STUDENT CENTER SOON?

At 4 p.m. last Saturday 3 white teenagers tried to steal a Hodoka Super Rat from the Kern 1 motorcycle lot by wheeling it down the drive, which indicates it was not locked. The Security Guard on duty, Mark W. Patterson, noticed these individuals earlier. When he saw their activity, he decided to intercept.

With odds 3 to 1 in their favor they escaped but the Police were summoned and the baby discovered by ERAU Security and impounded by the Daytona Police Dept.

Factors that contributed to this incident were the front fork was not locked and the bike wasn't chained down, enabling the thieves to easily whisk the Hodoka away.

“The major contributor to the ending of the incident was the Guard was alert and making rounds” reported Walt Hanson. He continued “This shows the Guards are not "Blue Meanies" but protectors of school and Personal Property. But, the burden of securing personal property belongs with the individual owning the property”.

BY VAUGHN LANN

EARAU recently acquired an N-152 home built sailplane. Mr. Jack O'Neil, President of the ERAU Parent's Association and Manager of Flying for Eastern Airlines, located the sailplane and arranged for it's transfer to the University.

The all metal, V-tailed sailplane, donated by Mr. John R. Lovingess, chairman for Eastern Airlines, Capt. Lovingess gave the experimental craft to the University, complete with a specially built enclosed trailer.

The Division of Maintenance at ERAU intends to use the sailplane as a student project. Students in the Airframe and Powerplant curriculum will inspect, assemble, and repair necessary components to restore the craft's airworthiness. Plans are underway to form the ERAU Soaring Club.

BY VERN KASSAL

Ever since ERAU first started in 1926, the school has been under a series of steps in growing. Today, ERAU has grown from a banger in Miami to an expanding campus here in Daytona.

Last Nov., the architect came up with the blueprints for the new student center. It's significant for the new student center but ran into a problem when the SGA and Dean of Students disagreed as to the location of the new building.

Norris Ford, SGA senator, stepped in and made a one week study on where the students want the new center and what things should be housed there.

As of now, the $2.3 million building has been let out for bids on how the building will be constructed. When a contractor is decided upon, construction of the student center will begin on a site in a direct line from the academic complex and the dorms, on the abandoned taxway.

BY VAUGHN LANN

The Graduates of 1973 will house many of the needs of students plus a little extra. Some of the facilities and offices in the center are: Placement, University Reception Center, Guidance Center, Guidance, SGA, Student Publications, Quiet Room, Game Room, and Faculty Dining Services.
President's Corner

LETTERS TO THE AVION

Presumably, the intent of the back page of the Jan. 19th issue of the AVION is to encourage more student participation through written contributions to the student newspaper. We hope this carries the message of ERAU back to the campuses of tourists. Since this location is right on the focal point of the triangular shaped campus which is being planned, we, in the SGA, are currently looking for the possibilities to use the focal point and the name of the University. It will be visible to all incoming and outgoing traffic and also refer to all students in the area. We hope this carries the message of ERAU back to the campuses of tourists.

Julia A. King 400A (wif of an ERAU student)

Mrs. King, You are correct in assuming the SGA does have a deep interest in the signing of ERAU students who see or hear it. In the future, they plan on making a page in the school paper (See 1969) aimed at putting students in touch with what they know or hear.

The President does not have any objection to the use of the "prominent religious leader" as it seems appropriate to reflect on the significance of this event. Mind sight is to acquire a few volumes, so I will refrain from any of that.

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EURA Returns To Auburn Model U.N.

BY WILIAM R. CRAIG

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BY JIM BARE

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The voting will be accomplished in the fol- lowing manner. Each individual has given blood, the blood will be given a ballot with the names of the registered organizations on it. He will mark one choice only and return the ballot in a locked ballot box. Any ballots with more than one choice marked will be void. To offer small organizations the opportu- nity to win, the winner will be selected by the ratio of votes to active members. In the event of a tie, the win- ner will be decided by a drawing.

Conversing to get more donors to vote for your organization is not only authorized but encouraged, as this will be of great assistance in making this the best block drive yet. Remember, space available, there will be no canvassing inside of the SNRCU Building. The award will be award- ed at an SGA Senate meeting or some other specified time. There will be Avion coverage as well as news releases which will further public rela- tions for both ERAU and the winning organi- zations.
AVON FEATURES

WHAT IS WATT IN HI FI

By Ray Di Lorenzo

There seems to be a tremendous amount of misconceptions concerning stereo equipment these days. For instance, "How many watts do I need?" "How much do I have to spend?" "$500 for a good stereo?" are all such questions often asked. This article will be the first in a series of articles discussing the ins and outs of purchasing stereo equipment. What to look for, what not to. The equipment discussed will be limited to component type units rather than pre-package stereo systems.

We will concentrate our first article on loudspeakers. It may seem an illogical choice, but your speakers will probably be your most expensive part of the sound system. Therefore, your speakers should be the first components you purchase.

There are many types of units on the market today. Low cost, low frequency, bass reflex, sub-audio, gunn speaker, four-way, five-way, etc. Fortunately, you can forget every type I mentioned and pick the first two. What were interested in here is the sound. How do we obtain it?

The terms "high efficiency" have nothing to do with the quality. They merely refer to the speakers' ability to reproduce frequencies close to and above 4000 cycles per second. This is important because the quality of the sound may not be heard at all.

The most effective method of buying speakers is to simply buy the units you feel sounds best for the money. A good rule is, if they look like what brand they are. You will find the quality very competitive. Be wary of salesmen who try to persuade you otherwise. You will only obtain better if you think something sounds better. You are the best judge. You will be listening to it.

Before you purchase the speakers of your choice, insist that the purchase will be on a trial basis. Most stores will let you use them for a period of 2 weeks. The reason being that speakers have a tendency to sound different in different rooms. They might sound better in the store than in your living room. After this has been accomplished, you can then think about purchasing your power sources.

Dining Out / FRISCH'S

BY DREW HARRAD

If you’re one of those people who like to eat hamburgers or don’t like to spend a lot of money on a meal, Frisch’s Big Boy is a place you should look into. Frisch’s has a hamburger called Big Boy, which resembles that of a Big Mac. This can be ordered separately or as a platter which includes cole slaw or salad and french fries or onion rings. The platter costs $1.20 and is very reasonable. They also have other varieties of hamburgers, if that’s what you have in mind.

For a change of pace, Frisch’s offers other dinner selections such as fried chicken, a seafood platter, shrimp, spaghetti and steak. The price ranges from $1.20 to $2.25. All the portions are average size and are at reasonable prices.

A good item to invest in while eating your meal is to order some onion rings, if your stomach can handle them. I have found them to be one of the best in the area.

If you’re not full after your main course, there are desserts very tempting and will finish the job in filling you. They have a variety of pies, cakes and ice cream treats.

Whenever you’re beach side near Bel-Air Plaza drop into Frisch’s, 2701 S. Atlantic Avenue (one block north of Bel-Air Plaza) and try a meal there. The best opinion is your own.


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Today’s Music / Loggins & Messina

By Rory Donnelly

I really didn’t think it was possible but then again, I never thought about it. Kenny Loggins and Jim Messina have released a second album on the Columbia label and it’s every bit as good as their first, “Sittin’ In.” As a matter of fact, because of a slightly more mature sound, the new album, titled simply “Loggins and Messina,” may have to be given a slight edge for superiority in most respects, however, it could be considered the second half of a double-disc album if the songs released simultaneously. That’s how closely related the two albums are.

A lot of people are moving in the mellow lately and it’s they who will find the album most appealing. If gentle mellowness can come across intensely, then that’s exactly what Jim Messina and Kenny Loggins together with Loggins, they produce some of the most compelling pop music in the industry.

About the only way to adequately review this album is to go over each of the eleven songs individually. That may be adequate, but, in this case, not good enough. You have simply got to hear this one for yourself. It would be too easy to rave on endlessly about “Thinking of You,” “Good Times” and “Holiday Hotel” each of which was written and sung by Jim Messina; and “Whiskey,” “Long Tail Cat” and “Lady of My Heart” by Kenny Loggins. That’s saying nothing at all about the two songs they wrote together “Your Mama Don’t Dance” and “Angry Eyes,” which are the most easy-to-listen-to songs on the album.

These two artists have created a sound that many other popular performers have tried to attain. Their biggest attribute seems to their naturalness. They sing of everyday things such as friends, whiskey, and women. Nothing comes from inside, that’s obvious, as anyone who has heard them can testify. The feelings that they portray through music just can’t be pretended.
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In a fantastic upset the Eagle Basketball team outplayed the Jacksonville University Dolphins at Mainland Jr. High School in what was a great boost for basketball at Embry-Riddle.

For those who missed this exciting game, the lead see-sawed through the first half as both teams were hot as pistols and exchanged baskets for basket. The first half ended with the score deadlocked at 54 all and J.V. knew they were in a ball game.

This is the same Jacksonville team that as freshmen defeated the Florida state university freshmen and reeled off 20 straight wins and led the nation with an 109.9 scoring average.

BY JACK KURBICA

Since 1964, National Championship Air Races has been restablished as the world’s fastest motor sport. Once again, the pilot is a hero born for his fast. The pilot climbs into a Bearcat and in less than 30 seconds hits the straightaway at 400 miles per hour. As in all contests, man races against man; because he feels he has to.

Air racing, like any sport, is a game men play to win. The PRRA General Race Rules are designed to keep the heroes out of the race and increase the safety of the race.

At the Miami Air Races, there were four classes of aircraft: T-6 class, the bi-plane class, the Formula I class and the unlimited class. The 76 class consists of very slightly modified aircraft. The object is to keep them as stock as possible. This gives more competition to the race. The T-6 race was a wing-tip-to-wing-tip battle for first place. The sport bi-planes were air-craft designed for general aviation flying. The enthusiasm in bi-plane competition grew to the point of developing an entirely new class. The race reaches speeds up to 390 miles per hour with, again, very close competition. The two classes that are strictly built for racing, are the Formula I and unlimited classes. In the formula I class, the aircraft must weigh at least 500 pounds and use a continental 2-200 modified engine. The race turns out to be a sweat-drawing, wing-touching event, with the crowd in an uproar. Of course, the unlimited race is the most fascinating event. There are no limitations, except IFR.

Cooper pacing the pack for the start, they drive into the number I pylon. As Cooper pulls away, the race began. Lyle Shelton and his bearcat grabbed an early lead, and held it throughout the race. With speeds over 400 miles per hour over an eight mile course, the unlimited class proved that the piston engine is far from extinction.

The races themselves made up only part of the show. Between races, that it has to use a piston engine. With Bob Groves racing the Cessna 150 in the Unlimited Class, and various fly-bys, stunt flying, parachute jumps, and plenty of hot air from the speaker. The Flying Piers really did a fantastic wing walking routine. Believe it or not, Wards Piers did the wing walking! Of course, Mary Gaffaney was there. You know, the Women’s World Champion in stunt flying, who does snap rolls faster than you can blink your eye?

The most impressive events in the show were the 747 and DC-10 fly-bys.

We’ve got to stop meeting like this.

BY JAMES HUNTER

Last year the ERAU intramural softball league consisted of 8 different teams and the season lasted all the way up to final exams. This year, twice the amount of teams are expected to be organized, so Mr. Wurtzbach has decided softball league will start earlier this trimester.

Anyone interested in organizing a softball team should elect a team captain by next week. The Captains will have their first meeting Thursday, Feb. 6 at 7 P.M. in room 101 building A.

The Intramural Sports Commission, located in the Registrar’s office, will be ready to help you.

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Sky King Revisited

Until two months ago Sky King was only a memory, an action series that had died off more than a decade past. Kirby Grant, Sky King himself, plans on a return to the blue yonder and the soaring heights in a return engagement of one of the first TV airshows.

Still, problems such as finding a sponsor have to be ironed out, but as today's TV shows lack much of enjoyable action I feel assured of the return of the new Sky King series. The shows will be Air and Space oriented, with ERAU as a working base, being close to Kennedy Space Center which is likely to be used in the series.

The new Sky King series is apt to arouse the interest in flying among TV viewers of all ages.

Sky King, once again, will bring exciting action and lots of pleasure to his friends.

Cessna's new jet made an appearance here last Tuesday. It looked like an eight passenger 722; would you believe a six passenger 747??
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