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Highlights of Black History Month 1993

"Education for Self-Reliance and Self-Determination," Julius Nyerere

For a complete schedule and additional information, call the Africana Studies Program, (516) 632-7470.

February 1-12

"Invisible No More." Orville Robertson, photographer. Stony Brook Union Gallery, Monday-Friday, noon-4 p.m.

February 3

Opening Ceremony & Reception. Fireside Lounge, Stony Brook Union, 12:40 -2 p.m.

February 4

The Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration.

"Ruby Remembers Martin," with Ruby Dee and the Stony Brook Gospel Choir. Tickets: \$6. Staller Center for the Arts, 632-7230. 7 p.m.

February 9

El-Hajj Malik El-Shabazz, documentary by Gil Noble. Room S-224, Ward Melville Social & Behavioral Sciences. 1 p.m.

Panel Discussion: Malcolm X, El-Hajj Malik El-Shabazz. Moderator: Amiri Baraka. Stony Brook Union Auditorium. 7 p.m.

February 10

Photographer, Orville Robertson, artist-in-residence. Informal talk and reception. SB Union Art Gallery, 1-5 p.m.



The Liberators: Fighting on Two Fronts in World War II, documentary of African Americans fighting racism at home and liberating Nazi concentration camps. Javits Lecture Center, Room 100. 8 p.m.

February 13

Sophisticated Ladies. Tickets: \$22/\$20. Staller Center for the Arts, 632-7230. 8 p.m.

February 14

Black Catholic Mass, featuring the Stony Brook Gospel Choir. Peace Studies Center, Old Chemistry. 5 p.m.

February 15

"The Political Stance Then and

Now," Pastor A.R. Bernard. UNITI Cultural Center. 7:30 p.m.

February 16

Manning Marable, guest speaker, University of Colorado Center for Studies of Ethnicity & Race in America. Reception: S-224, Ward Melville Social & Behavioral Sciences. 4 p.m. Lecture: SB Union Auditorium, 7 p.m.

February 17

"Religion and The African American Community," Bishop Emerson J. Moore, Archdiocese of NY. Javits Conference Room E-2345, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. 3:30-5 p.m.

"The Black Jews of Ethiopia," Riki

Mullu, an Ethiopian Jewish woman. UNITI Cultural Center, Roth Quad Cafeteria. 8 p.m.

February 18

Cornelius Eady, Poetry Reading. Poetry Center, Room 238, Humanities. Noon.

"A New Century, A New Challenge, and A New Beginning," Arthur Fletcher, Chair of U.S. Commission on Civil Rights. Distinguished Lecture Series. Staller Center for the Arts, 8 p.m.

February 23

Amiri Baraka & The Blue Ark. Poetry Center, Room 238, Humanities Building. 8 p.m.

February 24

"Post Modern 'Drag'; The Text of Blackness as Political Imagery," Wahneema Lubiano, English & Africana Studies, Princeton University. Humanities Institute, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. 4 p.m.

February 26

Speaker: Dhoruba Bin Wahad, former Black Panther. Stony Brook Union Auditorium. 8 p.m.

February 28

Gospel Extravaganza. Staller Center for the Arts. 6 p.m.

A Selection of Events for Women's History Month 1993

For the complete schedule and more information, call the Women's Studies Program at (516) 632-9176.

March 1-31

Book Display: "Recent Women Authors." Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library, Third floor.

March 1

"Black Women: A Religious Perspective," Gail Tate. Panelists: Sister Margaret Ann Landry, Kate Lehman, Shi Ming Hu. Peace Center, Old Chemistry, 3-5 p.m.

March 2

"Myths that Divide Us; Hopes that Unite Us," Barbara Ehrenreich. Distinguished Lecture Series. Staller Center for the Arts. 8 p.m.

March 8

Tap Roots Women Read. Poetry Center, Room 238, Humanities. 2 p.m.

Black Women: A Tribute. Sponsored by Delta Sigma Theta. UNITI Cultural Center. 7 p.m.

Film: Guerrillas In Our Midst. A documentary about sexism in the art world. Theatre Three, 412 Main Street, Port Jefferson. 8 p.m.

March 11

"Feminist Film Theory, Race, Gender and Reproduction," Ann Kaplan. Film: *Black Girl*. Room E4341, Humanities Institute, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. Noon-3 p.m.

March 16

"Images, Modes and Behavior of

Women in the 18th Century," Loyce Arthur. Room 3114, Staller Center for the Arts. 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

March 16-28

"Brave New Worlds for Women Artists." Works by five women artists in the M.F.A. program, with visiting artist Sarah Jackson. Stony Brook Union Gallery, Monday-Friday, noon-4 p.m.

March 17

Multimedia performance by the Guerrilla Girls, the "conscience of the art world." Theatre I, Staller Center for the Arts. 12:40-2:10 p.m.

March 24

"Denominational Approaches to Pro-Life/Pro-Choice," women in the clergy. Roth Quad Cafeteria. Dinner: 6 p.m. Program: 7 p.m.

March 26-28

"Brave New Worlds for Women." Conference sponsored by N.Y. Women's Studies Association, the Women's Studies Program at Stony Brook and the Center For Excellence and Innovation in Education.

March 27

"The F-Word." A satiric feminist revue by the Sleeveless Theatre. Stony Brook Union Ballroom. 8 p.m.

March 30

Fourth Annual Concert of Music by Women Composers. Staller Center for the Arts. 4 p.m.

March 31

Film: Gaby, A True Story. A young woman confronts cerebral palsy. Room 121, Humanities Building. 5 p.m.

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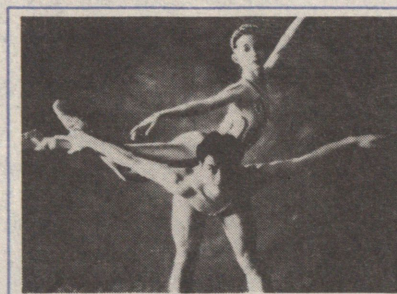
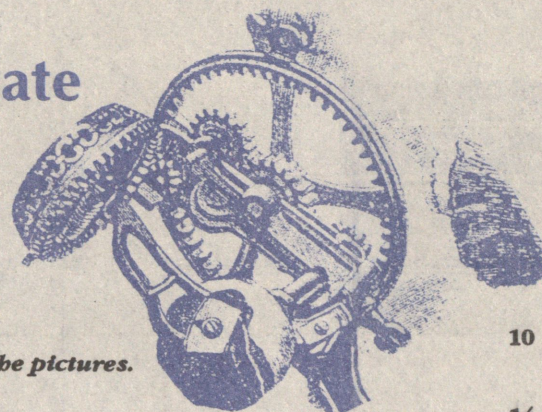
What a fun time it was! Check out the pictures.

The Sporting Life

A visit with Carl Hirsch '78, businessman, sports fan and Spectrum CEO

Shifting Gears for a Peace Economy

The Harriman School launches a "Jobs Project" to retrain displaced engineers.



Hong Kong Ballet comes to the Staller Center on March 20. See page 36.

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Speaking Up

The following is taken from University President John H. Marburger's Convocation Address to the faculty, presented this fall:

In addition to the thousands of students who are learning, and the tens of thousands of patients who are healing under our care and guidance, we can point once again this year to singular contributions to society and to knowledge made by Stony Brook people...

Who could not be fascinated by the implications for the growth and spread of agriculture of Bob Sokal's work, with colleagues, on the correlation of genetic traits with European linguistic patterns? Or by Patricia Wright's creation of a national park in an endangered rain forest in Madagascar? Or by

Konstantin Likharev's vision of electronic devices that let electrons drip through microscopic faucets one by one? ... Or the sweep of top awards by Stony Brook students in the first All-Asian Mozart piano competition in Hong Kong? Or the closest thing yet to the synthesis of life by Eckard Wimmer and his group who made a virus from spare parts? Or Chris Jacobsen, who with colleagues, made eyeglasses for X-rays (figuratively speaking) at nearby Brookhaven National Laboratory and won one of 30 Presidential Faculty Fellowships in recognition for his work?

These are the kinds of accomplishments by which Stony Brook has always measured itself. It is to give others the skill and insight and confidence to make similar contributions that we exist as a university. We

wish to be judged by others according to our success in producing graduates who can climb these heights.

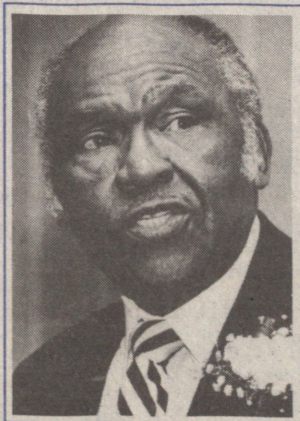
For this reason, I am pleased at the progress our Alumni Office is making to identify outstanding Stony Brook alumni. We have discovered a MacArthur Fellow, the inventor of the RISC processor, faculty in most of America's great universities, congressmen and cabinet ministers in other countries (as well as our own George Hochbrueckner), and thousands of successful men and women whose lives were touched by Stony Brook.

Our greatest challenge is to make sure such accomplishments continue even as we struggle with the effects of the recession.

"A New Century, a New Challenge and a New Beginning," will be the focus of a Distinguished Lecture by Arthur Fletcher, chair of the United States Commission on Civil Rights, Thursday, February 18, at 8 p.m. in the Recital Hall of the Staller Center for the Arts. Alumni and friends are welcome to the talk, sponsored by the Office of the Provost and *Newsday*.

Fletcher was appointed to head the commission from 1990-1995. A professor of business administration and director of the Center for Corporate Social Policy at the University of Denver, he formerly served at the White House as deputy assistant to the president for urban affairs from 1976-77.

The civil rights commission is an independent, bipartisan agency that investigates racial, sexual, religious and other forms of discrimination in the legal and judicial systems, and makes recommendations to the President and Congress.



Dragon Breath, Desert Mouth

Bad breath or dry mouth got you down? Don't despair.

Dr. Leo Sreebny (D.D.S., M.D., Ph.D.), professor of oral biology and pathology at the School of Dental Medicine, is conducting research on these troublesome problems. Even better, he has treatment and advice to help you cope.

According to Sreebny, about one person in four suffers from dry mouth, which can cause serious discomfort and a host of dental problems. Sometimes it's caused by medication, sometimes it's associated with a systemic disease like diabetes, lupus, or Sjogren's syndrome — an autoimmune condition.

There is a lot a person can do to correct the condition, depending on its source. Sucking on a (sugar-free) sourball is one simple remedy, and there's a special solution he can prescribe that produces the same results without demineralizing your teeth.

What about bad breath? Sometimes a disorder in the pulmonary tract, the gastrointestinal system or the sinuses produces malodor. "It takes detective work" to figure it out, he adds. But once the source is discovered, he can often find ways to remedy the situation.

Sreebny and his colleagues are eager to help people with these and related oral problems. They even have a support group for xerostomia (dry mouth) sufferers. To find out more, call him at (516) 632-8949.

Fighting a Killer

Breast cancer is the leading kind of cancer among women in the U.S., with an estimated 180,000 new cases and 46,000 deaths each year. About one in nine women will develop the disease during her lifetime (through age 85), according to the American Cancer Society. To make matters worse, Long Island has one of the highest incidences of breast cancer in the state, with Nassau County's rate at 18.9 percent higher than average.

In the search to better understand breast cancer, sleuths at the School of Medicine are studying the disease, investigating "markers" that can improve diagnosis and treatment.

Julius Elias, associate professor of pathology, is trying to determine why some women with early cancer develop recurrent tumors and die within 10 years, while others achieve long-term cures.

Elias says that about 40 percent of all breast cancer patients (and within a few years, the figure will rise to 50 percent), have so-called stage-one tumors — cancer that has not spread to the lymph nodes. Of those 40 percent, as many as 20 to 30 percent will develop recurrences and die within a decade.

"What we're trying to do is prevent women from falling into the 20-to-30-percent category," Elias says. "We need to define the phenotype: What is the tumor telling us in terms of markers? If we can determine this, we may be able to reduce the death rate." He adds, "Even a five or eight percent difference in outcome is significant, given the number of women dying of breast cancer."

Elias is collaborating with researchers at Johns Hopkins University on this study, funded by ChecTec Corporation, Baltimore, Md. Results are expected in late 1993.

He is also developing a test to better categorize stage-one tumors for treatment. The test employs monoclonal antibodies to measure estrogen receptors in biopsies. Until now, the standardized biochemical test required half a gram of tissue for diagnosis. Today, however,

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mammograms are finding smaller tumors, rendering the conventional test obsolete.

Alan Heimann, M.D., assistant professor of pathology, is collaborating on the project, which is funded by a National Institutes of Health New Investigator Award.

Look Up in the Sky: It's Daylilies, It's Carrots...

Back in September, Abraham Krikorian, professor of biochemistry and cell biology, sent two petri dishes crammed with daylily and carrot embryos aboard the space shuttle *Columbia*. He's looking to determine how microgravity affects plant growth and development. With no "up" or "down," how do plants figure out which way to grow?

After nine days on the shuttle's mid-deck, the experiment, sponsored by NASA's Life Sciences Division, was returned to Krikorian's research team for analysis. They are examining the hundreds of speck-sized embryos to determine how the plants grew in a near-weightless environment without the signals that normally regulate cell development.

"What we're trying to find out is whether any misprocessing occurs when the embryo formation takes place in space," says Krikorian. They also hope to acquire information that will make it possible in the future to cultivate plants in space for research or food and to conduct biotechnological activities.

The team includes research associates Robert P. Kann, Stefania A. O'Connor and Mary E. Scott.

Krikorian expects to send another experiment aboard a NASA space shuttle in 1994.



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Frank Roethel measures a block of ash-cement.

No More Garbage Barge

Trash to ash to cash.

Scientists at the Waste Management Institute (WMI) are evaluating a technology that could benefit the environment, save Long Islanders some money, and reduce the volume of incinerator ash by putting it to good use. They're testing a method, developed and patented by Rolite, Inc. of Pennsylvania, for mixing cement with ash produced by solid waste combustion. The Town of Islip has proposed using the ash-cement mix to help close its Blydenburgh landfill. The material would create a porous cap over the dump that allows gases to escape.

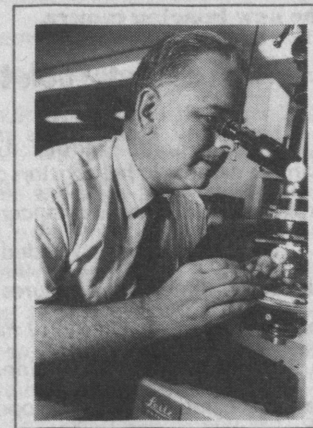
WMI Research Professor Frank Roethel says the material could save taxpayers a fair amount of money. The ash in the mix originates at the Islip Resource Recovery facility, so residents won't have to pay to ship it outside the region for disposal. And it would also save the town the cost of buying a natural aggregate to close the landfill. "It holds the cost down from both ends," Roethel says.

"We will look at how permeable it is, and at how it might change as a function of time and weather," Roethel explains. WMI scientists will study other applications for the ma-

Scattered Showers, Chance of a Downpour in May

Robert Dodd has challenged the conventional wisdom that meteorites approach the earth at random and strike the Earth throughout the year in no particular pattern.

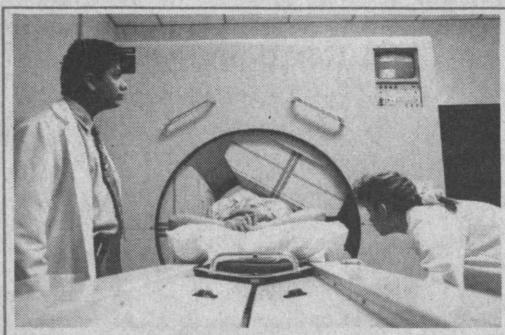
Professor of earth and space science, he studied historical records of meteorite falls that occurred in the 1800s. The records revealed an unusually high concentration of meteorites during the same two-week period in mid-



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May, every year from 1855 to 1895. The objects were "H chondrites," one of the most common types of meteorites, says Dodd. "They are very close to the composition of the sun, with all the gas let out of it."

Working with Dodd, chemists at Purdue University analyzed the meteorites and found that they differed chemically from other H chondrites, having their own distinct composition. The information supported Dodd's proposal that the meteorites were fragments of one asteroid, "possibly Anteros, which is closest to the earth on May 20."



Dr. Kalani Ghanshyam and a technician use the new imaging camera.

A Quick Look Inside

University Hospital has purchased a new Gamma camera to help doctors diagnose and treat stroke, heart disease and cancer better and faster.

The Trionix Triple-Headed Gamma camera takes three-dimensional pictures of the brain, heart and other organs in eight to 12 minutes, compared to 30 minutes for conventional single-headed Gamma cameras. Radioisotopes or radioactive tracers are injected into the patient to "light up" the organs.

Dr. Zvi Oster, radiologist and professor of radiology in the Division of Nuclear Medicine, says Gamma cameras give physiological information such as how organs function or whether a tumor is malignant.

This camera can diagnose early stroke when other imaging techniques still show brain tissue as normal; enable the physician to predict the degree of recovery after stroke; detect epilepsy and distinguish Alzheimer's from other brain abnormalities; allow faster and better stress imaging of the heart; and better define bone cancer.

terial too, including how well the Rolite mix would function in cement blocks and poured concrete for use in curbs, sidewalks and road barriers.

The study is being conducted with a one-year, \$125,000 contract from Rolite. Larry Swanson, WMI director, is principal investigator on the project.

Thursdays at Noon

Intellectual anxiety confronts literary celebration every Thursday at noon, when the English Department hosts a lecture or a reading designed to enlighten, challenge and delight.

"Thursdays at Noon" are held in the Poetry Center, Room 238, Humanities, free of charge, and alumni are invited to join.

Speakers include members of the Stony Brook faculty and scholars from other institutions. The topics scheduled for the winter and spring range from personal to theoretical, including history, literary criticism, theatre, politics and popular culture. Under the direction of Professor Jack Ludwig, the series is intended to reach out and encourage lively dialogue across the disciplines.

"There is no distinction between the imagination in literature and the imagination in physics," says Ludwig. "Reverberations from other disciplines enrich the literature."

Coming this winter:

February 18: Cornelius Eady, assistant professor of English, will give a poetry reading.

February 25: Krin Gabbard, associate professor of comparative literature, will speak on "Black and Tan Fantasies: Questions of Influence in the Jazz Biopic." (This one's on films about white jazz stars that marginalize their black colleagues.)

March 4: Karl Bottigheimer, associate professor of history, on "History and Literature: Friends or Foes."

March 11: Robert Harvey, assistant professor of French and Italian, "Marguerite Duras."

March 18: Ruth Bottigheimer, adjunct professor of comparative studies, "Fairy Tales."

March 25: Leonie Huddy, assistant professor of political science, "Women in the 1992 Election."

April 1: Amiri Baraka, professor of Africana Studies, will give a poetry reading.

New Programs in Public Affairs, Waste Management

Two new master's degree programs, one in public affairs and the other in waste management, will begin during the Spring 1993 semester at the School of Continuing Education.

The public affairs program is offered in collaboration with the Department of Political Science; the waste management program, also offered in abbreviated form as an 18-credit graduate certificate program, is in cooperation with Marine Science Research Center's Waste Management Institute.

The new offerings award a Master of Professional Studies degree. The school also offers an M.P.S. in labor/management and two Master of Arts degrees, one in liberal studies and the other in teaching.

For more information about the new programs, call 516-632-7050.

Better than Receiving

Did you think your holiday gift list was long this year? "Tis the Season," a community service program sponsored by the Division of Campus Residences, probably outdid yours by a few.

For the fourth consecutive year, students at Stony Brook brightened the season for over 300 physically and mentally challenged children on Long Island, buying, wrapping and distributing about 450 toys and gifts for Christmas and Hannukah.

Last year, more than 500 undergraduates helped out, raising \$6,000. Over the past three years, students have raised more than \$13,000.

"Students who participate in this program want to give something to the community and they feel good about themselves for doing it. It certainly brings the holiday spirit to campus each year," says Scott Law, assistant to the director for residen-

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tial programs and coordinator of "Tis the Season."

Fund-raising – bake sales, socials, service auctions and penny drives – began in mid-October and continued through Thanksgiving. Early in December, toys were bought, wrapped and delivered to the developmentally disabled children of the North Country and Forest Brook Learning Centers. And there were even enough toys left over to give out to the children at the University Day Care Centers.

To make a donation or assist with the project for next year, contact Scott Law at (516) 632-6750.

Keeping College Teachers Up to the Minute

Eight Chautauqua Short Courses for college teachers, supported in part by the National Science Foundation, will be offered this spring by the university's Center for Science, Mathematics and Technology Education. These courses are given by leading researchers to help undergraduate college teachers keep up with the latest discoveries and ideas in their fields.

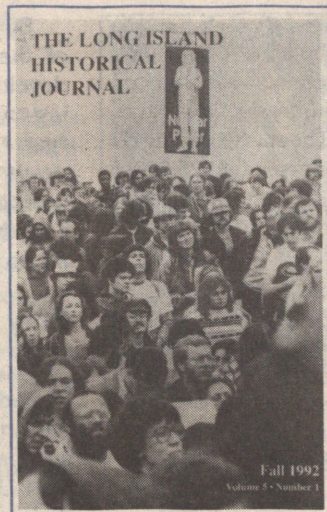
Five of the courses will be held at the university; three will be given in Manhattan at the American Museum of Natural History.

At Stony Brook, the courses will be "Leonardo Da Vinci/The Myth of Genius," taught by Dennis Rohatyn; "Advances in Immunology," Jules Elias; "Grand Unification," Max Dresden; "Evolution," John Fleagle; and "Molecular Frontiers," Bernard Dudock.

In Manhattan, the courses will be "The Creative Process," Ralph Davis; "A History of the Idea of *Unfit People*," Eloy Carlson; and "The Atom Bomb," Everett Mendelsohn.

When the Bay Froze Over

The latest issue of the *Long Island Historical Journal*, published by Stony Brook's Department of History, and edited by alumnus Roger Wunderlich (M.A. '83, Ph.D. '86),



goes back to the early days of this century, when baymen had to cut through heavy ice to harvest oysters in the Great South Bay. Historian John M. Kochiss interviewed descendants of Dutch settlers, Long Island's original baymen, at the Suffolk Marine Museum.

The cover story is the "Rise and Fall of LILCO's Nuclear Power Program," by Karl Grossman. Other pieces look at Jamaica Bay, historic storms, new Japanese religions flourishing in Flushing, and more.

Published bi-annually since 1988, each issue contains articles focusing on Long Island as an integral part of American history.

"The premise of the journal is that we study Long Island as America," says Wunderlich. "Long Island is a microcosm as significant in its way as New England, the Chesapeake or the Mississippi Valley."

Wunderlich returned to Stony Brook for graduate study in his mid-60s, after retiring from a career in the publishing industry. Now in his late 70s, he's still going strong, and so is the journal.

Subscriptions to the journal can be obtained by sending a check for \$15 (payable to *Long Island Historical Journal*), to LIHJ, Department of History, University at Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY 11794-4348.

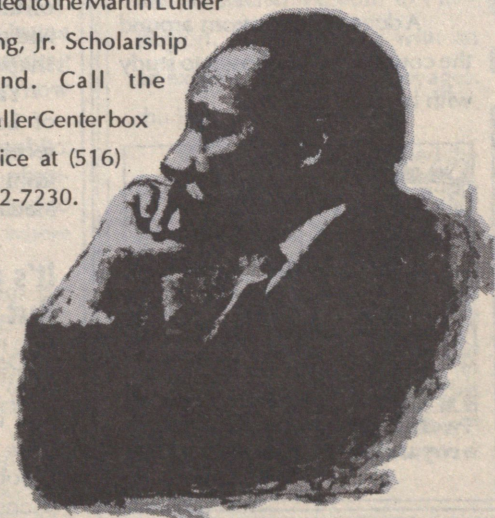
Celebrating Martin Luther King, Jr. with Ruby Dee

Ruby Dee, star of stage and screen, presents "Ruby Remembers Martin," a one-woman show, on Thursday, February 4, at 7 p.m. in the Staller Center for the Arts.

Dee knew the Reverend King personally and worked with him in the Civil Rights movement, along with her husband Ozzie Davis. She'll share some of those memories at Stony Brook, as part of the university's Black History Month celebration. She appeared in Spike Lee's *Do the Right Thing* and *Jungle Fever*, and has been on television often. Other films and stage plays to her credit include *A Raisin in the Sun*, *Purlie Victorious*, and *The Jackie Robinson Story*.

The evening also features the Stony Brook Gospel Choir, a spirited student group under the direction of Marvin Palmore.

Tickets are \$6, and all proceeds will be donated to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Scholarship Fund. Call the Staller Center box office at (516) 632-7230.





Anti-Semitism Without Jews

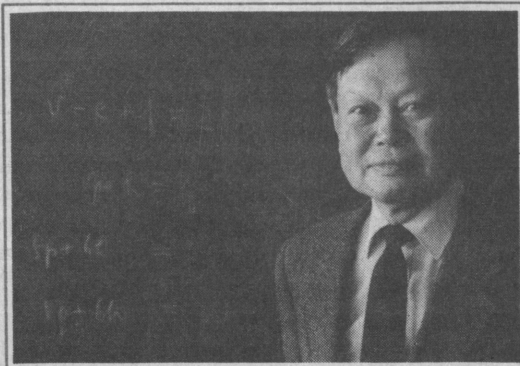
Jews were expelled from England in 1290 and not officially allowed to return until Oliver Cromwell lifted the order of banishment nearly 400 years later. Through all those years, English writers like Chaucer and Shakespeare continued to create Jewish characters, often portraying them as demons.

Stephen Spector, professor of English, has been awarded a 1993 National Endowment for the Humanities grant to create a seven-week summer seminar for college teachers on "Absence and Presence: the Jew in Early English Literature." Spector, who teaches medieval literature, will explore the historical, economic, theological, psychoanalytical and other perspectives on the topic.

A dozen teachers from around the country will be chosen to study with him.



Twelfth century Jews receiving a royal charter from the prince.



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C.N. Yang

Nobel Laureate Receives Stony Brook Medal

Chen Ning Yang, director of USB's Institute for Theoretical Physics, has been awarded the Stony Brook Medal. The medal is the highest form of recognition bestowed by the campus, awarded by the president of the university and authorized by the Stony Brook Council. Previous recipients include New York State Senator Kenneth P. LaValle, former Dean of Medicine Marvin Kushner and Staller Center benefactor Erwin P. Staller.

Yang, who holds the rank of Albert Einstein Professor of Physics at USB, joined the Stony Brook faculty in 1966. He received the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1957 for his work with physicist T. D. Lee on non-conservation of parity (lack of absolute left/right symmetry in "weak" interactions).

Yang's work established the basis for the modern quantum field theory. Trained not only in physics but also in mathematics, Yang has bridged the two fields in his work. He has also shed light on the relationship between the geometry of space and time, and the fundamental interactions which shape the universe.

Yang has also been elected to the Royal Society of London and recently traveled to Russia to receive an honorary Doctor of Science degree from Moscow State University. He is a National Medal of Science recipient.

It's a Free Country, But It Costs Taxpayers Plenty

Death and taxes. Inevitable, aren't they? Apparently some people don't think so, and they try to beat the system. Although they can't escape the Grim Reaper, they try to evade the IRS.

John T. Scholz, associate professor of political science, is working on a book about the American taxpayer that will explore the basic conflict between the legal obligation to pay up and the sense of individual freedom ingrained in American culture that leads some to resist taxation.

By studying taxpayer compliance in the wake of the 1986 Tax Reform Act, Scholz hopes to develop important lessons for policymakers seeking to reduce the \$100 billion federal income tax "gap." He's conducting his research while on a year's sabbatical at the Russell Sage Foundation; he expects to complete the project by June. Scholz already coauthored one book on *Taxpayer Compliance*, and this will be the second.

Play It Again, Lisa

Pianist Lisa Caroline Moore (D.M.A. '92) was named winner of the 1992 Thayer Fellowship in the Arts, an award given annually to two creative and performing artists as they graduate from the State University of New York, to help them launch their careers.

Moore, a native of Australia, completed a Bachelor of Music degree at the University of Illinois and a Master of Music at the Eastman School of Music. She has won the Carnegie Hall International American Music Silver Medal, the Bernstein Fellowship from Tanglewood Music Center, and other awards.

The fellowships were established in 1984 by Walter N. Thayer, chair of Whitney Communications Corporation, in honor of his wife, Jeanne C. Thayer. Among the seven finalists were two additional Stony Brook candidates: pianist Mary Meil-Loc Wu and actress Fiona Bayly.

Honoring a Lifetime of Research

Thomas F. Irvine, Jr., professor emeritus of mechanical engineering, received the Heat Transfer Memorial Award of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) during its annual meeting in November in Anaheim, California.

The award recognizes outstanding contributions to the field of heat transfer through teaching, research, design and publications. Irvine was honored because of his "numerous contributions in research, teaching and service to ASME and to the field of heat transfer for more than three decades."

Irvine joined the faculty at Stony Brook in 1961 and served as USB's dean of engineering from 1961-1972. For 27 years, Irvine was coeditor of the widely published monograph series "Advances in Heat Transfer" and coeditor of "Progress in Mass Transfer" for 21 years.

He also served as the coeditor for the textbook series *Pergamon Unified Engineering Series* and the graduate school textbooks, *Series in Thermal and Fluids Engineering*. He is currently editor of *Heat Transfer — Japanese Research*, *Heat Transfer — Soviet Research*, and *Previews of Heat and Mass Transfer*.

"Greenhouse Effect" Scientist Honored by SUNY

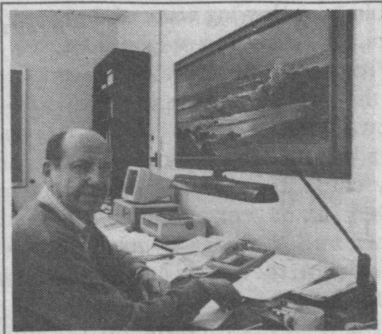
Congratulations to Robert D. Cess, newly designated a State University of New York Distinguished Professor by the SUNY Board of Trustees. The rank recognizes faculty members who have achieved prominence in their fields and whose work has elevated the quality of scholarship by their colleagues. It is the highest honor accorded by the board to faculty members.

Cess is known worldwide for his leadership in the search for answers on global climate change and the "greenhouse effect." He directs a U.S. Department of Energy project to compare and improve the 19 computer models now being used throughout the world to predict long-term climate change. He is also part of a National Aeronautics and Space Administration study known as ERBE, Earth Radiation Budget Experiment, which is providing extensive satellite data on how clouds, snow mass and other factors influence global warming.

The computer models are used by scientists to forecast global climate change, but they're unreliable and often inaccurate. Cess, his Stony Brook colleagues and researchers from 18 other institutions use ERBE satellite data to refine the models. Armed with information on what conditions were like during a given period, they check the results of the models for that same period to see which came closest to "hindcasting" what actually occurred. Once Cess and his colleagues narrow the models down to the ones that do the best, they will begin fine-tuning to make them more accurate.

Cess is also a tinkerer in his leisure hours. Colleagues, aware of his efforts to painstakingly rebuild a 1969 Alfa Romeo, have dubbed the model intercomparison project FANGIO: Feedback Analysis for Global Climate Model Intercomparison and Observations. It also stands for Juan Manuel Fangio, five-time Alfa Romeo Grand Prix driving champion.

Cess joined Stony Brook's faculty in 1961. Along with other members of the university's Institute for Planetary and Terrestrial Atmospheres, he recently joined the faculty of USB's Marine Sciences Research Center. Last year Cess was named a Distinguished Service Professor by the SUNY Board of Trustees.



Robert Cess

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Learning by Giving to Others

Students and staff who run Stony Brook's Volunteers Involved Together for Action in Life (VITAL) program give time and expertise to the Long Island community – and have won an award for their efforts.

At the "GET in GEAR: Volunteer" conference in October, IBM-Long Island presented the "Pursuit of Excellence Award" to VITAL in recognition of its commitment to community service.

Tom Tyson, associate director of the Career Development Office and VITAL adviser, and Christy Caviglia and Kelline Ulysse, undergraduate VITAL student coordinators, accepted the award on behalf of the program. Both Caviglia and Ulysse are seniors, majoring in sociology.

VITAL is a student-run referral service affiliated with the Career Development Office that helps students gain career-related volunteer experience.

Excellence Rewarded

Ana Maria Torres puts people first, in her official job and in her volunteer work, so it's no surprise that she has received the President's Award for Excellence in Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action. The award honors members of the staff who have made an outstanding contribution to improving opportunities for all at Stony Brook.

Torres, associate dean of students at the Health Sciences Center, is deeply committed to encouraging underrepresented populations, especially, but not exclusively, Latino.

She has served and continues to serve on committees and task forces that relate to student life, acting as mentor, advisor and advocate for Latino students – and staff – all over the campus. She advises Gamme Ce Upsilon Sorority, a Latina student cultural organization, and is a founding member of Personal Universitario Latino, now called Union Universitaria Latina.

Torres was born in the Dominican Republic. When Trujillo came to power, her father, a physician, was on the dictator's list of enemies, and so he moved the entire family to Puerto Rico where she grew up.

She graduated *magna cum laude* from the University of Puerto Rico, with a B.A. in psychology. She then moved to the continental United States, earning a Master of Arts degree in counselor education at SUNY at Buffalo, where she served as advisor to the foreign students.

Torres joined the staff of Stony Brook in 1974 as assistant director of financial aid. She became assistant dean of students for the HSC in 1977 and was promoted to her present position in 1985. In 1981 she received the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Professional Service.



Music Maker

Sheila Silver, associate professor of music, has won an American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP) Award for 1992-93. She is currently working on a commission, "Three Preludes for Orchestra," for the American Composers' Orchestra, to be premiered on March 21 at Carnegie Hall.

In France last summer, her "Six Preludes for Piano" were premiered at the Camargo Foundation in Cassis. Gil Kalish will perform them on October 2, 1993, at the Heckscher Museum in Huntington, in conjunction with an art exhibit, "Baudelaire's Voyages: the Poet and his Painters."

Silver has been awarded the Prix de Rome, Prix de Paris, and the American Institute and Academy of Arts and Letters Composer Award. Her music has been performed throughout the United States and Europe and is recorded on compact disk for CRI, GSS and Mode Records.



Getting to the Art of the Matter



Leslie Lipsick, Patrick Van Nieuwenhuizen and Timmy Ichniowski create buildings, with aide Lauren Rosen.

The gallery buzzed with young art lovers. Very young. Actually, about four years old. They were on a field trip from the University Preschool to learn something about contemporary art and experience what it's like to visit an art gallery.

Several different levels of learning were going on simultaneously that morning, a kind of crossover educational experience that involved toddlers and Stony Brook students, both graduate and undergraduate. Some of the university students were learning about early childhood development through the Psychology Department; some were learning about gallery and museum management through the Art Department.

Guiding them all was Rhonda Cooper, director of the University Art Gallery in the Staller Center for the Arts for the past nine years. The project is part of her ongoing effort to bring outside groups into the gallery: senior citizens, Girl Scouts and preschoolers, among others. Assisting her were about 10 Stony Brook undergraduates and two master's candidates – students of the Gallery Management Workshop, a one-credit course that Cooper teaches every semester. Participants are mostly, but not always, art majors. For these college students, this morning's visit was part of the "museum education" unit of the course.

The preschoolers were members of Barbara Wider's four-year-old class at the preschool. Accompanying and assisting Wider and the



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Gallery Director Rhonda Cooper shows Leslie Lipsick and Larissa Mattei an interactive sculpture.

children were two college aides, Michelle Kraskin and Lauren Rosen, who are earning academic credit in the Psychology Department for their internship at the preschool. They helped out as the children wandered through the gallery on a treasure hunt, looking for items "hidden" in the exhibit. "City Views" was the name of the exhibition, and it included photographs, monotypes, assemblages, paintings and sculptures, some very playful, all with urban themes.

Cooper singled out a few pieces from the show to discuss in detail, including a large installation called "Con-Ed Maintenance," by Bobbi Mastrangelo, an artist from nearby St. James, Long Island. The work included a realistic-looking open manhole with the suggestion of full-sized work tunnels attached. Behind one section of the piece, Mastrangelo had tucked a little mouse. It was hard for the four year olds to resist touching and climbing on the installation, but they were good.

Another work by Mastrangelo that fascinated the visitors was "Precious Water." When the little metal doors of this installation were opened, you could hear flowing water and recorded messages about conservation of resources.

To cap off the visit, the children sat on the floor of the gallery and created a model city out of brown paper lunch bags. Each drew and colored on a bag, turning it into a building. The psychology students encouraged the children and the gallery management students stuffed crumpled paper into the bags to give them body. Set all together on the floor, a little city took shape, to the delight of its creators.

The preschool is planning a return visit in the spring.



Nicole Nudo, foreground, Drake Turner and Stephanie Lee, seated, in the gallery.

University Opens High Technology Incubator with a Flourish



Governor Mario Cuomo cut the ceremonial ribbon to open the Long Island High Technology Incubator on the Stony Brook campus in October, ushering in a new era for the region.

The ceremony, held at the main entrance of the new \$5 million facility, brought together University President John H. Marburger and other university officials, along with government, business and



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Governor Cuomo congratulates President Marburger at the dedication ceremony.

Long Island High Technology Incubator at Stony Brook

Tenant	Technology
Applied Physics Technology	Electronics
Advanced Research Systems	Biotechnology
Auto Software Development Corp.	Electronics
Burns Holographic	Laser
Designer Genes Inc.	Biotechnology
Enteric Products	Biotechnology
Expert Diagnostics	Electronics
Hayward Labs	Biotechnology
Human Bio-Tech	Biotechnology
Intraoperative Imaging	Medical Imaging
Moltech Corp.	Advanced Materials
Nanoprobes	Biotechnology
New York State Biotechnology Association	Biotechnology
Ortec International, Inc.	Biotechnology
Professional Business Management Systems, Inc.	Software
Progressive Media Technology	Multimedia
Renaissance	Software
Robert Nathans Ltd.	Pattern Recognition
Vasogenics	Medical Systems
Viral Testing Systems	Biotechnology

civic leaders whose efforts culminated in the only high technology incubator facility on Long Island.

"The overwhelming legislative support for the Long Island High Technology Incubator signifies how important this project is for our future economy," said Marburger when the New York State Legislature passed the bill to provide low-interest loans for the facility back in May, 1990.

The Incubator, designed to nurture new companies in technologies crucial to Long Island's economic development, provides reasonable rent, facilities and basic services to emerging high tech ventures. Tenants have access to university scientists, specialized equipment, business and marketing assistance, and entree to the investment communities. In addition, a regionally based support system will encourage incubator "graduates" to remain within the region and state.

Construction of a high technology incubator building at Stony Brook has been anticipated for several years. In 1986, the university, working through the state's Center for Advanced Technology, created an Interim Incubator Program in biotechnology, using temporary space in the Life Sciences Building. Since then, the program has expanded to accommodate additional technologies housed in other campus facilities.

Operations of the incubator are overseen by the Long Island High Technology Incubator, Inc., a not-for-profit membership corporation of the Stony Brook Foundation and the State University Research Foundation. Manager of the new facility is Francis P. (Pat) Hession, president of the corporation.

Incubator architect was Ehasz-Giacalone (Garden City); builder was A.D. Herman (Huntington).



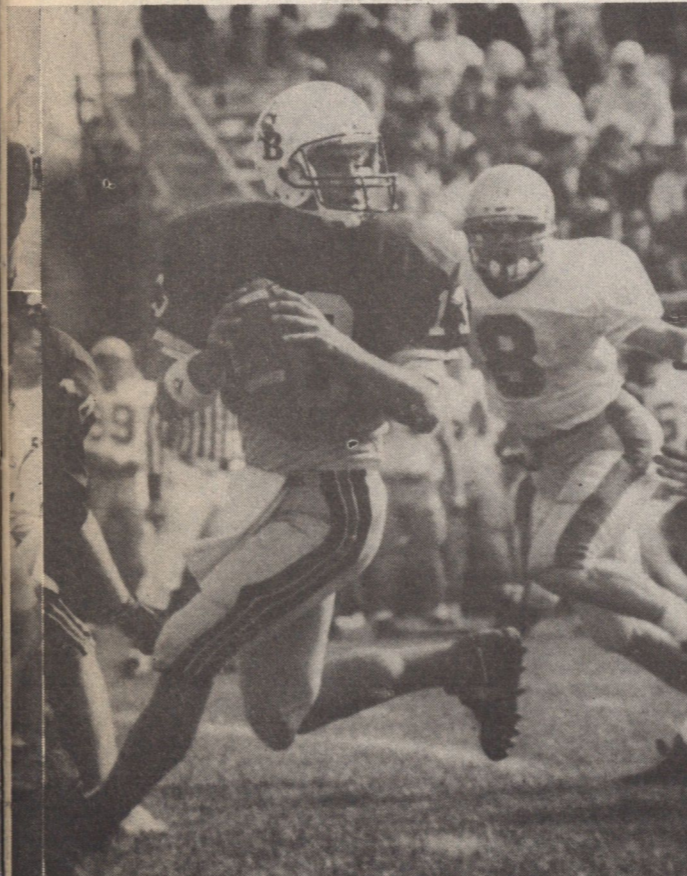
HOMECOMING 1992

HOMECOMING WEEKEND October 24-25, 1992

◆ The sun shone brightly on a late October Saturday morning, bringing a welcome warmth to one of USB's fastest growing traditions: Homecoming Weekend. This year's Homecoming was better than ever, with more than 800 alumni returning to campus to participate in parties, a parade, football game, footrace and much more, as well as to share memories, catch up on the latest news, and visit their old haunts once again.

◆ Saturday began with the Distinguished Alumnus and Outstanding Professor brunch, at which Robert Gallucci '67, Jesse Nicholson '61 and Professor Howard Scarrow were honored for outstanding contributions to their fields and to USB. The University Club in the new Chemistry building provided a beautiful view of autumn at Stony Brook. Warm words and fond remembrances of USB were expressed by all recipients.

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REUNIONS

❖ The fun continued at the football field, where many alumni joined in the tailgating contest. Prizes were awarded by the Athletic Department's Public Relations Committee. The Alumni Association again gave cash prizes to the winners of the spirit parade's banner and float contests. This year Alpha Delta Phi created a purple pirate ship which took the best float award and a joint effort between Sigma Delta Tau and Tau Delta Phi won honors for best banner.

❖ At halftime came the crowning of the 1992-1993 Homecoming King and Queen. Krista De Maria and Jayson Zellman were crowned by former kings Eric Levine ('85-'86) and Bill Nelson ('86-'87). Krista is a senior commuter student from Belle Terre, NY. She transferred to USB after her freshman year at Butler University in Indiana. Her campus activities include *Statesman* and Theta Phi Alpha sorority. Jayson is a senior from Flushing, NY. He is a Student Ambassador and a founding father of the Tau Delta Phi fraternity.

❖ For those of you new to this tradition, any USB student can become king or queen. Applicants are interviewed by a panel of faculty, staff, alumni and students. Winners are selected based on a written application, an interview and evidence of campus leadership.

❖ Since Homecoming, the royal couple has been quite active, taking part in the Student Affairs Convocation, the Stony Brook Foundation Donor Dinner, Admissions Open House, the Alumni in the Corporate World Series and the Student/Faculty/Staff Retreat. They will serve on the Campus Life Committee (part of the Middle States Accreditation program) and the sports promotion committee and assist with admissions recruiting.

❖ After the game, many alumni joined departmental reunions and evening events. The Reunion Dinner Dance honored the classes of 1967, 1972, 1977 and 1982. The decor recalled an autumn harvest and those in attendance danced the night away to the music of Alstan Entertainment.

❖ The class of 1987 held its five-year reunion at the End of the Bridge Restaurant. Our younger alumni were amazed at the facelift given to one of their favorite campus hangouts.

❖ For those who were not completely exhausted, the fourth annual Alumni Run for Scholarships took place on Sunday morning at 10:00. Runners and guests were treated to a brunch afterwards, a homecoming tradition that has faculty, staff and administrators flipping pancakes for the ravenous runners. This year, runners and guests numbered in excess of 300.

❖ If you missed out on the fun this year, make sure you don't make the same mistake twice! Mark your calendars now for Homecoming Weekend 1993 - coming October 30 and 31. ■



Class of '87

ALL HOMECOMING PHOTOS BY PAT COLOMBRARO



Class of '67



Class of '77



Engineering Department reunion



Sheldon Cohen, president of the Alumni Association, with Distinguished Alumnus Jesse Nicholson, Distinguished Professor Harold Scarrow, Distinguished Alumnus Robert Gallucci and University President John H. Marburger.



Class of '72



Department of English reunion



Class of '82

Take a Trip With Us

Want to tour the great meteor crater near Flagstaff, Arizona, and visit observatories with an astronomer and a geologist?

How about the Big Island of Hawaii to see volcanoes, archeological sites and observatories, with experts along to guide and answer questions?

Alumni Affairs, together with members of our faculty, staff and the Stony Brook Foundation, are thinking of starting a program of educational vacations for alumni.

Each trip would feature a destination about which a faculty member has special knowledge, and the focus – cultural, political, scientific – would depend on the place. The “getaways” could be long-distance trips lasting five to 10 days, or weekends at a conference center in the Metro New York area.

These vacations would feature interesting destinations, stimulating topics, and the company of people who share an interest. Enrollment would be limited to 40-50 adults, and there would be time to pursue individual activities. No academic credit would be offered. Costs for the week-long trips would be approximately \$1100-\$1400 per person, including lodging, most meals, site visits, ground transportation, gratuities and taxes, and educational materials. Transportation to the site would be additional. Costs for the weekend seminars would be approximately \$200 per person, double occupancy, with meals and lodging included.

Since these programs require advance planning, we need to know if there is sufficient interest to proceed. Please complete the questionnaire below.

Take a Trip With Us

Please return this coupon by April 1 to the Alumni Association at 441 Administration, University at Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY 11790-0604.

I am interested and would consider participating:

In the near future In five to 10 years

I would not participate because:

I'm not interested I don't have time
 It's too expensive Other (please explain)

I would prefer:

A weekend seminar A long-distance trip

I'm interested in the astronomy/geology trip:

To Arizona To Hawaii

Topics or destinations that would interest me for future trips and seminars: _____

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The Sporting Life

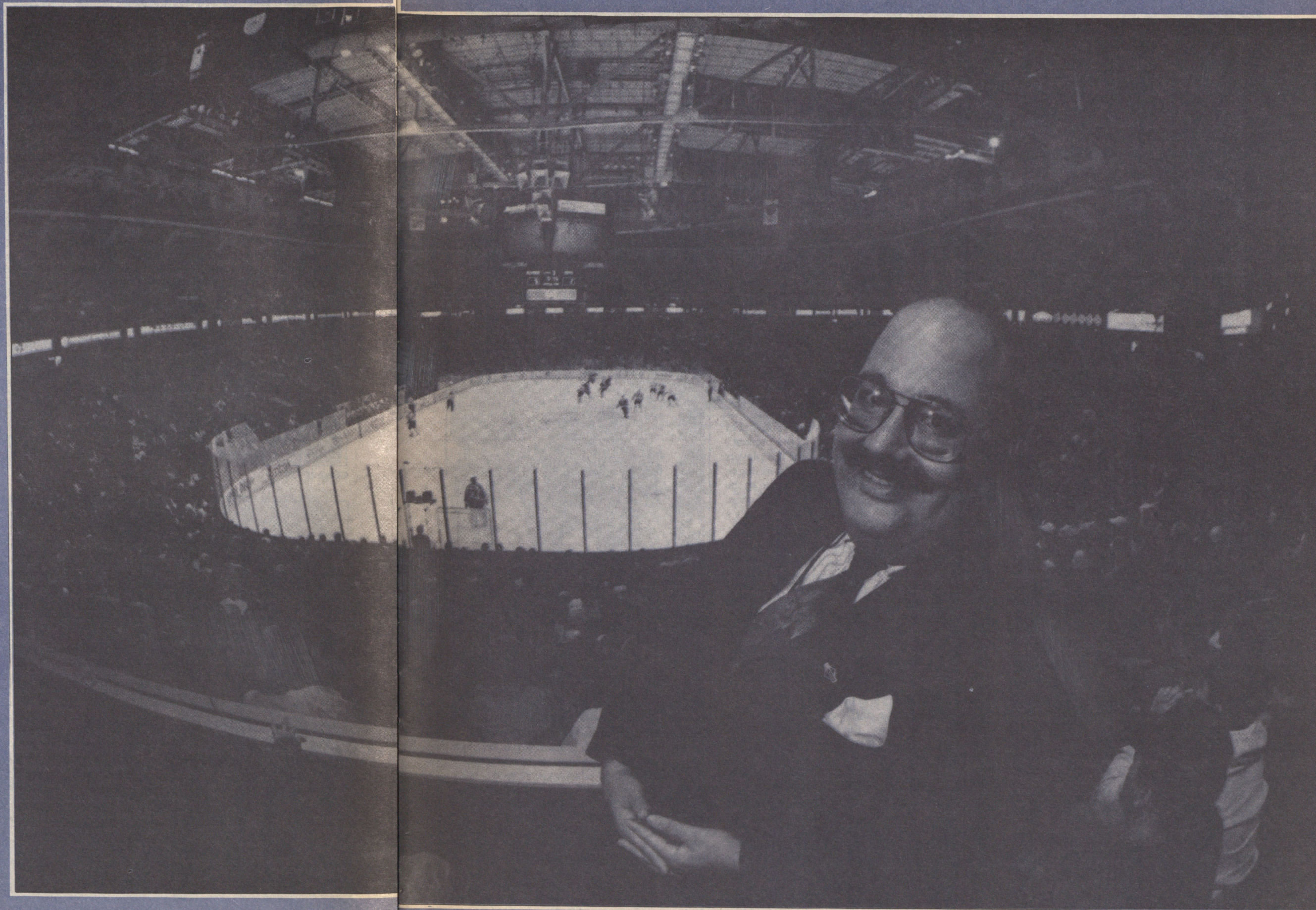
By Gila Reinstein

At rink level, the floor is wet. Cold air comes off the ice and drifts over the Plexiglass barrier separating the crew from the players. Above and all around, Philadelphia Flyers fans roar their approval. The home team is playing the Islanders and beating them.

Standing in a suit and tie in a cluster of uniformed arena workers, the president and CEO of the Spectrum confers quietly. He's a hockey fan and he often watches the game, but not today. Today he is hosting visitors from his alma mater, Stony Brook.

Carl Hirsh '78 is an enthusiastic, all-around sports fan who has made an extraordinary career of what others only dream about. A political science major in college, after graduation he decided to see if he could break into sports management.

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The Sporting Life

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"I figured that if I'd ever have a shot at it, it was when I first got out of school."

He enrolled in a master's program at the University of Massachusetts for formal training in sports management, something he did informally at Stony Brook. Back in 1974 he helped organize the ice hockey club "from scratch," hired its first coach, managed and promoted the team, and went before Polity every year to argue for a budget. Under his leadership, the hockey club went from zero to \$20,000 a year and got off to a strong start.

"Asking Polity for funding is very similar to going in front of the City Council – just on a different scale," he says with a smile. "A lot of things I learned at Stony Brook outside the classroom affect what I do today. I don't think anything can replace real-life experience."

At Stony Brook he played on the hockey team he established, "but not very often, and not very well," he chuckles. "I love the sport, and I'm happy staying behind the scenes." He also worked as a managerial assistant for Campus Residences, keeping track of inventories, storage areas and master keys for Whitman College (Roth Quad). During those years he met Phyllis Solomon, the resident assistant who became his wife. Phyllis and Carl now have four children: Andrew, 8; twins Lauren and Adam, 6; and one-year-old daughter, Billie.

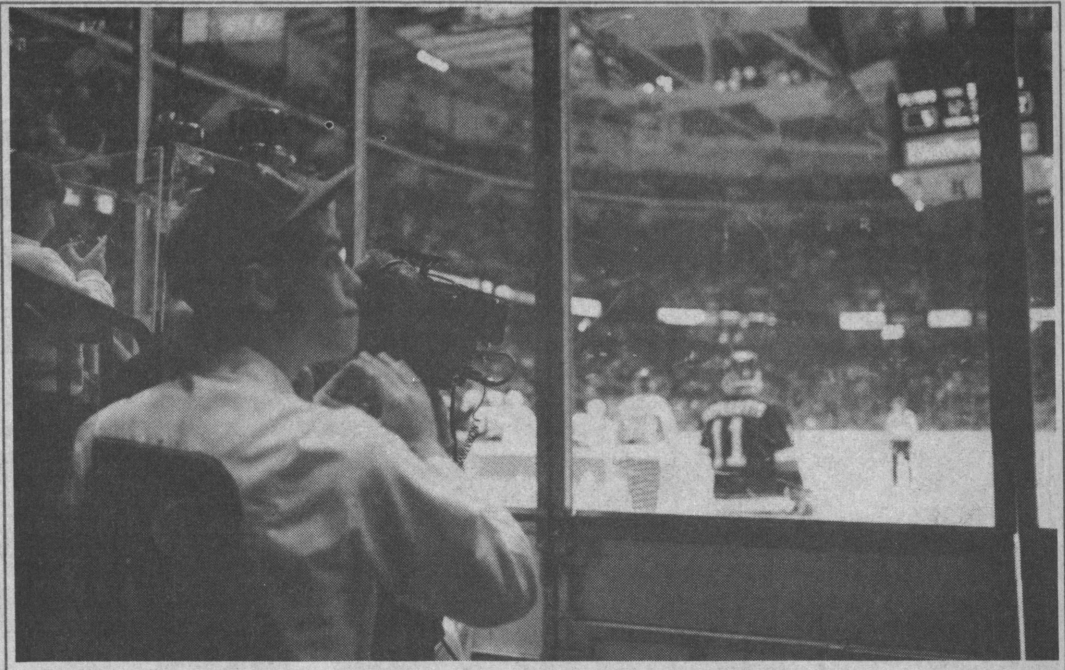
Looking back to his undergraduate years, Hirsh says, "When I went, Stony Brook was sort of an unknown, building its reputation. I liked it because I could go and be away from home [Brooklyn], but not too far from home."

He last visited Stony Brook in April 1991 in honor of Rollie Massimino's induction into the VIP (Very Important Patriots) Club Hall of Fame. Massimino, basketball coach at the University of Nevada at Las Vegas, coached the Patriots from 1969 to 1971 before leading Villanova to the NCAA championship. He met Hirsh one day when the Villanova Wildcats were practicing at the Spectrum. The two found plenty of common ground, including warm memories of Stony Brook, and became close friends. Hirsh, who traveled to at least one Villanova away game every year – sometimes flying with the team on its chartered jet – now has a good excuse (win or lose) to go to Vegas. His oldest son Andrew comes along on these excursions now and is growing into quite a sports fan.

Says Hirsh, "My son won't realize what he has till much later. He and Rollie have a very special relationship."

At the Hall of Fame ceremony, Hirsh saw USB's new Indoor Sports Complex for the first time, and he thinks it's "great." He likes the idea of Stony Brook's going Division I and says so.

"I think big-time college sports is the best part of college life. That's something Stony Brook students don't have now – and should have. There's no focal point to bring people together,



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Watching the action at ice level.

and sports could do that. Division I is a wide open market. It will draw a lot of attention, and anything that increases the visibility of the school is a positive. But it takes a lot of time and money," he cautions.

(Another shout from the crowd, as an Islander shot is blocked, brings him back to the present.)

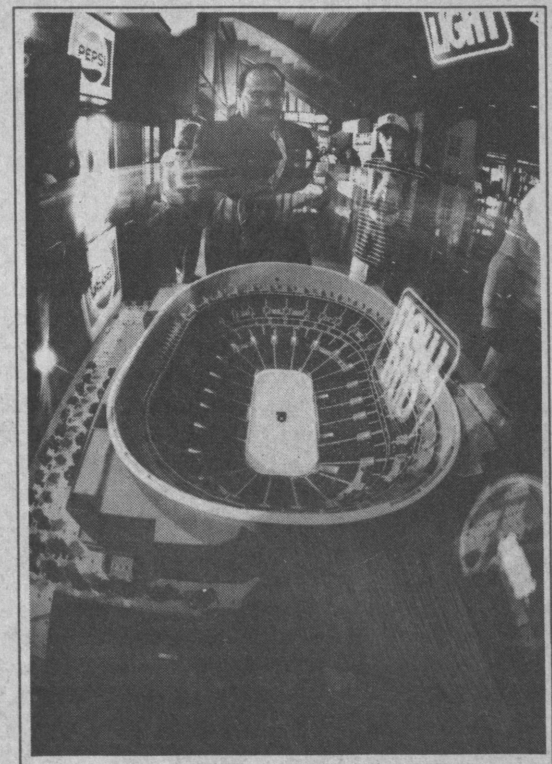
"The Flyers have a loyal team base. The players put out the extra effort, whether they're winning or losing, and the fans are faithful. It's a tribute to the organization," he tells us with genuine satisfaction.

Hirsh sits on the board of the Flyers. That's a small part of his job. He also oversees operations, management, marketing and finance for the 19,500-seat Spectrum, a venue that hosts three million visitors a year. The Grateful Dead have done over 50 shows there. Bruce Springsteen has performed there 30 times or more; Neil Diamond, Madonna, Disney on Ice, college basketball — you name it. Every June, Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey Circus pitches its tents in the parking lot, just after their New York City-Long Island tour. Even Luciano Pavarotti has played the Spectrum and is returning this spring.

But it's the Flyers and the 76ers who make the Spectrum their home, and they've given their fans two Stanley Cups and the NBA Championship. Thanks to Hirsh, the teams will soon be moving into Spectrum II, a second arena to be built on the 55-acre site over the next two-and-a-half years. Negotiating the deal with the city took more than two years, but when it was done, Hirsh was able to keep the teams from moving to New Jersey, where they were being lured by big money.

"These teams have always been part of the community. They wanted to stay here, and we wanted them to stay," he says, and so he worked out a 29-year contract to guarantee that.

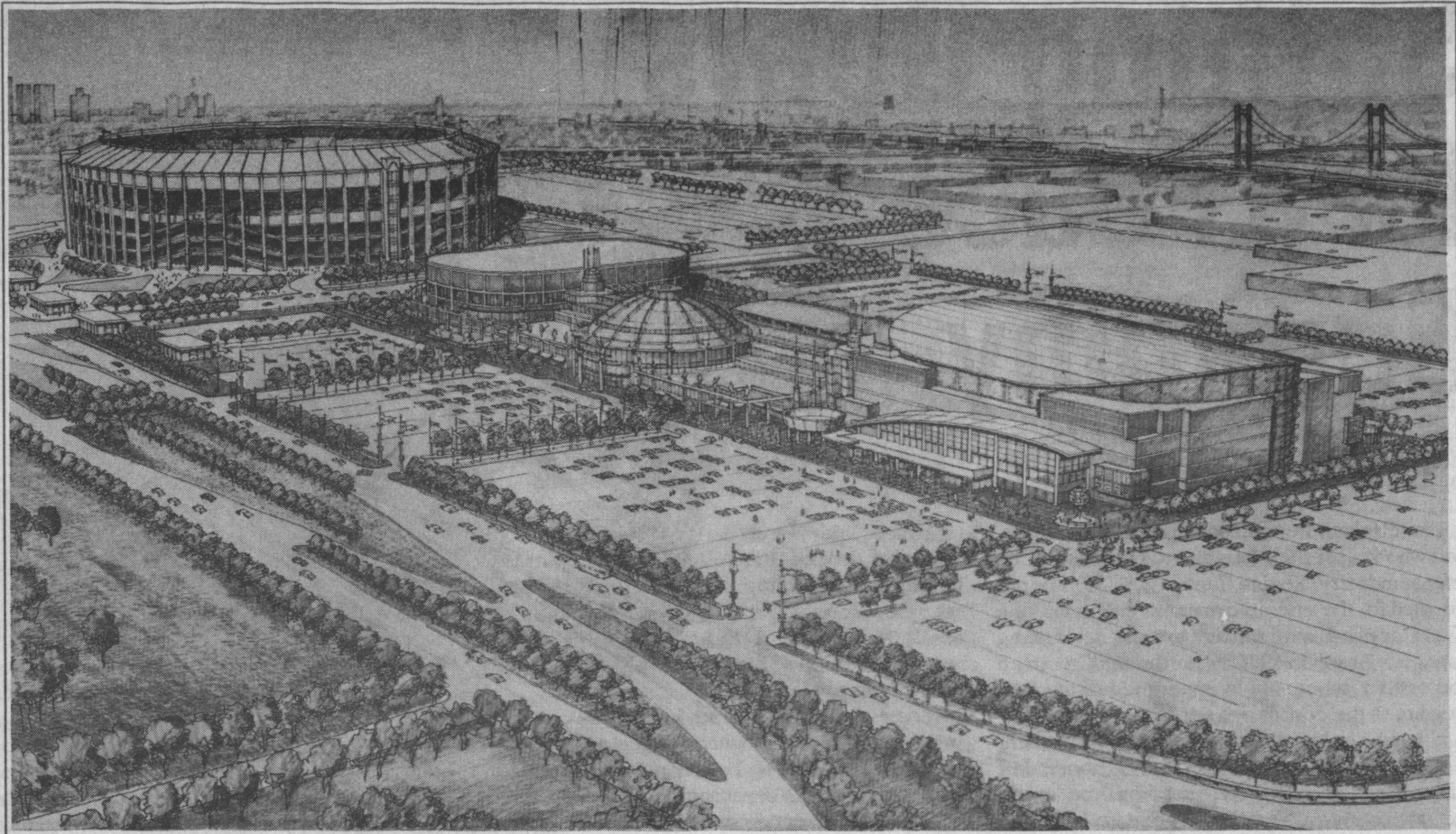
Hirsh also got approval for a facility that puts spectators as close to the action as the city building code allows. That means steeply raked seating, tight aisles and lots of good seats.



Carl Hirsh shows a model of Spectrum II.

"Actually building this thing has got to be easier than everything that we've had to do so far," he says with a laugh. "The conceptual is the hardest part. Dealing with the municipality, negotiations with the banks, designing and redesigning," all took their toll.

Every aspect of the project needs his input. Over lunch in the VIP restaurant – with the game playing on a dozen overhead, oversized screens – a man stops by the table to show Hirsh a sheaf of designs for the logo of the new arena and the



An artist's rendering of the future entertainment complex, showing the existing Spectrum and the new arena, the central concourse and, in the background, the skyline of Philadelphia.

entire complex. The corporate images of both have to be closely related, but Spectrum II needs its own distinct identity, he explains.

Hirsh seems to know by name his entire staff (110 full-time and 350 part-time workers), and they certainly know him. Everywhere we go, from the restaurant to the sales showroom, from the public concourse where you buy popcorn to the depths of the building where workers wait to lay down the basketball floor for tonight's game, there's a warm greeting, a friendly spot-conference. He makes time for each employee who needs a word with him, and his ready smile and easy-going approach set the tone wherever he goes.

It's no surprise when he says, "I love what I'm doing. I wouldn't trade it for anything."

He shows us elaborate models and drawings of the new arena. Adding the second performance/competition space will allow the existing Spectrum – now 25 years old – to offer more concerts and family shows, including the kind that give Hirsh the worst headache: tractor pulls. All that dirt has to be hauled in and out, and in a hurry, to make room for whatever event follows. Wrestlemania will come to the Spectrum too, maybe in both arenas at the same time, with giant screens showing the audience what they are missing on the other stage.

Right now, the Spectrum hosts about 300 events a year, and from December through March there are no free dates. When Spectrum II is built,

the number of shows will increase and the staff will more than double to accommodate an expected four and a half million spectators. The new arena will have 21,000 seats, cost \$150-\$200 million to build and create 2,000 construction jobs.

Spectrum II, connected to the original Spectrum by a central concourse, will have a dining room overlooking the ice, with a view of the Philadelphia skyline to the north. Seating there will be at a premium, and tables, like luxury suites and club seats, will be available as seasonal rentals. The 1,100 club seats will go for \$9,500 a year, which buys you a good view for 82 home games, along with various amenities. The suites, which seat 12-14 each and come equipped with a living room, bathroom, wet bar, and lots of other comforts, run from \$125 thousand to \$135 thousand for the year.

"That's how sports is funded around the country today," Hirsh explains, and he should know. Before taking on his present position, he was vice president of operations for Spectacor Management Group (SMG), where, from 1987-89 he was responsible for the operation of all the public assembly facilities managed by SMG across the country, including the Spectrum and the Nassau Veterans Memorial Coliseum. Under his stewardship, SMG doubled the total number of arenas, stadiums, theatres, convention and civic centers that it owns.

Hirsh joined Spectrum in 1981 and worked his way up in the organization, directing bookings at

the beginning, and later, advertising, marketing and promotion.

His very first job after school was at the Nassau Coliseum, where he started as a graduate student intern and was later hired to run purchasing, marketing and public relations.

Now he heads a major arena that is about to clone its own bigger brother. To thank him for his part in making Spectrum II possible, Spectacor's owner, Ed Snider, gave Hirsh a small token of appreciation: the dream car he had always longed to drive. For years he has had a poster of a bright red '63 Corvette Stingray on his office wall, just for daydreaming. Now he has one of his own, and it's a honey of a convertible, rebuilt to mint condition, and presented, as a surprise, last July when the deal with the city was concluded.

He has the dream car. The dream arena. The dream career. And none of it seems to have spoiled him.

Hirsh is a man who took his college fantasy of a life dedicated to sports and made it a reality. And he has some advice for today's students facing an uncertain world: "Learn to make something out of nothing. Learn to be creative – in any field."

Some of his personal philosophy comes from his old friend, Coach Massimino: "Rollie used to say, 'There are three kinds of people. The people in the parade, the people watching the parade, and the people who say, 'What parade?'"

Hirsh is not only in the parade, he's marching in the front rank. ■

Shifting Gears for a Peace Economy



Like displaced engineers throughout Long Island who've lost their jobs due to cutbacks in the defense industry, Regina Hunter (B.S. '85) was not prepared for the unemployment line. Hunter, one of 114 applied mathematics majors graduating from Stony Brook in 1985, worked at the Grumman Corporation, where she was assigned to the F-14 program at the company's Calverton test facility.

"I was the only female engineer in a department of 150 people," says Hunter, who hoped her unique status would protect her from the layoffs she saw coming. "They were good to me," she says. "They gave me two and a half months' notice."

Today Hunter is one of 55 students in the Harriman School for Management and Policy's "Jobs Project" retraining program for displaced scientists and engineers. "I have never met a more well-rounded and helpful group of people," she says. "It's wonderful to see a place like this at Stony Brook."

Hunter's story is a typical one on Long Island. With the unemployment figures for engineers steadily rising, Suffolk County Executive Robert Gaffney and Suffolk Department of Labor Commissioner Michael Falcone decided that something had to be done.

Armed with funds from the federal Job Training Partnership Act, they sought proposals for programs to help the region's highly skilled unemployed compete in today's job market. They received numerous proposals, but none to compare to the one drawn up by Harriman Professor Gerrit Wolf and business consultant Joseph Pufahl.

"The Jobs Project represents a breakthrough for Long Island," said Falcone, whose office funded 38 students for the first semester of the program, slated to be offered both semesters of the academic year. The Town of Oyster Bay picked up the tab for an additional 17 engineers.

The program, considered the only one of its kind in the northeast, kicked off with a full schedule of graduate-level classes in four high technology areas ripe for employment on Long Island: electron microscopy, high technology manufacturing, environmental/waste management and management information systems.

Each student chose one track. Hunter opted for high technology manufacturing, which complemented her background. Ronald Byers, a 42-year-old engineer with a specialization in computers, chose management information systems. Byers, laid off from UNISYS after 15 years with the company, sees the Jobs Project as a way to expand his horizons. "Being an engineer is only an asset if it can open your mind to other opportunities," he said. "We can't be mired in the past."

One part of the Harriman program helps students and businesses simultaneously. Several times each week company representatives meet with students to discuss problems specific to their business. During these seminars, participants brainstorm together, providing networking opportunities for those in the program.

"We know that there are no jobs sitting out there waiting for us," says Byers. "But the program was not designed to fit us into an existing position. We're here to learn how to make our own niche."

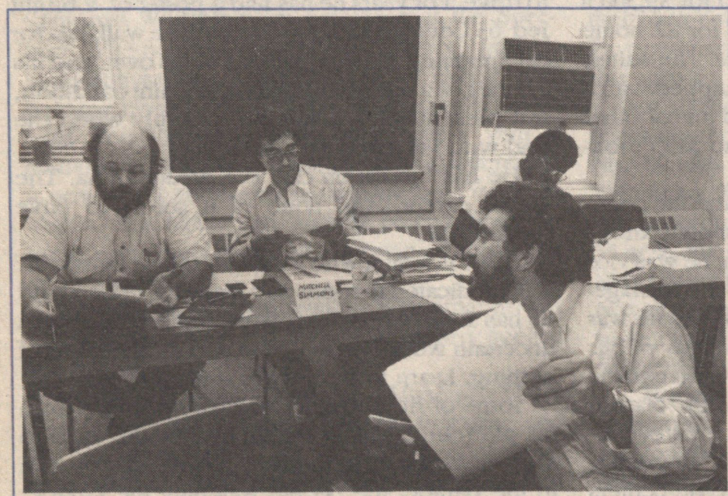
Norm Weingart, vice president of Communications Specialties, Inc. of Hauppauge, ran a seminar this fall. Standing before 12 of the students, he explained that his company, a 10-year-old firm that manufactures computer video peripherals, was thinking of expanding its market to Mexico. He wanted help determining if the move would be profitable.

The students spent the next 90 minutes examining such issues as whether the company understands the Mexican market and how their products fit into it. "The students got right to the heart of the problem," says Weingart, who will receive a final marketing report from the group.

In addition to forging business partnerships, Wolf and Pufahl are tapping into the resources at Stony Brook. Joseph Dyro, head of the new Biomedical Engineering Training and Assistance Program (BETA) at the Health Sciences Center, spoke to a group of 20 students about opportunities in the field of medical devices. Dyro, director of the Department of Biomedical Engineering, says that physicians and engineers need one another in order to solve problems in diagnostic and treatment machines.

"We've jumped into the Jobs Project with both feet," says Pufahl who, with Wolf, co-directs the program. Another round of the Jobs Project is planned for this spring, with the Suffolk Department of Labor committed to funding 20 students.

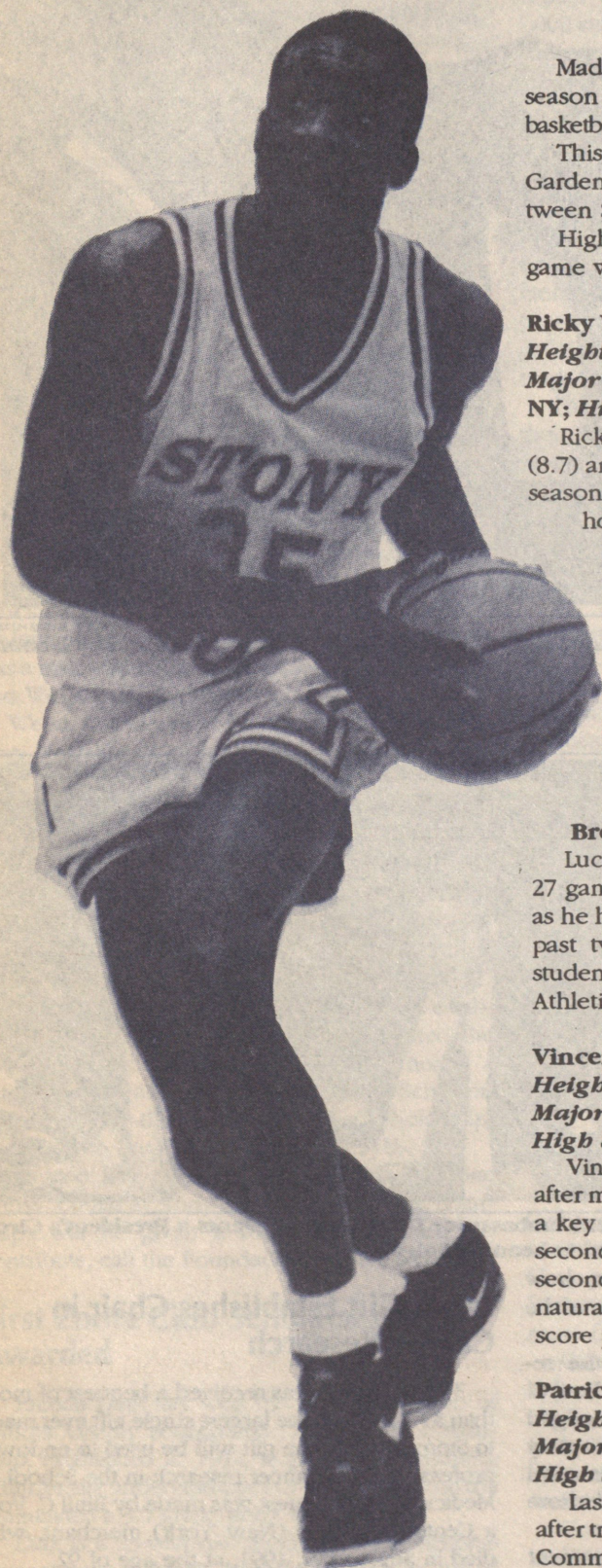
"We know that there is no longer a place out there for defense-oriented engineers," says Hunter. "In engineering, we aren't always used to looking for creative solutions; we focus only on what works. Well, what used to work isn't working anymore. Thankfully, this program gives us a fighting chance." ■



Ronald Byers, Mitchell Simmons and Marvin Recht, members of the retraining program at Harriman, share ideas at a session.

By Carole Volkman

Patriots Play the Garden



Luc Baptiste runs with the ball.

ROBERT O'ROURK

Madison Square Garden will be the site for the season finale of the 1992-93 Stony Brook men's basketball team on Monday, March 1, at 5:00 p.m.

This game, the first ever for Stony Brook at the Garden, will precede the Big East matchup between St. John's and Syracuse.

Highlighting the Patriots vs. Old Westbury game will be the following players:

Ricky Wardally

Height: 6'7"; **Position:** Forward; **Year:** Senior
Major: Liberal Studies; **Hometown:** Brooklyn, NY; **High School:** South Shore

Ricky was the top Patriot rebounder last year (8.7) and was second in team scoring (15.4). Last season, he earned Skyline Conference first team honors as a forward. In 1991-92, he was second on the team in field goal percentage and blocks, after leading the team in blocks in his first two years. Ricky has played in 82 of 83 games during his career at Stony Brook.

Luc Baptiste

Height: 6'8"; **Position:** Center; **Year:** Junior; **Major:** Undeclared; **Hometown:** Far Rockaway, NY; **High School:** Brooklyn Technical

Luc was one of only three players to play in all 27 games last year. He has continued to improve as he has worked on all facets of his game for the past two years. Luc is also one of only three students to serve on the Stony Brook Intercollegiate Athletic Board.

Vincent Farmer

Height: 6'5"; **Position:** Forward; **Year:** Junior; **Major:** Sociology; **Hometown:** Hempstead, NY; **High School:** Hempstead

Vincent rejoins the Patriots basketball team after missing last season. In the 1990-91 season, as a key member of the team that advanced to the second round of the NCAA tournament, he was second in scoring and rebounding. Vincent is a natural athlete with the ability to run the floor and score points in bunches.

Patrick Cunningham

Height: 6'5"; **Position:** Forward; **Year:** Senior; **Major:** Psychology; **Hometown:** Bronx, NY; **High School:** Fordham Prep

Last year was Patrick's first with the Patriots after transferring to Stony Brook from Westchester Community College. He is a tough low-post player with the ability to hit the jump shot. Patrick played in 26 games last year and earned increasing playing time as the season progressed. He'll see a lot of action at the Garden.

Michel Lamine

Height: 6'5"; **Position:** Center; **Year:** Junior; **Major:** Business; **Hometown:** Dakar-Senegal, West Africa; **High School:** Ecole des Puffiles del'Air (France)

Michel possesses tremendous athletic ability, leading the Patriots in blocked shots (40) last season. He showed outstanding potential last year and is expected to be a force inside for the Patriots at the Garden. Michel, whose home is in Dakar, Senegal, was a member of a National Championship team in West Africa.

Greg Alexandre

Height: 6'3"; **Position:** Forward; **Year:** Sophomore; **Majors:** Political Science & French; **Hometown:** Brooklyn, NY; **High School:** John Jay

Greg joins the Patriots after spending one year at Ohio Wesleyan University. He played soccer and baseball in high school and one year of soccer at Ohio Wesleyan. Greg was named team MVP for his high school baseball team and earned Best Scholar Athlete honors for the soccer team.

For tickets to this exciting night of basketball in New York City, please fill out the ticket order form below and return it to the Athletic Department at the University at Stony Brook.

Stony Brook Men's Basketball at Madison Square Garden

Monday, March 1, 1993 - 5:00 p.m.
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(Precedes St. John's vs. Syracuse)

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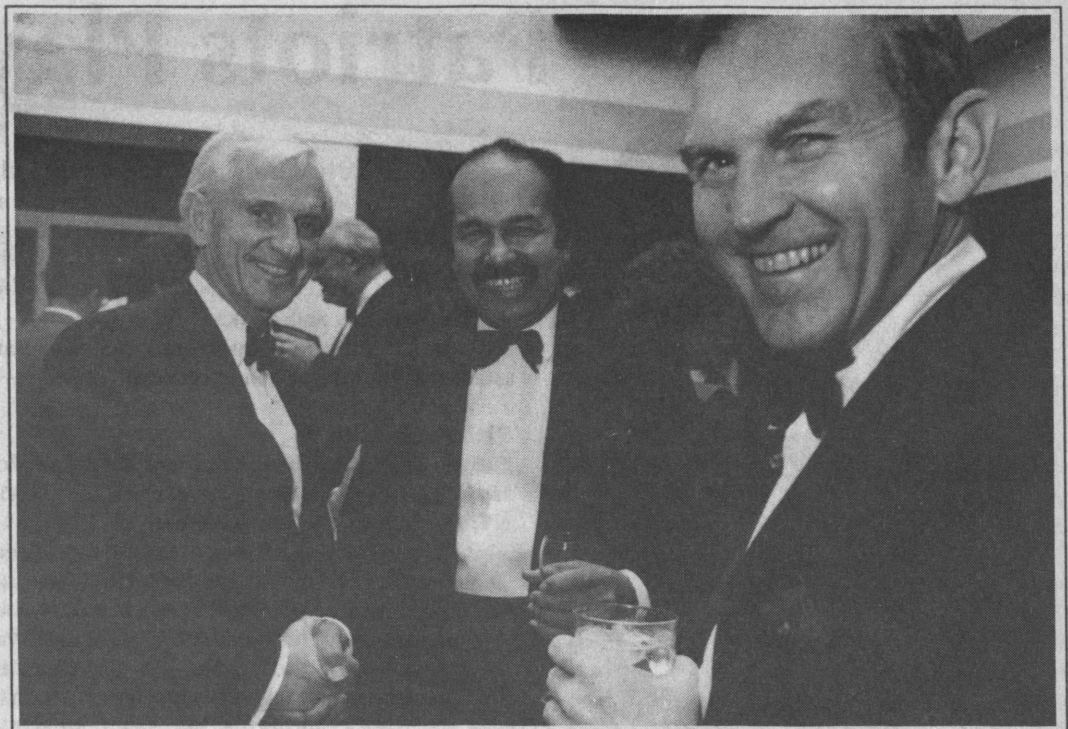
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Stony Brook Foundation Day 1992



Dr. Margot Ammann, longtime university friend and donor, was honored as Philanthropist of the Year at the Stony Brook Foundation's 1992 Donor Recognition Dinner. In addition to supporting four Othmar Ammann Scholarships annually and a variety of other campus causes, Ammann recently created the Lilly Wehrli Ammann Breast Cancer Fund in support of breast cancer research in the School of Medicine. Ammann College is named for her father, Othmar Ammann, the "poet in steel" who designed and built many of the nation's most famous engineering projects, including the Golden Gate and George Washington bridges, the Lincoln and Holland tunnels, and Dulles International Airport outside Washington, D.C.



PHOTOS BY MAXINE HICKS

John J. Hart with Santos T. Abrilz and Carl Hanes (left to right), at the Foundation Day Donor Dinner.

November 7 brought supporters and friends of the university together for the third annual Stony Brook Foundation (SBF) Day. At the annual meeting, SBF Chair James H. Simons announced that Gregory S. Frisby, CEO of Frisby Airborne Hydraulics and Frisby Technologies, had accepted nomination to a three-year term on the board of directors.

During the luncheon, University President John H. Marburger spoke on the theme, "Recession and Recovery at Stony Brook."

The evening's Donor Recognition Dinner, honoring individuals and organizations that have contributed \$1,000 or more over the past year, drew more than 250 friends to the candlelit atrium of the Indoor Sports Complex.

At the dinner, Marburger announced the receipt of the university's largest gift ever, the Emil C. Voll bequest (See below). He also acknowledged the establishment of the university's first privately endowed chair, the Professorship in Experimental Medicine, made possible by a gift from Baltimore philanthropist Evelyn Grollman Glick.

Three awards were presented by SBF President Carole G. Cohen. Dr. Margot Ammann, sponsor of the Othmar Ammann Scholarships and recent donor to the School of Medicine, was named Philanthropist of the Year. Also honored were the Hospital Auxiliary and the School of Dental Medicine.



Student ambassador Diana Vaca presents a President's Circle Award to Leonard Spivak.

Large Gift Establishes Chair in Cancer Research

The university has received a bequest of more than \$1.7 million, the largest single gift ever made to Stony Brook. The gift will be used to endow a professorship in cancer research in the School of Medicine. The bequest was made by Emil C. Voll, a Center Moriches (New York) merchant, who died in September, 1991, at the age of 92.

A member of the Stony Brook Foundation's President's Circle, Voll made several gifts to the university during his lifetime. His wife, Geraldine, had died of cancer, and Voll stipulated that the bequest be used for cancer research.

New Scholarships Established

Because Stony Brook is a state-assisted institution and cannot directly accept private funds, all private giving must be through the Stony Brook Foundation, the sole official fund-raising and private gift-receiving agency for the university. Any questions about private giving at Stony Brook should be directed to Carole G. Cohen, president of the Stony Brook Foundation and vice president for University Affairs, Room 330, Administration Building, (516) 632-6300.

Honoring Congressman Ted Weiss

A scholarship honoring the late New York Congressman Ted Weiss has been established at Stony Brook by Distinguished Professor and Honors College Master Elof Axel Carlson. The \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to an undergraduate who is interested in a public service career.

"Ted Weiss was a man I greatly admired," says Carlson, who is writing Weiss' biography. "Time after time, he supported issues he believed would be most beneficial to his constituents, such as education, the arts, and social welfare, even though the issues may not have been politically popular. He was a man who voted his conscience." Carlson was also Weiss' brother-in-law.

Weiss, a seven-term Democratic congressman from New York's 17th District, died last August, just days before the Congressional primary. A leader on a broad range of national and international issues, he sponsored a supplemental aid bill that provided \$800 million in famine relief for drought-stricken Africa. He also led legislative initiatives to strengthen civil liberties, protect Social Security and Medicare, and increase funding for education and child nutrition.

This is the third scholarship Carlson has established at Stony Brook. In 1989, he created the Morris Gabriel Cohen Scholarship to honor a teacher he had at Thomas Jefferson High School in Brooklyn, and the Charles T. Davis Scholarship, honoring an English professor at N.Y.U.

Carlson has guaranteed the support of one Weiss Scholar at Stony Brook. Additional scholarships will be given if funds are donated. To contribute, call the Foundation at (516) 632-6535.

First Zonta Club Scholarship Awarded

Brenda Diaz has won the first Zonta Club of Suffolk County Scholarship. The \$1,000 scholarship, established in 1992, is given to a returning adult female undergraduate at Stony Brook who has maintained a 3.0 grade point average.

Diaz is a 23-year-old senior studying business management at the W. Averell Harriman School of Management and Policy. After graduation, she plans to pursue a master's degree in business administration or social work. She is the mother of a two-year-old son, Angel.

Zonta International is an organization that seeks to improve the legal, political, and professional status of women while encouraging high ethical business standards. Today, more than 1,000 clubs with 35,000 members are located in 52 countries around the world.

Celebrating a Golden Wedding Anniversary

This past December, the Dr. Martin B. Travis Endowed Scholarship in Political Science was established by Travis' wife, Olivia, and the Department of Political Science. This scholarship will provide an annual award to one outstanding political science student who plans to pursue a career in the legal profession.

The scholarship was created on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary and Travis' retirement. During his more than 30 years of service to the university, Travis helped to launch many Stony Brook alumni into successful legal careers. The Political Science Department has pledged to match Mrs. Travis' gift with donations from its alumni.

Remembering a Mother

An award in memory of Sylvia Cutts, a 1976 graduate of the School of Social Welfare, has been established at the university by her son and daughter-in-law, Michael and Phyllis Cutts.

The \$500 award will be given at the end of each academic year to an African American woman in the School of Social Welfare who demonstrates devotion to helping others as Cutts had in her community. She had worked for Women in Need in Harlem.

Cutts, who died September 23, 1992, at age 61, was a part-time student for several years before she earned her Master of Social Welfare degree. Angel Campos, associate dean in the School of Social Welfare, remembers her coming to classes early every Saturday morning by train from Manhattan. The long commute by public transportation did not stop her from pursuing her studies.

"Sylvia was a very dedicated woman," says Campos. "She was active in her community and concerned about the education of children in Harlem. She believed exploring the theoretical framework of social services would help her do more for the community."

Cutts' connection with Stony Brook extends beyond her studies. Her identical twin sister, Shirley Jones, was one of the first faculty members in the School of Social Welfare. Cutts also was the field supervisor for several Stony Brook social welfare students who interned in Harlem.

Contributions in Sylvia Cutts' memory can be made to the School of Social Welfare Scholarship Fund. For information, contact Assistant Dean for Administration George Rannazzi, School of Social Welfare, University at Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY 11794-8230 or call (516) 444-3132.

New Development Officer Joins the Team



John P. Donohue joined the university in December as associate vice president for development. He will oversee all aspects of the university's development activities, including annual giving, major gifts, planned giving, corporate and foundation relations, and donor relations.

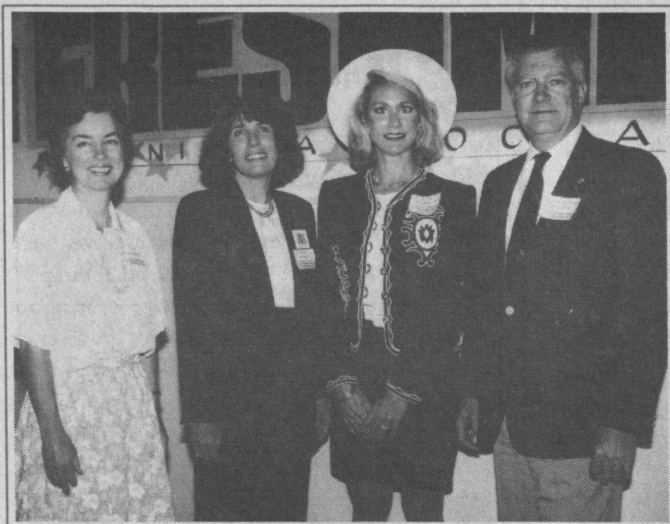
Donohue comes to Stony Brook from the United Way of Long Island, where he served as senior vice president and campaign director since 1990, securing \$10 million in public support each year and developing and executing campaign strategies.

"We are delighted that Mr. Donohue will lead Stony Brook's development effort," says Carole G. Cohen, vice president for University Affairs and president of the Stony Brook Foundation, Inc. "Private support is critical to maintaining our 'margin of excellence' and John is well suited to the task."

"I look forward to helping enhance the university's outstanding reputation by strengthening development efforts and assuring that needed financial resources are available," says Donohue.

Donohue began working for the United Way in 1983 as senior associate campaign director. From 1987-1990, he was vice president and director of new business development.

A resident of Sound Beach, New York, Donohue earned his bachelor's degree from the State University of New York College at Oswego in 1979.



Welcoming the Class of '96 are Carol Marburger, Diane Orens, Carol Weidman and University President John H. Marburger.

Alumni at Grumman



Grumman staff alumni join President Marburger and Dean of Engineering Yakov Shamash.



Stony Brook alumni on the staff at Grumman, with President Marburger.

Briefs & Bulletins

Parents Brunch

Approximately 600 incoming freshmen (Class of 1996) and their families were treated to brunch and words of welcome by University President John H. Marburger and Carole Weidman '73 on move-in day, August 29, 1992. This event is sure to become a Stony Brook tradition, and it's a fine way to introduce undergraduates and their parents to the Alumni Association. Thanks go to Diane Orens '66 and the committee for making this a success.

Corporate Connection

"Alumni in the Corporate World" continues to enjoy great success, with recent programs at Allstate's Hauppauge location and Grumman's Bethpage headquarters. All in attendance were treated to an address by President Marburger and an update on current happenings at USB.

If you work with other Stony Brook alumni and think your company might be a potential participant in the series, please call the Alumni Office at (516) 632-6330.

Metro New York

An outstanding event for USB's younger alumni took place at the Health Resort Club in Battery Park City on Thursday, November 5. Heavy rain didn't stop more than 65 NYC area alumni from coming out to relive Thursday night parties at the Brook. A winter ice skating party at Rockefeller Center and a spring event are in the works.

Open House

This year's Admissions Open House brought over 1,500 prospective students, along with their parents, to campus. The Alumni Association hosted a two-hour reception. Guests sipped hot cider and nibbled on cheese, fruit and veggies and heard performances by USB music students. Ten alumni were on hand to answer questions as well as to talk about the impact Stony Brook has had on their lives.

Missing Yearbooks

The Alumni Association's library is missing yearbooks from the following classes: 1961, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1976, 1982 and 1983. If you have a spare one to donate, please call (516) 632-6330.

New Membership Benefits

Theatre buffs can now enjoy discounts at several Off-Broadway productions. When making your reservations, give the alumni code: A1. When you pick up your tickets, please show your membership card.

Forbidden Broadway, 20 percent discount. Parking is available at \$5 for six hours with a validation sticker obtained from the box office. Call (212) 838-9090. Tickets may also be purchased at the Theatre East, 211 East 60th St.

The Jean Cocteau Repertory presents classics, historic and contemporary. Tickets for our members are only \$12. Call (212) 677-0060, or purchase them at the Bowery Lane Theatre Box Office, 330 Bowery (at East 2nd St. on Third Ave.) Parking is available (\$6 for six hours). Nearby Cucina Di Pesce restaurant on East 4th Street offers a 15 percent discount (excluding tax, tip and liquor), when a same-day ticket or ticket stub is shown.

Shows include:

- *Much Ado About Nothing*, by William Shakespeare, opening January 22.
- *The Cenci*, by Percy Bysshe Shelley, opening March 19.

New member travel benefits now include a discount at Holiday Inns, with the Alumni Association's Worldwide Corporate Account number. When making reservations, use #100407443 to identify yourself as an alumnus, and please show your membership card at check in.

Stony Brook Threatened by Budget Cuts Again!

Stony Brook needs your help! After having its budget cut 10 times in the past four years, Stony Brook and the entire SUNY system are threatened with the possibility of further state cuts which could be as high as 10 to 15 percent. Past cuts have caused an increase in the student/faculty ratio, the decimation of support staff, and the virtual liquidation of our materials and supplies money. Many classes are bursting at the seams, course sections have been closed, and students are finding it difficult to create schedules that satisfy their academic requirements. Further budget cuts will severely jeopardize Stony Brook's missions of education, research, health care and economic development.

Stony Brook needs you to write letters to Governor Cuomo and your state legislators asking them to halt proposed cuts to SUNY's budget. For further information on the latest in this crisis, and to find out how you can do more to help out, call the Alumni Office at (516) 632-6330.

◆ 1962

* **Sidney Secular** lives in Silver Spring, MD. He was recently awarded the United States Small Business Administration's Certificate of Special Achievement and was selected as a member of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission's Consumer Advisory Board. On weekends, he provides weather forecasts via telephone for the C&P Telephone Co. audience.

◆ 1963

30th Reunion, May 15, 1993

◆ 1966

Margaret Dineen Cordovano lives in Santa Fe, NM, and works as a librarian for the Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Dept. of the State of New Mexico. * **Judith and Frank ('68) Wieland** live in Setauket, NY. Judith is a geneticist and has done research at Brookhaven National Lab. She is one of four partners in the Genetics Center Inc., which offers laboratory, medical and counseling services. Frank has been active in business aviation for the past 20 years. He is chief pilot for Jet Aviation Business Jets of Peterboro, NJ. Their daughter, Maggie, attends Ward Melville High School, while son, Derek, is a senior at Juilliard School.

◆ 1967

E. Bruce "Swami" Betker is a staff engineer at NASA's Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, AL. He still plays basketball, bowls and welcomes letters and calls from all former classmates and friends. "I'm in the book," he says, "The Stony Brook Alumni Directory!" * **Judy (Lieberman) Daris-Rosenthal** lives in Kalamazoo, MI. Her daughter recently began studies at Michigan State University. * **Judy (Schneider) and Hal ('66) Holzman** live in Columbia, MD, with their two children, Paula (12) and Adele (8). Hal has a Ph.D. in criminal justice and criminology from the University of Maryland. He currently works as a policy analyst for H.U.D. in Washington, DC. * **Martin Saperstein** practices law in Garden City, NY. He and his wife, Jody, live with their three sons in Plainview, NY.

◆ 1968

25th Reunion, October 30, 1993

Ann Louise Borst (G '70) works as a probation officer and lives in Northport, NY. * **Maureen Bybee**, assistant professor of community service at Suffolk Community College's Ammerman Campus in Selden, NY, was honored as a faculty member "who has made a difference." Professor Bybee was one of 11

honorees selected by SCC's Professional Development Committee. * **Sharon (Karlin) Chernoff** is a special education teacher for developmentally disabled children in the New York City Public School System. She lives in East Meadow, NY. * **Mary Lou (Grecky) and Philip Chin ('71)** live in Massapequa Park, NY. Mary Lou is an episcopal deacon and is the assistant at St. Margaret's Church in Plainview, NY. She received a MSW from Adelphi University in May. Philip is the producer of "The Osgood Files," heard on CBS Radio. Their daughter, Sally, attends Swarthmore College, and son, Barney, is a student at St. Anthony's High School. * **Judith (Nelson) Fleming** is serving her second term on the Smithtown Historical Advisory Board and is foundation director for Loyal Lodge, Sons of Norway, in St. James, NY. * **Lorna Michelson** resides in Columbus, OH, with her husband and two sons. She has been working for United Way for 15 years. * **Irene B. Sherrow** lives in Santa Fe, NM, and is "loving retirement." She plans to travel to Australia and New Zealand to celebrate her 50th wedding anniversary. * **Theodore Sobol** works for the New York State Division of Military as an Air National Guard comptroller. He is also an instructor pilot in New York's Air National Guard. Theodore and his wife, Robin, have two children and live in Slingerlands, NY. * **Jayne Sugarman Steinglass** and her husband, Kenneth, live in Valley Cottage, NY. Their son, Joshua (18), attends Yale University, while Jody (15) is a student at Nyack High School.

◆ 1969

Anthony Acerra is a senior vice president for TCW Realty Advisors, a firm that advises pension funds in their real estate investments. Anthony lives in Los Angeles, CA. * **Evelyne (Hermann) and Ralph Eshelman** have lived in Lusby, MD, for 17 years. Ralph received a Ph.D. in vertebrate paleontology from the University of Michigan and was the director of the Calvert Marine Museum until he retired in 1990. He is currently a consultant for Lighthouse Preservation Society and several other small museums. As a research associate with the Smithsonian Institution, he still is involved with his fossil interests. Evelyne earned an M.S. in chemistry and is working as a chemist for Baltimore Gas and Electric Co. They have a seven-year-old son. * **Laura and Larry Green** live with their child in New Hope, PA. Laura owns and manages a travel agency in addition to hosting a weekly radio show about travel. Larry is eastern regional manager of Cahn Instruments. * **Janet Lanza** has assumed the duties of chairperson of the Biology Department at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock. * **Christine (Handshaw) and Ramesh Malhotra (G '70)** live in Cincinnati, OH. Christine owns Mason Framing Gallery and Art Shop while

Ramesh is the president and founder of Coal Network Inc., a coal marketing company. They have two children, Robert (16) and Jodie (14). * **Judith Abraham Morelle** works for New York State Mental Health as a senior resource agent. Her oldest daughter is a freshman at USB. * **Andrew M. Safir** is "alive, well, and living in La Mosa, CA. — surprised at all three." * **Mark Tarantino** wrote and produced a play about John Smith and Pocahontas for a fourth grade class at Hewlett Elementary School. He lives in East Meadow, NY. * **Fred Thomsen** has been a school superintendent for the past eight years. He is completing doctoral work at Syracuse University. * **Doris (Goldchain) and Todd Wiener** live with their two children, ages 10 and 14, in Tampa, FL. Todd is a dentist and Doris works as a microbiologist for the University of South Florida.

◆ 1970

Marsha Schultz Cohen, an English teacher, theatrical director, and mother of two boys, lives in St. James, NY. * **Thomas Cravens** was promoted to full professor of physics and astronomy at the University of Kansas. * **Louis J. Farbstein** is a guidance counselor in the Half Hollow Hills School District. He and his wife, Resa, live in Setauket, NY, with their children, Lee Benjamin and Madeline. * **Deborah (Weisman) Green** is a public relations consultant for Oceanside Schools. She resides in Lynbrook, NY, with her husband, Martin, and their four children. * **Peter Haarmann** is teaching carpentry to high school seniors as part of the vocational education program at BOCES, Nassau Tech. He lives in Westbury, NY, with his wife and two sons. * **Michael Herman** owns and operates a home improvement company with four full-time employees. He resides in Levittown, NY. * **Stuart Jarmulnek** is a math teacher at the High School of Fashion Industries in Manhattan, NY. * **Dot (Fissore) '72 and Phil LaRussa** are well and happy with two children, Caitlin (9) and Sam (7). Dot is an occupational therapist practicing privately with multiply handicapped children. Phil is an M.D. doing research in pediatric infectious disease at Columbia Presbyterian Hospital in N.Y.C. * **Mary Lou (Cortright) and Steven Pilnick** live in Burke, VA. Steve has been promoted to captain in the U.S. Navy and is stationed at the Pentagon. Mary Lou continues to be successful as a watercolor artist in the Capitol area. * **Anne Marie Pols** received a Ph.D. in women's history at the University of Colorado and teaches in the History and Women's Studies Departments at C.U. She lives with her husband and daughter in Boulder, CO. * **Diane Ranieri (G'73, '85)** graduated from the Physician's Assistant Program at USB's School of Allied Health Professions. She joined the

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program's faculty as a clinical instructor in 1990. * **Howard Rosenthal** spent three years in the Peace Corps in Liberia, then moved to Israel. He earned a master's degree from the Weizmann Institute of Science. Howard now lives in Fullerton, CA. He is a deputy center manager and principal investigator on a research project for TRW. * **Steven Rosenzweig** lives in Wellesley, MA, with his wife and child. He has a Ph.D. in psychology and is working as a school psychologist.

◆ 1971

Jerry Ackerman lives in Newton, MA, with his wife, Beth, and their two children, Rachel (4) and Daniel (1). Jerry works in magnetic resonance research in the Radiology Department at Massachusetts General Hospital. * **Marie Armentano** is a psychiatrist at Massachusetts General Hospital and is also the director of an after-school substance abuse treatment program for adolescents. * **Rob Bernstein** is an educational therapist and lives with his wife, Rachel, and their two children in Dobbs Ferry, NY. Rob established a private practice for individuals who have learning and behavioral problems. * **Glenn H. Bock** lives in Bethesda, MD, with his wife, Camille, and sons, Jeremy (15) and Johnathan (4). Glenn currently serves as vice chair of the Department of Nephrology at Children's National Medical Center and associate professor of pediatrics at George Washington University School of Medicine. He has recently completed a two-year research sabbatical at the National Institutes of Health. * **Barbara J. (Smith) Fontes** is a system librarian for Marlboro Public Schools in Marlboro, MA. * **Lawrence Fox** is board certified in internal medicine and pediatrics. He is researching factors influencing congenital transmission of the HIV virus. Lawrence is listed in the most recent issue of *Who's Who in Science and Technology*. * **Dyane (Simmons) and Jim ('78) Genovese** live in Glenmore, PA, with their daughters, ages 13 and 10. Jim is on temporary loan to the Canadian government where he is working on computer security through TRW. Dyane writes for several local newspapers. * **Barry P. Gibberman** is a practicing dentist and lives in Cincinnati, OH, with his wife, Nancy, and two children, Alex and Lauren. * **Daniel Greenstein** lives in Sharon, MA, with his wife and two children. He is still active in sports. * **Patti ('72) and Irwin Grossman, Jr.** live in Phoenix, AZ, with their children, Barry and Allison. Irwin is chief psychologist at the Federal Correctional Institution in Phoenix. * **Charles Hofmann** is a math teacher at Robert Frost Middle School in Deer Park, NY. He is also a member of the Association of Math Teachers of New York State and the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics. Charles resides in Coram, NY, with his wife, Gail, and children, Alison, Jeff and

Adam. * **Steven Klapisch** became a partner in the immigration law firm of Weisberg and Friedman. The firm's name has been changed to Weisberg, Friedman and Klapisch. * **Louise Levine** has been teaching in the Mineola School District for 20 years. She is an officer in the union and is also the negotiator and grievance coordinator on the policy board of Nassau T.R.A.C.T. Louise lives in Massapequa, NY. * **Tina Lombardo** has retired from teaching art at Deer Park Schools. * **Richard Montalbano** was recently inducted into *Who's Who in America*. He lives in Dresher, PA. * **David B. Roshetar** is manager of the Emergency Ambulance Service at Staten Island University Hospital. He lives in South River, NJ, with his wife, Maureen, and four daughters. * **Franklin M. Roth** is the grants and communications coordinator at SCOPE Outdoor Learning Labs in Smithtown, NY. He was recently elected to the board of directors of the Long Island Chapter of the National Society of Fund Raising Executives. Franklin sings with the USB Camerata Singers. * **David J. Sellinger** lives in Seattle with his wife and three children. He works for REI in the DP department. In his spare time, David enjoys kayaking, cross country skiing and biking. * **Howard Strassler** is an associate professor and director of operative dentistry at the University of Maryland Dental School. He is also the associate editor of the *Journal of Esthetic Dentistry*. He lives in Baltimore, MD, with his wife and sons, Mark (12) and Daniel (8). * **Peter Teichman** took his B.S. in chemistry and went on to an M.D. degree and is a full-time emergency medicine physician at Kaiser Hospital in San Rafael, CA. He lives with his wife, Laura, and three children in Santa Rosa, CA.

◆ 1972

Rochelle Borsky is the director of a not-for-profit school for special education students in Matawan, NJ. She lives with her husband, **Alan Wiesenfeld**, and their two cats. * **Richard Bowra** is the executive director of the Dauphin County Library. He lives in Harrisburg, PA, with his wife, Trish, and their two sons. * **Mitch Brigell** lives in Chicago with his wife, Debbie, and daughter, Rachel. Mitch is having a hard time believing it's been 20 years since graduation and would like to hear from some old Stony Brook friends. * **Mary A. Crosley** is a professor of Nursing at Suffolk Community College. She was nominated for New York State Nurse of Distinction and her students elected her an honorary member of Phi Theta Kappa. Mary resides in Babylon, NY. * **Sally (Dodge) and Peter LaSalle** live in Wynnewood, PA, with their three children. Peter is vice president of asset and liability management at CoreStates Bank. Sally is director of the World Service at the WEFA group, an economics consulting firm. * **Gloria (Gilbert) and John Dralla**

(*70) live in Los Altos, CA, with their two sons, Jeffrey (9) and Christopher (7). Gloria practices personal injury litigation and John markets high technology semiconductor manufacturing equipment. * **Guy Fiocco** is on staff at Scott & White Hospital in Temple, TX. He is also the curriculum coordinator for third-year medical students at Texas A&M University Medical School. He and his wife, Marilyn, live in Temple with their children, David (5) and Emily (3). * **Patricia Gagnon** resides in Mt. Sinai, NY. She is a counselor in private practice in Port Jefferson, NY. * **Rosemary Nelson Gray** is professor and director of clinical training at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. * **Mark Holody** resides in Irvine, CA. He is a developer of blood gas sensors for Cardiovascular Devices, a division of 3M. * **Joan (Robbin)** and **Sanders Kurtz** live in East Setauket, NY, with their children, Andrea (14) and Robert (12). Sandy is a partner in a Port Jefferson law firm and Joan is a librarian in Smithtown. * **Mitchell Koppelman** is director of marketing for the Minerals Division of Pfizer. He lives in North Plainfield, NJ. * **Barbara Lipman-Wulf** teaches at the New School for Social Research, NY. She also writes memoirs and poetry and is a frequent contributor to magazines, German anthologies, and Long Island newspapers. Barbara lives in Stony Brook. * **Sheila McMahon** lives in Queens, NY, and works as a training consultant for the City of New York. * **Kenneth Marcu** is a professor at USB. He recently coordinated a symposium, "Molecular and Developmental Regulation of the Immune System." * **Joyce P. Myles** was elected to membership in Sigma Theta Tau, International Honor Society of Nursing. She lives in Weare, NH. * **A.K. Narasimhan** lives in Mesa, AZ, and is a consulting structural engineer. * **Larry Novik** is a family physician practicing in Fairfield, CT. * **Susan O'Leary** is a professor of psychology and director of clinical training in the Department of Psychology at USB. She was elected chair of the Council of University Directors of Clinical Psychology for 1992-1994. * **Linda Benvenuto Olsen** is a high school teacher in Dobson, NC. She frequently teaches Spanish part time at Surry Community College. * **Steven Ritter** is a third-year resident in Internal Medicine/Pediatrics at Albany Medical Center. * **Michael Schell** is director of radiation physics and associate professor of radiation oncology at the Cancer Center in Rochester, NY. * **Rhona and Neil Stein** live in Edison, NJ, with their children, Amy (13) and Michael (10). Rhona is a researcher at the Center for Molecular Medicine and Neil is president of SPEX Industries, Inc. * **Joseph A. Vasquez, Jr.** has been appointed firm administrator at Kirkland & Ellis in Chicago, IL. Prior to accepting this position, he was deputy assistant secretary of the Department of Commerce.

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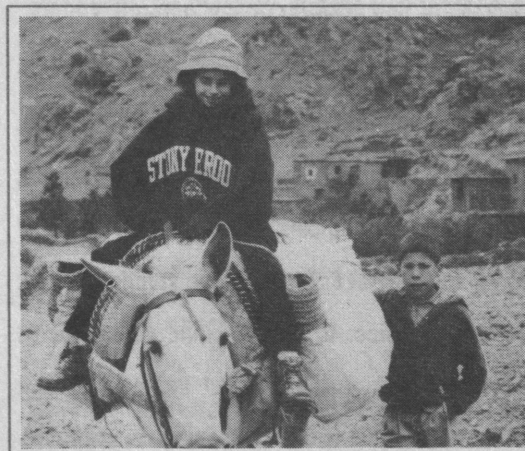
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Stan D. Arkow is on the faculty at Columbia University and is director of an inpatient psychiatric unit at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center, NY. He lives in Scarsdale, NY, with his wife, Cindy, and their two children. * **Howard Austerlitz** is an electronic project engineer for Cybex. He recently published "Data Acquisition Techniques Using Personal Computers," available from Academic Press, San Diego, CA. Howard and his wife, Kiel, live in Stony Brook. * **Larry Blum** lives in Hollywood, CA, where he is writing feature films. * **Arthur Charo** was the 1988-1989 American Institute of Physics Congressional Science Fellow. He is a senior analyst in the International Security Program at the Congressional Office of Technology Assessment. Arthur married Maude Fish, a bassoonist, in October, 1989. * **Paula E. Comans** is a principal Surrogate Court clerk in the Probate Department of the New York County Surrogate Court. She lives in Rockville Centre, NY. * **Jonathan Factor** is an attorney practicing with the Manhattan law firm, Stuart Salles, P.C. He lives in East Meadow, NY, with his wife, Laurie, and their two children. * **Edward Fishkin** is the associate medical director of Kings County Hospital Center and an assistant professor of medicine at SUNY Health Science Center at Brooklyn. Edward lives in Brooklyn, NY. * **Minnie Irizary** is the owner and administrator of Tower Crest Manor, an adult home in West Islip, NY. * **Jeffrey B. Keir** is a labor relations specialist. He is also vice chair of the Commission for Children and Youth in Prince George's County, MD. * **Victor and Annette (Stallworth) O'Ferrall** live in Huntington Station, NY, with their children, Hattie (12) and Michael (9). * **Peter Papazian** lives and skis in Golden, CO, with his wife, Vivian, and daughter, Sosi. * **Stuart Rabinowitz** is a radiologist specializing in nuclear medicine. He and his wife, Aija, live in Owings Mills, MD, with their children, Aaron (10), Adam (8) and Amanda (6). * **Jonathan L. Segal** lives in New York City, where he is a self-employed television and theater composer as well as a jazz pianist and singer. * **Eleanore M. Stokes** is associate professor and coordinator of graduate gerontology programs at St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, MN. * **Jeremy Tabak** is a physician practicing in South Miami, FL. * **Theresa Valentini** is director of social work at Coney Island Hospital. She lives in Brooklyn, NY, with her husband, Matthew, and their two daughters. * **Lauri and Bob Wishnoff** live in Clifton Park, NY. Bob is president of Human Resource Associates, an EAP consulting company in Albany, NY. Lauri is president of Wishnoff/Ross Advertising. Her agency recently won an award for outdoor billboard advertising. * **Janet (Grawunder)** and **Bob (*75) Zagarello** live in South Setauket, NY. Janet teaches elementary school in Port Jefferson, NY.

Up, Up and Away... Harry Birnholz '73 (B.A., Liberal Studies)

What's a Stony Brook sweatshirt doing in the Atlas Mountains of Morocco? About 5 miles an hour, on the back of a beast of burden. Wearing the shirt is Gabrielle Birnholz, eight years old, the daughter of alumnus Harry Birnholz '73 and Annie Ringuede.

Harry, who majored in liberal arts at Stony Brook, is a foreign service officer with the Agency for International Development. He and his family have been living in North Africa since 1981. He is chief of the Housing and Urban Development Office in Rabat, where he works at the American Embassy.



In Morocco, Harry Birnholz's daughter Gabrielle takes a ride.

◆ 1974

Paula (Lavin) and **Scott (*73) Barnett** live with their three sons in New City, NY. * **Roger L. Berkow** is an associate professor of pediatrics at the University of Alabama at Birmingham and is actively involved in research, patient care, and teaching. * **Arleen (Fishman) Block** is taking time off from work as a school psychologist to care for her 4 year-old son. She is also working on her doctoral dissertation at Fordham University. Arleen lives in Fairfield, CT. * **William T. Callahan, Jr.** is chief administrative officer for a trade association in the San Francisco Bay area. He had two books published last year: *Citizen-*

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Sea to Shining Sea Steven J. Silks '77 (B.A., Anthropology)

How far can you bicycle in 24 hours, if you don't stop? Captain Steve Silks, a career officer with the New York City Police Department, aims to find out this coming spring.

A member of the rowing team at Stony Brook, he later rowed for the New York Athletic Club and still keeps up a stiff training regimen.

This past summer, he joined a small group of like-minded athletes for a grueling crossing of the United States. Averaging 150 miles and 10-12 hours of riding a day, they crossed four mountain ranges, untold rivers, and plenty of fruited plains.

They set out from Everett, Washington (outside Seattle), on June 13 and dismounted in Yorktown, Virginia, 24 days later. The days began at 5:30 a.m. and, except for meals and calls of nature, they biked till they fell into bed at 8:30 p.m. Steve stopped to look around only twice: to see the mud volcanoes in Yellowstone National Park, and again at Mount Rushmore. The rest of his sightseeing was from the saddle.

"This country is so vast, just being there is the experience," he says. "And now I know what I want to go back and look at in detail."

He started biking in 1990 with a Maine-to-Florida trip for Tomorrow's Children, a fund-raising organization for pediatric oncology. In the future he hopes to bike the West Coast from Vancouver to San Diego, and maybe cross Australia and go the length of New Zealand.

ship for the 21st Century and *A Generation Adrift: The Future of the Republic*. * **Scott and Gail Chudow** live in Monroe, NY, with their five children. Scott practices surgery at Arden Hill Hospital where he performed one of the first laparoscopic cholecystectomies and laparoscopic appendectomies in Orange County. * **Marcia Erdberg** is working as a registered nurse. She lives in San Ramon, CA. * **Barry Fertel** was elected to the New Rochelle Board of Education in May 1991. His term will expire in 1996. * **Elena Fortune-Jones** is a human rights investigator for the Suffolk County Human Rights Commission. She and her husband live in Central Islip, NY. * **David Gallenz** lives in Kingston, NY. He is a medical claims supervisor for Metropolitan Life. He would love to hear from former classmates and friends. * **John Gallo** received a Ph.D. in education at St. John's University in 1986 and was named a Christa McAulliffe Fellow by U.S. Secretary of Education Lamar Alexander in 1991. * **Sharon (Jacobs)** and **Steven Glueck** reside in North Miami Beach, FL, with their four children. Steven practices law and Sharon is a teacher. * **Alan Kaffker** is district manager in the Network Services Division of AT&T. * **Gary Korbel** has been promoted to advisory officer at Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association-College Retirement Equities Fund. He is responsible for managing TIAA's Individual Insurance Counseling division, which provides counseling services on insurance and annuity matters for employees of educational and research institutions. * **Jerry Krassner** is director of aerospace research and development for Grumman. He and his family live in Washington, DC. * **Marcia (Cohen)** and **Mark ('73) Leeds** live in Baldwin, NY. Marcia is a family therapist in private practice and Mark is working as a vice president of finance for a real estate developer. * **Joel Lipsky** is an attorney with Lipsky, Goodkin, & Co. He and his wife, Shari, are celebrating the birth of their daughter, Rebekah Paulina. * **Judy (Hewitt) McNiff** teaches special occupational education at BOCES. She lives in Great River, NY, with her husband, Daniel, and daughter, Judiann. * **George Merry** is a mathematical modeler for TRW, Inc. He lives in Warner Robins, GA. * **H. Grape Minkoff** lives in Montclair, NJ, with his wife, Deborah, and their children, Sara and Alex. Grape works at Information Builders, Inc., New York, NY. * **Fred Ost** lives in Skokie, IL, with his wife, Beth, and children, Carrie, Mitchell and Jessica. He is an avid collector of everything by or about Lewis Carroll. * **Ann Otten** has been teaching in the Three Village School District since 1970. She lives in Wading River, NY, with her husband, Gary, and their two daughters. * **Paula Sales Rapaport** lives in Cincinnati, OH, with her husband, Robert, and children, Sara and Joshua. * **Scott Simmons** moved to California in January 1992. He joined Site for Sore Eyes, a regional retail optical company, as director of operations. * **Rosalind**

Teller is a management consultant specializing in human resource development. Her firm, Teller Associates, conducts management and supervisory training workshops nationwide. Rosalind lives in Van Nuys, CA. * **Natalie Treanor** is a math teacher at Sachem High School. She lives in Setauket, NY.

◆ 1975

Marguerite Abramo has taught music in Port Jefferson, NY, public schools since 1971. * **Rosemary and Gary ('74) Bolnick** live in New City, NY, with their daughter. Rosemary works as an operating room nurse at New York University Medical Center. * **Robert F. Cohen** took the California bar exam in July, after having received his J.D. from Glendale University College of Law. A former *Statesman* editor, Robert was editor-in-chief of *Glendale Law Review*. He lives with his significant other, Patrick Kahill, in Culver City, CA. * **Richard Friedman** is director of behavioral medicine at USB. He is developing a treatment program based on relaxation and desensitization techniques that people can practice in their homes before going to the doctor in order to alleviate "white coat" hypertension - having high blood pressure at the doctor's office, despite normal blood pressure at home. * **Gary Goldstein** lives in Hampton Bays, NY, with his wife and daughter. He works at Brookhaven National Laboratories. * **Diana Gorman** is office manager-administrator for her plastic surgery practice. She lives in Jackson, MS, with her family. * **David Jablon** is vice president of sales for the American Express Company's New Business Development area. He lives in Boston, MA. * **Kathleen Kasselbaum** is an occupational therapy supervisor at the Gurwin Jewish Geriatric Center. She lives in Blue Point, NY. * **Katherine Kemler** is an associate professor of flute at Louisiana State University in Baton Rouge. Prior to joining their faculty in 1987, she taught at the University of Wyoming. * **Barbara (Buck) Kessler** is working free-lance on a variety of marketing/advertising projects. She and her family live in Palm Harbor, FL. * **Rita Klein** lives in Long Beach, NY, and is a nurse for Visiting Nurse Service of Queens. * **Nadine (Serbin) ('76)** and **Jay Kliegman** live in East Brunswick, NJ, with their children, Gary and Julie. Jay is a vice president of software development at Salomon, Inc. * **David Mager** is vice president of Green Seal, a non-profit organization which sets standards for environmentally superior products and tests products against those standards. He lives with **Leesa Crocker ('77)** and their two daughters on a commercial organic farm in Leverett, MA. * **Ron Malachowsky** is a physician's assistant in the outpatient pediatrics clinic at Queens General Hospital. He is also a member of the L.I. Yoga Association. * **Bruce R. Moore** is a vertical alignment specialist. He lives in Bellerose,

Computer Architect John L. Hennessy (M.S. '75, Ph.D. '77)

NY. * **Zachary Murdock** lives in Baldwin, NY. He shared news of classmate **Mark A. Mittleman**, a radiologist who is doing his residency in Baltimore, MD. * **Kenneth Storch** is practicing internal medicine with a specialization in nutrition and metabolism. He and his wife, **Helene Sauerhoff ('79)** live with their son, Samuel, in Hillside, NJ. * **Katherine Traxler** recently conducted the Suffolk County Music Educators' Division I Festival Chorus in Hauppauge, NY. * **Edie Appel Weiss** is a tax specialist with Failes and Associates. She and her family live in Virginia Beach, VA, where Edie writes children's novels in her spare time. * **Barb Wilkinson** retired from teaching in 1987. She winters in Vermont, where she works at the Killington Ski Area. In New York, she is a trainer and coach for Special Olympics.

◆ 1976

Harold M. August, Jr. is director of physical therapy at Laughlin Memorial Hospital in Greenville, TN. * **Mindy Elkin Cassel** is a psychologist in private practice in Miami, FL, where she lives with her husband, Jim, and their four children. * **Muriel Chwatt** lives in Briarcliff Manor, NY. She currently teaches childbirth education classes. * **Sue Faerman** is an assistant professor in the Department of Public Administration and Policy at SUNY Albany. * **Alice Feiring** lives and writes in New York City. She covers design and lifestyles for an increasingly disparate collection of magazines. Her fiction and plays are currently being represented by the William Morris Agency. * **Helen Fey-Leo** is a senior programmer analyst during the week and pursues her hobby of Civil War Reenactment on weekends. She lives in Huntington, NY. * **Marie Fristachi** is store manager of Abraham & Straus, Smithaven Mall, Lake Grove, NY. * **Paul K. Gessner** was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the New York chapter of Transportation Research Forum in March 1992. He lives in Westfield, NJ. * **Amy Cobert Haber** is a practicing attorney in Mineola, NY. Her specialties are criminal and family law. * **Kim (Hamilton) ('77)** and **Steve Isaacs** live in Chapel Hill, NC, with their son, Benjamin. Kim is an assistant professor of medicine in the Gastroenterology Division at the University of North Carolina. Steve works in software design at Ball Northern Research. * **Paula Klemm** completed her doctorate in nursing at the Catholic University of America. She lives in Baltimore, MD. * **Michael Krangel** and his wife, Carolyn Doyle, are living in Chapel Hill, NC, and are members of the Department of Immunology at Duke University Medical Center. * **Robert Kushner** owns Shore Finance, a mortgage firm. He says "hello" to classmates Mark Novek and Michael Miller. * **Pat Leslie** is treasurer for NYS Society of Physiotherapists, Inc. and a member of the State Board for the Physical Therapy/NYS Education Department. Pat

John L. Hennessy (M.S. '75, Ph.D. '77) has received one of the highest honors his peers can give: induction into the National Academy of Engineering (NAE).



Left to right, **Richard M. Morrow**, chair of the National Academy of Engineering (NAE), **alumnus John Hennessy** and **Robert M. White**, president of the NAE.

The NAE is a private, nongovernmental group that advises the

federal government on science and technology and serves as a national forum on engineering issues.

The NAE honored Hennessy, Stanford University professor of computer science and electrical engineering, "For innovations in computer architecture and software techniques for reduced instruction set computers (RISC), and for quantitative evaluation methods for modern computer architectures." He has

lives in Glen Cove, NY. * **Glenn Miner** is an optometrist in private practice. He lives in Scottsdale, AZ. * **Jim Murphy** is a physical education teacher in the Connetquot School District. He coaches professional basketball, in Los Angeles, CA, during the summers. * **David Ost** wrote *Solidarity and the Politics of Anti-Politics: Reform and Opposition in Poland since 1968*. He resides in Geneva, NY. * **Betty Power** is an ANA certified psychiatric nurse with Clinical III status. She lives in Great Neck, NY. * **Howard Raff** recently celebrated his tenth year in private practice as a podiatrist. * **David Rissmeyer** lives in the Shenandoah Valley of VA. He teaches in the B.S.W. program at James Madison University and has a part-time practice in clinical social work. * **Bruce Robkoff** is a computer systems consultant specializing in banking/financial applications. * **Jonathan Salant** is president of the Regional Reporters Association, a group of Washington-based reporters from local newspapers. * **Alexander Schonfeld**

demonstrated what factors in the design of a computer contribute to good performance.

Hennessy has done pioneering work in microprocessor programming languages and code generation strategies which were essential in the evolution of RISC

microprocessors. He founded MIPS Computer, Inc. to pursue RISC technology, and the microprocessor he produced is widely used in state-of-the-art workstation designs. He has also contributed to the fields of multiprocessors and distributed computing.

Last year the Alumni Association scooped the NAE, honoring Hennessy as a Distinguished Alumnus during Homecoming.

manages a company that recycles once-expensive instruments originally purchased primarily with defense contractors' Department of Defense money. He resides in Sunnyvale, CA. * **Quentin Smith** is an assistant professor in the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation at Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, TX. * **Michael Steinberg** received board certification in allergy and immunology. He practices in Wheeling, WV, and southern Pennsylvania. * **Helene Tekulsky** works in cosmetic packaging and purchasing for Del Laboratories in Farmingdale, NY. * **Edward Wisan** is an account auditor in the Auditor/Controller's Office of Humboldt County in Eureka, CA. He lives with his wife, **Christine (Ross) ('76)**, and their four sons. * **Richard Weiss**, a practicing attorney, became a member of Teitelbaum, Hiller, Rodman, Paden, and Hibsher, P.C. in July 1991. * **Gloria** and **Brian Wolpert** live in Scarsdale, NY, with their sons, David, Andrew and

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Wearing Many Hats: Phyllis Zagano '79 (Ph.D., English)

Phyllis Zagano '79 (Ph.D., English) has a lot to be proud of.

As lieutenant commander in the U.S. Naval Reserve, she was recently awarded the joint Service Achievement Medal by the Department of Defense. The medal honors her distinguished performance of duty and meritorious service as a Special Projects Officer for the Office of the Defense Attaché in the United States Embassy in Rome.



As associate professor of communication at Boston University, she was chosen last spring to serve as director of B.U.'s Institute for Democratic Communication in the College of Communication. Established in 1976, the institute provides a base for community leaders to come together with media rep-

Jonathan. Gloria is an assistant professor of special education at Lehman College, CUNY, and Brian is a vice president at Bankers Trust.

◆ 1977

Essa Abed is a consultant to Columbia University and runs national conferences and workshops on various social issues. * **Frieda (Schwarzman)** and **David Agler** have been living in Los Angeles since graduation. David is a partner at Baker, Hostetler, McCutchen, and Black, practicing tax law. * **Betty Bass** has retired from the Department of Social Services Preventive Unit. * **Janet (Buchbinder)** and **Len Goldberg** live with their son, Spencer, in West Nyack, NY. Len is a national sales manager for Hunter Fan Co., and Janet is a social worker for the Ramapo Central School District. * **Donald Burr** is a microbiologist at the Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, a branch of the FDA. He and his family live in Beltsville, MD. * **Deborah London ('78)** and **Kevin Courtney** reside in Montclair, NJ, with their

representatives, students and faculty to address First Amendment problems and to improve open communication among different sectors of society.

As a writer and editor, she specializes in religion and public affairs. She edits *The Nuclear Arms Debate* and *Religion and Public Affairs: a Directory of Organizations and People*. Her most recent book, *The Social Impact of the Mass Media*, was published in 1991.

And there's more. She has served as program officer of the National Humanities Center and worked for the Archdiocese of New York as a researcher.

Before coming to Stony Brook, Zagano earned her bachelor's degree in English from Marymount College and three master's degrees: from B.U. in public relations, from Long Island University in English, and from St. John's University in theology.

three sons. * **Caryl Hirsch ('78)** and **Jay Feingold** live in Los Angeles, CA. Jay is a fellow in pediatric hematology and oncology at UCLA. Caryl is a speech pathologist in private practice. * **Dirk Fleischman** resides in Miami, FL, with his wife and two daughters. He received a Presidential Citation for providing the dental care to the National Guard and military troops in the aftermath of Hurricane Andrew. * **Jon Friedman** has coauthored *House of Cards: Inside the Troubled Empire of American Express*. * **Paul Gold** is director of emergency medicine and critical care at Jefferson Park Hospital in Philadelphia, PA. He is also an assistant professor of emergency medicine with the Medical College of Pennsylvania. Paul lives with wife, Valerie, and daughter, Elizabeth, in Wallingford, PA. * **Howard Goldberg** has been appointed medical manager of ACE Inhibitors for Bristol-Myers Squibb Pharmaceutical Group. He will work on worldwide strategic medical activities for the company. * **Steven Graybow** is assistant to the director of charts for *Billboard*. * **Martin P. Karnett** is a senior

development engineer of microelectronics at Raytheon. He lives in Melrose, MA. * **Jeffrey Kosterich** lives in Paoli, PA, and works for Smith Kline Beecham. * **Margaret ('78)** and **Robert Merry** live in Latham, NY, with their two daughters. * **Peter Polchinski** is a trial lawyer in private practice, New York, NY. * **Elaine Reckner Sammon** is teaching 7th grade advanced mathematics, nursery school, and preschool at St. Barnabas in Bellmore, NY. She is also an appointed member of the Regional School Planning Board for the Diocese of Rockville Centre. * **Jeffrey P. Rosenking** coauthored a paper titled, "A Generic System for Directory Pagination," which appeared in the proceedings of the IEEE/ACM International Conference on Developing and Managing Expert System Programs. * **Richard Schwarz** works in private allergy practice as well as clinical instruction at Thomas Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, PA. * **Greta Sick** is a special education teacher in Greencastle, PA. * **James T. Sullivan** recently reestablished contact with classmate **Paul Stevens** as a result of purchasing the *Alumni Directory*. * **Walter W. Turns** has been a member of the Air Force for 14 years. He is currently stationed in Germany.

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Daniel J. Ehntholt was recently elected vice president of Arthur D. Little, Inc., the international management and technology consulting firm. He lives in Hudson, MA, with wife, Eileen, and their two children. * **Beth A. Goldklang** received her J.D. from New York Law School in June 1992. * **Frank J. Granati** recently received his F.A.A. pilot's license and flies his own plane, based at Long Island's Islip-MacArthur Airport. * **Larry Gross** is executive vice president of Boca System Inc., a ticket printer manufacturing company in Boca Raton, FL. * **Keri (Heitner)** and **George ('75) Lipkowitz** live with their two sons in Amherst, MA. George is director of Transplantation at Baystate Medical Center and assistant professor of surgery at Tufts University School of Medicine. Keri works in applied research and evaluation and consulting at the University of Massachusetts' Donahue Institute. She also writes commentary for local newspapers. * **Craig Hendricks** teaches at Long Beach City College, Long Beach, CA. He hopes the Bridge goes somewhere by now. * **Peter W. Leis** is a physical education teacher in the Connetquot School District. He is active with the Suffolk County Chapter of the American Red Cross. * **Nancy M. Lin-Smith** is the chief of education and training for the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection, Division of Wetlands and Waterways. * **Robin Lombardo** was appointed director of therapeutic recreation at the Long Island State Veterans home, located on the

USB campus. * **Margaret Loughran** is a psychotherapist in private practice, with offices in Sound Beach and Commack, NY. * **Nancy Coggins Lynch** wrote *Hands on Biology: Experiments for Elementary Schools*. She lives in Centereach, NY. * **Peter Maggiore** has been living in New Mexico for 10 years and is currently working for a consulting engineering firm. Peter is also a licensed emergency medical technician. * **Keith Marcantes** is a school psychologist in the Woodland Park School District, Woodland Park, CO. * **Jim Mulvey** recently accepted a position as account executive for the State of Pennsylvania. He has been employed with Unisys Corp. for 14 years. * **Thomas J. Nolan** is a family therapist in private practice, in addition to serving on the faculty and staff at the Center for Family Learning in Rye Brook, NY. * **David M. Novick** is in practice as a vascular and interventional radiologist in the northern suburbs of Boston after completing his residency and fellowship at Massachusetts General Hospital. * **Francis B. Olsen** was named Distinguished Alumnus of the John Jay College of Criminal Justice, CUNY. * **Elsie Owens** is retired and is currently president of Brookhaven (NY) NAACP. * **Keith Dom Powell** received a Master of Music degree from Carnegie Mellon University in May 1992. He resides in Pittsburgh, PA. * **Carl J. Rheins** has been appointed vice president and dean of Student Life and Development at Adelphi University, Garden City, NY. * **Arthur J. Tanney** is president of Tanco International, Ltd., a commodity trading firm specializing in energy futures. He is married to the former Gail Sandler and has two daughters, Melissa (8) and Jessica (6). Another daughter is expected in January. * **Carole Traster** teaches languages at the Windsor School in Queens, NY. She married Alan Wilk in November and writes that she would love to hear from old pals. * **Judy Antonucci Wiedler** owns Party Playroom, a children's party store in Lake Ronkonkoma, NY. * **Maria Zadow** is a youth worker at Brookhaven Youth Bureau. She lives in Ridge, NY.

◆ 1979

Natasha Brightman is a psychotherapist in private practice in New York, NY. * **Ruth Ann Burk** is the AIDS Study Coordinator for USB's AIDS Clinical Trials Unit. * **Antoinette P. Carbone** is a paralegal with Cedar, Strauss and Holt, Selden, NY. * **Frederick Carpenter** produced and stars in *Small Kill*, with Gary Burghoff and Jason Miller. The film will air on Showtime and The Movie Channel throughout the 1992-1993 season. * **William Cilio** was named basketball coach at Central High School in Bridgeport, CT. He is also clinical coordinator of the Student Assistance Team at Central High. * **Larry De Filippo** is a senior materials engineer for GE Aerospace. He developed thermoelectric energy converters for Voy-

ager, Galileo and Cassini deep space probes. In his spare time he breeds and races thoroughbred horses with his wife, Lisa, on their farm in Oxford, PA. * **Paula Duffy** recently relocated to California to start a regional law office for Sony America. She handles business transactions for five divisions on the West Coast. * **Susan** and **Robert Graf** live in Hicksville, NY, with their four sons. Robert owns a knitting mill in Mineola, NY. * **Anand Jagannath** is in group practice in radiology in south central Pennsylvania. He and his wife live in Mechanicsburg, PA, with their new arrival, Andrew Vasant Jagannath. * **Henry J. Hodas** moved to Appleton, WI, in 1985 to head up new business and group renewal underwriting for the Guardian Life Insurance Co. He is happy in Wisconsin, but misses friends from USB. * **Barbara Olsen Kissling** is living with her husband and two children in Jakarta, Indonesia. * **Dennis C. Lally** was awarded "Man of the Year" by the L.I. Suffolk County Lacrosse Association. * **Beth Leichter-Mantell** lives in Waterbury, CT, with her husband, Rodd, and son, Richard. She earned an M.Ed. from Northeastern University in 1981. * **William Reuter** is acting team leader on the chemical dependency unit at Bayley Seton Hospital. He expanded his private practice in psychotherapy to include specialties in compulsive gambling and chemical dependency. Bill lives in Staten Island, NY. * **Esther Roth** is a social worker and lives in Hauppauge, NY, with husband, Peter Solaski, and son, Richard. * **Ronald Segall** is a senior aerodynamics engineer in the flight test organization at Grumman Aircraft Systems Division. He is involved in major aircraft programs at Grumman, including new development versions of the F-14D, EA-6B, A-6E, S-2T, and E-2C. Ronald welcomes hearing from former classmates. * **Ken Steier** is a pulmonary/critical care specialist and president/CEO of PRN Staffing Services. He was named Philadelphia Entrepreneur of the Year, 1991. * **Felix Velazquez** is a clinical supervisor at an outpatient alcoholism clinic in addition to running his private practice.

◆ 1980

Ann Galen Behar is an attorney practicing in Princeton, NJ. * **Lisa Bergman** is a free-lance concert accompanist and a part-time faculty member at the University of Washington. Her recent concert tours include Norway, Sweden and Japan. * **Julie Brye** teaches oboe and music history at the University of Kansas in Lawrence. * **Neil H. Butterklee** received his J.D. from New York Law School in June 1992. * **John F. Centonze** is a PGY-3 otolaryngology/head and neck surgery resident at Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, VA. * **Theresa ('82)** and **Patrick "Duke" Corliss** live in West Springfield, MA, and are enjoying every minute of their time spent raising their

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A Leading Educator Lois Muir '82 (Ph.D., Psychology)

Lois Muir '82

(Ph.D., psychology), professor of psychology at the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse, is one of 32 educators selected in a national competition to be an American Council on Edu-



cation (ACE) Fellow for the 1992-93 academic year. The fellowship program identifies and prepares promising faculty and staff for administrative positions at institutions of higher learning.

Muir has been assigned to work with the president and administration at the University of South Dakota for the entire school year.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Wisconsin in 1979, she has been involved in research, teaching and service in both the psychology and women's studies departments. She has served on their Faculty Senate and currently chairs the Organization for Campus Women. In her community, she has served on the board of directors of Riverfront, Inc., and presented workshops for the La Crosse School District, YWCA and annual women's health conferences.

Before studying at Stony Brook, she earned a bachelor's degree in psychology from the University of Texas at Austin and a master's in family and child development from Auburn University in Alabama. In 1986-87 she taught psychology in Malaysia.

Every Day's a Holiday Margaret M. Johnson '84 (M.A., English)

Going to Europe? Why not take in a festival

or two while you're there, says Margaret M. Johnson '84 (M.A., English).

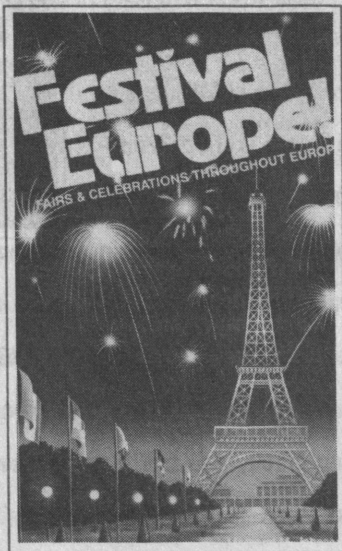
Johnson wrote the book on where to go to celebrate: *Festival Europe! Fairs and Celebra-*

tions Throughout Europe was released by Mustang Publishing in 1992, and it's full of listings and descriptions of fetes, parades, and pageants.

From the boisterous International Bachelor Festival in Ireland to the tasty Mussel Day in Holland, from a religious pilgrimage in Portugal to a footrace in Greece, Johnson provides hundreds of suggestions for travelers. The book is arranged by country and presents events chronologically, May through October, with a roundup covering the off-season.

Festivals are the best way for the traveler to have an authentic European experience, she says.

When she's not traveling, Johnson teaches English and journalism at Central Islip High School and lives in Westhampton Beach. She is also author of *Ireland: Grand Places, Glorious Food*, a cookbook forthcoming from Real Ireland Design Ltd.



wonderful daughter, Angela. * **Joyce de Jorna** is retired and doing volunteer work for the board of education in Brooklyn, NY, where she lives. * **Robert Di Gennaro** is on a two-year assignment for Household International's Canadian operation. * **Vivian L. Stein Dubin** resides in Port Washington, NY, and practices law in New York City. * **Susan Sauer** and **Larry ('81) Feldman** live in New City, NY, with new arrival, Dylan Andrew, and daughter, Jessica (4). Larry is a psychotherapist in private practice. Sue runs her own marketing company in New City. * **Paul G. Ferguson** is engaged in the general practice of law in Fresh Meadows, NY. * **Steven B. Fleischman** is practicing endodontics in Philadelphia, PA. He lives in Marlton, NJ, with his wife, Faith, and their children. * **Mark Gresser** recently was certified by the American Board of Podiatric Orthopedics. He was appointed to the Suffolk County Handicapped Advisory Board and is vice president of the Miller Place-Mt. Sinai Chamber of Commerce, for which he produced and sponsored the Cedar Beach Blues Festival. * **Jeffrey Horowitz** was recently appointed acting director of the Emergency Department of Maimonides Medical Center. * **Charles Jordan** has been serving for the past year as a G.S.O. senator. He resides in Smithtown, NY. * **Steven Katradis** is a consulting engineer at Halliburton Nus Environmental Corp. He lives in Gaithersburg, MD, with his wife and daughter. A new arrival is due in January. * **Alan B. Kraus** is a senior account executive for MCI TELECOM, New York, NY. He specializes in the corporate retail market. * **Vivian Kristofs** is married, with three cats, and is living the good life in sunny California. * **Teresa Labuszewski** has announced the opening of the Animal Hospitable in Williamsville, NY. In addition to providing health care for dogs and cats, Teresa plans to offer classes for people whose pets have similar problems, ranging from flea control to dental care. * **Diana Taylor** and **Kenneth J.T. Livi** are living in Baltimore, MD, with their son, Justin. A new arrival was due in December. Ken is pursuing a Ph.D. in geochemistry at Johns Hopkins University and expects to finish sometime in 1993. Diana maintains a part-time private practice and is increasingly working with incest survivors, including those suffering from multiple personality disorders. * **Lynne Manzo** moved to Jacksonville, FL, and is working as assistant V.E.A. at the Mayport Facility. * **Leonard Marsh** recently sold his restaurant to become a middle school science teacher. He is pursuing his M.Ed. at the University of Maryland. * **David Mernoff** is the director of interventional radiology at Baystate Medical Center in Springfield, MA. * **Nancy C. Misucavech** is a design engineer in Grumman's Advanced Systems Group. * **Constance R. Pallas** lives in Parsippany, NJ, with her sons, Jeremy (4) and Carl (1). * **Paul Rosenthal** works for legal publisher Matthew Bender.

He earned his J.D. from St. John's University in 1991. * **Sharon Schwartz** is a senior technologist in clinical hematology and coagulation at North Shore University Hospital in Manhasset, NY. * **Paul B. Thompson** has been promoted to full professor at Texas A&M University, College Station, TX. He published two books this year, *Sacred Cows and Hot Potatoes: Agrarian Myths in Agricultural Policy* and *The Ethics of Aid and Trade*. * **Charles Thornton** is a staff scientist in research and development for Life Technologies, Inc. He resides in Gaithersburg, MD. * **Dolores and Richard ('81) Tibbets** live in Floral Park, NY. Dolores is director of Jamaica Family and Youth Center, and Richard is computer services chief for the New York City Council. * **Carol Urwitz** is an accountant with Coopers and Lybrand. She lives in Boston, MA, with her husband, Steven Staum, and their children, Noah and Zoe. * **Niels J. Zussblatt** is a captain in the U.S. Army. He continues to serve as a personnel management officer and was awarded the National Defense Service Medal in 1991.

◆ 1981

Fran Blumberg is the director of research at the College for Human Services in New York, NY. She lives in Brooklyn Heights, NY. * **Gary L. Cohen** is a staff pathologist at the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology at Walter Reed Medical Center. He is a captain in the U.S. Air Force. * **Gloria (Epstein) Dorman** lives in Jericho, NY, with husband, Bruce, and son, Justin. * **Milind Godsay** is a senior development engineer with Hollingsworth and Vose Co.'s research and development department. * **Clare Gnecco** earned a Ph.D. in statistics from Polytechnic University, Brooklyn, NY, in June 1992. She is a mathematical statistician at Federal Drug Administration, Rockville, MD. * **Richard S. Gresalfi** has become a member of the New York-based law firm of Kenyon & Kenyon, which specializes in intellectual property law. * **Barry J. Hecht** is practicing dentistry in Brooklyn, NY. * **Edward Jung** received his M.S.E.E. at the University of Texas at Dallas in May 1990. He is an electrical engineer for Texas Instruments' Advanced Microelectronics packaging group. * **Elizabeth Lee** is a family nurse practitioner working in school health in Newburgh Enlarged School District. She resides in New Paltz, NY. * **Marie Christina Magalas** became director of admissions for the Swiss Hospitality Institute in Washington, CT. * **Barbar McAteer** is self-employed as an ASPO/Lamaze childbirth educator while raising daughters, Caitlin (7) and Megan (3). She and her family live in West Islip, NY. * **Bonnie J. Newman** is a neuropsychologist at the Rusk Institute of Rehabilitation Medicine, New York University Medical Center. She and her husband, **Michael Slavin ('71)**, live in Bellmore, NY. * **R. William Pike** completed *Act for*

Health: Using Theater to Teach Tough Teen Topics, which shows educators how to use theater to promote awareness and discussion of sensitive issues. * **Steve Thomas Pleickhardt** graduated from Georgetown Dental School in 1985 and went into private practice with the largest group practice in northern Virginia. He lives in Springfield, VA, with his wife, Irene. * **James Rawie** lives in Puerto Rico where he works as a music director. * **Anthony J. Rossomando** received a Ph.D. in microbiology from the University of Virginia in May 1991. * **Mary L. Schaefer** is a registered nurse at Huntington Hospital, Huntington, NY. In her spare time, Mary pursues an acting career. * **Richard Strauss** is a project/applications engineer for customized mechanical tooling systems. He works for Brock Industries, Cranford, NJ. * **Francesca Velez** runs the Innervision Counseling Center in Brentwood, NY. * **Katharine S. Weitzel** is an ESL teacher and is currently studying sign language at USB.

◆ 1982

Glenn S. Blanco is national product support manager for one of Recognition Equipment Co.'s major product lines. He lives in Atlanta, GA. * **Lillian Bulion** has been showing art work and receiving awards since retiring as an art teacher. * **Carl Cohen** is manager of the Office of Parking, Information and Field Services at Cornell University. He lives in Binghamton, NY. * **Mark Dinowitz** is a personnel office at J.P. Morgan. He recently relocated to Wilmington, DE. * **Jane Hansen** and **Gregg Fenton** live in Northport, NY. Jane is manager of environmental affairs and energy planning at Grumman Corp. * **Richard A. Fogel** has been named an associate with the firm of McMillan, Rather, Bennett & Rigano, P.C. * **Steve Gomberg** is a programmer/analyst for a division of National Westminster Bank USA which specializes in equipment and automotive lease financing. * **Robert Hadden** manages his own business where he sells, services and builds electric vehicles for the Los Angeles (CA) area. He raced an electric car in the Phoenix 500 and is building another car for racing. * **Susan M. Jacobowitz-Krisch** was married in June 1985 to Evan B. Krish, M.D. She graduated from Temple University with a Ph.D. in school psychology in May 1988. She lives in Cherry Hill, NJ, with her husband and their children, Joshua (2) and Daniel (1). * **Jacquelyn Kilmer** has joined the law firm of Ballard Spahr Andrews & Ingersoll as an associate in its Denver office. * **Rita Kito** is an administrative assistant to the business manager of the Brookhaven National Laboratory. She lives in Port Jefferson Station, NY. * **Matthew** and **Wendie (Walstrom) Knopf** reside in Oak Park, IL. Matthew is a senior associate with the law firm of Altheimer & Gray in Chicago and Wendie is at home raising their

children, Leigh and Jacob. * **Gail Mello** and **Eric ('82) Lieberman** live in Jupiter, FL. They have two daughters, Bari (6) and Stacy (2). * **George Ligure** is an independent software developer and consultant based in New York City. * **Glenn D. McDowell** is working on an M.S. in manual therapy through the residency program in the Ola Grimsby Institute. He lives in Kirkland, WA. * **Susan Miller** is an ecologist with the U.S. Forest Service. She resides in Sacramento, CA. * **Barbara Vassino Parilla** is completing a fellowship in maternal/fetal medicine (high-risk obstetrics) at Northwestern University Medical School. She and her husband, Frank, live in Park Ridge, IL. * **Janice V. Orshan** works as an associate in the law firm of Joseph Attenito, Smithtown, NY. She received her J.D. from Hofstra University School of Law in 1988. * **Caryn Sorkin Pearlstein** joined Ophthalmology Associates of Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, in September 1992. * **Mary Kate Reinhart** is self employed in high tech pediatric home care. She lives in Lake Ronkonkoma, NY. * **Kerry Riker** moved to Bangor, ME, and joined the practice of Bangor Internal Medicine Associates. * **Frank Roethel** is a research professor at USB. He is currently working on a method for mixing cement with ash produced by solid waste combustion which would aid in closing landfills. The material would be used to create a porous cap to cover the landfill while allowing gases to escape. * **Denise** and **Joseph ('83) Saggio** opened a computer integration firm in 1984 with fellow

alumnus **Seth Belous**. The company made the Inc. 500 in 1990 and 1991. * **Edward Schlissel** is associate dean for clinical affairs at USB's School of Dental Medicine. He is currently grant project director for the U.S. Health and Human Services grant which was awarded to provide dental treatment for children and adults with AIDS. * **Steven M. Scotti** was appointed deputy chief of the NYC Law Department's Workers' Compensation Division. He lives in Rego Park, NY. * **Paula Silver** is director of singles at the Suffolk YM/YWHA and is a school social worker at BOCES II. Paula resides in Kings Park, NY. * **Patricia Smith** is a staff nurse in the maternal child unit at North Shore University Hospital, Glen Cove, NY. * **Jack Strausman** is an attorney with Potomac Electric Power Co. in Washington, D.C. * **Mark A. Tedesco** is the director of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Long Island Sound Office. * **Caroline Ventrano** is a critical care clinical nurse specialist at the Critical Care Institute, University Hospital, USB.

◆ 1983

10th Reunion - October 30, 1993

Ann Elisabeth Bass is a coastal zone management/water resources planner at a regional planning agency in Bangor, ME. * **Alan Bresalier** has opened a new office for periodontics and implant dentistry in Pembroke Pines, FL. * **Abraham Bressler** is a second-

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Welcome, Debbie!

Next time you stop by the Alumni Association office, come and meet the newest member of our staff, Deborah Dietzler, assistant director of Alumni Affairs. She joined the university in August, and her energy, youth and enthusiasm have already enlivened things around here.

Debbie graduated from Hofstra University in 1989 with a B.A. in English and earned a Master of Science in Marketing from Texas A&M University in 1991. In graduate school, she was an assistant for Texas A&M's Athletic Department, where she worked as a tutor and mentor for the student-athletes.

Following graduation, she worked as an administrative assistant in the Memorial Student Center's Jordan Institute for International Awareness, similar to USB's Student Union and Activities.

Debbie is especially interested in getting young alumni involved and connecting alumni of all ages to the recruiting process. She coordinates the day-to-day operations of the Student Ambassador program as well as the activities of the Homecoming King and Queen.

Says Debbie, "I am delighted to be here and would welcome any alumni interested in becoming more involved in the life of USB to contact me."



Debbie Dietzler, left, with Shelly and Cindy Cohen at Stony Brook Foundation Day.

year pediatric resident at Winthrop University Hospital. He lives in Mineola, NY. * **Peter Ceravolo** has been in private practice in endodontics in Syracuse, NY, since 1987. * **Miriam Feinstein** is a social studies teacher at Northport High School and part owner of M&M books, which specializes in out-of-print, rare and scholarly books. * **Arlene Freitas** teaches secondary English in the Harborfields School District. She resides in Huntington, NY. * **Wendy Geffin** manages the PC programming group for the Special Services Department of Johnson & Higgins, a large commercial insurance broker. She also sings in the duo, "We Two," and plays keyboards for the "Funkless Wonders." Wendy lives in Brooklyn, NY. * **Bridget Halligan** is a veterinary student at Atlantic Veterinary College. * **Anita Hill** works as a sales representative at Merrill Lynch in International Securities Lending. She is also the treasurer for the Manhattan Society, a volunteer group that raises funds for multiple sclerosis. * **Samuel B. Hoff** is a political science professor at Delaware State College, Dover, DE. He was an independent candidate for president of the United States in 1992. * **Theodore J. Howard** is pastor of St. Mark's Roman Catholic Church in Shoreham, NY. * **Cheryl Kelly** is a staff nurse in labor and delivery at Brookhaven Memorial Hospital. She lives in North Patchogue, NY. * **Maria Koszalka** is the associate hospital director and director of nursing at Albert Einstein College Hospital, Bronx, NY. She is also on the faculty of the graduate program in nursing administration at New Rochelle College. * **Helene Rona Krinsky** graduated from New York Law School's evening division in June 1991. She is a legal assistant, specializing in real estate, at a midtown Manhattan firm. * **Plato A. Magriotis** is a faculty member of the Department of Chemistry, West Virginia University. * **John McAnulty** is manager of the Telrad Telecommunications Field Service Engineering Department. He lives in Hicksville, NY. * **Julie Mezzullo-Halmo** is a software engineer for Grumman Aircraft Systems. She comes from a family of Stony Brook alumni who represent all fields of study. * **Cheryl Moss-Mellman**, is a board-certified internist in private practice in Boca Raton, FL. She and her husband, **Robert Mellman ('81)**, live in Boca Raton with their children, Stuart and Samantha. * **Sharon Nachman** is among 10 recipients of the Women's Recognition Award from the Town of Brookhaven's Office of Women's Services. She received the award for her outstanding achievement in the field of medicine. Sharon is the director of University Hospital's Pediatric AIDS Center and acting director of the Division of Pediatric Infectious Diseases. * **Betty Osinga** is a social worker with St. Clair Care, a hospice she helped create in 1991. Betty lives in Cropwell, AL. * **April (Schaller) Peters** lives in Selden, NY, with husband, Steve, and their two

children. * **Chester Phillips** is chief of workforce planning and analysis for the U.S. Dept. of State. * **Jonathan Rubin** is a resident in anesthesiology at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center, New York, NY. * **Linda Rae Savage** is a full-time chiropractic student at Life College in Marietta, GA. * **David Swenson** has been promoted to director of consumer and trade promotions for Whitehall Laboratories. He will be responsible for the development of consumer promotional events and have overall responsibility for the sales promotion department. * **Roger Wunderlich** is a research assistant professor of history at USB and editor of the history department's *Long Island Historical Journal*. He was recently a panelist at Hofstra University's conference on F. Scott Fitzgerald, where he discussed "The Great Gatsby as Long Island History."

◆ 1984

Cathleen Blatchly is an assistant professor of physical therapy at the Medical College of Ohio in Toledo. * **Mary Slevin Brodmerkel** received an M.B.A. from Adelphi University in May 1991. She works in the controller's department at Allstate in Hauppauge, NY. * **Donna D. Cannon** recently received her master's degree from the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, CA. * **Scott Emery** lives in Odessa, FL. In 1991, he was one of eight finalists for the position of head of Florida's Department of Natural Resources. * **Donna Finn** is clinical manager of rehabilitation services at Yale New Haven Hospital. * **Janet Hearing** is an assistant professor of medicine and microbiology at USB. Her laboratory is responsible for producing an Epstein-Barr virus nuclear antigen which is used in medical testing. * **Claudia Bozzi Hochman** is a general dentist practicing in Syosset, NY. * **Krista Lynn Horlitz** is a National Research Council Fellow at NASA-Ames Research Center in Moffett Field, CA. * **Jeff Kohler** is an elementary school teacher in Brooklyn, NY. He is pursuing a master's degree in education. * **Sheila S. Korn** is a third year pediatric resident at Schneider's Children's Hospital, Long Island Jewish Hospital. * **Marcia Liss** earned a Ph.D. in counseling psychology from SUNY Buffalo in 1991. She is completing her postdoctoral fellowship at the Rehabilitation Institute of Michigan. * **Frances (Giattino)** and **Brennan McTernan** live in Port Jefferson Station, NY, with their sons, Brennan Jr. and Ryan Michael. Fran is in the research and development department of Periphonics. Brennan took the two Emmys he won for the 1988 Summer Olympics on NBC and started 3D Creations Inc. with his partner. The company is in its third successful year. * **Keith Schwartz** is living in Coral Springs, FL, with his wife, Toni. He is practicing general dentistry in Fort Lauderdale, FL. * **Leona M. Trice** received a Master of Public Administration in

May 1991. * **Beth Wechselblatt** is director of patient services at St. Charles Hospital and Rehabilitation Center's Long Term Home Health Care Program.

◆ 1985

Howard Breuer is a county government reporter for the *Los Angeles Daily News*. He lives in Oak View, CA, with his wife and daughter. * **Michael T. Carey** is the president and chief engineer of CHI, a full-service Novell network support company in Melville, NY. * **Paul De Marco** is a podiatrist with Foot and Ankle Specialists of Bucks County, PA. * **Joyce Anne Thornton Del Gaudio** married Stephen Del Gaudio in October 1990. She is associate director of regulatory affairs and her husband is a chemist. They are both employed in the pharmaceutical field. * **Jonathan A. Garlick** is a recipient of a Physician-Scientist Award for dentists from the National Institute of Dental Research. This award provides training in basic biomedical research which Jonathan is conducting with Professor Lorne Taichman at USB. He and his wife, Lauren, live in Stony Brook with their son, Jesse (1). * **Andy J. Gordon** is pursuing an M.B.A. in finance at Fordham University. He is employed by Chase Manhattan Bank. * **MaryAlice Griffin** is a teacher in the Southold School District. * **Mark Hager** is a consulting engineer in Crystal River, FL. * **Elisa Haltigan** was recently promoted to assistant director of project planning at the Long Island Railroad. Her responsibilities include: capital planning, business planning and suburban mobility. * **Geraldine Houghtaling** has been living in Phoenix, AZ, since 1990. She works for Blood Systems, Inc., the testing laboratory for United Blood Services. Geraldine also volunteers at Liberty Wildlife, a wildlife rehabilitation clinic in Scottsdale, AZ. * **Michael P. Infranco** completed an M.A.L.S. at USB in December 1991. He is pursuing a teaching career. * **Maureen Jackson** teaches at Good Counsel Academy High School in White Plains, NY. * **Jo Joy** is a financial analyst with Hewlett Packard in Ayondale, PA. Jo earned an M.B.A. in finance from the Wharton School in May 1991. * **Richard McAllister** is a manufacturing engineer at Medical Laboratory Automation, Inc. He lives in Peekskill, NY. * **Timothy McLaughlin** was recently awarded tenure at Cazenovia College, where he directs an upper division interdisciplinary combination of liberal arts and career-oriented courses. * **Nan Mitchell** is teaching Italian and Spanish at Half Hollow Hills School District. She lives in Bay Shore, NY. * **Kevin J. Muldoon** is the president of the New York State Parole Officers' Association. He resides in Smithtown, NY. * **Carol Pankin** is the marketing director for Galison Books. She also reports that she is trying to find a good man in NYC. * **Eric Poliak** owns "Sundance Productions," a mobile disc jockey business in San Diego, CA. * **Lisa Steenken-Dennison**

has been named an associate of the Casualty Actuarial Society (CAS). She is a vice president at CAS in Brentwood, TN. * **Richard M. Szymanski** is a psychiatric social worker for Suffolk County PINS Diversion Program, which deals with youth in crisis. * **Beth (Champagne) Walsh** graduated from CUNY Law School in 1990 and started her own practice in Troy, NY.

◆ 1986

William Barnes (G '91) has worked in a number of manufacturing engineering positions at Grumman Corporation. On receiving his master's from USB in 1991, he began running all corporate pollution prevention/waste reduction programs. William is currently advising USB's Department of Technology and Society in the development of a program for an environmental engineering minor for undergraduates. He is also arranging to provide complimentary environmental engineering periodicals from Grumman to the CEAS library. * **Sandra Bertolino-Crapanzano** is a medical social worker with Helen Hayes Hospital in West Haverstraw, NY. She holds a master of science degree in social work from New York University. * **Ralph Cartisano** teaches high school science. He earned a master's degree in secondary education from Dowling College in 1989. * **Cheryl A. Christie** is a certified athletic trainer with South Shore Sports Medicine & Orthopedic Rehab. * **Debra Cinotti** is a clinical assistant professor of dental medicine at USB. She is working with other doctors in treating adults with AIDS. * **Michael Conway** began a private podiatry practice in Massapequa, NY, in July 1991. * **Johnasina Cummings** lives in Wheatley Heights, NY, and is taking more undergraduate courses to fulfill medical school requirements. She hopes to enter medical school in September 1993. * **Sharon Doyle** is a psychotherapist in private practice in Stony Brook, NY. * **Derek Fine** works at Mentor Graphics in Wilsonville, OR, as a technical marketing engineer. He has been living in Portland, OR, since 1990. * **Gregg Foos** is training in orthopaedic surgery residency in Monmouth Medical Center, NJ. * **Alison Garber** is teaching women's studies at Suffolk Community College, Selden, NY. * **Gisele Glover** has joined the staff at USB's Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library as a music cataloger. She holds an M.S. in library science from Simmons College. * **Ronald Haas** is in private practice of prosthodontics and restorative dentistry. He lives in Deer Park, NY. * **Gregory Liu** is an Air Force aviator flying B-52s. He was deployed in support of Operation Desert Storm, during which he accumulated over 100 combat flying hours. He was recently promoted to captain and is living in Rome, NY, pursuing an M.B.A. * **Claire Martell** maintains a private practice in psychotherapy in Stony Brook, NY. She offers individual,

Bon Voyage, Ann...

Ann Wolf, known to all the "regulars" as director of Alumni Affairs, will spend January through June, 1993, in Budapest, Hungary, accompanying her husband, Harriman Professor Gerrit Wolf. Gerrit, a Fulbright Fellow, will hold the Alexander Hamilton Chair of Entrepreneurship at the University of Budapest.

In Ann's absence, Debbie Dietzler, our new assistant director, will assume Ann's responsibilities. Ann will return to Stony Brook next summer.

marital and family therapy. Claire is also a therapist at the University Behavioral Marital Therapy Clinic at USB. * **Patricia Messina** teaches special education for the New York City Board of Education. She lives in Brooklyn, NY, with her new husband, Joseph D'Amato. * **Paul Santoro** works at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York in the research department. He is a statistician with the monetary projections and analysis staff, where he forecasts M1 and required reserves for the open market desk. * **John Schwenk** is leaving his software engineering job of five years with New England Digital in New Hampshire, to embark on a recumbent bicycle odyssey of indefinite extent, to "get a life."

◆ 1987

Christopher Bjork is pursuing a Ph.D. in English at the University of Wisconsin. * **Jeffrey Block** returned to Long Island after completing chiropractic school. He recently opened his own practice in Hauppauge, NY. * **Michael Degree** is a second-year law student at Brooklyn Law School. * **Richie Duffee** works with adolescents who are chemical abusers. Richie lives in Stony Brook. * **Marcia Ellis** is a fifth grade teacher in Brooklyn. She also models part time. * **Craig R. Foosaner** works as a staff anesthetist and teaches clinical and didactic sections. He resides in Matthews, NC. * **Marlene (Greenstein) Kattaron** is an ultrasound technologist and the senior instructor for Ultrasound Diagnostic School, Atlanta, GA. She married Tom Kattaron in October 1991. * **Deirdre Lawe** is pursuing a Ph.D. in genetics at Thomas Jefferson University in Philadelphia, PA. * **Donna Marino** is associate editor/reporter for *Tour and Travel News*. She covers Hawaii and Central and South America for the publication. * **Regina Mastrangelo** received an

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M.S. at the University of Maryland in 1990. She lives in Alexandria, VA, and is an associate for ICF International, Inc. * **Steven Ricci** is a compensation associate for Goldman, Sachs, & Co. He is pursuing an M.B.A. at N.Y.U. and was recently engaged to **Shari Roth ('88)**. * **Marc H. Rosenthal** works for Shearson Lehman Brothers as a network administrator for their development network. Marc lives in Brooklyn, NY. * **Marian H. Russo** is a second-year law student at Touro Law School. * **Sandra (McCalla) Sandiford** is a teacher at Allen Christian School in Jamaica, NY. She lives in Roosevelt, NY, with her husband, Teddy, and daughter, Sofia Marie. * **Kenneth J. Sheehan** is a patent attorney in Washington, D.C. He lives with his wife and son in Falls Church, VA. * **David Vics** received a master's in aerospace engineering from the University of Cincinnati in 1990 while he was working as a design engineer at GE Aircraft Engines. David left GE in 1990 to pursue independent business in marketing. * **Adrienne H. Williams** received a master's in public administration from SUNY Albany in May 1992. * **Nina Woo** is a compensation analyst at the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. She earned an M.B.A. from Pace University in 1991.

◆ 1988

5th Reunion - October 30, 1993

* **Suzanne Balaes** lives in Boston, MA, where she performs with several opera companies. She spent the summer of 1991 studying and performing with the Central City Opera in Colorado. * **Alex Boukas** has acquired a dental practice in Mattituck, NY. * **Thomas C. Costello** has been appointed assistant district attorney and will be assigned to the District Court Bureau in the District Attorney's Office, Suffolk County, NY. Thomas graduated Touro Law School in 1992. * **Elena Damiano** graduated from New York University College of Dentistry in June 1992. She is in dental residency at Interfaith Medical Center in Brooklyn, NY. * **Jerome Enella, Jr.** received an M.B.A. from Adelphi University in May 1991. * **Anne Marie G. Fallon** is in a private dental practice with her husband, Michael, in Camillus, NY. Their son, Michael William Fallon IV, was born last March. * **Howard Gale** recently graduated from podiatry school and is doing a residency for two years in Iowa. * **Andrew Goldring** opened a dental practice in Boynton Beach, FL. * **Rita and Jonathan Jacobs** are living in Cambridge, MA, with their two sons. They both work as registered nurses. * **Chris Jacobsen** is a physicist at USB. He recently developed a new way for manufacturers to make semiconductor chips more powerful and filed a patent for this process in November 1991. * **Andrew Kutzy** is in the Master of Computer Science program at Pace University. * **Tina**

Kaarsberg completed a one-year tenure in Washington, D.C. as an APS Congressional Fellow. * **Sharon (Eisenberg) Levine** is the editor of *Speaking of Success*, a motivational newsletter published by Warren Greshes, a corporate motivational speaker. * **Marybeth LoVerso** is a social studies teacher at West Babylon High School. She married Stanley Kacprzycki in February. * **Amy H. Lui** studied in China last winter and is now in the process of preparing a doctoral dissertation proposal. * **Edna Mantzouranis** was inducted in Sigma Theta Tau, the International Nurses' Honor Society. She lives in St. James, NY. * **James Manzari** is relocating from Ohio to the Metro NY area. He was a quality assurance engineer for Kenner Toys. * **Efton L. Park** joined the Texas Christian University faculty as assistant professor of mathematics. * **Elizabeth (Doyle) Phelps** is a registered nurse in a pediatric intensive care unit at Georgetown University Hospital, Washington, D.C. * **Olga Diaz Reid (G '92)** is a teaching and research center nurse II. She and her husband, Joseph, had their first child, Kaitlyn Elizabeth, in July 1992. * **Anne Sancho** is a financial controller for a construction firm with \$25 million annual sales. * **Donna Scott** is the director of development and alumni relations at the C.W. Post Campus of Long Island University. * **Amy Seal** is a physical therapist at Helen Hayes Hospital in West Haverstraw, NY. She is pursuing a master's at Columbia University. * **David Toledano** became a Peace Corps volunteer in January 1992, following an eight week training course in the South Pacific. He is teaching science at a remote island boarding school. * **Gabrielle Winsberg** lives on Long Island, where she teaches ESL. * **Scott L. Wiss** is prosecuting attorney for the Village of Massapequa Park and has recently become an associate with Pelle & Pelle, Esqs. Scott is licensed to practice law in New York and New Jersey and will soon become licensed in Washington, D.C. and Florida. He will concentrate on plaintiff's personal injury, real estate and matrimonial matters. Scott recently became engaged to Christine Fasano and plans a September 1993 wedding.

◆ 1989

Helene Frank, Marie-Ann E. Iacobellis and **Steven Neuwirth** received J.D. degrees from New York Law School in June 1992. * **Joseph R. Baugh** is a law student at Touro College, Huntington, NY. * **Victor Brosokas** works as an applications programmer/analyst at the Depository Trust Company, New York, NY. He married Patricia Broggy in September. * **Doreen Eadie** is a science teacher at the Suffolk Development Learning Program. * **Stefanie Eisner** has been named executive director of the Long Island Forum for Technology. * **Allan E. Frishberg** has been awarded a 1991 American Chiropractic Association/Springwall Scholarship. * **Anne E. Hunter** has

been appointed assistant professor of psychology at Emory & Henry College, Emory, VA. * **Wharim Kim** is a member of the Mississippi Symphony Orchestra. * **Robert L. Kissell, Jr.** works for an energy consulting firm in Hauppauge, NY. He is also pursuing an M.S. in applied mathematics at USB. * **Linda LaSelva** is a charge nurse at Baptist Hospital East in Kentucky. She lives in Louisville and is enjoying true Southern hospitality. * **David Leipzig** works for AT&T as a training course developer/instructor. * **William F. Manley** is a desktop publishing software/color scanning consultant. He lives in Wantagh, NY. * **Edward Ognibene** is a mechanical engineering design and analysis engineer for United Technologies. He is pursuing a Ph.D. at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. * **Ann-Marie Scheidt** has been elected vice chair of the board of directors of the Suffolk County Community Development Corporation, the largest private not-for-profit housing agency on Long Island. * **Thomas R. Wagler** is a research investigator with Bristol-Myers Squibb, Princeton, NJ. * **Nancy Wagner** is an instructor in mathematics at Suffolk Community College. * **Peter Walsh** graduated CUNY Law School in May 1992. * **Jeanie Waters** represented the U.S. at the Paralympics in Barcelona in September. She lives in Rockville Centre, NY. * **Brian Weber** received a J.D. degree from New England School of Law.

◆ 1990

Claire Cloutier LeBlanc is an associate editor for MacFadden Holdings, Inc. * **Susan Paparella** is a physical therapist at the Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation in New Jersey. * **Esther Penn** is a first-year prosthodontic resident at Veterans Administration Medical Center, New York, NY. * **Jodi Rabkin** is pursuing an M.S. in education while she works as a chiropractic assistant at Glenn Street Chiropractic in Glen Cove, NY. * **Arthur M. Scalise** is taking actuarial exams. * **Juvy Urmaza** is a registered nurse at Long Island Jewish Hospital. She lives in West Islip, NY. * **Susan Walter** is living in MD and works for the Department of Defense. * **Argenta Young** is an outpatient mental health therapist at Community Health & Counseling Service, Bangor, ME.

◆ 1991

Karen Blasi is in the Executive Training Squad at Macy's. She lives in Ronkonkoma, NY. * **Kevin M. Cordes** completed an M.S.E.E. at USB in May 1992. * **Eileen Cunningham-Gonzalez** is a teacher at Huntington High School. She resides in Islip, NY. * **Lynda Dissler** is a registered nurse at Long Island Jewish Hospital. * **Patricia Enriquez** is pursuing an M.S. Ed. at Pace University and works part time as a research assistant at the Mount Sinai School of Medicine's Psychiatry Department. * **Alexandra M.**

Gaughan is completing a postdoctoral fellowship at the University of California, San Francisco Medical Center. * **Ellen Guhring** teaches special education at Arrowhead School. She lives in South Setauket, NY. * **Patrick Heavey** is a transportation coordinator at Publisher's Clearing House. * **Michele Ingrassia** is a student at the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine in Old Westbury, NY. * **Marie-Ann Inguanti** is a student at New York Law School. * **Noreen Kelly** has been named director of physical therapy at Eastern Long Island Hospital in Greenport, NY. * **Linda Kramps** is in a private psychotherapy practice. * **Michael A. Kryskor** is a graduate student in USB's History Department. * **Paulette R. Larmond** works in the Psychiatry Department at Harlem Hospital. She lives in the Bronx, NY. * **Daria Merwin** has received a Presidential Regents Fellowship for graduate studies in archaeology at Texas A&M University. * **Margaret Minnick** is a Latin teacher in the Jericho schools on Long Island. * **Daniel J. Moloney** works in medical testing at a Long Island laboratory. He lives in Smithtown, NY. * **Patricia Noone** teaches nursery school at St. Mary's School in East Islip, NY. * **Meena Perry** works part time while hoping to pursue a career in art and literature. * **Donald Roth** works as an independent stockbroker. He resides in Bay Shore, NY. * **Darren Sasso** works for Century 21 and hopes to pursue an M.B.A. * **Donna Ann Schmidt** is a registered nurse on the neonatal intensive care unit at University Hospital. * **Gwen Schry** works for the Paget Foundation as a health care professional. * **John Shapiro** recently made law review at Fordham University School of Law. * **Timothy K. Shizume** attained diplomate status from the American Academy of Pain Management. He lives in Massapequa, NY. * **Jonathan E. Sobel** is a physician's assistant at Schneider Children's Hospital of Long Island Jewish Medical Center in the division of Pediatric Cardiothoracic Surgery. * **Benjamin Stone** is a graduate student at SUNY Buffalo. * **John Tuskan, Jr.** began law school in September 1992. * **Russell Weisenbacher** teaches high school speech, theater, English, and television production in Westhampton Beach, NY.

◆ 1992

Gail Hoch has joined the editorial staff at *Redbook* magazine. * **Mead Margulies** is a graduate student at the New School for Social Research in New York, NY. * **Liam McGrath** writes for the *Snow Mass Sun*, Snow Mass Village, CO. * **Mark J. Petruzzello** completed the Officer Indoctrination School at the Naval Education and Training Center, Newport, RI. * **Otto Strong** is with the *Los Angeles Times* in a special program for young journalists from around the country. * **Mary Lou Wendel** is a Columbia University School of Journalism intern assigned to *Newsday's* Washington bureau. * **Susan Young** teaches kindergarten at Our

Lady of Lourdes School in West Islip, NY. She will marry Christopher Oskey in February 1993.

TRANSITIONS

◆ Engagements

Debbie Gade '91 and Bret Losquadro * **Janice Kozma '89** and Vito Pizzonia (5/92) * **Cynthia Musgrave '91** and Scott Kenneth Mulford * **Jill Posnansky '88** and **Jonathan Shapiro '91** * **Philip Trzcinski '90** and Deborah Kosciusko (10/92) * **Hali Wishengrad '82** and Bill Levy (12/91) * **Steven Zier '86** and Dawn Heifman '86.

◆ Marriages

Joanne E. Berger '75 and Dominick J. Figliomeni * **John McGarry Brady '87**, and Helen Powers Haskell (12/91) * **Robert Alan Brewster '83, G '85**, and Joyce Kumpfmiller (8/82) * **Andrea Elizabeth Chin '89** and **Kenneth Michael Francisco '90** (9/91) * **Kevin J. Coveney '87** and Yolanda (6/92) * **Pura Cruz '88** and George Kropniak (11/91). * **Paula D'Agrosa '81** and Lolo Manso (9/92) * **Jody Davis '78** and John J. Eff, Jr. (7/91) * **Andrew O. Kaplan '83** and Sara Romer * **Steven Kohn '83** and Brenda (5/92) * **Jim Lee '83** and Kathleen Bryant (10/92) * **Keith Schwartz '84** and Toni Sirota (3/92) * **Ross Snailer '84** and Kimberley Nurge (8/92) * **Gabriel Strasser '75** and Pam Alexander (11/91).

◆ Births

To: **Elizabeth Amoros-Posner '84**, and husband, Larry: Jennifer (8/91). * **Ellen (Rubin) Apgar '83**, and husband, John: Jaime Alan (12/91). * **Charleen (Butchko) Staudt '83**: Ryan Bartholomew (9/91). * **Sheryl Cohen-Horowitz '85**, and husband, Mitchell: their first child, Jordan Andrew (6/91). * **Jane Colman-Silverstein '78**, and husband, Lloyd: Steven Adam, (10/92). * **Jodi Chanin Covello '80**, and husband, Joe: Lindsay Danielle (9/91). * **Jonathan W. Fein '75**, and wife, Myrna: twins Matthew and Marissa (10/92). * **Howard S. Feinberg '76, G '79**, and wife, Esther: Sara Yehudis (3/92). * **Timothy Greene '73**, and wife, JoAnn Albert: Daniel Robert. * **Michael Irizarry '80**: Marisa Nicole (4/91). * **Jeffrey I. Kasper '80**, and wife, Susan: Hayley Jane (3/92). * **Sheri (Goldstein) Lagana '84**, and husband, Gregory: Matthew Jonathan (1/92). * **Phillip James Muench '81**: Andrew Philip (1/92). * **Anna M. Murphy '84** and **Ted Lockwood '83**: twins, James and Megan (6/92). * **Eva Oszkinis '86**: Krystyna Helena (4/92). * **Joel Peskoff '79**, and wife, Judy Ornstein: Michael Benjamin (9/92). * **Ellen Picciano Roth '81**: Nina. * **Joan Murphy Santoli '82, G '85**, and **Paul Santoli '81**: first child, Michael Walter, (5/92). * **S. Dominic Seraphin '85**, and wife, Lori Holland: Iuy Holland

Alumni Always

We welcome to our ranks the following alumni, who have become lifetime members of the Alumni Association:

- ▶ Steven Abow, '71
- ▶ Gordon Berntsen, '73
- ▶ H. Mark Blauer, '68
- ▶ Stephen L. Brenner, '70
- ▶ E. Steven Crandall, '75
- ▶ Sukie Davis Crandall, '80
- ▶ Warren M. Drake, '72
- ▶ Jerry Drucker, '72
- ▶ Richard Fink, '71
- ▶ Frederick Frein, '92
- ▶ Mary K. Gfeller, '91
- ▶ Rachelle Heller, '64
- ▶ Stephen Heller, '63
- ▶ Lori Hitchcock, '91
- ▶ Erick Jackowsky, '80
- ▶ Peter Miceli, '79
- ▶ Moira Miceli, '79
- ▶ C. Steven Richards, '73
- ▶ Stacey Roberts, '71
- ▶ Ellen Roth, '81
- ▶ Cheryl Rothstein, '72
- ▶ Judith Kuskin Rutberg, '68
- ▶ Kenneth Sherman, '73
- ▶ Vivian Soo, '78
- ▶ Kenneth Steier, '79

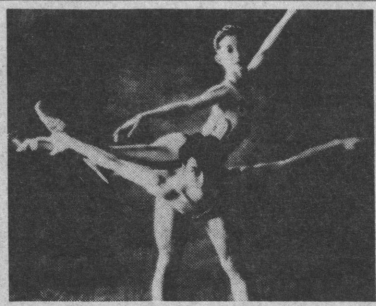
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Seraphin (7/91). * **Susan Silverstone '84** and **Anthony Di Battista '84**: Michael Sean (10/92). * **Danile Spokony '83**, and husband, Lawrence: Max (9/91). * **Brian E. Sweeney '82** and wife, Jennifer: Kathryn Grace (12/91). * **Marcia Thune-Pollock '82** and husband, Alan: Jessica Pauline, (1/92). * **Gail (Erlebacher) Weitz '76**, and husband, John: Jeffrey David (2/91).

◆ Deaths

* **Charlene T. Bauer '86**, (1/89). * **Lon Nungesser '82**, (5/92). * **Robert A. Pryhocki '72**, (1/89). * **Leslie Tiedman '92**, (10/92) * **Eran Weichselbaum '92**, (11/92).

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Hong Kong Ballet stars

DANCE

Main Stage, Staller Center for the Arts. Call 632-7230.

Saturday, March 20: Hong Kong Ballet. 8:00 p.m. \$22; \$20; children 12 and under/half price.

April 17 & 18: Seiskaya Ballet Benefit. 8:00 p.m., Saturday; 3:00 p.m., Sunday. For ticket information, call 862-6925.

EXHIBITS

University Art Gallery, Staller Center, Tuesday-Friday, noon-4:00 p.m.; Saturday, 5:00-8:00 p.m. Free. 632-7240.

February 5-27: "M.F.A. Show '93." At right: Brenda Hanegan, "Self Portrait Series" (1992).

Stony Brook Art Gallery, Stony Brook Union, Monday-Friday, noon-4:00 p.m. Free. Call 632-6822.

February 1-12: "Invisible No More," photography by Orville Robertson.

February 15-26: "Close to Nature," tapestries by children of Pakistan.

MUSIC

This is a selection of musical offerings held in the Staller Center for the Arts. For a brochure giving full details of these and other concerts, call the Department of Music, 632-7330 or the Staller Center, 632-7230.

Saturday, February 6: Alan Feinberg, Piano. "Discover America." Recital Hall. \$20.

Sunday, February 14: Baroque Sundays at Three. "If Music be the Food of Love." Recital Hall. Free.

Saturday, February 20: Hungarian Chamber Orchestra. 8:00 p.m. Recital Hall. \$20.

Saturday, February 27: Stony Brook Symphony Orchestra. 8:00 p.m. Bartok. Main Stage. \$9; \$7/seniors & students.

Saturday, March 6: The Long Island Philharmonic - "Looking Back: An Evening of Reflection." Mozart, Copland and Brahms. 8:30 p.m. For ticket information, call 293-2222.

Saturday, March 13: Peter Serkin, Piano, and Pamela Frank, Violin. 8:00 p.m. Main Stage. \$20.

Wednesday, March 17: University Wind Ensemble. Barber, Holst, Zdechlik, and Hindemith. 8:00 p.m. Main Stage. Free.

Sunday, March 21: Baroque Sundays at Three. "Bach Birthday Fest." Recital Hall, Staller Center for the Arts. Free.

Friday, March 26: Stony Brook Opera Ensemble and Symphony Orchestra. 8:00 p.m. Full production of Handel's *Tamerlano* (1724). Main Stage. \$15/\$13/\$11. Call 632-7230.

Sunday, March

28: "Nassau Symphony Orchestra & The Jim Cullum Jazz Band." 3:00 p.m. \$25; \$22/students and seniors. For tickets, call 481-3100.

Wednesday, March

31: Contemporary Chamber Players, "Five Premieres" (pre-view concert). 8:00 p.m. (Will be repeated April 3 at the Miller Theater, Columbia University.) Recital Hall. Free.

Thursday, April 1: University Orchestra. 8:00 p.m. Bizet, Schumann, and Mozart. Main Stage. Free.

Sunday, April 4: "Rory & The Banana Rocket Band." 3:00 and 7:00 p.m. Main Stage. Adults/\$10; children/\$5.

Tuesday, April 13: The Guild Trio, "In Search of that Exquisite Musical Moment." 5:00 p.m. Schubert and Mendelssohn. Lecture Hall 2, Health Sciences Center. Call 444-2765. Free.

Wednesday, April 14: Jerry Willard, Guitar & Lute. 8:00 p.m. Recital Hall. \$20.

THEATRE & PERFORMING ARTS

All performances are in the Staller Center for the Arts. For ticket information, call 632-7230.

Saturday, February 13: *Sophisticated Ladies*. 8:00 p.m. Main Stage. \$22; \$20; children 12 and under/half price.

March 4-7 and 11-14: Department of Theatre Arts, *Burn This*. Theatre 1. \$8; \$6/seniors and students.

March 25-28: Department of Theatre Arts, "Dance Concert." Theatre 2. \$8; \$6/seniors and students.

CONFERENCES & SPECIAL EVENTS

Thursday, February 4: "Ruby Remembers Martin." Ruby Dee's one-woman show honoring the memory of Martin Luther King, Jr. 7:00 p.m. Staller Center for the Arts. \$6; \$3/students. Proceeds go to Martin Luther King, Jr. Scholarship Fund. Call 632-7230.

March 26 & 27: Baroque Poetry Symposium. Friday: 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; Saturday: 9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Alliance Room, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. Call 632-6320.

Friday, March 26-Sunday, March 28: New York State Women's Studies Conference. For time and location, call 632-6320.

LECTURES

Thursday, February 11: "Taking Sides in Russia Today," Dmitry M. Urov, Moscow Institute of Foreign Affairs. 4:30 p.m. Humanities Institute, Room E4340, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. Call 632-7765.

Wednesday, February 17: "Religion and the African American Community," Bishop Emerson J. Moore, Archdiocese of New York. 3:30 p.m. Javits Conference Room, Room E-2345, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. Reception follows. call 632-7470 or 632-6562.

Wednesday, February 17: Talk on gay theory in relation to the film *Black Narcissus*, Michael Wamer, Rutgers University. 4:30 p.m. Humanities Institute, Room E4340, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. Call 632-7765.

Thursday, February 18: Arthur Fletcher. 8:00 p.m. University Distinguished Lecture Series. Sponsored by the Office of the Provost and *Newsday*. Staller Center for the Arts. Free. Call 2-7000.

Wednesday, February 24: "Postmodern 'Drag': The Text of Blackness as Political Imaginary," Wahneema H. Lubiano, Princeton University. 4:30 p.m. Humanities Institute, Room E4340, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. Call 632-7765.



Tuesday, March 2: Barbara Ehrenreich. 8:00 p.m. University Distinguished Lecture Series. Sponsored by the Office of the Provost and *Newsday*. Staller Center for the Arts. Free. Call 632-7000.

Monday, March 29: Trinh T. Minh-ha, San Francisco State University. Screening and discussion of film *Shoot for the Contents*. 4:30 p.m. Humanities Institute, Room E4340, Frank Melville, Jr. Memorial Library. Free. Call 632-7765.

UNION CRAFTS CENTER

For a brochure listing the spring schedule of workshops and classes for adults and children, call 632-6822 or 632-6828.

ATHLETIC EVENTS

Call 632-7200 for a complete schedule.



Sophisticated Ladies Offers A Jazzy Treat

Come celebrate the musical legacy of Duke Ellington, when the Staller Center presents *Sophisticated Ladies*, a stylish and brassy retrospective of Ellington's music on Saturday, February 13, at 8:00 p.m.

Sophisticated Ladies, arranged by Lloyd Mayers and Malcolm Dodds, has electrified audiences and critics throughout the world. This production, part of the tenth anniversary national tour, is directed by Mercedes Ellington, granddaughter of the Duke who starred in the show when it played Broadway.

Act I of *Sophisticated Ladies* takes us from Duke Ellington's early days at the Cotton Club through his widening popularity abroad. Act II explores the private man as captured in

his music. The show has been called "a high-stepping salute, inspired by the glamorous nightlife and sensuous highlife of a man who lived to love."

The New York Times called *Sophisticated Ladies*, "Pure musical gold" and "stunning magic," and ABC-TV's Joel Seigel said, "I loved it madly! The numbers send chills up your spine! It's a revue - glitter and glamor and stomp your feet songs, Tony-winning costumes and an explosive cast!"

Musical highlights include "It Don't Mean a Thing," "Take the 'A' Train," "Mood Indigo," "In a Sentimental Mood," and, of course, "Sophisticated Lady."

Tickets are \$22 and \$20, available at the Staller Center Box Office, (516) 632-7230.

Beautiful Music Together: Peter Serkin, Pamela Frank

"He is the finest pianist this country has yet produced....there are no apparent limits to his technique. He is one of the supreme musicians of our time," says *New York Magazine* of Peter Serkin, who will perform with violinist Pamela Frank at the Staller Center for the Arts on Saturday, March 13, at 8 p.m.

Serkin has performed with the world's leading orchestras since his debut 30 years ago, including the major symphonies of Amsterdam, Berlin, Boston, Chicago, London, Los Angeles, New York, Philadelphia, San Francisco and Vienna. His New World recordings of works by Stravinsky, Wolpe and Liebermann, his sensitive interpretation of Mozart on RCA, his impassioned renditions of Brahms on Pro Arte, all set new standards of excellence in piano discography.

Frank, an outstanding young American violinist, has been called "a poised, glowing soloist" by *The New Yorker*. "Her playing is passionate, lyrical, clean, with a rich tone and a deep understanding of the music...she is distinguished by 'having it all': musicianship, artistry and technique," says the *New York Post*.

Frank has earned praise for her work as a soloist, recitalist and chamber musician. She has appeared with the Philadelphia Orchestra, the Cleveland Orchestra, the Montreal Symphony, the Baltimore Symphony and the Vienna Chamber Orchestra. She is a graduate of the Curtis Institute of Music and a 1988 recipient of the Avery Fisher Career Grant.

Serkin and Frank will perform sonatas by J.S. Bach (No. 3 in E major), Busoni (No. 2 in E minor), and Brahms (No. 3 in D minor), and "Fantasy," Opus 47, by Schoenberg.

Tickets, at \$22 and \$20, are available at the Staller Center Box Office at (516) 632-7230.

Children's Folk Art Comes to Union Gallery

Coming soon to the Stony Brook Union Art Gallery: "Close to Nature," an exhibition of tapestries created by the children of Pakistan. The hand-embroidered scenes, showing village life and images of nature as seen through the eyes of the children, will be on display from Monday, February 15-Friday, February 26.



"Haitian Protest Near U.N.," 1992, by Orville Robertson.

Photographer Parallels City Life with Caribbean Culture

"Invisible No More," an exhibition of photographs by Orville Robertson - coming in February to the Stony Brook Union Art Gallery - vividly documents the daily life of black residents of two very different communities, one in New York City, the other in the Caribbean. Universal similarities are set against cultural contrasts in this pictorial essay.

The show runs from Monday, February 1, to Friday, February 12, and is part of Stony Brook's celebration of Black History Month.

Robertson, whose work has been shown in major universities and galleries in the New York area, has undertaken what he calls, "historical documentation of Blacks by other Blacks...a great though neglected tradition." He adds, "If our varied cultures are to survive, their historical

preservation must be passed on to a new generation."

This show, one of several theme exhibitions Robertson has created, presents the "great richness of life in the cultures" of the two areas, he says.

In conjunction with the exhibition of "Invisible No More," Robertson will come to campus as artist-in-residence at the gallery on Wednesday, February 10, from 1 p.m.-5 p.m. He will speak on his art and subject matter. A reception for the artist, sponsored by the university's Minority Planning Board, will be held, and alumni - of course - are cordially invited to join.

The gallery, in the Stony Brook Union, is open Monday through Friday, noon to 4 p.m. and admission is free. For additional information, call (516) 632-6822.

Each tapestry, called a "Gabba," is made of hand-dyed wool and lined with cotton backing. This 2,000-year-old Kashmiri craft is descended from an ancient chain stitch traced to an embroidery found along the "Silk Route."

Traditional themes for this medium include peacocks, parrots, roost-

ers and owls set in the lush rain forest, along with tigers, lions and giraffes.

The gallery, on the second floor of the Stony Brook Union, is open Monday through Friday, noon to 4 p.m. and admission is free. The tapestries will be on sale. For additional information, call (516) 632-6822.



Women's History Month

Sleeveless Theatre presents
"The F-Word," a satiric revue in
celebration of Women's
History Month at Stony
Brook on March 27. See the
inside front cover for more.

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