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Alternate SG reform plan to be presented Thursday

by Mike Fogler
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Another proposal to reorganize the Student Government, this one authored by Randy Wolfe and Gary Rendsburg, will be presented on the floor of Student Legislature (SL) in its Thursday night meeting.

The new plan states: "The Student Legislature shall be composed of not less than 34 nor more than 38 members, the number to be established by law, who shall be elected at a single annual election held in the spring semester of the school year."

Wolfe and Rendsburg presented their

plan to the Rules Committee Monday, which will report it "without prejudice" — meaning neither with nor without favor — to SL Thursday.

Under the Wolfe-Rendsburg plan, SL would have the power to divide the student body into districts. These districts would be drawn without regard to sex or status with the University.

In other words, districts would be drawn representing approximately equal numbers of students, but there would not be separate districts for men and women, or separate districts for graduate students and undergraduate students.

Another aspect of the plan is that districts for SL and the Honor Court

would be the same. Therefore, there would be no Men's Honor Court or Women's Honor Court. Rather, there would be one consolidated Honor Court.

This new plan also provides that all legislative vacancies would be filled by special elections.

The plan by Wolfe and Rendsburg is intended to present an alternative to the recently disclosed Epps Plan, which calls for a 20-member Campus Governing Council.

The Epps Plan emphasizes having at least two members of the majority race, two of the minority race, two males and two females in the 20-member council.

Leaders of the Epps Plan will initiate their reform movement with a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in room 217 of the Student Union.

Walter Daniels, coordinator of the group, said students will be needed for petitioning, canvassing and organizing. He said all types of volunteers, from freshmen to graduate students, are needed.

"The entire purpose of the reform movement is to make Student Government more responsive to the needs of the campus," said Daniels. "That is why we are now turning to the grassroots for support and aid in the reform."

Fred Davenport, student body vice president and one of the formulators of the Epps Plan, had this to say about the proposal of Wolfe and Rendsburg:

"It represents a flagrant attempt to salvage a body that has long proved its ineffectiveness. I warn all students not to be fooled by a plan that clings to the ills of the legislature."

"Richard Epps and I intend to use all of our energies to fight this plan which guarantees no representation to graduate students and no representation for women and other minorities."

When questioned about Davenport's statement, Wolfe and Rendsburg agreed "it is an attempt to salvage the legislative branch of Student Government, not to get rid of it as the Epps Plan would."

The two students believe 20 students running a student governmental body is too small.

Wolfe said he began working on his plan last spring, and the final provisions were formulated over the summer.

In addition to hearing the new reorganization plan, the Rules Committee in its Monday afternoon meeting passed three other bills — all "with favor" — to be presented on the floor of SL Thursday night.

One of these bills calls for changing a graduate polling place from the medical school to the School of Public Health. According to Dave Gephart, one of the tri-authors of the bill, this was done because the School of Public Health would be more cooperative in handling voting for graduate students than the medical school.

A bill to be introduced by Richard Robertson states the member of the Publications Board from the Finance Committee of SL shall be elected by and from that committee.

The final bill from Rules Committee which will be presented to SL calls for making Women's District IV to consist of all women residing in James, Morrison and Ehringhaus. Currently, the women in Ehringhaus are without representation on SL.

The Finance Committee of SL will meet Wednesday at 2 p.m.



Outdoor studies

Even though the temperature has started to drop at night, the days are still relatively warm and perfect for relaxing outdoors. This UNC coed decided to do some studying on her favorite bench in the Arb. (Staff Photo by Cliff Kolosov.)

Threaten retaliation

Arabs denounce U.S.

United Press International

Syria said Monday that Israel used the Munich tragedy as a pretext to carry out "premeditated and prepared in advance" airstrikes against Syria and Lebanon, and vowed to direct "hard strikes" against the interests of countries that support Israel.

Arab political sources said the reference to the countries supporting Israel meant the United States.

In Cairo, a meeting of Foreign Ministers of the 18-nation Arab League angrily denounced the U.S. veto Sunday of a U.N. Security Council resolution censuring Israel for reprisal air strikes against Palestinian camps in Syria and Lebanon.

Israel's Foreign Minister Abba Eban, during a cabinet session in Jerusalem, expressed appreciation for the veto and said it held "great international significance," political sources said.

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"We need action on this, not sympathy," the source said.

An Israeli Foreign Ministry communiqué said Ophir Zadok was wounded in the stomach at a cafe after

the embassy received a call from a man, identifying himself as Moroccan, who said he had information on an impending attack on an Israeli target.

Syria's official Damascus Radio said in a commentary monitored in Beirut "the Israeli aggression against Syria and Lebanon were premeditated and prepared in advance by the Israeli state of aggression. The Munich incident was taken as a pretext to justify this aggression."

"Our people will use all its potential to repel the aggression and direct hard strikes against the interests of those who are supporting the aggression and standing on the side of the enemy Israel giving it all support and aid," the broadcast said.

In Beirut, the government made no comment on the U.S. veto but the afternoon Beirut newspaper Lissan Ul Hal said "even Israel could have been ashamed from taking a stand similar to the one taken by the United States."

It said American "bias" in favor of Israel was "ugly."

The Arab League said in a resolution issued by Foreign Ministers of the 18

member states that the U.S. veto action was "practically a support of Israeli aggression and leads to the failure of the Security Council to denounce aggressive actions," the Egyptian Middle East News Agency reported.

The resolution expressed its "regret" at what it called the deterioration of the United Nations and its inability to maintain peace and justice in the world. The League considered the American stance at the Security Council as "a new affirmation of the hostile stance against the Arab cause and the Arab nation," the statement said.

Egypt rejected as "unconvincing and insufficient" the West German explanation of statements last week that Egypt looked on passively during the incident in which Palestinian terrorists killed 11 members of the Israeli Olympic team.

The bodies of five Palestinians killed by West German sharpshooters who tried in vain to rescue nine of the doomed Israelis were sent to Tripoli, Libya, for burial Tuesday after a prayer service in the Bourguiba mosque in the Libyan capital, the Libyan news agency said.

DTH needs people

The Daily Tar Heel will hold interviews for staff positions on the paper Wednesday from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the DTH office in the Student Union.

Positions open include staff writer, copy editor, photographer and wire editor. If available, please bring sample of previous work for newspapers.

Better service the goal

Infirmary offers new clinics

by David Eskridge
Staff Writer

More than 70,000 visits were made to the Student Health Center last year by UNC students.

This year, with a new clinic program, the center will try to offer more and better services to students.

Dr. James A. Taylor, director of Student Health Services since July, 1971, explained the new outpatient clinic program at the Infirmary.

"What we are trying to do is to set up a system that will cut down on the waiting time of a student and treat his demands as quickly as possible," Taylor said.

"At the same time, we want to keep the whole staff steadily busy," he added. After a student arrives at the Infirmary to receive medical care, he is given the choice of several options.

If he has a minor illness or injury, he can go to the Rapid Treatment Clinic, which requires approximately 10 minutes to evaluate and treat his problem.

For a more serious or acute problem which cannot wait for an appointment, the student can go to the Walk-In Clinic, which is on the first-come, first-served basis by the next available physician.

The Appointment Clinic is a third elective for those problems which can be handled on a time-elective basis and for follow-up visits. A student may choose

the doctor and the time he wishes at this clinic.

Two other special clinics are available to UNC students — the gynecology and dermatology clinics. Both are open three afternoons a week.

Students can call for an appointment for professional dermatology help, but the gynecology clinic is open to students by referral only.

"The only way this system is going to work is by the cooperation between us and the student body in keeping the appointments on time," Taylor stressed.

There were more than 1,100 students who had to be treated in bed last year at the Student Health Center. Forty-two beds are available on the upper floor of the Infirmary for the inpatient care of students. A student only has to pay for his meals and outside medical care, if any, during his stay.

Another new service this year is the Sports Medicine Program. This program is for the treatment of injuries occurred while participating in a University-sponsored sports activity such as physical education, intramural, club and intercollegiate sports. With the exception of surgery, there is no charge for this service.

The Mental Health section of the health service is located in the Infirmary building. It is directed by a senior psychiatrist and is staffed by psychiatrists, psychologists and

counselors, including a marriage counselor. "Strict confidentiality" is always maintained in this service.

Except for an emergency, the Mental Health Service is by appointment only. There is no set limit to the number of sessions a student may have, but, by necessity, it must be limited to a relatively small number of visits.

If more therapy is needed or wished by the student, a staff member may refer him to a private psychotherapist, the outpatient clinic at N.C. Memorial Hospital or the Orange-Person-Chatham Mental Health Clinic. The cost of these visits is determined by the individual's financial situation.

"We try to provide as many services as we possibly can with the student health fee (\$30 per student per semester)," Taylor explained.

The fee generally covers professional services by the Student Health staff, most lab and X-ray charges, certain drugs and use of inpatient facilities.

Charges are made for meals eaten in the Infirmary, some medications, those lab tests not done in the Health Service Laboratory and special items such as elastic bandages, slings, IUDs, etc.

"Perhaps 90 per cent of the students get all their medical help done without paying a lot of money," Taylor guessed.

If someone has a grievance or suggestion about the Infirmary, Taylor

asks he either come to the Infirmary and speak to him or communicate with one of the members of the Administrative Board of Student Health Services.

"This is a group of people here who are dedicated and want to do the students a good job. And we want to hear any grievances, suggestions or comments they might have," he concluded.

For more information on all of the services offered at the Infirmary, a small pamphlet on "Student Health Services" which contains the necessary information and telephone numbers is available at the Student Union information desk.

The booklet, along with one describing the various services and counseling offered on campus for help with sexual problems, are being distributed in the dorms by the Office of Residence Life. The booklet on counseling services is also available now at the Information Desk.

Weather

TODAY: Mostly clear and windy; high in the 80's, low in the upper 50's; probability of precipitation near zero today, 10 percent tonight.



An artist's fate?

Although many artists are never able to have their works exhibited, this man has found a certain way for public exhibition — painting the signs for the Alexander's Ambition on Franklin Street. (Staff Photo by Tad Stewart.)