Publications Board elects Pointer editor

by Penny A. Gillman

The Publications Board convened Friday, Feb. 22, and selected Albert Stanek from three applicants as the 1975-76 editor of the Pointer. The purpose of the board is to determine the next Pointer editor, said Dan Houlihan, former Pointer advisor.

Board members are Mari Kurszewski, Pointer staff member; Bill Witt, Pointer advisor; Keith Lea, faculty appointee; George Rogers, administration appointee; Tom "Wojo" Wojciechowski, Student Government appointee; Lyle Updike, Student Government president and Shirley Spittlemeister, Pointer staff member.

The applicants, Stanek, Sally Dustir and Joel Guenther were interviewed en masse at the open meeting.

"My biggest criticism is it could be much more readable," said Stanek when questioned about this year's Pointer.

"My opinion of the Pointer is that it serves the campus as a very informative news bulletin," said Dustir.

"I think the basic function of the newspaper as it is, is just that, it's a newspaper. I consider a newspaper to be functional in the aspect that it reports the news," said Guenther.

Spittlemeister asked the applicants if they felt their philosophy would be to give the students the news they want or to force news on them.

Dustir said she felt that "through feedback" from the students you would be able to have a balance.

"I believe there should be a modification between what students want and the information that's necessary. You have to balance it some way," said Guenther.

"If you wear your bias then you don't have to worry about being overly objective," said Stanek. "We should get away from competition and move towards cooperation."

Concerning the format, "as the year progresses I would be most open to change," said Dustir.

Guenther said he would change and adapt but follow the journalistic ethics code.

Stanek said he would like to see a weekly discussion and let everyone voice their opinions on contemporary social issues that lend themselves to that.

"I think the university paper should be even more of a dynamic institution than the city newspaper. It's a dynamic process," said Stanek.

The board voted four for Stanek and three for Guenther.

The board also considered a motion introduced by Witt for the splitting of the present Pointer into two publications, called the Pointer and the 'Counterpoint'. Witt said the competition would enhance the quality of the papers and give more experience to the students. The board recommended that the motion be sent to Student Government for consideration.

News Analysis
by Mari Kurszewski

In this issue...
- Publication Board elects Albert Stanek as 1975-76 Pointer editor. Stanek, one of three applicants, takes the majority vote on first ballot.
- Student Government discusses United Council's lobbying platform.
- Teacher's award nomination procedures announced.

Looking ahead...
- UWSP has poor record in hiring minority groups; few females in top positions.
- Six-week energy program offered this summer.
- All-Star wrestling returns to UWSP.

Wendy Van Asten found a new friend at the day care center. Photo by Rick Cigel.
Winter Carnival in review

by Carol M. Martin

Winter Carnival weekend was once again behind us leaving the Sigma Tau Gammas and Watson Hall as the overall victors. The Sigma Tau Gammas took first place in Winter Carnival events in the men’s division with an overall score of 135. Watson Hall took first in the women’s division with an overall score of 132.

Winter Carnival, off to a somewhat uncertain start with the cancellation of the marathon run, was off to a fast and fun swing with the lighting of the torch. Ellie Last and Jeff Legley, from Watson Hall, were then crowned king and queen and the dedication of Winter Carnival was made to Gilbert Faust, registrar.

The Sigma Tau Gammas and Watson Hall were off to a head start when they took first in the igloo build Monday, Feb. 17. The TKEs pulled second in the men’s division and the Delta Zetas were second in the women’s division.

Tuesday night, Feb. 18, Shorty and the Solberg Brothers were the main attraction. The groups performed in Allen Center (AC) to a crowd of over 600.

The Delta Zetas took first in the women’s division of the painted knees and Watson Hall took second. In the men’s division the Phi Sigma Epsilons and the Delta Zetas took second in the women’s division and the Delta Zetas took second.

In the men’s division of the snow shoe race the Sigma Tau Gammas took first place and first service in the event. The Delta Zetas took first and Alpha Sigma Alphas took second.

Watson Hall took first in the final contest, the coed volleyball game, the Delta Zetas took second and the Sigma Tau Gammas took first in the igloo build Monday night, Feb. 23.

Winter Carnival week was completed with a semi-formal dance at AC with the group Heatherly and Farms.

Senate, Assembly discuss UC

by Al Stanek

The combined Student Senate and Assembly spent better than half of its meeting time discussing the United Council’s (UC) lobbying platform for the UW System, Sunday night, Feb. 23.

The body endorsed all but three of UC’s stands. It opposed one and tabled action on another two.

The UC is a lobbying group representing all of the UW System schools. It is under the direction of Jim Hamilton, former UW student.

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Novel in film version

If you think of D. H. Lawrence's novel, Women in Love, as a kind of metaphysical iceberg, then you can accept the film version, The Hours, as the intellectual and visual representation of that part of the iceberg that can be seen above the water.

Lawrence's aphoristic polemic on behalf of a new form of consciousness, which would allow man to fulfill his sexual nature is now, in this reduced form, an intensely romantic love story about four people and their curiously desperate struggles for sexual power. The story is told as it might be heard, but as dim, eccentric echoes.

Alan Bates, Oliver Reed, Glenda Jackson, and Jennie Linden portray Lawrence's characters.

The film will be shown at 7 and 9:15 p.m. Wednesday through Friday, Feb. 26, 27 and 28 in the Program Banquet Room of the University Center.

Teaching award nominations open

The Faculty Senate on Feb. 14, 1975, approved procedures for the determination of the Excellence in Teaching Award, said Vice Chancellor John Ellery.

Nominations should be reported to my office by the chairperson and Lyle Uptde by Monday, March 3, said Ellery.

Procedures

1. Criteri'a: The statement on teaching ability in the Faculty Handbook shall constitute the criteria for the selection of candidates for the award.

2. Eligibility: Those eligible for the award are full time faculty members with the rank of instructor, assistant professor, associate professor or professor and whose assignment is at least 50 percent teaching.

3. Faculty nominations: Candidates for renomination for a five-year period following their selection.

4. Student nominations:

5. Final selection: The names of the candidates should be presented by the chairperson and a recipient should be selected by a majority vote of the faculty at the Faculty Senate meeting.

A. Preliminary selections for the departmental nominee may be made in one of two ways: Nominations may be taken from the floor in a department meeting or by a preliminary 'secret ballot' from which two or three candidates shall be selected.

B. Voting shall be by those members of the department eligible to receive the award. Election shall be by secret ballot. The person that receives the highest vote shall be declared the nominee. In case of tie, a run-off election shall be held, including only those involved in the tie.

C. The chairperson of the department shall be responsible for administering the selection. If the size of the department makes it feasible, two members, not involved as candidates, shall be appointed to tally the votes.

D. Departments should use the advice of concerned undergraduate and graduate students in any such manner as they see fit. The same type of system, however, shall not vote in the selection process.

4. Student nominations: The student body shall select the department eligible to receive the award by secret ballot, to respond for the selection of these nominees.
Powderburns and backlashes

by Joel C. Guenther

I will have to admit that I am surprised, and pleasantly I might add. This is because I attended the Ducks Unlimited (DU) banquet held at the Holiday Inn on Tuesday, Feb. 18.

For some time I have been told how hunters are a group of perverted slobs. It was getting so bad for a while that I was even beginning to believe some of it myself.

It was for this reason that I decided to test these people's ideas. I took an attractive young woman to the DU banquet. This I did to test the reactions of the over 500 males at the feast.

At first I was somewhat skeptical. I thought for sure that the woman would be chided into complete embarrassment. But then, the surprise.

The most that either the woman, a fellow Pointer staff member, or I heard was one man accosting the both of us. His one comment was not directed at the woman.

The chivalry was superb. Men bent over backwards to be respectable to the lady. They offered her drinks and let her order first and generally kept the language free of profanity. In short they were perfectly respectable.

As I said, I was surprised as I had thought the situation would be different. But in my surprise, I have reaffirmed my faith of respectability in man, as a hunter and in his social ways.

Wilderness trip bookings up 130 percent

Americans appear to find wilderness recreation an antidote for economic uncertainties, The Wilderness Society discovered.

The national non-profit conservation organization operates what it calls its "A Way to the Wilderness" trip program. So far this year bookings are running ahead of all previous years in spite of the nation's current recession.

"To date we are 130 percent ahead of 1974 and 78 percent above 1973," said Stewart M. Brandborg, the society's executive director.

A wide variety of wilderness travel is offered in the 115 trips scheduled for this year. The trips vary in length from four to 12 days. Options include backpacking, hiking with packstock, horseback trips, canoe trips, raft trips and ski tours.

Membership in the society is not a requirement for taking part in the non-profit, educational program. Brochures are available from the Trip Department, The Wilderness Society, Western Regional Office, 4290 East Evans Ave., Denver, Col. 80222.

Population, environment grants offered

Internships offering grants are available from the Population Institute for students interested in working on population growth and environmental issues.

Students who participate in the Intern Program will work with state legislators and agencies in researching and analyzing population related issues, policies and legislation.

While continuing to attend regular college or university courses, the intern will also spend part of each week with his or her sponsoring agency, meeting with other groups and individuals involved in the field of population studies.

Generally, internships run from September to September of the following year. Alternative approaches to research of population policies will be considered.

The Intern Program is supervised by the Population Institute and Student Division of the Population Institute with offices in Washington, D.C.

The institute is a private, non-profit organization concerned with the population problems and related issues affecting life.

For more information, applications from David E. Baker, State Student Intern Program Director, The Population Institute, 110 Maryland Ave., N.E., Washington, D.C. 20002.

Jobs For Summer Look Promising

Information sources report that summer job opportunities for college students "look good" this year. National Parks, Dude Ranches, Guest Resorts, Private Camps, and other tourist areas throughout the nation are now seeking student applications.

Summer job placement coordinators at Opportunities Research (SAP) report that despite national economics tourist areas are looking for a record season. Polls indicate that people may not go for the big house projects such as new cars, new homes, furniture or appliances, but most appear to be planning for a big vacation.

A free booklet on student job assistance may be obtained by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to Opportunity Research, Dept. SIO, 55 Flathead Dr., Kalkspett, MT 59901. Student job seekers are urged to apply early.
Day care center guides growth

by Rick Cigel

"Some parents don't feel they could go to school if they didn't have the center," said Linda Jagielo, director of the University Child Learning and Care Center.

The center is located in the Peace Campus Center, at the corner of Maria Dr. and State St. It currently has an enrollment of 37 children. All of the children's parents are either students or faculty members at UWSP.

"We know more people could benefit from the care, but we can only handle so many children in this facility," said Jagielo. She said she would like to move the center to a larger location.

The center's staff consists of Jagielo as full-time director, Sue Sprouse as part-time director, and Sue Kaiser as half-time teachers. In addition, many volunteers work as assistants.

"We depend heavily on our volunteer staff. Without them, we couldn't meet the state standards that we do try to meet," Jagielo said.

However, "coordinating the volunteers is the hardest part," said Sprouse. Most of the parents had very little confidence as opposed to going out and finding a baby sitter," said Jagielo.

The center provides more than just a babysitting service, said Kaiser. Besides encouraging social development, "we have different equipment than a baby sitter might have."

The daily schedule includes 'free play', a group activity outside play, snack time and art, said Sprouse.

"Basically, we just try to help them grow. There are the four areas of growth: social, emotional, intellectual and physical," said Jagielo. Physical growth will occur naturally, intellectual growth will be aided by school and the staff does not have the background to deal with emotional growth, so "our greatest emphasis is on the social growth," she said.

"Most of the activities we plan are so that the kids can interact with each other," said Jagielo.

"If you can get along with your peers, starting at a young age, then it's going to be easier as you grow older because you do most of your work with your peer group," said Jagielo.

The center is funded partially through segregated fees, said Jagielo. In addition to this revenue, each child is charged a registration fee and an hourly fee. The center will be increasing both for next year, she added.

There haven't been any real difficulties or embarrassing moments yet working with the children, said Sprouse. "Kids do grow older, of course, sometimes it's funny in the group, but it's not funny to them," she said.

"The staff has been able to handle all the questions which the children ask," Sprouse said. "We try to be as open as we can and answer them as best we can," she added.

"Most of our parents feel that this is the only thing the university does that they can use," said Jagielo. With the use of the center, many parents said they then enjoy other campus activities, she said.

There is a need for increased day care in the county, Sprouse said. "Day care is one of the first things cut in government spending," she said.

One of the reasons that more married couples are returning to school in day care, said Sprouse. The center provides good practical experience for future employment, said Kaiser.

"I'm really glad I have the opportunity to work here because of the varied age group - one to six," she said. "I feel like I am getting a lot of self-confidence working here. It's a real challenge."

Photos by Rick Cigel.

Beth Fossman investigates one domestic role - washing dishes.

Volunteer Debbie Habeck entertains Gwyn Davidson (left) and Andrea Page with a story.
Falling in love is like taking a seat
sitting on a warm toilet seat
It feels good
but you can't help wondering
who was there first.

Dostoevsky's Wall

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Did you ever wonder why
when a woman tells a doctor
that she's all tired out,
the first thing he asks
is to see her tongue?
Unknown

If God wanted me
to be born in the army
I would have been born
with green baggy skin.
Dostoevsky's Wall

The difference between
rape and rapture is
salesmanship.
Unknown

There are those among you
who seek the talkative
through fear of being alone.
Gibran

Don't worry about what's ahead
Go as far as you can
From there you can see farther.
I Ain't Much...
Jess Lair

Mankind is sick
the illness is
lack of brotherhood.
Pope Paul VI

The happiest folks
must be those who
don't want very much...
and rely on themselves
to provide it.
Country Parson

There is no odor so bad
as that which arises
from goodness tainted.
Thereau

The big challenge in 1976
will be to elect a
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who will make the
300 years of struggle
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Bill Vaughn

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CALENDAR UPDATE: The Student Activities Office will publish a weekly follow-up of the calendar events in THE POINTER with additions, changes, and cancellations. Please submit any additional programs or changes which you may have 2 weeks prior to the event if you wish to have them included in the calendar update.

DIAL EVENT: Information on "what is happening on campus" can be obtained by dialing Ext. 3000. All student organizations are welcome to have their co-curricular events recorded on this tape at no cost if the information is submitted to the Student Activities Office at least 1 day prior to the event.
BSC and PSE undefeated

by Bob Schallock

The Open Division of the Intramural basketball league has two teams with undefeated marks, Black Student Coalition (BSC) and Phi Sigma Epsilon (PSE).

An abundance of hustle, mixed with good team play, has enabled PSE to be in a position to upset BSC and sneak the title away.

At half-time, PSE put more defensive pressure on ROTC to try to harass its shooting guards. The play worked and PSE came away with a six point victory, 46 to 42.

Hustle was directly involved in PSE's last win over ROTC. Three of the starters, Tim Murray, Dick Krueger and Mark Wolf, of PSE couldn't make the game. As a result, ROTC jumped to a 10 point half-time advantage and seemed on its way to a win.

The players who will play a key role when PSE and BSC square off Thursday night Feb. 27 (besides the three mentioned) are Jeff Erhardt, John Meich and Doug Krueger. Other players who will see action are Jeff Weiland and Mark Samuelson.

Neipert, Johnson earn championship

by Randy A. Pekala

Pointers Rick Neipert and Joe Johnson each earned individual championships in their respective weight classes this past weekend in the 30th Annual Wisconsin State University Conference wrestling tournament.

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Action during the conference wrestling meet, held Saturday, Feb. 22 in Quandt Gym. Photo by Loren Zell.

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After losing to eventual conference champ Gary Zizzo, 118 lb. Dan Sevick of UWSP earned team points in the consolation bracket by pinning Jeff Lloyd of UW Stout in 1:30 and defeating scoring a major decision of 14-2 over Bruce Tonsor of UW River Falls in the semi-finals. Johnson then repeated his dual-meet performance of earlier this season, by defeating the 1974 conference champion Fred Boskovich (231) of UW Whitewater by a 6-3 margin.

The admissions office is in need of one student eligible for employment under the work-study program. Typing skills are essential. Immediate employment; possibility of summer employment also. Please contact Mrs. Jan Jinske admissions office 348-2441.

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Student sites communication problems

To the editor,

There seemed to be a question raised concerning communication within the Student Government, but as such it was not brought up in a proper way.

True enough this might well be a problem, a problem that students attending this university and Student Government, obviously the problem exists.

What I point to is the communication or lack of it, I should say between the students attending this university and Student Government; obviously the problem exists.

Students are constantly asking not only what is Student Government doing but what is Student Government doing and why. Let’s hope that members of Student Government can answer this question.

Assuming this (optimistically of course) where does the problem lie? Students attending this university and Student Government, obviously the problem exists.

I often hear students say “Student Government does not let us know what’s going on; they don’t reach the students.”

Several representatives in Student Government, in turn, believe the fault lies within the students. Students don’t care, they are apathetic! I care to recognize both aspects. Yes, students are apathetic and Student Government does not reach the students. But what I care to ask is “How does one go about reaching the student?”

In writing this letter, I find myself wondering how many students will realize that this is an attempt to ‘reach the student’, to put an end to pointing the finger at the other guy. I would like to find out just how concerned you as a student are, and you as a representative are, about representing students.

Last year Student Government, required senators to send newsletters to their constituents. This was discontinued because of a lack of response by students to these letters. Presently there are articles giving Student Government’s main issues in the Pointer. Obviously this is not enough, but what is the next step? No, I’m not going to give you answers, what I give you is the question, in hope that you’ll be concerned enough to answer.

Maria Alvarez
Executive Secretary, Student Government

Future honors Michigan Ave. Guard

Open letter.

Candiates from throughout the country are rigorously screened in an attempt to pick the single individual who has extended the boundaries of his duty in an attempt to maintain safety for his community and constituents.

This year’s nominee is Lee Sherman of Stevens Point, WI. For the past 10 years Lee has maintained strict safety standards at his corner on notorious Michigan Avenue.

The sight of Lee in his bright red uniform exasperating his vigilance at the busiest artery of pedestrian traffic from the chrome of a passing north bound limousine. There is no way a dinner can express the extreme gratitude we owe Lee for his protection of the pedestrians and future citizens.

Thank you Lee Sherman, you are a great crossing guard and a swell American. Scott Harding

221A Church

Grateful of Guenther?

Open letter.

Blessed are we indeed now that Joel Guenther has extended his rantings from the campus to City Hall, where he has now joined forces with those who advocate “paving paradise and putting up freeways.”

Truly “Sir Guenther” is going to be assured of a position upon graduation. If not then the National Shooting Sports Foundation, the YMCA, the AMVETS and countless other groups will have to lobby for him if he is so inclined. The sight of Lee in his bright red uniform exasperating his vigilance at the busiest artery of pedestrian traffic from the chrome of a passing north bound limousine.

For those who would like to learn more about the “Sir Guenthers” of this world may I suggest you read the new book Man Kind now available at the campus library.

Your Friendly

“Bambi Lover”
Mary Ann Krueger
2216 Welby Ave.

Viewpoint

Upon looking back at Tuesday’s primary, a lack of UWSP involvement becomes very clear.

In this community where over one-third of the potential voters are connected with the university, none of the candidates in the primary had any connection with the university.

Few of the candidates in the April general election have any affiliation with the university.

After rereading the promises Student Government President Lyle Updike made last year about having a student candidate in every student ward, an obvious discrepancy comes up.

With a string of such broken promises, Updike may have become the latest of the very “politicians” he has been blindly battling.

Apparently cut off from the student body he is supposed to represent, Updike is no longer seen by many as anything other than a voice of his own opinion.

It is time for responsibility to be brought back to Updike’s position before the student role in decision making on UWSP is set back five years.

Fast day editorial

‘narrow’

To the eco-editorial editor.

It seems to me that in your editorial you are being extremely narrow-minded and headed down a one-way street. I guess that in the newspaper business, one should try to be open minded on controversial subjects, indeed everything, when an opinion is being expressed.

However I fail to see that in your column of Feb. 18. First, what exactly is your definition of “humanitarian”? Let me guess. It sounds like your definition of humanitarian is to keep all the hungry folks of the world starving and maybe they’ll die, which puts them out of their misery (that’s humanitarian, isn’t it?) and the world population will fall and we shall all enjoy plenty. Was that close?

I hope you are not laughing at this because this is what you, in effect, are saying. I was taught not to criticize unless I had a solution, and I do not. But I cannot see why we should not give the hungry any aid.

It’s easy for you to write such bull sitting in your chair with a cigarette and a sandwich and coffee but how would you feel if you were on the other end of the line?

Let me tell you, Mr. Guenther, a starving stomach is nothing to scoff at.

I don’t think the students need the machine to make up our minds, sir, but I think you do. Some people would agree with me, other folks might not. Anyhow, what makes you think that two hungry people are going to want to bring children into their kind of hungry world?

There are other methods of coping with overpopulation than just turning our backs on them. So don’t go telling us, or at least me, that we are not humanitarian.

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