with the Hampton Crabbers and both teams are expected to benefit from this arrangement.

The Skyhawk schedule is rapidly taking shape with games definitely scheduled with Mitchell Field, N.Y., Richmond Royals, McGuire General Hospital, Parris Island Marines, Camp Lee, Langley Field, Newport News Apprentice School, William and Mary B Team, Hampton Institute, Bolling Field of Washington, D. C. and Little Creek Amphibs. Games have been tentatively scheduled with Hanes Hosiery of Winston-Salem, N. C., Roanoke Rebels, Naval Mine Warfare, University of Virginia, U. S. Naval Academy B Team, and many others.

The Skyhawks will practice Monday afternoon at 4:30 in the Activities Building and all persons interested in playing are urged to come out and bring their equipment.

COMING EVENTS

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

September	30	- Gas Dynamics
October	1	- Structures
October	3	- Skyhawk Practice
		Volley Ball
October	4	- Bridge Club
		Ping Pong
October	5	- Male Chorus
		Music Club
October	6	- Skyhawk Practice
October	8	- Fall Dance

FOR RENT: Room for 3 gentlemen. Mrs. Stevens, Hampton 7526.

FOR SALE: 1947 Ford convertible - tan with black top and white sidewall tires. \$1195. Ayler, Const.-Eng., or N.N. 4-2008.