

# Northeast Today



MONDAY, June 23 1980  
SPECIAL

## HAPPENINGS

TODAY, June 23

Senior Exams Begin

TUESDAY, June 24

2:30 pm Fall Freshman Registration,  
Act. Rm., SUB

WEDNESDAY, June 25

Last Day to Drop Courses Without a Code

THURSDAY, June 26

3 pm Retirement Reception for  
Dr. Robert Wright, Alum.  
Rm., SUB

7 pm "The Promise," Aud., BH

### WORKSHOPS

June 23-25 Guidance Conference--  
Testing

June 23-26 Seminar in Orchestra  
Conducting

June 23-27 Early Christianity and  
Islam  
Relating the Arts Through  
Their Subjects, Functions,  
and Mediums  
Computer Awareness for  
Elementary School Teachers

June 23-  
July 11 JHS Arithmetic--Content and  
Methods  
Algebra--Content and Methods

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BICYCLE RIDERS interested in forming a bicycle club should meet on the mall of the Student Union Building at 9 a.m. Saturday for a ride. Destination will be decided by participants. In case of rain the ride will be at 1:30 p.m. Sunday. For more information, contact Tom Bloom, 665-0396.

"THE PROMISE" is this week's movie sponsored by the Student Activities Office. It will be shown at 7 p.m. Thursday in Baldwin Auditorium.

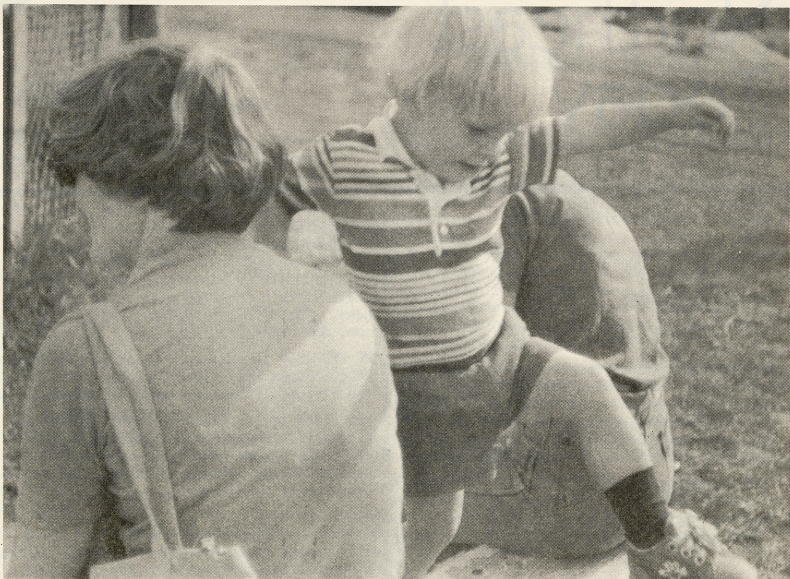
A RECEPTION for Dr. Robert Wright of Testing Services will be held from 3-5 p.m. in the Alumni Room of the Student Union Building on Thursday. Dr. Wright is retiring after 22 years of service at NMSU.

SENIORS who will complete degree requirements this summer and have not taken the required senior exams should contact the Testing Office, 103 Administration/Humanities Building, ext. 7184, to sign up for the appropriate tests. Test dates are June 23-July 1. Seniors will not be contacted individually.

FIRST-TIME FRESHMEN who are currently taking classes should register for fall courses at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Activities Room of the Student Union Building. For more information contact Freshman Counseling, ext. 7166.

A 117-YEAR-OLD PAMPHLET advertising land for sale in northern Missouri is on display in the current periodicals area on the second floor of Pickler Memorial Library. A recent acquisition of the Special Collections department, the pamphlet is aimed at enticing New Englanders to help settle Caldwell County. The pamphlet may be viewed at any time during regular library hours.

LIFEGUARDS ARE NEEDED at the Natatorium. Applicants must have current certification in Advanced Lifesaving. For more information contact Donovan Conley, Natatorium director, at ext. 7231.



**TO THE TOP**—A young spectator climbs higher on the bleachers behind Stokes Stadium for a better view of the softball game between the Romper Stompers and the Cougars on the first night of summer recreation activities. Unlike intramurals, there are no trophies or final playoffs during the summer games — only opportunities for exercise and fun.

## Summer activities

# The ultimate in recreation

by Ruth Selby

"It's just like the Pepsi commercial," Kathy Watkins says about Ultimate Frisbee, a new game added to the summer recreation activities. Spectators may not see behind-the-back tosses or under-the-leg catches in Red Barn Park Wednesday, but they will see NMSU students enjoying the summer weather.

The competition, scheduled for 5:30-7:30 p.m., is open to anyone. There is no advance sign-up. "You don't have to be a Frisbee fanatic to play," says Watkins, a graduate student in charge of the activities.

Ultimate Frisbee "is sort of like football. You can't run with it, but toss it to a teammate," Watkins says.

Frisbee is part of the recreation activities sponsored by the Student Activities Office. Five softball and eight volleyball teams began competition June 16 with 150 participants. The teams are coed with an equal number of men and women on each team.

The play is different from intramurals, Watkins says. "We are not stressing winning. It is strictly for fun."

Volleyball competition takes place in the Little Gym of Pershing Building, and

softball is played on the softball field behind Stokes Stadium. Playing schedules are posted outside the Student Activities Office and listed in "Northeast Today."

During the second summer session, volleyball and softball competition continue, and a new activity, a "fun run," will replace Frisbee.

Watkins says if someone missed the sign-up for activities, there is still a chance to play. She says teams are short of players at times and spectators may be asked to join the fun—just like in the Pepsi commercial. ▀

# Learning replaces leisure on the weekends

by Art Peppard

Rather than going to the lake, working in the garden or taking the kids to a movie during the weekend, approximately 250 to 300 people are coming to campus for summer weekend workshops at NMSU until the end of July.

The 11 workshops are part of the overall workshop program at NMSU. Charles Elam, director of Extension Services, said he believes the workshops are unique.

"I don't know of anything quite like our (weekend workshops). I suspect people will see other schools doing these workshops in the future," Elam said.

The workshops appeal to the more non-traditional student, Elam said. Teachers, people who take classes for pleasure, and former extension students are among those enrolling for weekend workshops.

"Some (potential summer college students) don't want to commit themselves to five or 10 weeks of summer school," Elam said. "I think that's why the weekend workshops have caught on."

That is why summer workshops have caught on with Donna Ingwersen, a social studies teacher at Hickman High School in Columbia. "They are nice because you're in them for just a couple of days," she said.

Ingwersen said she likes earning college credit during the summer. "I think the idea is good."

Earning credit on the weekend appealed to Ingwersen so much that she enrolled in four workshops this summer. And she is not the only one to do so—more than half of the people registered for weekend workshops are taking more than one.

The first two workshops, June 12-14, were on managing a small retail business and exploration of the Missouri River. Most of the 60 students came from the St. Louis and St. Charles area, Elam said.

People from as far away as Des Moines, Iowa, have enrolled in weekend workshops thus far. Locally, 19 communities in northeast and north central Missouri are represented in the workshop enrollment.

Each workshop has a tuition fee of \$30 plus any transportation costs involved in a field trip, Elam said. Workshop students are responsible for their own room and board, and the majority stay in Centennial Hall for less than \$10 a night.

Others camp out, rent motel rooms or commute.

Upcoming workshop subjects include Music of Missouri, Indians of the Missouri Valley, Mark Twain: His Boyhood Days, and Summer Fitness. ▾

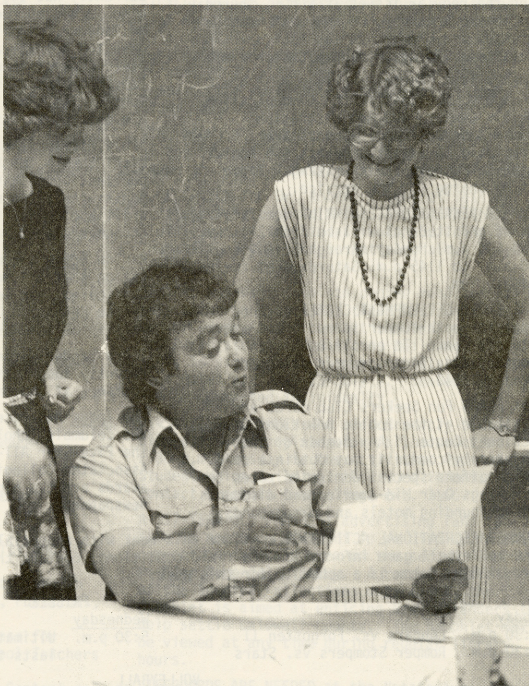


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**IMPORTING NEW BLOOD**—Gary Supalla, business management specialist from Kansas City, answers a question from students in the Managing a Small Retail Business workshop. Most of Extension Services' weekend workshops carry one hour of academic credit. Classes this summer begin on Fridays, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., and end Saturdays from 8 a.m. until noon.

## CAMPS

June 22-27 Boys' Football  
HS Piano  
HS Girls' Volleyball

"NORTHEAST IN THE SUMMER" is a special bi-monthly feature of "Northeast Today." Items for July 7, July 21 and Aug. 4 issues must be turned in by 4 p.m. the Wednesday before publication. Deadline for the regular issues is 5 p.m. Thursday. To insure accuracy, we ask that news be written and brought to the Public Relations Office, McKinney Center.

THE WRITING LAB is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays in the Communication Skills Center, 303 Administration/Humanities Building. Tutors are available to assist students who would like to improve their writing. There is no charge for the service.

SUMMER RECREATIONAL SWIMMING for faculty, staff and students will be from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. Saturdays at the Natatorium.

THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER will be open for both summer terms. Fees are \$15 per week. To enroll a child, contact Judy Duden, summer director, at ext. 2740.

SIX FLAGS Fun Seekers Club cards are available at the Public Relations Office, McKinney Center. Any member of the University community may obtain a card which offers special admission rates to Six Flags Over Mid-America and discounts at surrounding motels and campgrounds.

SUMMER RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES continue this week with a special Frisbee event. For softball and volleyball game information and field conditions, contact the Student Activities Office, ext. 7203. Below is a schedule for this week:

### SOFTBALL

Today  
4:30 p.m. Cougars vs. Forgotten II  
5:30 p.m. Romper Stompers vs. Stars

Tuesday  
6:30 p.m. Romper Stompers vs. Misfits  
7:30 p.m. Forgotten II vs. Pica Pounders  
8:30 p.m. Cougars vs. Drunkards

## NORTHEAST NOTES

Robert L. Sprehe, Business, recently participated in the National Council Meeting of Pi Omega Pi in Biloxi, Miss. Pi Omega Pi is a national business teacher education honor society founded in Kirksville by P.O. Selby in 1923. The society currently has 149 chapters nationwide. Sprehe also served on the vocational evaluation team of Pioneer Community College in Kansas City and gave the keynote address at the 27th Annual State Convention of the Nebraska Business Education Association in North Platte last month. The theme of the convention was "You Are the Key in Business Education."

"Foxy Fives," the title of an article written by Vicki Schell, Mathematics, has been accepted for publication in Mathematics Teacher. The article deals with using number games as a source of drill and review in general mathematics on the secondary level.

Marlow Ediger, Education, has received notification that his manuscript "Improving the Curriculum" has been accepted for publication in the Education Quarterly, published in the Phillipine Islands.

Terry Vander Heyden, Student Publications, recently taught at a workshop for college advisers at the University of Illinois.

The Index has received the Medalist award from the Columbia Scholastic Press Association and the Five-Star All-American award from the Associated Collegiate Press Association. Both awards are the highest honors given to college newspapers.

### FRISBEE

Wednesday  
5:30 p.m. Ultimate Frisbee competition, lasts two hours, open to all.

### VOLLEYBALL

Thursday  
6:30 p.m. Romper Stompers vs. Pica Pounders  
7:30 p.m. Misfits vs. No Names  
8:30 p.m. Harris Spikers vs. Forgotten II