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SGA Briefs

A barbecue and dance will be held on Saturday, November 1. Barbecue: 4 to 7 PM Dance: 6 to midnight. Tickets free to blood donors; 10¢ for non donors if purchased prior to the barbecue; 25¢ at the door. The barbecue will be held at the Lions Club on White Street.

Impeachment charges against SGA President Jerry Berndt were dismissed by a vote of 18 yes, 12 no and 3 abstentions.

Four parking spaces in back of the Student Center have been allotted for SGA representatives' use. One for the President and three for use by the representatives.

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WHO'S WHO

WHO'S WHO? Any Einsteins or Eisenhowers? Some potential leaders of tomorrow are pictured above. By earning high honor grade-point averages and demonstrating leadership abilities, these Embry-Riddle students were chosen to be listed in "WHO'S WHO AMONG STUDENTS IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES"...


CHRISTMAS IN MOSCOW

How does the other half live? What do we know and do that they don't, and what do they know and do that we don't? Now you can find out the answers to these and other questions by attending Embry-Riddle's 21 day winter tour seminar of Russia.

The seminar may be taken for credit (3 hrs) or audit. All that is required to participate is eligibility for enrollment at Riddle and $695 - not bad, considering that the price includes round trip air fare from New York to New York, plus accommodations and all meals (X Mas and New Year's Eve parties too!) The tour will leave New York on December 14th and return to New York on January 3rd.

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Asking a person to give up something that keeps him alive is a difficult proposition. Life is dear to many people--to quote the obvious! In case you're wondering about the reason for these profound statements, it is the Embry Riddle Blood Drive!

Even though blood keeps you alive, it will keep others alive, as well. The human body readily regenerates blood cells. Within a days period, the human body will reproduce the majority of a full pint of blood. No more than this will be taken from a person at any one time. That pint will help save a life in the future. The few minutes you spend giving will help give someone else, hours, or days, or years, or decades...GIVE! Hours are from 9 AM to 4 PM in the new Academic Complex.

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Speaking Out

The AVION reserves the right to edit letters as we see fit in accordance with good journalistic practice. All letters must be signed, although names will be withheld upon request from the writer.

The President's Corner

Again this week I will begin by stating that we have a "Plea" before us. This plea is to us, the students of ERAI, for our blood.

The present deficit of blood in the Central Florida blood bank makes this plea well worth the effort. What would happen if you needed 1 pint of blood and it was not available?

This trimester, our goal is 300 pints, but a secondary goal is to succeed, as we have in the past, in being the best contributor in this county. Inter-collegiate competition may be rough this trimester.

Also, something new, there will be drawing during the day for prizes that will have in the past, in being the best contributor in this county. Inter-collegiate competition may be rough this trimester.

There is not much more I can add to this, except that one day I will graduate from Embry-Riddle and hope that I too can be proud of that fact as my friend was. I couldn't do it now, knowing the discord among my fellow students. So, let's get together and work as a team, and again be proud of Embry-Riddle.

Name Withheld

Jerry Berndt
President
Student Government Association

Dear Fellow Students:

Last week I sent several back issues of the AVION to a recent E-R graduate friend of mine. This individual was a very conscientious student, proud of Embry-Riddle and just starting a new job that promises a fine future with one of the leaders in the aviation industry. Below, in part, is his quick reply to me:

"I am most sorry to read of the recent discord among my fellow students. You know my feelings about the SGA (he was an active SGA Rep). What has happened? What is all this nonsense about impeachment and all this pettiness between factions about? Was not the SGA President duly elected by the student body? All I see in the AVION issues you sent are insults, letters of apology, percentages and numbers being thrown across the pages. As an 'outsider' now, but still close to ER, I can see mistakes made on all sides. I hope the following issues you send will represent a University that MEN attend as that's what they'll have to become when they enter the business world."

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FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC WHEELS
The fourth meeting of the present SGA was held on Tuesday, October 28, in building B of the new academic complex. It began with almost as many interested students attending as SGA representatives.

A number of important issues were acted upon, such as this week's secret Bar-B-Q, the Blood Drive, the SGA's $500 sign, the Student Aid Fund which no student seems to want, and last but not least, President Jerry Berndt's impeachment. To some's surprise (and I don't include myself), the president won an overwhelming victory, proving almost unbelievable support from a slight majority of representatives. The backing was so strong that in a matter of minutes (8 to be more exact) a motion was raised, seconded and passed to end formal discussion and dismiss already mentioned charges, despite the finding of the Student Conduct and Grievance committee that the formal charges were true. Thus, the much talked about petition has finally been placed to sleep after a short two weeks.

For those students who seek to know what happened to the petition let me attempt to explain by first saying it was not railroaded or scuttled by the speaker of the Council, Gene LeClair. It was defeated by sound, adept and legitimate political maneuvering. One must remember it was a dark horse from its very conception; an impeachment proceeding has yet to succeed on this campus. Moreover, Jerry's mere willingness of undergoing impeachment proceeding speaks highly of him whose one complaint that strictly following our present SGA constitution, there is no impeachment possible of a President.

Another interesting point is that the petition may have been premature; allowing the defendant to successfully implore our sympathy in the short time he had to adjust to his new position. The whole undertaking was inherently sabotaged in that the petition asked for two actions - impeachment or recall - which is a definite "no-no" by Robert's Rules of Order. This unfortunate situation was further aggravated when Don Nichols, spokesman for the petition, agreed in a posse an unguarded moment, to press for only one action - the impeachment (a decision he later found to be unchangeable). This forced play seemed not only to avoid a major fight, but unethical in that one man should not be expected to change the wording or meaning of a petition unless he has the permission of all those signed it. However, with his direction the petition was steered not to the students but to the forum of the SGA in which hindsight shows a fatal route.

This column has been and, hopefully, will continue to be, an opinionated article in which SGA policies and actions are related to the very persons who work on them. It is an attempt to give the average person a look at your government in action or inaction. In keeping with those ideals and those of accuracy, it is my duty to inform you that last weeks article incorrectly stated Gene LeClair suggested the Executive Committee investigate the impeachment, when in actuality he suggested the Evaluation Committee.

(SGA Brief Continued)

Blood Drive Chairman, Cam McQuaid, stated that the blood drive cannot be held in the Student Center because there will be too many beds. Buses will be running to transport students from the old campus to the new complex, where the Blood Drive is being held. Drivers are being recruited among Council members who hold Florida chauffeurs' licenses. As a boost to competition among campus organizations any donor may contribute his pint of blood on both his own behalf and on behalf of the organization of his choice. There will be a drawing for prizes donated by local merchants.
With ER Leaders Reps Meet

Three United States Representatives, Windall Wyatt, R-Oregon; Dan Kuykendall, R-Tenn; and Thomas Railshack, R-Ill, visited Embry-Riddle's new academic complex Saturday afternoon, October 25, at 4 PM. The visit was arranged by Embry-Riddle's Student Government Association as part of a nationwide fact-finding tour for President Nixon. Prior to their Saturday afternoon visit, the Representatives attended a "listen-in" at Stetson University and Jacksonville University.

Representative Railshack (center left) and Representative Wyatt (center right) are shown leaving the new academic complex after conferring with SGA President Gerald J. Berndt (right) and John R. Delafosse (left), Chairman of the SGA Public Relations Committee. Not shown are Representative Kuykendall and Stephen L. Avery III, SGA Secretary, who remained in the building to talk with President Hunt.

ER's President, Jack Hunt, is very enthusiastic about this year's seminar. He has been to the USSR a number of times before, and knows his way around quite well. Because of his prior experience, Mr. Hunt will be able to guide the group to places that aren't normally a part of the regular tourist's visit. He says that the seminar will enable its participants to better understand Russian life by experiencing it themselves, and eliminating artificial ideas that so many people have about the Soviet economy.

Why would an ER student want to know about conditions in the Soviet Union? In the first place, the Russian government controls the world's largest airline, Aeroflot. And since economic activity between the U.S. and USSR is expanding, its effects will be felt in many areas of industry, trade, technology and education.

So, if you would like to travel and learn more about the world you live in, stop in the Admissions Office for a tour seminar pamphlet and more information. Mr. Hunt promises that you'll return to the U.S. a much more well-rounded person than when you left - and that's what education is all about.

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Bloodmobile

BE A DONOR

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INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL NOTICE

All members of the Bombers softball team please be present at the barbecue on Saturday for presentation of your medals for being league champions last spring. Also, all students should start thinking about forming a team for the upcoming spring trimester. The SGA, AVION, Vet’s Association, faculty, Fraternities, and independent teams are all welcome and expected to compete and have fun.

EAGLES SHUT OUT STETSON

BY MARTY STILLING

A fourth quarter boot by Zaccheus Fagben of Nigeria glanced off teammate Don Liard and ...ve the visiting Eagles a thrilling 1-0 soccer victory over the Stetson University Hatters last Saturday afternoon.

It was a scoreless tie after three periods and for ten minutes into the final quarter before the low goal was finally scored.

Things looked bright for the Hats with five seconds left to play as Stetson was awarded a penalty kick. Stetson’s star center forward from Thailand took the kick but goalie Marty Stillning was able to make the rate save and insured the victory.

Both coaches cited the other team’s play and in the rain each thought it was an outstanding contest with the fullbacks and goalies turning in fine efforts.

Next game for the Eagles, currently 4-2, is Saturday, November 1st, here at home against St. Leo at 10:00 AM. Come support your team.

Speedway News

DAYTONA BEACH, FLA...The nation's 800 top-ranking Sports Car Club of America race drivers are being mailed invitations this week to the sixth annual American Road Race of Champions (ARRC), November 25-30 at Daytona International Speedway.

SCCA Officials expect nearly 400 of the club racing stars from throughout the country to accept, and meet in the giant 16 race season finale which determines national champions in the club's 21 racing classes.

ARRC invitations go to the six point leaders in each class of SCCA's seven geographic racing divisions. Each division has held a series of from six to 10 national events to select ARRC candidates. Of the top six finishers in each class, the top three who accept ARRC invitations go to Daytona Beach for the finals.

THE EVER POPULAR SIGMA PHI DELTA FOOTBALL TEAM.
INTRA-L VOLLEYBALL

The ERAI intramural volleyball league is now officially underway. It got off to a slow start, however, as one net was stolen so only one court could be used. Everything went off in fine shape, however. Next week we will be at full strength again because I'll replace the missing net and we will again have two courts to play on. All games will be played as scheduled next week so you are reminded to be on time.

This week results are as follows:

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INTRAMURAL FOOTBALL CONT

Again this week the powerful Eagles, who are now coached by Jack Emery, who is a understudy of Vince Lombardi, came through with another, impressive triumph, 41 to 0 over Alpha Eta Rho. Page scored a safety and an extra point on a pass. Muller scored 3 times on 2 punt returns and an interception. Chip Hoerk ran across the goal line for 2 TD's. Alexander caught 2 passes for 2 extra points.

The final game of the day was between the Jets and the BMP's. Throughout the game, the Jets were hindered by several penalties which nullified at 3 TD's. Also, their quarterback was having nightmares, when he would throw perfect passes to his men in the end zones.

All ARRC events are 30 minutes long and are staged over Daytona's 3.1 mile road track circuit. Eight races are set for Saturday, November 29, and eight more for Sunday, November 30.

The meet opens with registration and technical inspection on Tuesday, November 25. Practice and qualifying sessions are scheduled for November 26-28.

In summary, the Eagles are now coached by Jack Emery, who is a understudy of Vince Lombardi, and the CMP's, who played with only 6 men on the field could not seem to get anything going. They scored on a run by Ted Schott and a kickoff return by Ray Lee. Final score was 26 to 12.

SPEEDWAY CONT'D

Winners of the prestigious meet, which alternates each year between Riverside Raceway, Ca. and Daytona International Speedway, will receive coveted Nine Flags Trophies -- sculptured figures of a racing flagman flashing the checkered flag. Drivers also share a $40,000 travel fund as well as cash awards and products posted by more than a dozen supporting companies.

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Contrary to popular belief Gene L-Clair did not write the 10 Commandments.
Last week the ERAI Karate Club named its' workout hall the "TobiWashikarate Dojo". Tobiwashikarate, translated from Japanese, means "Flying Eagle". The club meets every Tuesday and Thursday night from 7:00 P.M. to 8:30 P.M. and consists of approximately 35 active members. At present we are not accepting any more beginners students since training has progressed. However, intermediate and advanced students will be considered. New students will be welcomed early next trimester.

Elections for club officers were held last Tuesday and the results were as follows: President, John W. Conklin, AS; Vice-President, Joe Dillon, AM; Secretary, Fay Jung, A & P; and Treasurer, Bob Batts, AM. Bob Cassidy, a green belt, was elected Team Captain for tournaments. The sensei (teacher) is Mr. Don Collyer, a black belt, 1st dan.

Although new to the college scene, karate is one of the fastest growing sports on campuses today. Inter-collegiate competition is well in effect and an inter-collegiate karate league is in the formation right now to better manage competitions throughout the country. The ER TobiWashikarate Dojo has submitted its name to the U.S. Collegiate Karate Information Center, which is a prominent group involved in the organizing of the proposed league. We are presently planning to compete in tournament sometime in the spring of the coming year--hoping for favorable results like a trophy or two.

By the way, if you have any "spare-time" some evening, why not stop by the dojo. We like visitors and you'll probably have an enjoyable time, if not an interesting one!

KARATE HIGHLIGHTS

BY JOHN W. CONKLIN

The Embry-Riddle Shooting Club will have its first organizational meeting Tuesday, November 4, at 8:00 PM in the 3rd floor study of Dorm 1. All interested individuals are asked to attend.

The purpose of the club is to foster a better understanding of proper firearm handling and to encourage competitive shooting among college students. Shooting facilities will be available at properly scheduled times. If certain requirement within the organization are met, the club has the opportunity of obtaining U.S. Government assistance through the loan of rifles and supplies. This is totally dependent upon the club structure. Individuals will also have the opportunity of obtaining shooting awards for their efforts.

The club will be opened to anybody willing to abide by the rules of the organization. All individuals, whether shooters, or not, are asked to attend. The club will instruct individuals in the proper handling of firearms, as well as encourage competitive shooting among club members. I hope to see many people at the Tuesday meeting.

ATTENTION SHARSHOOTERS

EMBRY RIDDLE

VETERANS ASSOCIATION

We are in an age where history is constantly in the making, and we are all very fortunate to have the opportunity to see a phase of it. In approximately seven days, Apollo 12 will be launched from Cape Kennedy on another spectacular voyage to our neighbor the Moon. November 9, 1969 is the day the Embry Riddle Veterans Association is offering a trip to the Cape, and all are welcome. Buses will leave the Student Center at 8:00 AM and will make stops at Dormitory 1 (8:15 AM) and Dormitory 2 (8:30 AM). The NASA sponsored tour at the Cape will commence at 10:00 AM and it's a sight you will always remember. If you are in any way truly aviation oriented, you won't want to miss this wonder of the world.

Costs are $1.00 for VA members and $2.00 for non-members. If you went alone you would pay $2.75 for the tour plus your own car expenses. Just think; you will be seeing, learning, and saving all in one day! Tickets can be purchased November 3-7 from 1-4 PM at the VA bookstore adjacent to the school post office, and November 4 & 6 from 8:30 AM - 1 PM at the Housing Office in the Old Academic Building.

HALLOWEEN HARE 'N HOUND
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1
REGISTRATION 6:00 P.M.
AT SPEEDWAY ENTRANCE
DBSCC MEMBERS' FEE $2.00
NON MEMBERS FEE $2.00
GOOD ECONOMICAL ENTERTAINMENT (4 HRS.)

TICKETS ON SALE
AT SQUIRES MEN'S SHOP
Last weekend was THE weekend - the weekend for wind and rain. The Diving Eagles' trip to Bimini was cancelled Friday afternoon as increasing winds and ten foot seas made the Gulf Stream practically impossible.

We are, however, going to try again this weekend. Those who are able will be leaving Daytona late this afternoon and boarding ship in Pompano Beach at midnight.

Also this weekend there will be a combination diving and camping trip sponsored by the Daytona Beach Skin Divers. Divers and their families will leave for the Little River area Saturday from the Holly Hill shopping Plaza. The group will spend two days camping at and diving in the springs around Branford, Florida.

The following weekend, November 8-9, the Diving Eagles and the Daytona Beach Skin Divers are heading for Bimini on what will be the last trip of the year. After this trip most diving will be at the various springs.

The Diving Eagles are planning a trip to the Florida Keys, to be held the first week in December. This will be an entire weekend, if the weather holds, and similar to the Bimini trips.

After the business meeting last Monday, the members of the Diving Eagles and guests enjoyed a program of two movies. The first was a short 16mm reel showing salvage operations on the wreck of the San Jose. The second was a 59 minute 16mm black and white sound reel entitled "The Count Down Under". This very interesting film presented several aspects of man's research and search of the oceans for food, various minerals, clues to the history of the earth, and a more accurate record of the earth geology and geography.

The Diving Eagles will host the first half of the Daytona Beach Skin Divers underwater competition judging on Wednesday November 12.
This Friday Sigma Phi Delta is ready to defend the trophy at the blood drive. This trophy is earned by any organization or club on campus where 100% of its members give blood. I understand that Alpha Eta Rho is our only threat to this bloody competition.

Friday also marks for Sigma Phi Delta our annual Castle Day. On this day the members recall and their obligations and the Fraternity before and after graduation.

The pledges are quite happy about their pledging and as far as action goes, Captain Dan Kessler hasn't led his boys on any raids against the Brothers. If it's courage these boys need, then the Brothers shall show them what courage really means. Good luck, Pledge!

The entertainment committee has cancelled our party, due to the barbecue the SGA has scheduled for this Saturday. The reason being that the barbecue's usually leave its attendants very, tired and sometimes intoxicated. We hope to see everyone there for a good time and to celebrate the completion of mid-terms.

Sigma Phi Delta now has a volleyball team, and we expect to have a good showing for this season; however, for our exhibition game we came in second, and the other team came in next to last! Our football team brought home another victory with a final score of 21-18 against the Jeebos. In the first half, Sigma Phi Delta scored two touchdowns by Joe Rubel and Jet Tillotson with two extra points scored by Jet and QB Dan Kessler. In the second half, the Jeebos came on strong and led Sigma Phi until the last four seconds of the game. Then Jet Tillotson made a spectacular play by scoring a TD along the sideline. The extra point was made by that famous Gibson City Track Star, Mike Tompkins (fleetfooted Mike), or better known as Terror Tompkins, the Scourge of the Mid West.

As far as competition goes, the predicted score for the Blood drive was Embry-Riddle 350 pints and DBJC 288 pints.

This is Sigma Phi Delta sitting off until next week.

Give Blood!
Dorm Advisor Application

1. Name  
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   Middle alias  

2. Sex  
   Male Female Other None  

3. Education (excluding kindergarten and first grade):  

4. Has there ever been any record of mental derangement in your family? YES NO  
   (If no, why not?)  

5. Previous experience (Check one):  
   County sheriff Dog Trainer Messiah  
   Gas Station Attendat Gestapo agent  
   Pole Washer  

6. Special talents (Check one):  
   Arson Ballistics High explosives Rape  
   Lynching Other outrages  

7. Required reading:  
   Mein Kampf, Thoughts of Mao Tzu Tung, Memoirs of Adolf Eichman, Life and Times of Howdy Doody.  

8. References:  
   Mississippi State Police, American Nazi Party, Ku Klux Klan, John Birch Society, Daughters of the American Revolution  

9. Write, if you can, in 25,000 words or more, why you hate Negroes, Catholics, Jews, Poles, Irishmen, Democrats, Republicans, Socialists, Communists, Left-wingers, Right-wingers, the Kennedy family, the Johnson family, the Nixon family, Dean Mansfield and anybody else you may think of...  

Jacksonville C.H.I.E.F. Awards

The Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida presented their C.H.I.E.F. Awards at a luncheon held at the Thunderbird Motor Hotel, Jacksonville, Florida, on October 23. The awards were presented by Dr. Robert Spiro, President of Jacksonville University. Selected by the fourteen I.C.U.F. presidents to receive the C.H.I.E.F. Awards were: Mrs. Alfred I. duPont, business executive and humanitarian; Lewis B. Maytag, National Airlines president; Peter H. Robinson, retired railroad mail clerk, who gave most of his life's savings to private higher education; Doyle E. Carlton, former Florida governor and a member of the Stetson University board of trustees for 48 years; Howard B. Fawcett, Jr., Canton, Ohio, business leader and staunch Rollins College alumni supporter. The C.H.I.E.F. Awards were first presented in 1967-68 the October 23 presentations brings to the total 31 men and women so honored for their outstanding support of higher independent education in Florida. C.H.I.E.F. stands for "Champions of Higher Independent Education in Florida."  

Speaker for the noon luncheon was Mr. Raleigh W. Greene, Chairman of the Education Committee of the Florida Council of One Hundred, and a 1968-69 C.H.I.E.F. Award winner. He is president of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of St. Petersburg. The luncheon was held in the new Terrace Room of the Thunderbird Motor Hotel at 12:15 P.M., immediately following the regular meeting of the I.C.U.F. President's Council.  

Of special interest to Embry Riddle students was Mr. Lewis B. Maytag's award. During Mr. Maytag's administration, National Airlines has given dramatic recognition to the importance of higher education to modern technology, through sponsorship of two-year education fellowships for graduate students at the University of Miami's Institute of Marine Science at Virginia Key, and substantial support of I.C.U.F.'s newest member, Embry Riddle Aeronautical Institute of Daytona Beach.  

In attendance from ERAI were Mr. Phillip H. Elliott, Jr., Vice-Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Dr. Charles L. Proctor, member of the Board of Trustees; Mr. Jack Hunt, President; Mr. Bob Cessna, Director of Development, Mr. John R. Delafosse, Public Relations Chairman of the SGA, and Mr. Stephen L. Avery III, Secretary of the SGA.  

Happiness is...Raising your hand in a SGA meeting and being recognized.
MINI-MOB STRIKES BACK

BY GARY ANDERSON

Ever since a few of the more perceptive students on campus decided that the AVION staff is a "mini-mob", and formed a committee to investigate us, there has been a rash of gang style killings around campus.

Monday morning Gunther Funk, the committee chairman, was found floating in the Nova Road canal with twelve feet of typewriter ribbon wrapped around his neck. The Sheriff's Department undertook an investigation, but so far there has been no leads.

The death was listed as "Yup, he's dead."

In one of his more gifted moments the sheriff commented, "Yup, he's dead."

Wednesday afternoon, the vice-chairman, Woodrow Dial was walking next to the old Academic Building when a Smith-Corona Typewriter fell out of a second story window, badly killing him. Cause of death was listed as accidental.

Early Thursday another committee member was found in the student center mail room in the President's box. Apparently he had suffered a fatal overdose of printer's ink. Cause of death is officially listed as suicide by the County Coroner.

A grand jury indictment was handed down to the following mob members: Linda "Ma" Larsen; Trish "Tomato" Redmond; John "Knuckles" McQuaid and Cam "Knuckles" McQuaid.

SANDS IN AN OUTHOUSE?

BY TONY CAVALLARI

If some of you students have been hoping for vending machines at the new Academic Complex, cheer up. The administraive brass is preparing to cooperate with the students and pave the way to quenching our hunger for food. Vending machines are planned to be installed, and just so we won't feel alienated, our good friend the Sands Company will probably operate them.

Now some of you skeptics may wonder where these machines can be placed so as not to interfere with the Academic environment here at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical Institute.

Well, in a possibly enlightened moment, the administration decided to place the machines in the girls' outhouse. One is tempted to accuse us of aiding our leaders in their decision. But alas, I can happily say they did it all by themselves.

In fact, this decision is not even a first, the maintenance department already shares the outhouse with our coeds. We might agree with this policy; eliminating the middleman has been a long-time marketing and economic principle. One student humorously commented that further economic gains could be made if pay toilets were installed - then they would have us coming and going.

Hopefully, you can look for the machines next trimester. It seems some kind of wall or something is holding things up.

COMPETITIVE SPIRIT ARISING?

BY STEVE ATHA

A competitive spirit seems to be developing between the "Chuck Wagon" in front of the new complex and "Sands" in the student Center.

The Chuck Wagon and the ice cream and coke van can be seen in front of the new complex daily. Nearly all of their sandwiches and snacks are consumed each day.

If any Vet's wife is interested in joining, or if you need a ride, please contact: Charleen Martucci 677-1967; Pat Berndt, 677-1256 on Jan Bruce, 767-4857. Your husband does not have to belong to the Vet's Assoc for you to join the Aux., however, he does have to be a Veteran.

One advantage of the Chuck Wagon is, of course, its accessibility to the students in the new complex. Sands, on the other hand, is adjacent to the mail room, which is frequented by every student. Neither offers a complete meal. Both are competing for the same, marginal profit.

The school is in a transitional period. Obviously, some day a student cafeteria will be available. In the interim it is not economically feasible for any one concern to offer an elaborate food system. The students are stuck with sandwiches and Sands, and the Chuck Wagon et al are doomed to eventual obsolescence.

VETS AUXILIARY

At the last ER Vet's meeting, wives were invited for the purpose of starting an Auxiliary. Thirteen were present and by the end of the meeting, many worthwhile and exciting projects were planned. Their next meeting will be Tuesday, November 4, 7:30 PM at Dottie Hess's home, 2601 N. Oleander, Apt 8 (directly behind Bellair Cinema). Dress is casual.

If any Vet's wife is interested in joining, or if you need a ride, please contact: Charleen Martucci 677-1967; Pat Berndt, 677-1256 on Jan Bruce, 767-4857. Your husband does not have to belong to the Vet's Assoc for you to join the Aux., however, he does have to be a Veteran.
INSTRUCTORS
BECOME STUDENTS

Students are not the only people around Embry-Riddle who are worrying about making the "grade" around exam time. The department heads (heads as in "leader" not as in members of the staff) are taking a course every Tuesday night from about 7 - 10 called "Data Processing and Information Systems for Colleges and Universities" conducted by Consolidated Cybertronics, Inc. This course is designed to teach them not only to familiarize themselves with data processing and information systems, but also how they may be applied practically to education. This is broken down into two parts and a summary. Part I deals with computers and how they work. This includes the history, data processing, computer input computer read out, stored program concepts, programming languages and software and hardware. Part II discusses the application of information system to colleges and universities. This section include systems orientation, system design, equipment and communication network for information systems, systems programming and operations. The summary is the application of parts I and II and a review.

The instructors are Jim Bertrand and George Davenport. Both worked for General Electric before becoming "teacher" teachers in data processing. When Dr. Ritchie was asked how the students were doing and what they thought of the course, he laughed and said he could tell some stories, but refused to tell any tales.

SCHOOL INSURANCE

In response to requests by some members of the Student body and the recent editorial in the AVION, the Dean of Students' Office contacted Halifax Hospital to inquire as to what type of insurance card could be issued to students providing they had insurance coverage that would be accepted by most hospitals. We were informed that insurance cards were not accepted as full proof that a patient was covered, especially if it was student insurance, and that the hospital usually phones the insurance as a courtesy extended to a patient and most hospitals are not obligated to accept insurance in lieu of cash payment. This is the reason the school's insurance company has never issued insurance cards to the students.

The school's insurance coverage is handled by the Home Insurance Company, and the local agent is Brown & Brown, Inc. The brochure distributed at the time of registration outlines the coverage available. Individuals should retain this folder so as to be knowledgeable in this area. Any student may request additional information or obtain a claim form from either the Dean of Students' Office or the Infirmary (Apartment A-9, Nova Road Dormitory, 8:30 AM to 2:30 PM).

ABOUT ORDERLINESS

Students, please try to help keep the Student Center in an orderly fashion. Place empty cups, plates and trash in a waste receptacle when leaving your table. The next student would like to sit at a clean table as well as yourself. This will add the matter a great deal.

Jerry Berndt
IN THE COCKPIT

Roger, Daytona Tower, we have witch in sight and we understand we are second to land behind Great Pumpkin on Final for 28.

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