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## Brown, Ramos, Thurman elected as new ASB Senators

By Richard Bradley

Wednesday, the students of Tacoma Community College went to the polls to select three new senators. This selection was made with Dary Brown, Gabriele Ramos and Deborah Thurman coming out on top.

The three new senators who took office yesterday are Daryl Brown with the top 137 votes, Gabriele Ramos with a close second of 132 votes and Deborah Thurman running third with 127 votes.

A total of 370 students took part in the election.

The official election returns

from the polls are as follows: 1. Daryl Brown, 137 votes; 2. Gabriele Ramos, 132 votes; 3. Deborah Thurman, 127 votes; 4. Si Sanchez, 126 votes; 5. Ben Sanchez, 109 votes; 6. Ed Chatman 100 votes; 7. Kirk Isacson, 87 votes; 8. Bert Jepson, 78 votes, and 9. Bob Graham with 25 votes.

# The Collegiate Challenge

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## Abortion reform favored by 63 per cent of students

The abortion referendum is favored by three-fifth of Tacoma Community College students, many of whom rate it as the single most important measure on the November ballot.

This is what was indicated in a student opinion survey conducted by the TCC newswriting class during the second week of October. Ninety-Eight randomly selected students were interviewed.

Findings of the survey included the following:

• 63 per cent favored the abortion referendum (71 per cent of the men and 56 per cent of the women).

• Virtually everyone was aware of the controversy and had already formed an opinion. Only 2 per cent had no opinion.

• 61 per cent voluntarily mentioned abortion when

asked to name an "especially important" ballot measure. By comparison, 16 mentioned the 19-year-old vote, 12 the tax reform referendum, 11 the bottle deposit initiative and 1 the city manager.

• 51 per cent refused to give their name when asked if they could be directly quoted in a news story.

Asked why they felt as they did, proponents of the referendum gave a variety of reasons:

"You should be able to do your own thing"—19-year-old female.

"It will help reduce the population explosion"—21-year-old male.

"Individual rights should not be regulated by the government"—23-year-old male.

"Cause I'm a female"—a 19-year-old.

"It is not a legal matter but a moral one"—19-year-old male.

Opponents of the measure provided an equally wide range of arguments:

"Anyway you put it, it's murder"—19-year-old male.

"Birth control is a better way of controlling population"—23-year-old male.

"It is against the laws of God and the Bible"—28-year-old male.

"It is killing someone that can't really help himself"—19-year-old female.

People interviewed ranged from 17 to 48 years old with the average age being 22. There were 23 18-year-olds and 24 19-year-olds. The average class load was 14.4 credit hours, with a range from 3 to 20 hours.

When asked if they were sympathetic with the Democratic or Republican party, or neither, 58 per cent said neither, 27 Democratic and 13 Republican.



—Challenge staff photo by John Becque

Student polls located in the cafeteria drew small percentage of TCC students.

- Oct. 30 Communications Club—12 noon-15-7  
21 Club—11-1 p.m.—15-2  
Charlie Elicker speech—12 noon—15-8  
Soccer—Skagit Valley—here—2 p.m.
- Oct. 31 Cross Country at Clark—1 p.m.  
Halloween Costume Dance—9-1 p.m.  
Amvets Hall So. Tacoma
- Nov. 2 AWS—12 noon—6-1  
Delta Iota Rho—12 noon—15-11  
Young Socialists Alliance—12 noon—15-7  
Sports Car Club—12 noon—15-4  
Political Science Forum—12 noon—15-15  
Rev. Soc—Abortion Reform—12 noon—15-8  
Wrestling meeting in the gym (22-1)—12 noon
- Nov. 3 Activities Council—12 noon—6  
Judo—12 noon-2 p.m.—22-3  
Los Unidos—2 p.m.—15-4  
Mock Elections—Poly Sci.
- Nov. 4 ISO—12 noon—15-1  
Obi—12 noon—15-1  
Winter Sports Club—12 noon—15-7  
Young Republicans—12 noon—15-15  
Bicycle Club—12 noon—15-4
- Nov. 5 ASB Senate—12 noon—6-1  
Judo—12 noon to 2 p.m.—22-3  
Revolutionary Socialist—12 noon—15-4  
Phi Theta Kappa—3 p.m.—Northwest Room
- Nov. 6 Communications Club—12 noon—15-7  
21 Club—11-1 p.m.—15-2  
"Friday Happening" Coffeehouse—8 to 1 p.m.—15-8
- Nov. 7 Cross-country—Shoreline Invitational—Seattle—3:30 p.m.  
Delta Iota Rho—Hayride—7:30-12 p.m. East Lot

## Students have chance to voice views by voting

By Walt Bowen

Students at Tacoma Community College will have the chance to vote in the Nov. elections. The voting procedures will be the same as those for any precinct in the 26th legislative district. An automatic voting machine was obtained from Pierce County Auditor, Dick Greco, by the Political Science Forum.

The student voters must show a student I.D. card to vote any time between hours of 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

There is one catch, however, and that is that the votes will not count as part of the Pierce County totals and there will be no

absentee ballots. The purpose of the project is to give the student (and potential voter) the experience in using a voting machine and to see how the campus vote will differ from the general public vote. The biggest differences will probably be found in the area of referendums and initiatives. The biggest contrast will probably be on Referendum Bill 20 (abortion law changes) and Initiative 256 (Refundable beverage receptacles). It would seem that there would be a big spread on House Joint Resolution 6 (19 year vote) but this issue does not appear to be a vital one on the T.C.C. campus.

But whatever the outcome of the T.C.C. student election, the results will be in the next issue of the Collegiate Challenge. Bert Jepson is chairman of the project.

### Obi presents 'A Faute Kupa'

Obi Society will present "A Faute Kupa" (Thanksgiving in Swahili) November 14, from 9:00 p.m. to 2:00 a.m. in the Amvets hall here in Tacoma. Admission to the event will be \$2.50 per person. Music will be provided by the Trojans.

## Campus clubs find space in 17-A

On solution to the overcrowding of campus clubs needing office space has been found in building 17A. This building which will soon be vacated is open for reassignment. There are several proposals being worked over for the building and the students should have a voice where it goes.

There are several clubs, and other organizations on campus that could use the building as their office. With 12 rooms to use the cost would be relatively low for students and groups to

get these offices for their use. It is now costing the school \$650 per month to pay the lease on the building, splitting the overall cost with the school would lessen the cost per club very much. The \$650. could be divided with the school paying \$200 per month. The offices could go for \$35 per month with the over pay going to pay a common secretary and to get equipment for common use.

This share cost concept could be well used by all concerned (Continued on Page 8)



# Editorials...

## Don't complain

You have been hearing a lot about student involvement this year. Student government has done more this year to get the student involved than any other student government in the past here at TCC.

But I think that a lot of the students don't want to become involved or just plain don't care what happens in student government. One example that might show this is the voting turnout we have for student elections. In the primary elections Oct. 14, approximately 250 people came out to vote. 250 people out of a possible 5,000 fulltime and parttime students. There seems to be some indication here that you people just don't give a damn.

But did you people know how much money is taken out of your tuition to be used for activities by student government? Ten dollars out of everyone's tuition is used by student government. That's thirty dollars a year per student.

Did any of you ever complain to yourself about the job that student government does? If you do, then did you vote in the last student election? If you didn't vote, then you shouldn't have the right to complain, because you did your part to do nothing about it.

Student government can only work when they know what the people would like. Ideas, compliments, and criticisms are always heard in building six.

DLB

## Purpose is to meet, have fun

By Ann Benefield

Dear Editor:

There seems to be some misunderstanding about the purpose of Los Unidos. Some say we are political. Listen man, we are as political, as a pig's buttocks (pronounced butte-ox by those Ensign Pulver fans). This club, though primarily for those of spanish descent, is open to everybody and as far as I know and everybody else for that matter the club is a place to meet and have fun. But some of you guys just won't listen, will ya? I'll close with a statement by our renowned Mr. Anderson (Psych. 100) "Don't confuse me with the facts, man, my mind is made up . . .

P.S. For those of you who believe that we are just a plain ordinary non-political club, come on over and enjoy yourselves on Fridays at 1:00 in room 15.4!!!!

## Office space solution found

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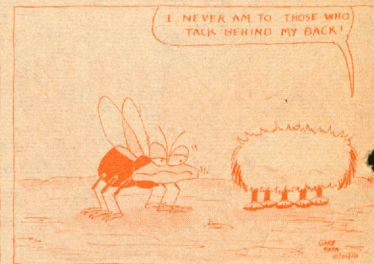
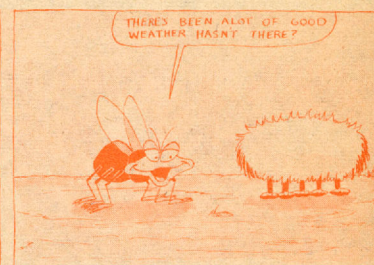
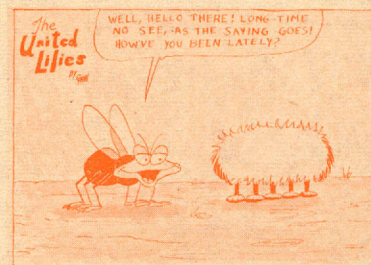
parties and if the senate or activity council went in it would cut the cost even more. The yearly cost per club or organization using the building would be \$360 per office.

This is no answer to the student union building, but it will temporarily take some of the campus space problems away from the student organizations. There is also the aspect of the inter-cooperation that could develop between the clubs when they no longer have to fight each other for campus office space.

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## Evil succeeds when good men do nothing

Dear Editor:

Edmund Burke once said "All that is necessary for evil to succeed is that good men do nothing." This campus seems to be a good example. The student apathy is appalling. I believe that if we can get together and attempt to understand one another we will lose the fear and ignorance that is destroying us. The militants are talking revolution and change they are spreading fear and hatred. I believe this is because they are so filled with fear and hatred themselves. This campus should not be controlled by any one group, but by an equal representation of the students I believe we should become one group instead of many small groups, each looking out for their own interests. Why are all of you filled with so much fear? Is it so hard to try to understand one another? I see the black and white struggle, and I

laugh and feel sorry for both of you, because you are letting a few individuals on each side speak for you. There is no easy solution, but I think it is time we try and make this sick society well again. What better place to start than on this campus? What do you think? Remember, anarchy is caused by a few people and not the majority.

Sincerely,  
BEN SANCHEZ



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—Challenge staff photo by Tom Winter

TITAN GOALIE, Chuck Johnson, has all the trouble he can handle as the Titan soccer team rushes upon him.

# TCC Sports

## Booters to play first game today against Skagit

By Tom Winter

Sports history will be made here today when the Tacoma Community College soccer team plays its first intercollegiate soccer game.

Skagit Valley Community College will be the opposition in the 2 p.m. game down on the TCC athletic field.

Team Co-captain Keith Vincent said the team has improved every day of practice. "For the last week I have had the players get used to different positions," commented Vincent.

Probable straters for today's game against Skagit Valley are Larry Bergstrom, Drag Butorac, Wolfgang Chandler, Bob Collins, George Hazen, Chuck Johnson, Larry Levesque, Mike Petersen, Gary Starkey, Christ Taylor and Doug Taylor.

Vincent said that everyone on the team will play against Skagit Valley as he wants everyone to have a chance in competition, and so he can see how everyone plays under game conditions.

When asked what the team's chances of winning today were, Vincent said he had no idea, as he had not seen Skagit play and does not know what kind of team they are. Vincent commented that the Titans are well along on game knowledge for a first year team with no actual game experience behind them.

Vincent said he is surprised that so many students on campus know and are enthusiastic about the soccer team. Concluding, Vincent said the team is by no means complete and that those who are interested may turnout Monday at 3 p.m. down on the athletic field.

Following today's game the Ti-

tans take to the road for two weeks, playing Green River Community College next Friday in Auburn at 3 p.m. and Skagit Valley at Mount Vernon Nov. 13 in a 2 p.m. game.

## Wrestling and tennis meetings scheduled

This coming Monday, Nov. 2 at 12 noon, there will be a meeting in the gym (22-1) for those interested in turning out for intercollegiate varsity wrestling.

If you are unable to attend the meeting and are interested in wrestling, contact Loyd Percy in faculty Building 17.

TCC tennis coach Harland Malyon would like to meet and talk with those interested in playing intercollegiate varsity tennis this spring. Malyon may be contacted in faculty Building 17.

## Titans tie Clark

By John Anderson

"We did alright," said cross-country coach Ed Fisher as the TCC runners tied for fourth place with Clark Community College in last week's meet at Vancouver.

Bob Vandergrift turned in the top time for TCC with 18:35 which was good for seventh place on the 3.8 mile course.

Also turning in times for TCC were: Brian Barrick who finished 16, at 19:02; Mike Smithlin who finished 20 at 19:34; Tom Meade who finished 23 at 19:41; and Kirk Isacson who finished 28 at 20:13. This gave TCC a total of 94 points and the fourth place tie.

"We weren't as tough this week as we were last week," Coach Fisher said. "Our first four did alright but we have to get our 5, 6, and 7 runners better."

Winning the meet was Highline Community College with 44 points, led by runner Ron Hebron who turned in a first place record time of 17:55. Bellevue finished second with 57 points, and third was Yakima Valley with 88 points. Other finishes were Tacoma and Clark Community Colleges, who were tied for fourth place with 94 points, and fifth was Portland Community College with 130 points.

Lower Columbia and Centralia Community Colleges failed to

place for lack of five finishers.

Tomorrow the Titans will return to Vancouver Wash. to compete against Seattle, Lower Columbia, Green River and host Clark. Community Colleges in a five-way important league meet.

## First TCC autocross held last Sunday

By Bill McClarty

TCC's Sports Car Club held its first autocross of the year last Sunday, Oct. 25. About twenty cars turned out for the event, and a trophy was given for top time.

Another autocross is scheduled for Sunday, Nov. 15 in the TCC West parking lot. Registration time and other details of that autocross will be forthcoming at a later date.

Membership of the club is very small at this time, but is hoped to increase in the near future. Prerequisite for membership is that you are human and have an interest in the various events put on by the club, you don't even have to own a car! Meetings are held every Monday in 15-4 at 11:45. If you're undecided, come to the meeting and see what it's all about.

## TCC sports calendar

October 30 to November 6

Today, October 30: Soccer—Skagit Valley here 2 p.m.

Saturday, October 31: Cross-Country—Tacoma, Green River, Lower Columbia, Seattle at Clark in Vancouver Wash. 1 p.m.

Monday, November 2: Wrestling meeting in the gym (22-1) 12 Noon

Friday, November 6: Cross-Country—Shoreline Invitational at Green Lake in Seattle 3:30 p.m.  
Soccer—Tacoma at Green River in Auburn—2 p.m.

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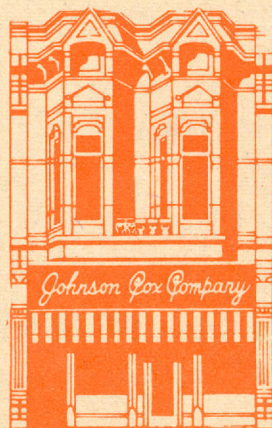
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# TCC student stars in Summertree at L.P.

By Dave Bannister

Summertree, written by Ron Cowen and directed by Eve Reynolds appeared at the Lakewood Players last Friday night.

The play is about a young man who would like to study music but his father will not permit him to do so. Attending the university and becoming what his father wants him to become the young man can stand it no longer. Dropping out of school he becomes subject to the armed forces and has to go to Vietnam. Here he is wounded and the flashback of his life begins.

The young man was played

by Gerry Sandstedt, who's experience in drama is limited, but his first attempt at a lead role was superb. Sandstedt is a student here at TCC and has been in other productions at the Players.

The father was played by Richard Monaghan who has appeared many times at the Players and the Tacoma Little Theatre.

Ted Reinert made his first appearance on the Players stage. He did the part of the little boy and did it very well.

Dorothy Clark played the part of the mother. She did a good

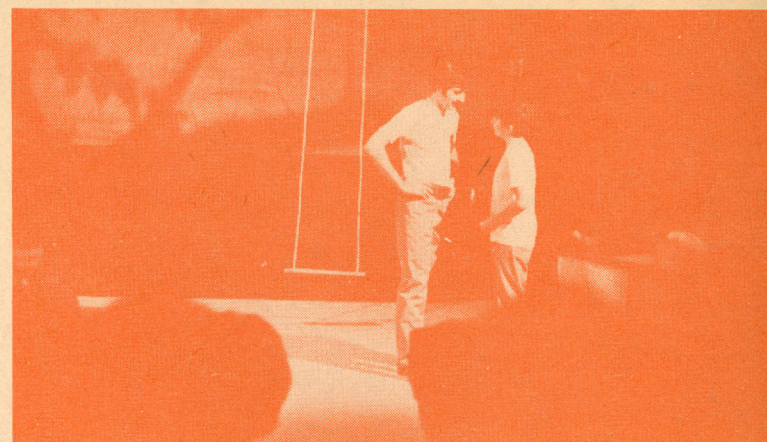
job of showing her emotions for her son. She has appeared at the players before. She also has acted at the Tacoma Little Theatre and the the Westgaard Players.

Pamale Reed played the young girl. She has been in other productions at the Players and has participated in drama and Forensics at TCC.

Jerry Foster played the part of the soldier. Foster has been in other productions at the players and helped direct "You Know I Can't Hear You."

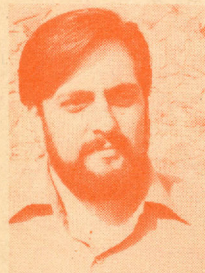
Background music throughout the play was provided by Mike Dumovich and Randy Scofield.

Summertree will be at the Lakewood Players Tonight and Sunday night also next Friday and Saturday nights. Doors open at 8 p.m.



—Challenge staff photo by Dave Bannister

Gerry Sandstedt (left) and the little boy, Ted Reinhart.



## AS EYE SEE IT

By Barry Sheridan  
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like a syrupy sweet?  
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like a heavy load.

OR DOES IT EXPLODE?

Langston Hughes  
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