United States Congressman Mike McCormack will deliver a major address at Evergreen May 11 at 7:30 p.m. in Lecture Hall One. Topic of the evening speech is "Toward a National Energy Policy." McCormack, now serving his second term in the House, is a former research scientist for the Atomic Energy Commission at Hanford. A state senator from 1958 to 1970, McCormack joined in sponsoring and authoring all of Washington's nuclear legislation and sponsored the 1970 Washington State Thermal Power Plant Siting Law, which is now serving as a model for the nation. McCormack also served on the Committee on Higher Education and co-authored legislation creating the State Community College system.

Since his election to Congress in 1970, McCormack has served as chairman of the House Subcommittee on Energy and also has been a member of the House Public Works and Science and Astronautics Committees, as well as the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy. One of two scientists in Congress, McCormack chaired the House Task Force on Energy as a freshman congressman.

Washington State Senator Gordon Sandison of Port Angeles will be the featured speaker at a May 11 formal dedication of Evergreen's new Laboratory Building. The ceremony, scheduled to begin at 11 a.m., will be part of a campus-wide Spring Quarter open house, running from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The dedication program will also include introductory remarks by Evergreen President Charles J. McCann and Herbert D. Hadley, chairman of the Board of Trustees, as well as a brief description of the purpose and function of the new facility by faculty member and former academic dean Donald G. Humphrey. The ceremony will be held in an outdoor plaza adjacent to the building.

The Laboratory Building contains more than 73,600 square feet of flexible space designed to provide the widest range of uses in both the sciences and the arts. It houses 36 general laboratory areas, 58 faculty offices, 40 conference rooms, five seminar/classrooms, a terrarium, auto-tutorial areas, workshops, an animal room complex, and photographic facilities. An adjacent annex contains additional facilities for work in the arts, as well as rooftop greenhouses. The six-hour open house will focus on the Laboratory facilities, but will also afford visitors an opportunity to view such other campus areas as the Library, Lecture Halls, Recreation and Activities Building.

Glenn Whitmire, an Evergreen senior, has been invited by the Chicago Field Museum to participate in a summer expedition to Ecuador to study and collect fishes of the region. The 23-year-old Des Moines student said the invitation came as a result of an eight-month internship, arranged by the Office of Cooperative Education, which he completed last summer. He said he and two full-time staff members of the Field Museum will spend up to two weeks at the Rio Palenque jungle station in western Ecuador, which lies northwest of Quito, the country's capital. They may also cross into the Amazon Valley if time permits.

North Thurston High School senior Bruce Ikenberry will be a campus visitor May 6-10 as part of a Career Development Week in his school district. Ikenberry, who is interested in a career in accounting, will be hosted at Evergreen by Chief Accountant Alan Spence. The visiting student will spend his time gaining an overview of the operation of the college Business Office.
NUCLEAR FISSION TOPIC OF MAY 10 CONFAB...

A forum for airing the diversity of views on the critical moral, economic and technical issues involved in the decision to "go nuclear" for America's energy production will be held at Evergreen May 10 beginning at 9 a.m. Organized by a group of Evergreen students, the Symposium on Nuclear Fission Power will examine such issues as thermal pollution from power plants, radioactive waste disposal, effects of radionuclides in the food chain and comparative economics of different energy technologies. A variety of speakers will be on hand to discuss these topics. The event, which is free and open to the public, will conclude about 10 o'clock Friday evening.

MAY 13 CONFERENCE TO EXAMINE "CHANGING FAMILY STRUCTURE"...

An all-day conference aimed at examining the "Changing Family Structure" in modern America will be held at Evergreen May 13. The conference, which is free and open to the public, will feature an examination of the reasons for forming permanent relationships and the reasons those relationships are changing. Personel from the April tornadoes, which is broadened to last nearly three hours with a drought, will be present at Evergreen May 13 when students and faculty members stage a "Benefit Relief"

"Benefit Concert Set May 11..."...

Traditional American and African folk music will be featured at Evergreen May 11 when student and faculty musicians stage a "Benefit Relief" concert beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the main Library lobby. Proceeds from the event will be used to aid two Ohio universities devastated by the April tornadoes and African victims of a many-year drought. More information about the event can be obtained by calling the Counseling Center at 866-6151.

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