

# Newsletter

The Evergreen State College

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...SPRING CELEBRATION PROMISES SUPER SATURDAY JUNE 7...Eight hours of continuous live entertainment on three stages; exhibits, displays and demonstrations by more than 60 southern Puget Sound artists and craftsmen; athletic competition in soccer, baseball, roller skating, skateboard riding, frisbee, bicycle and road racing; children's parades and cartoon festivals; and a float full of spring surprises mark the second annual Super Saturday celebration slated for June 7 at Evergreen. The free, community-wide festival heralds the coming of summer and celebrates the conclusion of Evergreen's ninth academic year with an array of activities designed to appeal to persons of all ages and interests.

Cosponsored by the Lacey and Olympia-Area Chambers of Commerce and the Thurston County Parks and Recreation Department, Super Saturday gets underway promptly at 11 a.m. and continues until 7 p.m. on the central campus plaza. Free parking, free bus service and free use of the college recreation center will be available.

...GRADUATION EXERCISES SET JUNE 8...A lone trumpeter will herald the beginning of graduation exercises for some 460 seniors Sunday, June 8 beginning at 2 p.m. on Evergreen's central campus plaza. Four on-campus speakers will share the major portion of the afternoon program, along with Pacific Northwest poet William Stafford, a national book award winner and Portland English professor, who will read portions of his latest works before Evergreeners cross the stage to receive their degrees --- and their traditional Evergreen seedling, donated to the Class of 1980 by the Weyerhaeuser Company. The Sunday ceremony is free and open to the public.

...SEAWULFF PROGRESS REPORT DUE JUNE 7...As the Seawulff moves ever closer to completion, Evergreen faculty member Dr. Robert Filmer and his student and volunteer community crew are inviting the public to come out to Evergreen and gain a first hand progress report June 7, as a special feature of the college's Super Saturday celebration. Seawulff workers say the 38-foot sailing craft is "not quite ready for the water, but we're getting very close." They'll be on hand to offer a personal update on the vessel from noon to 4 p.m. June 7 at the construction site, behind Laboratory Building One.

When fully complete, the ship will represent realization of a six-year-old Evergreen dream that began with a Marine Studies and Crafts program in 1974. Destroyed by fire in May of 1975, the ship was begun anew in 1976 and now stands in dry dock, nearly complete. By next fall, students and faculty say, the Seawulff will be ready to set sail and serve as a teaching research vessel for Evergreen marine studies. See her while you're on campus Saturday.

...POETS SOUGHT FOR FULLER CONTEST...Student poets from Mason and Thurston County high schools and Evergreen are invited to submit their works to the fourth annual Carol and Herb Fuller Poetry Contest by Friday, June 6. Craig Carlson, Evergreen faculty poet, says the contest is supported by donations from Olympia's Carol and Herb Fuller "to encourage the art and craft of poetry and to recognize the achievement of student poets." Awards for the contest total \$275. Contest details are available from Carlson, Library 2114, TESC (866-6632).

...FINAL NEWSLETTER OF THE YEAR...The Office of College Relations concludes the 1979-80 edition of the Off-Campus Newsletter with this issue. We'll be back in your mailboxes before Fall Quarter classes begin September 29. We hope you've enjoyed keeping pace with Evergreen and that you'll find the time to join us in celebrating the end of our academic year June 7.

Have a delightful summer.