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BY DAVE MCCALL

The AVION held a dinner for its' staff last Monday, June 16, at the Ridgewood Hotel in Daytona Beach. The guests of honor were Mr. Roger Campbell AVION advisor, and Dean Mansfield. Also invited were Mr. Gervase and Mr. Cessna who were unable to come because of other pressing business.

The dinner was held for the purpose of rewarding the staff of the AVION for an outstanding job in publishing the paper. These people showed great initiative and ability to come out consistently with a good publication.

The Editor, Gene LeClair, stated that "without these people behind the editor, a publication such as ours would not be so well read and received as the AVION is, and not only in the student, but outside the school as well."

The Editor divided the special recognition to Trish Redmond, Doug Young, Rich Hilton, Bob Nawrocki, Bonnie Brant and Ray Loehner for their outstanding leadership and capabilities.

SGA Briefs

The Student Government activity fee will now be $8.00 for a currently enrolled and incoming student. Two of the three additional dollars will be put into the "Future Projects" Committee. Any student may come to the SGA Office to see the current breakdown of expenses incurred, and subsequently, the necessary raise in fees.

SGA Briefs

Jerry Hood, Chairman of the Traffic Committee has enlarged the parking area for motorcycles.

All Committee Chairmen have been requested to submit job descriptions for their activities. These will be available for students to read in a future issue of the AVION.

Mr. Bill Peterson is in Halifax Hospital following an accident. The SGA voted to pay for his television rental fee for 2 weeks.

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**the president's corner**

The Future Projects Committee of the Student Council has come up with a realistic plan to stabilize the SGA fee and provide a club in which to hold social functions and student meetings. I'm not going to outline the benefits and problems involved in this idea, but I would like all the students to realize the importance of becoming informed of all the facets involved in this proposal. It is the responsibility of the Student Council to disseminate the information to the students. It is the responsibility of the students to read this information, and become informed enough to vote objectively when the proposal comes before the student body. Do your self a favor and learn both sides of this question, and then vote.

It's getting close to blood letting time again, this is one of the most important functions put on by the SGA each trimester. The benefits to each student are tremendous. Read all the information put out by the Blood Drive Committee of the SGA and learn how this function helps you and your immediate family. Then, when the time comes, GIVE!

**NEWS & VIEWS**

From the Editor's Desk

There's been quite a controversy generated among students and the SGA about the proposal to raise student activity fees and financing of the proposed "student club." I'm glad! The interest generated warms my soul, and I hope it continues. A campus that is interested and asks questions besides criticizing is a good sign. Oh, I wholeheartedly favor the activity fee increase and the student club.

A dinner was held at Julian's Restaurant last Thursday evening, June 19. The purpose, I feel, was beneficial. Dr. R.G. Olson, special consultant to ERAI put forth to the "key people" or "hard core" of the school staff, proposals of how to assist Ridge in its growth and make it a "great" college. President Hunt presided and such people as Dr. Sain, Dr. Ritchie, Dean Spears, Roger Campbell, Jan Collins, Jerry Berndt, Don Nichols and many others attended. The points were driven home and much was done to unite the "core" to do the work.

The Blood Drive is coming up, July 11, a Friday. The time will be from 9 AM to 3 PM and it'll be located in the Student Union. As chairman, I'm trying my best to get a D.J. to do a remote show and some go-go girls. The participation by you, the student, is needed, though, more than anything or anyone else. Support ERAI and make this a good summer Blood Drive.

There have been fingers pointed, and accusations made concerning how business is conducted at SGA meetings. I say, before accusations, invendos, or what-have-you's are put forth, why don't some of you accusing students attend some meetings and see how they are run? The SGA meetings are open to anyone and have always been open. See your SGA action!

To Jerry Berndt, and Wel Welsh: Would it be possible to have some concrete recommendations on the Revision of the Constitution. With 7 1/2 weeks left, an idea of what has been happening would be most helpful. How about an interim report?

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Mr. Dick Decallies, Engineer with General Electric.
Letter to the Students

BY R. A. STAMBOVSKY

At the last ERVA meeting, Jan Collins presented the "Rathskeller" idea to sample the reception of this plan to build our own club for the students. He stated that there would have to be a raise in the student activity fee of some..., here in the neighborhood of b..., dollars per trimester. He also stated that there is increasing difficulty in holding our social functions here in town. The building would cost about 65,080 green leafs to complete.

I was initially totally opposed to the idea of a raise, and I was under the impression that the school was going to build a student center that would accommodate the functions we now hold, i.e., club meetings, dances, snack bar, etc. I sat in on the Exec SGA meeting on Wednesday June 18, to discuss this big idea in the making. There were only a few other interested students on this fact-finding mission besides the officers. After discussing the merits and demerits of the idea, Jan and I went to see Mr. Frank Forrest, Vice-President in charge of planning on June 23. I was interested in the plans for a comprehensive student center as opposed to the students building now and find out later we built a club for nothing. According to Mr. Forrest, the plans call for a student center sometime in 1971, and that the design is not developed as of now. As we know, to appropriate the funds now would be impossible for the school because of priorities, but Mr. Forrest will consult our architects to see what this building will cost, and to see if the start date can be moved up.

In view of the personal investigation, I would suggest that research the details for a student club, i.e., loan, costs, etc., and that we wait to get the word whether or not the school can do something in the near future to ease the need for this building to support our student activities....

Robert A. Stambovsky
Class of April '71

Suggestion Boxes

A recent poll taken by the AVION resulted in one reply. The poll was related to the "communication-gap" issue. The following is the question asked of the students, with the reply.

Q. "Is the communication in this institution adequate in that it informs the students of all matters effecting the formulation of policies and procedures and interactions of students, faculty and administration? What is your opinion?"

A. No; I believe they are not adequate, although the AVION has been trying to effect better communications. Often the administration has failed to recognize the large investment students have made in the school with their time and money. I blame them for not realizing that students deserve information on all aspects of the institution's operations. The AVION is increasingly filling the communication gap, so keep up the good work!

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YES
NO
WHY NOT a STUDENT CLUB!?

By Gene LeClair

As Editor of this publication, I am going to exercise my perogative concerning the issue of the "student club", primarily, and the increase in the student activity fee generally.

In the last weeks, I have heard many pros and cons concerning "the club". I must say now that I endorse the club wholeheartedly.

As a member of the SGA, I have seen spiraling costs hurt our social functions budget. I have seen spiraling costs hurt our B-Q's of the recent past. Let's fact it, the SGA must maintain a high level of social functions in order to keep you, the student body, happy.

Sure, the SGA cannot keep all of you happy but then, we must keep rapport with at least the vast majority of you.

Now a "student club" would be ideal. Not only would social functions be held there, (dances, dinners, etc.) but meetings for campus clubs and organizations could be held there. Think of the revenue saved! In addition, it is not mandatory that we have beer facilities installed, but you the student body can work out other proposals concerning what goes into this "club" and talk it over with the SGA.

ERAI has a proposed Student Union being built by 1975 and I might add, no definite plans as to what would go into that union. In addition, it is the last item to be built. So why not build a "Student Club". It will be yours, you will be independent as a student body and the SGA will not have to pay exorbitant prices for rental for functions downtown.

Of course, all this will cost money. It will have to be paid for by you and me, members of the student body. I have heard the arguments about why not cut back on spending on our present activity fee?

When inflation hits and prices spiral, does a going business cut back it's prices? No, they increase it to meet costs. Do any of you feel that you want the SGA to cut back on functions or benefits? I think not!! If you got a raise in pay and had that raise for a while, what would your reaction be if your boss said that he will have to cut back your pay because costs were going up?? That is what a lot of students are asking the SGA to do now. I can't buy that!!

You must act now and show great initiative if you want to reap the benefits. The activity fee must be raised to meet high costs and maintain the same standard of social functions and SGA representation, at least, or to further make improvements.

And lastly, the SGA must be able to move in a positive manner to begin action on the "Student Club" soon, to bring the savings and extra benefits you will enjoy.

I say vote yes on both counts and be bold as you are to meet the ever growing challenges at ERAI, for the future. I support both proposals!! Will you follow suit and support these proposals too?

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Editors Note: Most readers add their stock car racing's all-star lineup of NASCAR mechanics in Spartanburg, S.C.-based Mario Rossi. After eight years of twisting wrenches under such master mechanics as Smokey Yunick, Banjo Matthews, Bill Stroppe and Bud Moore, Rossi formed his own operation last season--and is currently campaigning a factory-built Dodge Charger driven by Bobby Allison. Rossi's career as a racing mechanic began back in 1958 in Trenton, N.J., where Mario operated a hot rod and engine tune-up shop. As a spectator at the NASCAR 150-miler there Rossi met Tom Pistone—and gave him a hand tuning his race car. One thing led to another, and Rossi joined Pistone on the Grand National tour the following year. In his first season as a NASCAR mechanic, Mario's cars saw victory circle four times. Next, Rossi went to work for Smokey Yunick, building cars for Fireball Roberts. Then he moved on to assist Matthews, then Stroppe, and finally Bud Moore. Mario spent three seasons with Moore, from 1964-66, where he was instrumental in preparing rogers for Darrel Dieringer. Last year, with the now-retired Dieringer as his driver, Rossi headed a factory-backed Plymouth team. When Plymouth dropped racing in '69, Mario switched to Dodge and hired Allison. The pair have earned wins in two races so far this season—at Bristol, Tenn. and North Wilkesboro, N.C.

BY MARIO ROSSI

It disturbs me when I hear the younger people today complain that there just aren't the opportunities to achieve fame and fortune that there used to be. They say the "self-made man" is a thing of the past.

This just isn't true.

Now I'm just a mechanic—not a sociologist—but I have to bite my lip to keep from arguing with these kids. Because I know what I've been able to do for myself by working hard and listening and watching men who know more than I do.

Fortunately, when I was still a teenager, I had enough common sense to realize that I was going to have to take this approach if I was ever going to get anywhere—because I never finished high school and wasn't able to get any automotive training.

So I learned what I could from more experienced mechanics—and before long I was able to open my own tune-up shop.

I became interested in high performance cars, and eventually devoted most of my time to hot rod tuning. I soon found myself dreaming about making it big in racing one day.

I thought my dream had come true back in 1958 when I started as a NASCAR mechanic—but I quickly realized how far I had to go.

A person who wants to make the grade in racing has got to forsake his personal life for a lot of hard and dirty work.

Bobby and I were talking about this the other day when we were down tire testing for the Firecracker 400 at Daytona International Speedway.

Bobby's background is a lot like mine. He's come up a pretty long road the hard way—through the modified ranks and then as an independant on the Grand National circuit.

We agreed that despite the hard work and frequent disappointments it's just tremendous to be involved with stock car racing and the men that make the sport what it is.

Whenever I go to Daytona, particularly around Firecracker 400 time, I find myself thinking back about one of the greatest drivers I've ever been associated with—Fireball Roberts. He won that Firecracker race three times, and the Daytona 500 once too. Han you've gotta be great to win at Daytona like Fireball did.

I worked on Roberts' crew and saw him drive in lots of races, and you know, I think Bobby Allison compares with Fireball in many ways.

In addition to his natural ability, he's a thinker. He has finesse...
"We Qualified at 190.029"

We QUALIFIED AT 190.029

Editors Note: Dick Hutchinson is another of NASCAR's top crew chiefs who gained his first fame at the wheel of a race car. "Hutch" started racing modifieds in his hometown of Keokuk, Iowa in 1966. He switched to the International Motor Contest Association (IMCA) late model stock car circuit in 1968, and won second place in the point standings that year. He soon took command of IMCA stock division, winning the championship two years in a row in 1968-69 in a Holman-Moody Ford. Dick broke into NASCAR racing briefly in 1964 and the following year became a regular on the Southern tour. He did so in a big way, wheeling a H-M Ford to second behind Ned Jarrett for the Grand National point championship. In 1967--his last year as a driver-Dick finished in the top 5 in 22 races and earned $75,065. Since 1968, Hutch has directed the preparation of David Pearson's Holman-Moody Ford. The combination has been a successful one. Pearson bagged 26 victories and the Grand National crown last year and is currently leading the '69 point chase. It was a Hutchinson-prepared Ford that Pearson drove to a fantastic 190.029 mph qualifying record in the Daytona 500 last February. You'll find that Hutch has some very interesting plans for the Daytona-Firecracker 400 on July 4.

BY DICK HUTCHERSON

I've always believed that when you've got a good thing going for you, you should think twice about making any changes.

I guess that's why I always stuck with Ford when I was racing. And that's also why we'll be bringing the same car back for the Firecracker 400 that David drove in the Daytona 500 last February.

That was the fastest car on the track all week. We qualified at 190.029 which still stands as a world closed-course record, and I'm sure we would have won the 500 if it hadn't been for a broken alternator bolt that cost us three or four laps.

Even after our problems with that bolt, David was fast enough to make up a couple of the laps we lost. He was flying. Ask any of the drivers.

We haven't run the car since the Daytona 500, because when you get that kind of performance, man you'd better leave well enough alone!

Many, many hours of work and lots of research went into preparing that particular car for Daytona. According to Hutch, it's the tightest, cleanest machine I've ever seen, and David says it handles those high-banks like a charm. And when you can say that, you've got the toughest part of preparing a car for Daytona licked.

We'll have to change our suspension set up a bit to compensate for the stickier track surface this July but basically the car is ready right now.

Oh yes, we have made a change up front. We've replaced the old 427 cubic engine we used in the 500 with a brand new 429...that's it.

With the new engine I believe our Ford is capable of bettering the record we set in February, but whether or not we'll be able to do it this July depends on the weather.

If it's real hot I doubt that anyone will get over 190. That heat just slows you down too much. We'll sure be trying to break the record though--along with a whole bunch of other guys.

We are expecting our toughest race of the season so far in the Firecracker 400 on July 4. Everybody's been betting the bugs worked out of their cars, and the competition has been getting hotter every time out.

That battle at Michigan last weekend was a good example of what I mean. There were four or five people who could have won that one right up to the last few laps.
Our 14th Regular Meeting of the ERVA was held on June 17, 1969 at Shakey's Pizza. This particular meeting was extremely productive. Our new officers were elected:

- V.P. Jerry Berndt
- Treas. Merritt Welch
- Sec. Dennis Krol
- President John Collins

This completes out executive council:

- Pres. Richard Martucci
- V.P. Jerry Berndt
- Sec. Dennis Krol
- Treas. Merritt Welch

The surprise that was promised in my last article arrived in all of her feminine splendor. Sue Peck became ERVA's first female member. Miss Peck is not only an active member of the ERVA, but also works in the VA Reimbursement Office. She promises to do her best and keep us abreast of our lost checks.

So fellows, treat her with kindness and she'll procure our bennies from Ole Uncle Sam.

Jan Collins, a VA member and President of the SGA brought to attention some important aspects of the proposed "Rathskeller". He also stated that there would be an activity fee increase and the reasons for it. The present fee of $5 would be raised to a possible $8. Jan broke it down this way:

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The organization unanimously agreed to go along with the dollar increase, but unanimously agreed to have the additional $2 brought to a student referendum. Mr. Collins agreed to this idea.

The association at this time cannot take a firm stand because all the facts have not been presented. This issue of the AVION will expose all inquiries to this controversial question.

At this time, I would like to congratulate the Vets Association on their spontaneous and overwhelming turnout on Saturday morning, June 14th for the Tina Allen blood drive. Those who could not make it Saturday gave during the week when they had time between their busy schedules. 34 pints were donated out of a possible 38 volunteers. That's about a 90% excellent health rate. The four that were turned down were extremely disappointed but cheerful and promised to try and give at the school's blood drive.

Active Vets get your tickets for the trip to Cape Kennedy Space Center for only $1.00. New Vets or inactive Vets pay your dues and come along not only for the trip to the moon but for a ride down the river of social functions whose first stop is a Bar-B-Que in about a month.

Non-Vets are also invited for the reduced rate of $2.25. This includes transportation to and from the tour. There are only 30 reserved seats available. Tickets may be purchased at the ERVA Used Bookstore.

Our next regular meeting will be held at Shakey's on Tuesday, July 1, 1969 at 7:30. We would like to see you all there. Active and non-active members. Slides will be shown of our extremely successful blood drive.
Drug Abuse!
BY GENE LECLAIR

Dope! Drugs! Drug abuse and drugs on campus!
These were the topics discussed by Dean Mansfield to a representative group of the faculty and administration last Friday, June 20th in Room 108 of the A Building in the new complex.

Various facets of how to handle drug users (includes marijuana users), were discussed and what the acceptance policy is concerning these individuals. The policy is that no one will be accepted if they are known users of drugs and marijuana or have been using drugs on other campuses.

As the session moved on, Dean Mansfield, our lecturer and host, expressed the hope that sessions similar to this one would be given to students for informative and educational purposes.

We next saw a film on drugs. Drugs such as "speed", LSD, marijuana, all sorts of barbituates, and "heroin" were shown. The effects and reactions were covered in detail. The film itself was done in very good taste and with backdrops of psychedelic colors and theme variation, it emphasized the feelings and how the effects of drugs take place in human beings.

There was a short question and answer period after the film. Questions such as "how do we detect symptoms," or "if we suspect a student of using drugs, how do we handle the situation" were asked.

The session was extremely informative and Dean Mansfield expressed a desire to invite students to sit in on future sessions.

Space Age Tech. vs Stone Age Religion
BY DR. D. SAIN

We are aware of the generation gap, the credibility gap, cultural lag and other gaps and differences in our society. Many people including especially college students, are also raising some profound questions about the religious gap in our age.

A group of students and faculty at Embry-Riddle have planned a program in which we think many people in the Embry-Riddle community will be interested. The program is a panel discussion which will be held on Monday, June 30th, at 7:30 p.m. in Room 108, new complex. The leaders will be the Reverend Paul Edris, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Daytona Beach, the Reverend Daniel Harrison, pastor of St. Andrews Methodist Church in South Daytona, and Mr. Richard Decallies, an aerospace engineer at General Electric. These three well informed men will present their views on whether there is a gap between modern technology and religion. Afterwards, there will be an open discussion period for all who wish to participate. Light refreshments will also be provided.

All students, staff and faculty are invited to attend.

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This week the AVION is featuring Dr. Ballina because on June 24th Dr. Ballina received her U.S. citizenship in Orlando, Florida. Dr. Ballina teaches Chemistry, Physical Science I & II, and Spanish at Embry-Riddle.

Dr. Ballina first came to the U.S. as a Cuban refugee in 1963. When asked why she left her country, she answered "Because of political reasons. I saw a lot of faults in my country's government that I did not agree with."

Dr. Ballina worked as a maid and an elevator operator in a hotel in Miami until she could speak English fairly well. She then taught Chemistry at Bethune Cookman College until 1967.

The last year at Bethune Cookman, Dr. Ballina was voted as "one of the most popular teachers there."

Dr. Ballina was born in Cienfuegos, Cuba and she received her Ph.D. in Chemistry at the University of Havana. She also holds a Ph.D. in Pharmacy.

ERAI students respect and admire Dr. Ballina. Dr. Ballina has a reputation for going out of her way to help any student who needs help in her courses.

Dr. Ballina has for the last three summers spent her time at Tufts University in Massachusetts receiving extra instruction from the National Science Foundation to further her knowledge in Chemistry.

Dr. Nelson who sponsored Dr. Ballina when she first came to the U.S., says, "Dr. Ballina is indeed a noble woman. She lives with her mother in Daytona and is devoted to her teaching and students."

When asked how she liked teaching at Embry-Riddle, she replied, "I like the students, they are well-mannered and are indeed aviation minded. I have learned much from the students and I enjoy my teaching and students."

Embry-Riddle is indeed fortunate in having Dr. Ballina as an instructor. Congratulations Dr. Ballina from the AVION and the students on your U.S. citizenship!

Kamens Cited
TO: Mr. Edward Yakel
FROM: Donald E. Nichols, Spokesman, Humanities Class HU 202-31
SUBJECT: Mrs. Sandra Kamens

We, the Humanities Class HU 202-31, wish to express our gratitude and appreciation to Mrs. Sandra Kamens, Humanities Instructor. Her never-ending interest in her students, her objectiveness, open-mindedness and sparkling personality is something that could be admired by many instructors of Embry-Riddle. Her ability to create and retain interest in her classes coupled with her ability to create a feeling of participation was both rewarding and enlightening.

We therefore respectfully request that the Dean of Faculty use all possible measures to retain Mrs. Kamens as an instructor in the Humanities Department for as long as possible, in order that other students may reap the benefits that we have enjoyed while attending her classes.

We sincerely hope that this may act as some small tribute to an instructor who has given much and asked for so little in return.

Sincerely,
Don Nichols
Spokesman
Student Club  Embry Riddle

BY TOM ROBERTSON

In a previous issue of the AVION, the SGA indicated to the student body their interest in building a "Student Club" similar to the Rathskeller on the University of Florida campus at Embry-Riddle. The basic purpose for wanting to build a "Student Club," is to provide an informal gathering place where one may meet others in a relaxed atmosphere and enjoy entertainment, refreshments, and converse with each other. The "Student Club" is ideally oriented toward increasing communications on campus.

Bob Nawrocki, committee member working on the proposed club, told me; "there are several reasons that make the club very necessary; One is the increasing cost of renting places to hold dances. I'll know that two years ago when we held our first dance it only cost us $150 to rent the ballroom? Now it cost $400 for a ballroom for one night. Secondly, there are a limited number of places to rent. The Riviera will no longer rent to us which leaves the Armory as the only place to rent, and that isn't what you could call a very good atmosphere. Thirdly we desire to furnish a place where one may meet the armory as the only place to rent, and that isn't what you could call a very good atmosphere. Thirdly we desire to furnish a place where one may meet administration and students."

"The Student Club" would have many uses. It would be used to hold meetings of the various school organizations, show movies, hold dances, put on entertainments by name groups two or three nights a week, and be open all day to provide a place to relax and engage in conversation. There would be low lights, soft music and more comfortable decor than the present student center.

"The Student Club" would not be just a bar as some students like to believe. Beer would be served as a catalyst to good conversation, and would also serve to pay for the operating costs. The basic purpose is to give the student a social club, something he can identify with," says Nawrocki. The under twenty-one students, explained Nawrocki, "complain because they would not be able to drink at the "Student Club" while they were allowed to do so at the previous BYOB sponsored dances. If you are not twenty-one, you aren't allowed to drink anywhere anytime around town. The fact that you were allowed to drink at previous dances should be considered a privilege and not something to expect.

The operation of the "Student Club" is basically as follows. An initial increase in SGA fees of $2.00 a trimester would be necessary to pay off the loan needed to build the club. Most people pay many times this just in cover charges around town. The club would be self-supporting and would not need additional funds from the SGA. The proposed cost of the club would be about $60,000 but could vary depending on the facilities desired by the students and the starting construction date. After the building was paid for, SGA fees would either be reduced or more functions could be provided. Entertainment would be provided cheaply through a talent circuit organization by several Florida Colleges. The combined colleges could hire big name talent for a week at a time and then have the group play one night at each college thus reducing costs. Operation and ownership would be completely by the students with students employed in the various positions.

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During a long talk with Dean Mansfield in which we discussed the proposed club from many different aspects, the Dean made these comments. "After making a preliminary study I find that it is almost impossible for the SGA to secure a loan in their name. Therefore the SGA would have to work out an agreement with the school to enable them to get funds for the student club. However I am willing to cooperate all I can with the students and I feel a "Student Club" is needed and if done in a proper way it would be a benefit to the school and the students."

Of the administrators interviewed, Mr. Caswell, head of the Maintenance Technology offered the most interesting and varied reasons in support of the "Student Club." "I feel a student club is needed very much at Embry-Riddle," he said. "I think some of the A&P students are against the idea because of the short time they are here. They want to get their license and get out. But this is rapidly changing due to the increased number of students who are staying on the campus to get associates degrees to go along with their license.

A "Student Club" gives an essential place where faculty, students, and administration can get together and communicate. It gives the student a hangout, it increases the popularity of the institution. It is a drawing card to attract more students to come here by showing them one more thing provided for them by the SGA. A "Student Club" would add not deter from the new campus currently under construction. In many cases the social functions are not well publicized or the faculty can not go out with them and a student club open every day and on weekends would

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provide more of an opportunity for students and faculty to get together. By 1975 we will have approximately 6,000 students on our campus and I feel the club can operate successfully and serve a useful purpose with this size school.

Next to be interviewed was Mr. Boaz, head of the Flight Technology Department. Mr. Boaz stated, "I previously came from the University of Florida at the time the students there were organizing the Rathskeller. I feel we have a very responsible student body at Embry-Riddle but it would only take one student to spoil things for the rest of the students. If the students want a club they would not vote against it, but I would prefer that beer not be served until at least 5 PM or later. Also pilots would have to be minded of the seriousness of mixing flying and drinking. However, I don't think we would have any problems with most of the students. Many students here are veterans and I think that a person who has served his country should be able to sit down and have a beer on campus. Most students would exercise good judgement." Mr. Ford, Administrative Assistant to Mr. Boaz offered these comments, "A student center where students could get together, eat, talk, associate, dance would be fine, students need a place like this but drinking on campus is not good in my opinion." Mr. Tacher, chief pilot, said, "I think it would be a great idea." Mr. Walker, Assistant chief pilot, said, "It would be alright with me and I would have no objections if it were done in good taste."

Overall the administration was very favorable toward the new idea. Beginning to feel the pulse of the student body, it was found that the response was not as favorable as that of the administration.

Richard Cook representing Pi Sigma Phi said, "I am in favor of a student club." Emerson Lathe says, "I am in favor of a student club, but I would like to know more facts about it." John Martino: "Yes, we need a student club but the school should build it." Tony Shan and Bob Connelly also agreed that we need a student club. Emmett Venning and Cal Betz felt that maybe in a few years the club would among the students to let them decide whether they want the club and the two dollar raise in fees that accompanies it. Personally I think we need the club to bring the students of the different divisions together and to increase communications between the students and the faculty, but I think much more information from the SGA is needed in respect to cost, operation and other phases of the club." Ed Majewski says, "I think it would be a great idea. Every other campus has one or is getting one, why shouldn't we?"

Don Nichols, President of Sigma Phi Delta, states, "I think we really need a student club because I feel we need many things more right now than a student club, such as a new library and athletic facilities. Also why should we pay for a student club when there are plans for a new, modern student center in the building program that could serve the same function."

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Ken Snow, Ken Wilbur, and Steve Meszkat were all against the student club. Ken Snow said, "We need other things before we build a student club. I would rather see more athletic facilities." Ken Wilbur says, "What kind of opinion would outsiders have if they saw only a couple of buildings that we have now with a bar in the middle and the rest of the campus bare." Relating to Mr. Wilbur's statement, many students felt that a student club would be good at a later date but at present they would like to see the rest of the school built first. "By consensus, without a doubt there is much more to be learned about the club before each individual can make a final decision on the club. This information will be coming from the SGA as they continue work on the club proposal. If the club does or does not materialize, there has been some progress in one respect. That is the interest generated among the student body concerning the "Student Club". It is hoped the interest will continue.

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Document content is from an article discussing the feasibility of forming a student club at a university. The article highlights various perspectives from students, faculty, and administrators on the proposed club, with some expressing support while others are cautious or opposed. The need for further information and consensus is emphasized as the club's proposal moves forward.
DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Drivers in the first annual World Championship Golf Cart Grand Prix at Daytona International Speedway July 4 will be required to make at least one "tee stop" during their 15-minute endurance run.

In a statement issued Monday by Ernie Myers, president of the United States Golf Cart Racing Association, competitors were advised that sometime during the race they must trundle their machines on to the infield grass, dismount tee-up a golf ball and drive it home before re-entering the fray.

Drivers in the cart classic, which precedes Daytona's Medal of Honor Firecracker 400, have been selected from among the country's most courageous disc jockeys and radio/TV sportscasters.

"The tee stop is an example of our continuing efforts to professionalize the sport of golf cart racing," Myers said, "It was suggested by our new board president Bill France of NASCAR."

Myers denied a rumored merger of NASCAR and USGCRA, saying that "France's appointment does not mean there will be a NASCAR-USGCRA, Bill is simply serving as a consultant until we get rolling."

Media men were chosen as USGCRA competitors instead of professional race drivers because they are more experienced with the unique handling characteristics of the little fairway flyers according to Myers, a San Diego, Calif. disc jay.

Myers added that the mandatory tee stop "will not only prove the versatility of USGCRA drivers, but will help keep race speeds within liveable limits on the high speed Daytona pit road course."

The race features a Le-Mans start, which will require drivers to run across the track carrying golf bags, strap them to the cart, start the motors and proceed down pit straight.

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