

The Evergreen State College

HAPPENINGS FROM THE THIRD WORLD COALITION - JANUARY 1981

WELCOME FROM THE THIRD WORLD COALITION

We welcome back all returning students as well as any new students to TESC this quarter. The Third World Coalition is in many ways TESC's answer to a minority affairs office. We are here to begin to ensure all people of color here have equal access and opportunity to the services available. We offer excellent facilities for meeting, reading (with Third World periodicals and books), or studying. A typewriter can also be made available to you for typing your papers and evaluations. We also provide information and referral, limited academic/social counseling as well as workshops, cultural activities, films, etc. based upon your interests (gathered through an interest survey) as well as this monthly newsletter.

The Third World Coalition is staffed by two people, Kim Bingham, Secretary (Library 3204), and April West, Coordinator (Library 3208). Our phone number is 866-6034. We meet regularly every Friday at noon in Library 3205. Come join us for lunch!

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED!

The Third World Coalition would like to invite all people of color at TESC to a potluck lunch January 27th in CAB 306. This will be an opportunity to get to know each other in a more informal atmosphere. We especially encourage all new Third World students to attend and get acquainted with veteran TESCers. The Third World student group coordinators will be there as well as a number of faculty and staff. There will also be musical entertainment provided by student

Cheryl Harrison. Mark your calendars now for January 27th and bring your favorite dish, beverage or munchies. For more information, call 866-6034.

SURVIVAL MANUAL

As an aid to new Third World students, we have put together a comprehensive resource book entitled "Third World Survival Manual". It contains much information on understanding TESC and what services are available to you, on and off campus. It covers the gamut from all the TESC resources to food stamps and legal services. It is FREE and available in Library 3208 as well as all the other Third World Coalition offices and Third World student organizations offices. If you would like a copy, please stop by and pick one up.

WHO WE ARE:

There are currently five funded Third World student groups available to you for your involvement and input. Please take the opportunity to stop by and check out what they are about. All are funded by YOUR student fees. They seek input as to how that money should be spent. If you have any ideas or activities in mind, please do not hesitate to contact them.

UJAMAA: Victor Jackson, Coordinator, Library 3207.

Office Hours: Mondays, Tuesdays from 8:00 to 4:00, 866-6781.

Meeting date: Fridays at noon in L-3207.

Ujamaa welcomes any and all Black peoples to become involved. To date, Ujamaa has

co-sponsored several films on campus, sent representatives to various conferences concerning Black peoples, participated in Orientation Week activities, and Indigenous Peoples Day on November 10. They are currently planning events for Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday (January 15), for Heritage Week (January 19-25), and for National Black History month in February.

ASIAN/PACIFIC COALITION: Steve Bader, Coordinator, Library 3209
Office Hours: Mondays from 12:00 to 1:30; Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 2:30 to 5:00; and Fridays from 2:30 to 4:00, 866-6033.
Meeting Date: Mondays at noon in L-3209.

The Asian/Pacific Coalition welcomes all Asian/Pacific Isle people and any other interested persons. The Asian/Pacific Coalition has been active in participating with Orientation Week activities and Indigenous People's Day. They are planning to have the Executive Order 9066 photo display exhibited in early February, as well as hold an open house dinner. Plans for observing the National Asian/Pacific Heritage Week in the spring are also being discussed.

NASA: Diane Devlin, Coordinator, Library 3217.
Office Hours: Subject to change, 866-6024
Meeting Date: None scheduled to date.

Native American Student Association (NASA) welcomes all Native peoples to become involved. NASA has been active with the production of a Native Radio program, co-sponsorship of various speakers and conferences as well as participating in Indigenous Peoples Day. NASA is planning on bringing an exhibit of Coastal Native Arts and Crafts for Heritage Week, January 19-25, as well as planning for their annual Native American Awareness Week in the spring.

THIRD WORLD WOMEN: Penny McCall, Coordinator, Library 3211.
Office Hours: Mondays from 9:00 to 4:00, Wednesdays from 12:00 to 4:00, and Fridays from 12:00 to 4:00, 866-6006
Meeting Date: Mondays at noon in L-3205.

Third World Women's Organization welcomes all women of color to stop by and get involved. Third World women have planned exercise classes which will continue through winter quarter, as well as an open house potluck in celebration of KWANZA. Future plans include celebration for International Women's Day in March.

MEChA: Maria Anorga, Coordinator, Library 3206.
Office Hours: Mondays from 1:00 to 4:00, Tuesdays from 9:00 to 4:00, and Wednesdays from 9:00 to 3:00, 866-6143.

Movimiento Estudiantil Chicanos de Aztlan (MEChA) welcomes all Latino peoples. MEChA has been involved with concerns of the Latino community on and off campus. They have sent representatives to various meetings and conferences concerning issues relevant to their communities. MEChA has been active in helping to sponsor "EL MENSAJE DEL AIRE" community radio program. They have also had an open house as well as participated with Orientation Week activities and Indigenous Peoples Day. They are planning to bring ERASMO GAMBOA from the University of Washington to speak on "Chicano History of Washington State: An Assessment" on January 21st in the Recital Hall, for Heritage Week, January 19-25. Plans are also being discussed for a Cinco De Mayo celebration.

YOUR INPUT AND INVOLVEMENT WITH A STUDENT ORGANIZATION WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED AND WELCOMED. ALL THE STUDENT GROUPS ARE OPEN TO HEARING FROM YOU AND WILL ALSO ASSIST IN ANY WAY POSSIBLE WITH ANY DIFFICULTY YOU MIGHT ENCOUNTER. Please take the time to stop by and check it out. If you cannot reach someone, a message can be left with the Third World Coalition office, Library 3204 or call 866-6034.

"I HAVE A DREAM"

January 15th marks the birth of Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr., one of this country's greatest Black civil rights

leaders. In commemoration of him, there is a movement to make January 15th a national holiday. Entertainer Stevie Wonder called for a demonstration during a press conference on November 25th to march on Washington, D.C., January 15th to show Congress the community support behind the movement. Fifteen states have already ratified January 15th as a state holiday - Washington state is not among them. The Pan African Student Association of Washington State (PASAW) in support of the national movement, will meet at TESC on January 15th at 10:30am, then proceed to the Capitol Rotunda in force. A petition will be submitted to the Governor requesting January 15th be made a Washington state holiday in commemoration of Martin Luther King, Jr. There will also be a musical program from 11:30 to 1:30 in celebration and memory of this great Black leader.

Your presence and support are requested. For more information, contact Victor Jackson, Ujamaa Society, 866-6781 or Barbara O'Neil at the Thurston County Ujamaa League, 352-1424.

HERITAGE WEEK

Everyone is invited and welcomed to attend activities for HERITAGE WEEK 1981, January 19-25th. HERITAGE WEEK has culminated through the efforts and support of many students, student groups and campus organizations, representing many different cultures. The campus food service will also be participating by serving different types of ethnic meals throughout the week.

Key activities to be watching for will be the display on Native Coastal Art and Culture which will be sponsored by the Washington State Museum and NASA. The display will be in CAB 306, Monday, January 19th at noon. Diane Hansen, from the museum, will speak at 12:30 in CAB 306 on the history and background of the display. If you have any interest in viewing this, please make the effort to attend, as the display will only be up during that time, due to lack of proper security.

Wednesday, January 21st at 1:00 p.m., Erasmo Gamboa, from the University of Washington will speak on "Chicano History in Washington State: An Assessment." Gamboa has an extensive background in Chicano studies and has published works on the history of Chicanos in the Northwest. He will speak in the Recital Hall of the Communications Building. This is co-sponsored by MEChA and the Third World Coalition. If you have any interest in Washington history or ethnic histories, this would be well worth your time to attend. Both the speaking engagements are FREE and open to the public.

Saturday, January 24th from 8p.m. to 12:00 p.m., the steel drum band, TROPICAL RAINSTORM, will perform in Library 4300. The cost is \$2.00 per person, which will include non-alcoholic beverages. This event is co-sponsored by Ujamaa and the Activities office.

These events reflect the unique cultures and planning by the Third World students on this campus. The complete schedule of all the activities and events is listed below.

HERITAGE WEEK ACTIVITIES - JANUARY 19-25

Monday	Lunch: African style baked fish, corn bread, banana pudding. Noon: Coastal Native Arts Display in CAB 306, Diane Hansen will speak at 12:30 on the display. 7:30p.m.: EPIC will present two films, "WOMEN IN ARMS" which speaks to women in Nicaragua, and "INTERVIEWS WITH MY LAI VETERANS" in Lecture Hall 1.
Tuesday	Lunch: Teriyaki Chicken, Rice, and corn soup. 7:30p.m.: Live without Trident presents "COWBOY IN BROOKLYN" for \$1.25 - one of President Elect Reagan's first films. There will also be a review and discussion of the newly elected President and his inauguration.

Wednesday Lunch: Carne Guisada, Rice, and beans.

1:00 ERASMO GAMBOA will speak in the Recital Hall on "Chicano History in Washington State: An Assessment."

7:30p.m.: Academic Films presents: "The Overcoat" FREE in Lecture Hall 1.

Thursday Noon: Several TESC International students will be sharing their culture through slides and lectures. There will also be a demonstration of Hawaiian Hula dance by staff member, Georgette Chun, all in the Cab Mall.

5:00p.m.: Austrian Candle Light Dinner with the Olympia High School Madrigals and Austrian Strolling Strings, in SAGA.

Friday Noon: Bagpipers perform and discuss history and use of the Bag Pipes, in Cab Mall.

Lunch: Irish style Mulligan Stew, boiled potatoes, cabbage, and Black Rye bread.

3:00, 7:00 & 9:30p.m.: Friday Night Films Presents: "Closely Watched Trains" and "Eclipse" in Lecture Hall 1.

Saturday 8p.m. to midnight: TROPICAL RAINSTORM performs in Library 4300. \$2.00 per person.

Sunday 8p.m. to 10p.m.: Folk Dancing in Library 4300, FREE.

KEEP ENHANCING YOURSELF (KEY)

KEY, Special Services, is a new program on campus designed to increase students' abilities to explore and assess college/career/life goals and formulate plans for implementation of these goals. KEY takes into consideration the entire person,

recognizing the many aspects of life that change drastically when a person becomes a student. These life changes will often create a state of personal and academic confusion which negates the academic esteem. KEY considers each person as unique and tailors programs to the individual's specific needs.

The types of services we provide are:

- individual and group career mapping
- values clarification
- group and individual experiences on self-awareness
- tutoring
- academic esteem counseling
- long range academic advising
- cognitive mapping
- workshops
- core groups

KEY is a Federally funded project through the Dept. of Education with eligibility criterion. Our intake form takes only several minutes to complete. The staff will research eligibility. Please stop by KEY in Library 3501 or call 6464 for an appointment. Our staff is Stone Thomas, Project Director; Darlene Peters, Student Development Specialist; Sherry Warren, Learning Skills Specialist; and Michelle Bird, Program Assistant.

LOOKING FOR A JOB?

The BLACK COLLEGIAN Magazine has activated a resume service for students from the graduating class of 1980-81. The resume service distributes resumes to over 500 companies. There is no charge to the student or the company for this service. Students can participate in the resume service by sending a copy of their resume. If you prefer, they will send you a resume form for your use. You can order the resume form by writing to: THE BLACK COLLEGIAN, Resume Service Division, 1240 South Broad Street, New Orleans, Louisiana 70125.

SUMMER JOB OPPORTUNITY

The Olympic National Forest is accepting applications until January 15th for summer

employment. The positions will be located in Olympia, Shelton, Hoodspont, Quilcene, Forks, Quinault, and Fort Lewis, Washington. Some positions will begin as early as March or April and last through October. They are looking for forestry and civil engineering people or surveying aids. The pay scale is \$4.30 to \$5.90 an hour. Also available are Wage Grade positions such as laborers, forest workers, core drill operator helpers, maintenance workers or motor vehicle operators. Pay scale for these is \$7.09 to \$8.81 an hour. For more information, call Edna Britton at 753-9530 or write to the Federal Building, 801 South Capitol Way, Olympia, Washington 98507.

WORKSTUDY OPPORTUNITIES

The Community Relations office is seeking three workstudy students. Two will be working as RESEARCH AIDES. Typical work includes conducting a wide variety of research and preparing reports, writing articles, news releases and other materials for publication, conducting tours for visiting dignitaries, assisting with workshops and seminars, and general office support. The other position is for an OFFICE ASSISTANT who will be typing, filing, reception and general assistance to the office staff. All the positions are 19 hours a week for \$3.85 per hour. For more information, contact Bonnie Marie at 866-6565, or stop by L-3103.

INTERNSHIPS AVAILABLE

TV NEWS INTERN: Student interns will work for KOMO Reporters during the 1981 Legislative session. Duties would involve researching, setting up stories and attending hearings. You must have some background in the field of communications. It is 20 hours per week at \$3.50 per hour.

OPERATIONS MANAGER: Student would be the volunteer coordinator, scheduling manager and be responsible for the program/operation log review and correction system. You must have good organizational

skills and have the ability to work well with diverse groups of people. It is for 15 hours per week at \$3.24 per hour.

For further information on any of the internships listed, please contact the office of Cooperative Education at 866-6391.

SCHOLARSHIPS

The office of Financial Aid has announced two scholarships available for Evergreen students. The Fred G. Zahn scholarship is for \$1500 and will be awarded to graduates of Washington state high schools who can demonstrate financial need, academic achievement and character. The Carleton Morris Cooley Scholarship is for \$500 for college seniors who can display excellence in English. For further information, contact the office of Financial Aid at 866-6205.

JANUARY CALENDAR

- 15 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.s Birthday
March on the Capitol Rotunda to submit petition to Governor Ray to declare this a state holiday. Musical program from 11:30a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
- 19-25 HERITAGE WEEK, see page 3 for details.
- 27 THIRD WORLD POTLUCK, all Third World people invited, CAB 306, musical entertainment.
- 23,30 Third World Coalition meetings, noon, Library 3205. All Third World people encouraged to attend.