

THE HERMES



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1979

Dana recitals scheduled

Nelson

AMA echoed to the sounds of Bach, Brahms, Gershwin, and Shearing on the evening of October 28. The man responsible for this was Kevin Nelson, better known to his friends as "Doc." A former pre-med student, Kevin is now a music major. His musical career began at the age of four with the tune "Here We Go Up the Road to the Birthday Party." Like other piano students, Kevin found other things to do besides practice in his younger years. He distinctly remembers watching "Lost in Space" one time instead of playing the piano. When his mother came home, it was bad times for Kevin.

Kevin, along with fellow Dana student John Gonzales, is part of the Omaha-based group Sandcastle. The band's specialty is rock 'n roll with a few country-western tunes thrown in for good measure. Kevin tinkles the ivory on the electric piano as well as helping with vocals. His favorite musician is Rick Wakeman, keyboardist for Yes. After graduation in May, Kevin would like to continue with Sandcastle. Tentative plans for the group include going to Minnesota, Colorado, or the West Coast.

Brandes

The Dana community will have the honor of hearing Dr. Alan Brandes, associate professor of music, in recital November 11 at 7:30 in AMA. His repertoire will include a classical work by Beethoven, songs by the romantic com-

posers Schubert, Schumann, and Rachmaninoff; and a contemporary piece by Wilbern.

Dr. Brandes hails from Columbus, Ohio. He studied at the St. Louis Institute of Music and Boston University. While at St. Louis he had the distinction of studying under Leo Sirota, who is four generations removed from the teaching of Ludwig von Beethoven. For the music lovers, two famous compositions of Beethoven are **Erioca Symphony** and **Fifth Symphony**. For the avid comic strip fan, Beethoven is the idol of the **Peanuts** character Schroeder. Beethoven instructed Carl Czerny, remembered by diligent piano students for his finger exercises. Czerny was the teacher of Franz Liszt, composer of **Hungarian Rhapsody**. Liszt taught Ferruccio Busoni, who did extensive work with the compositions of J.S. Bach. Leo Sirota was in turn the pupil of Busoni.

Dr. Brandes taught in North Dakota for four years before coming to Dana in 1966. Hopefully he will be able to pass on the Beethovenian tradition here for years to come.

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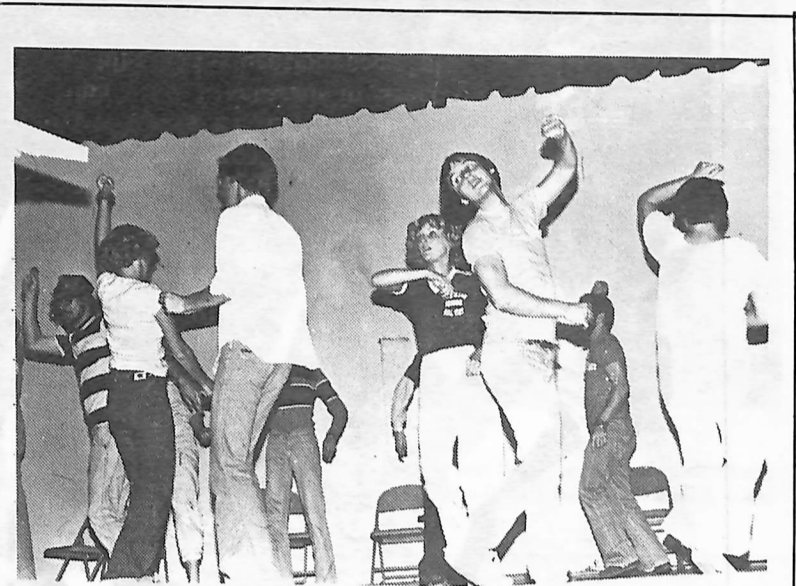
A special treat will be available to Dana students, faculty, and friends November 13 at 7:30 in AMA. Two sisters from Springfield, Nebraska, Diane and Linda Timm, will team up to present a flute and voice recital.

Diane will play compositions by Enesco, Hanson, and Burton. The respective styles represented are French impressionistic, neo-Romantic, and contemporary. She will assist as Linda sings pieces by Bach and Telmann. Songs by Purcell and Handel will round out Linda's program. Joanne Hansen will provide accompaniment.

Diane and Linda's mother is responsible for interesting the girls in music. Ever since they were small the two sisters have been singing and playing the piano. Ten years ago Diane's band director wanted her to play the clarinet, but Diane stubbornly insisted on the flute instead. This recital is special for Diane since it will be her first one with her brand-new flute. After graduating with a music education degree in December of 1980, Diane would like to continue her schooling. She is interested in obtaining a master's degree in either music therapy or performance. Another possibility is auditioning for a symphony.

Linda, a sophomore, has no definite plans for the future. One thing she is sure of is her love for music. She has sung frequently in church and at weddings. Linda had no professional training until she became a student of Mrs. Lucinda Sloan. Dan Fogelburg, Linda Ronstadt, and Barbara Streisand are Linda's favorite singers.

Paulette Strecker



Musical...

Members of the cast of "Once Upon A Mattress" rehearse the in-famous "Spanish Panic" as they prepare for next week's performances. See also page 3.

Top o' The Hill



Viewpoints.

"Viewpoints" is held each Wednesday at 11:45 a.m. in the Gold Room of the Campus Center. All are invited to attend this discussion group.

Midterm

Midterm grades may be picked up from faculty advisers.

Alpha Chi

Alpha Chi Initiation was held last night in the Blue Room at 7:30 p.m. Officers for this year are seniors Jane Travnicek, president; Steve Albertsen, vice-president; Kristy Kruse, secretary; Genette Jo Miller, treasurer; and Jerry Schmidt, official student delegate. The sponsor for Alpha Chi is Dr. Bernard Matthies and Miss Luella Nielsen and Dr. Bruce Bergquist are co-sponsors.

Bible Study

President James Kallas is presenting a Bible study entitled, "A New Look at an Old Book" at First Lutheran Church in Blair at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday evenings.

Dropped Classes

Any course dropped after November 9 will be recorded as "WF."

Ministry Team

Members of Dana's Ministry Team, "In His Name" were on tour to Colorado last weekend, October 26-29. They sang at Bethel Lutheran Church in Denver, St. John's Cathedral, also in Denver, and marched and sang in Denver's Reformation Day Parade. Their main concert was for the Harvester's Christian Singles Group. On the way back to Dana, "In His Name"

performed at Bethphage Mission in Axtell, Nebraska.

Dancers

Dana's Folk Dancers also traveled last weekend. They performed on Sunday afternoon in Beatrice, Nebraska.

ALCG

Midland College in Fremont, Nebraska, will host the Annual Lutheran College gathering of faculty and administrators on Friday, November 16. Along with Dana representatives, Concordia - Seward and Midland Colleges will be involved.

Hometown News

Advisers of campus organizations and publications are reminded to turn in their officers and staff members for hometown news releases to Ann George in Public Relations.

Convention

Nebraska Faith at Work Convention will be staying in Elk Horn Hall this weekend.

65 Degrees

Don't forget the Presidential regulations that buildings on the Dana Campus will be at a temperature of 65 degrees this winter. Be prepared to wear an extra sweater to class if you aren't comfortable at that temperature.

Blood pressure clinic slated

The annual Dana College Blood Pressure Screening Clinic will be held November 6 and 7, 1979 at the Student Health Office in Argo Hall from 10 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. See you then!

Everyone has blood pressure. Without it, the blood couldn't circulate in our bodies. In all human beings, blood pressure varies from day to day and from moment to moment. It goes up when we are excited and it goes down when we rest or sleep. These changes are perfectly normal. However, when blood pressure goes higher than it should, and stays that way, it may cause stroke, heart failure, kidney failure, or it may lead to heart attack. For this reason it is important to have your blood pressure checked from time to time.

In a small percentage of individuals, the increased blood pressure can be traced to a specific disease or condition. But, the most common kind of increased blood pressure is

primarily high blood pressure. This condition does not seem to be related to any other disease. At present its cause is unknown.

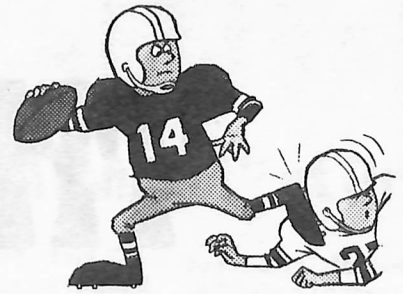
High blood pressure adds to the workload of the heart and arteries. The heart must carry blood that is moving under greater pressure. If high blood pressure continues for a long time, the heart and the arteries may not function as well as they should and other body organs may also be affected.

If a person has high blood pressure, he can be helped if he has his blood pressure checked periodically and stays under medical treatment. There are many medications which can be used to reduce and control blood pressure, and a medical program can be found that is suited to individual needs. In addition, low-fat and low-salt diets are often prescribed. And changes in living habits, including rest and recreation are sometimes recommended, depending upon the person's condition.

Most people with high blood pressure have no symptoms at all! There are no specific warning signs. Although persistent headache, dizziness, fatigue, tension, and shortness of breath sometimes go with high blood pressure, they are also common in many people and may result from a variety of causes. The only way to find out whether you have high blood pressure is to have your blood pressure checked.

If you have read this article and decided that you are too young to be worried about high blood pressure, this fact may change your mind. Last year I held the first high blood pressure clinic at the Student Health Office at Dana and I had approximately 1 out of 10 persons checked have a blood pressure which was above the normal range. This is just exactly what the American Heart Association predicted. Thus 10% of the Dana College Community has high blood pressure, that would be approximately 58 people! Are you one of these?

Sports in Review



Photos by Scott Rasmussen



Dana soccer team played two matches this year, both with Concordia (Seward) They lost the first home match 5-0, and the second match at Concordia ended in a Viking defeat 13-0. Pictured above, are Vikings Paul Behrens, Paul Platz, Kendra Fehlberg, partially hidden by a Concordia opponent, and Mogens Knudsen rivalling on Dana turf.

This season's football Vikings experienced some of the highest highs and lowest lows possible in the game of football. Highs came to the Vikes in the form of knocking off previously nationally ranked Hastings College and a victory over Martin Luther in Minnesota.

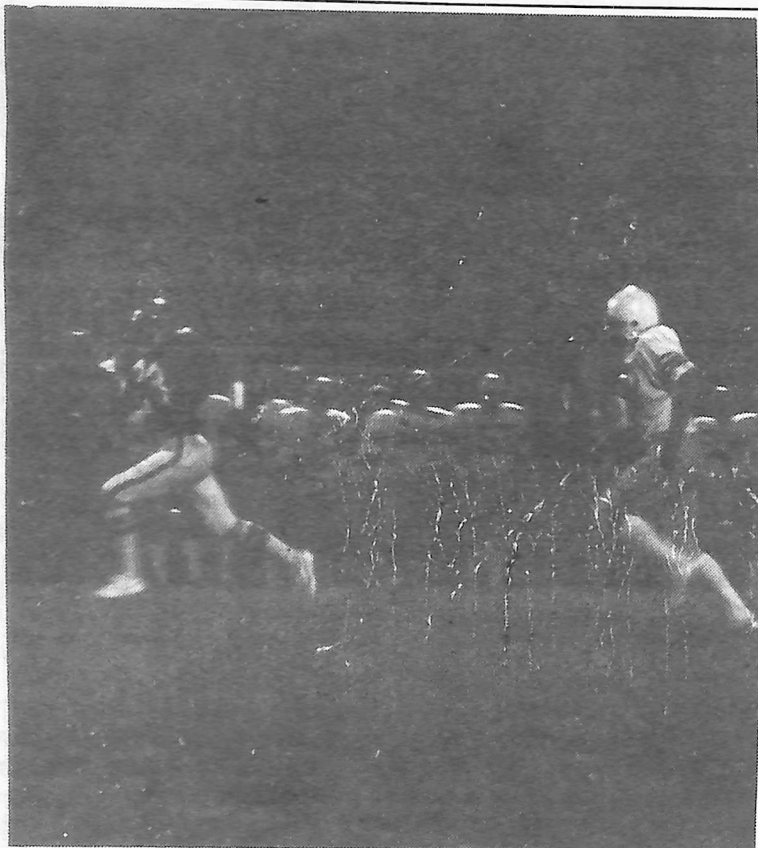
Lows of the season have been in the sound thrashings taken on their road games. Opposing teams' high scores and Dana's seeming inability to score points are all part of a first season's transition period according to Coach Ron Johnson.

"Somewhere, sometime, somehow we are going to put it all together and win big and hopefully that will continue on the next game and next season," commented Coach Johnson.

Despite such high scores as 44-0 Missouri Western over Dana, Doane 34-Dana 0, and Concordia 27- Dana 0, the playing of the Vikings has improved steadily from week to week. While scoring only seven points against Martin Luther, Dana dominated the game almost entirely and missed several scoring opportunities.

At home several weeks ago, the Vikings scrapped to a 7-6 victory over Hastings. "Inspired ball" was how Dana played. With the steady performances of such defensive players as Kim Townsend, Greg Manske, Tom Vohs, Brian Nelson, Jeff Rich, Scott Buchanan, Mark Kastner, Scott Peterson, and Curt Amen.

Mitch Rew



Scott Peterson evades his last pursuer in his national record-setting 98 yard punt return in the September 29 Homecoming game against the Nebraska Wesleyan Plainsmen at Blair High School Field.



Vikings Gene Johnson and John Freburg aid ballcarrier Mark Murray in scoring one of the decisive touchdowns in Dana's home victory over South Dakota Wesleyan last Saturday, October 27.

Vikings Go 3-5

They just get better with age! That was the feeling looming over Viking field as the Dana Vikings used the "slow death" process to soundly defeat the Dakota Wesleyan Tigers, 20-7.

Danas' first half points came on a side-swiping Doug Lemon, '81, field goal. Wesleyans' point was garnered on a Randy Cahoy run of eleven yards. The pat was good.

In the second half, Dana used a powerful running attack led by Mark Murray '82, and Bill Harms '83, to simply wear down the Tiger defense.

Except for the lone first half touchdown and a long bomb by the Tigers, Bob Parsons the Dana defense looked mighty fine.

For Dana, the offense was led by Mark Murray and Bill Harms with a touchdown and 48 and 38 yards, respectfully. Dana's quarterback Tim Barber, 83, was three for ten for 24 yards.

The last game of the year Dana will host Midland, a nationally ranked division III school. The game will be played on November 3rd at two o'clock.

by David J. Kreler



Senior Mark Jones completes a punt return against South Dakota Wesleyan last Saturday. The Vikes walloped the Tigers, 20-7.

Meet Me At The

"Mattress"!

"Gee, have you seen my eight-sided mirror around lately?" or "Help - I need nineteen mattresses!" have been comments frequently heard from several Dana students recently. These students along with many others, have united to prepare for the musical "Once Upon A Mattress." It will be held Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, November 8, 9 and 10. The show will begin each evening at 8:00 p.m.

The crews of "Once Upon A Mattress" has been busy in the last few weeks hunting through magic kits, digging through costume racks, and building flats for the production. The properties crew, has been busy looking for such interesting items as eight-sided mirrors, nineteen mattresses, and a variety of secret magical instruments.

An important aspect of the show is the choreography. Under the direction of Cheryl Fleming, Knights and Ladies have been learning a new and innovative dance known as "The Spanish Panic." this is a

dance which is performed at the royal ball for the purpose of tiring the "real" princess.

Other major characters include Queen Aggravain, a queen who intimidates her entire Kingdom, King Sextimus the silent, the Queen's husband, is mute yet he still is able to communicate. Prince Dauntless the Drab, son of the King and Queen is searching for a wife which will live up to his mother's expectations. The plot of the musical takes the audience through a number of "Merry Mix-Ups" in Dauntless quest for finding true happiness.

"Once Upon A Mattress" is based upon the fairy tale, "The Princess and the Pea" by Danish writer, Hans Christian Andersen.

The entire production is under the direction of Sieghard E. Krueger. His production assistant is Jane Travnick. Connie Frahm will serve as house manager and Colleen Dutch as stage manager.

Tickets for the show will be available at the door. They are \$2.50 for adults and \$1.50 for

students. Since this weekend has been designated as Mother's Weekend, each Mother escorted by her daughter will be charged only \$1.00 admission.

A major part of the production consists of the pit orchestra, under the direction of Dr. Thomas Williams. Members of the orchestra include Carol J. Olsen, Sherri Sandoz, Debra Olsen, Janelle Siffring, Melinda McCord, Kathy Gerking, Jill Esbeck, Mitch Jensen, Barbara Kalal, Sarah Hansen, Roy Lubkeman, Devon Speck and Linda Timm.

Members of the cast include Brent Noel, Kristi Swensen, Tim Nietfeld, Melanie Rath, Rane Claussen, Craig Shaffer, Rick Knutson, Mary Heistand, Craig Campbell, Mike Van Hollen, Robert Schmole, Tom Jacobson, Steve Appel, Mark Overneyer, Betty Bliss, Amy Nichols, Linda Lemon, Jane Travnick, Brenda Johnston, Jerry Christensen, Sally Miller, and Kathy Swensen.



Sir Harry and Lady Mabelle? invite everyone to join them for an evening of "Merry Mixups" when the Dana Players present "Once Upon A Mattress", November 8, 9 and 10.

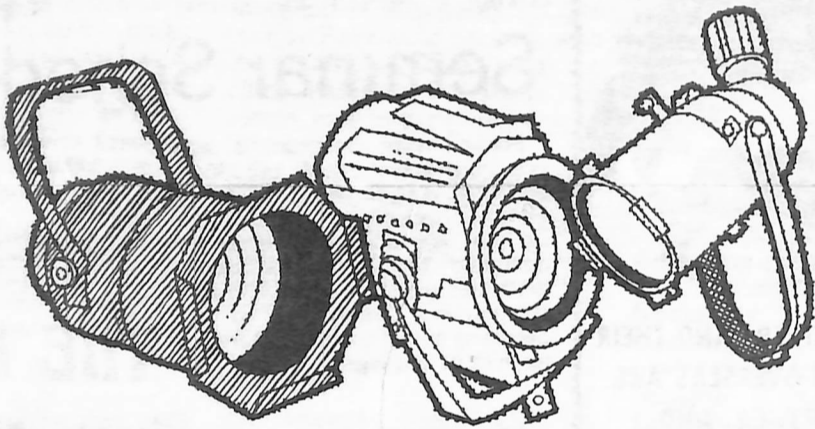
parnassus notes

A graphic art display (holographs, lithographs, serigraphs, etchings, and engravings) owned by Dr. and Mrs. John W. Nielsen will be shown in Parnassus November 4-20.

The time span of the works range from 16th to 20th century. The artists include: Durer, Peronesi, Goya, Manet, Renoir, Cezanne, Degas, Braque, Picasso, Matisse, Kandinsky, Koluitz, Kirchmen, Arp, Chagall, Buffet, and Munch.

Chauncey Wilkins will make a presentation called "The Martial Arts," November 13 at 9 a.m.

"Education in the Soviet Union" is the name of a presentation by Dr. Verlan Hanson. It will be given on Thursday, November 15 at 4 p.m.



Mothers' Weekend

A Dana Mother's weekend is being planned for the weekend of November 9, 10 and 11. Every Dana woman student is encouraged to invite her mother to come spend this weekend at Dana.

Many activities have been planned for the ladies. Friday, November 9:

8 p.m. Chuck Girard Concert in Borup Coliseum

8 p.m. "Once Upon A Mattress" Alumni Memorial Auditorium

Saturday, November 10:

Each mother is invited to attend classes with her daughter

or
10 a.m. "Art, Craft and Beauty Aid Demonstration" Mickelsen Lounge

2 p.m. Mother's Tea and Style Show, Argo Lounge with a performance of "The Morning Star"

8 p.m. "Once Upon A Mattress" AMA Final Performance

Sunday, November 11:

10:30 a.m. Worship Service in AMA

This is the first year a weekend such as this has been planned. It is hoped that many mothers will be able to attend. If it is successful, there is a possibility that a mother's weekend will become an annual event.

Mary Heistand

Kappa Theta Phi

Kappa Theta Phi sorority has been a busy sisterhood the last two months. Preparations for the Dance Marathon are already in the making and sorority pledging for the 1979 fall semester is almost over.

This week is the last week of pledging. Hell Week ends Friday; pledges Felecia Clark and Sheila Hines face their written test Sunday night and their final line up next week. Good luck girls!

Actives Mari Barry, Sheri John and Teresa Michelsen attended a Muscular Dystrophy Dance Marathon Convention in Sioux Falls, South Dakota on October 12th and 13th. They were accompanied by Kappa Chi Lambda fraternity representatives Al Cue, Dan McDonnell and Virgil Watson. Brain storming for the marathon took place with other representatives from three states. The sorority hopes this experience and the information gained will enhance this year's dance marathon at Dana.

KΘΦ sold carmel apples at the Homecoming and Dakota Wesleyan home football games. Many thanks to everyone that helped prepare and sell the apples at both games. Other money making ideas have included selling candy again this year and possibly gleening.

On the activities scene for the actives we see Mari Barry, Evy Dilts, Jennifer Ivers, Beth Jorgensen, and Jo Roberts all beginning their student teaching (not to mention their campus activities). Our prayers are with them. Volleyball has been occupying the time of Peg Coone, (voted most improved player), Teresa Michelsen, Lynae Vanderweil and pledges Felicia and Sheila (many of these actives will begin basketball now), Amy Hansen and Gracie Williams are busy working on the Syncro Swimming Team. Shari Sorensen, besides cheerleading, has been participating in Intramurals with a fellow active Lori Allen. Actives Sheri John and Julie Jensen (besides Student Senate and carmel apples!) have been working with active Penny Hiline on Dance Marathon plans. We are an active sisterhood!

Plans are in the making for a get-together between Kappa Theta Phi and Kappa Chi Lambda fraternity. A catered steak dinner meal at the Country Club is being planned for late November.

KΧΑ has also been busy with money making projects. A Homecoming Softball tournament was sponsored by the fraternity and also a raffle.

Sheri John

Chuck Girard In Concert

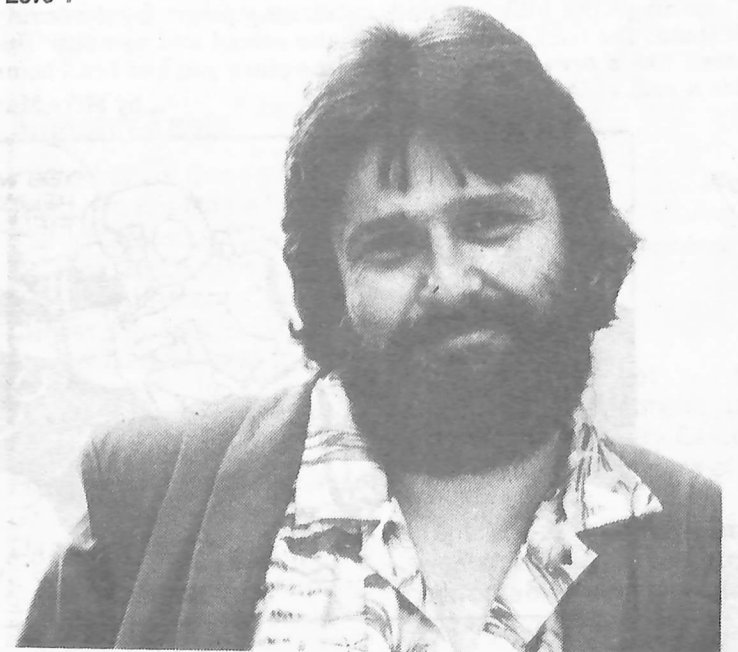
One of the biggest EK sponsored events in a long time will take place on November 9, when Chuck Girard will appear in concert at Borup Coliseum at 8 p.m.

Chuck Girard is one of the pioneers in the relatively new field of Christian rock music. He was one of the founders of LOVESONG, one of the first Christian rock groups in the United States to become nationally known and respected. LOVESONG recorded two albums, "Love Song" and "Final Touch", and they both became widely known and favorites in the contemporary Christian music field.

Prior to his involvement with LOVE SONG Chuck Girard was a founding member of the secular group the CASTEELS, which had two national hits in 1960-61, "Sacred" and "So This Is Love".

Chuck Girard became a Christian in 1970 after being involved in the drug culture for five years. He went nearly every route on a search for reality and meaning in life, including drugs, vegetarianism, Eastern philosophies, the occult, and music worship, before finding that Jesus Christ was the answer to his search.

Today LOVE SONG is disbanded and Chuck Girard will appear in solo concert at Dana. He presently plays without backing, presenting a low key, mellow look at Jesus Christ through his music and conversation between songs. Advance tickets may be purchased by Dana students and faculty from members of EK for \$2. Advance tickets are \$4 for others and \$6 at the door.



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KDCV Campus Asset

Campus has many different ways to serve the students. One of the things unique to this smaller college of Dana is the student-operated radio station KDCV-FM. The radio station was started in the 1960's and has been an active part of campus life since it opened.

For those interested in working at KDCV, contact Curt Fett '82. He will be able to explain procedures and rules to any interested students. The only thing required to work there is a third class FCC license. This does not require a test, and the forms can be obtained from Mr. Dibben.

According to Jane Travnicek '80 the main purpose of the radio station is to inform the community, educate the listeners, and work in coordination with the employees. Though most people that work at the station are mass communication majors, this is not necessary criteria for working at KDCV.

The daily program looks like this:

8:00 a.m. Sign-On
8:00 - 10:30 a.m. - Classical
10:30 a.m. News
10:35 - 12:00 noon Easy Listening



from aap student service

"If you are willing to improve your desire to learn and your study habits, you will at least come to understand what knowledge is; how difficult it is to attain, how much industry, thoroughness, precision, and persistence it demands if you are even to have a distant glimpse of it."

- William H. Armstrong
STUDY IS HARD WORK
Harper & Row



12:00 Noon Blair & Dana News
12:15 - 2:30 p.m. Easy Listening
2:30 p.m. News
2:35 - 4:00 p.m. Jazz (Bourbon St.)
4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Rock & Roll
6:00 p.m. Blair & Dana News
6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Rock & Roll
8:00 - 12:00 Midnight - Specials

On Friday and Saturday they broadcast Blair High School's & Dana's football games. Sunday is reserved for contemporary Christian rock. On Wednesday Evening there is L.A.R.P. preview.

I feel KDCV's programming schedule is really "geared" to all different tastes and a very

"The more time you permit to elapse between study and a test of what you have learned, the less you will remember it. In planning your schedule, make time for studying each subject as close as possible to the time its class meets."

- Eugene H. Ehrlich

It's a matter of life and breath!
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worthwhile aspect of campus life here at Dana. Mr. Dibben, the faculty adviser, and KDCV's staff are open and willing to adjust in most any way to make the station a more informative and valuable resource to the Dana community, and the Blair area. They are willing to listen to suggestions for improvement and need each student's support. Don't be afraid to share your compliments, too. I, for one, feel KDCV is a distinctive part of Campus Life, and would like to commend all those involved with it on a "super" job.

Mike Martin



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by Mike Martin

Review...

"Belle of Amherst" at Orpheum

On October 23-24, 1979 *The Belle of Amherst* was presented in Omaha at the Orpheum Theatre. The play is based on the life of 19th century poet Emily Dickinson played by Broadway actress Julie Harris.

The Belle of Amherst is written by William Luce and based on material found in the poems and letters of Emily Dickinson.

The only "living" character in the play is Emily Dickinson, and Julie Harris did a superb job in portraying this fascinating and mysterious character. Julie Harris was alone on stage for two hours, and all the action of the play was confined to one room, but included events spanning a forty year period in Emily Dickinson's life.

The setting was Emily Dickinson's room in her Amherst, Massachusetts, home "The Homestead". Emily receives a rare visitor and starts to tell the story of her life, and as soon as the story starts to unfold itself Julie Harris keeps the audience spellbound for two hours.

"Enticing" is the best word to describe the feeling. Emily Dickinson moved on in rapid speed from talking directly to the visitor (the audience), talking to herself, her sister,

brother, father, or her publisher Thomas Higginson.

The lines are "lifted" from the poems and letters of Emily Dickinson and it was pure delight to rehear the familiar and thought-provoking lines from her poetry and letters.

The performance of Julie Harris was professional in the best sense of the word. She never lost her character, or the interest of her audience, and all the movement on stage was purposeful and inherent in the character.

There might be disagreement with the interpretation of Emily Dickinson as an ambitious seeker of recognition and in her whole attitude toward her friend and publisher Thomas Higginson, but the character presented seemed consistent within itself and William Luce's interpretation may be as valid as any other.

The performance was an excellent introduction to Emily Dickinson to the person not familiar with the life and poetry of this myth, and at the same time it was an interesting and thought-provoking interpretation for the reader who has come to like or dislike the whimsical, yet deeply philosophical poetry of Emily Dickinson.

Mogens Knudsen

Seminar Scheduled

Scandinavian Seminar is now accepting applications for its 1980-81 academic year abroad in Denmark, Finland, Norway or Sweden. This unique learning experience is designed for college students, graduates and other adults who want to study in a Scandinavian country, becoming part of another culture and learning its language.

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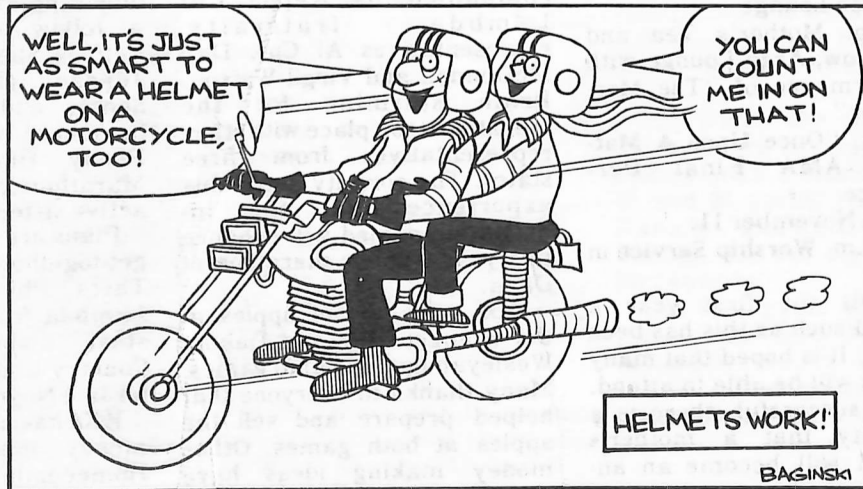
Now that Midterms have passed and the first semester is almost finished most of us are pretty well "locked" into a basic daily routine of studying and going to classes. I have become increasingly aware of a shortage of time. As I try to cram studying, going to class and participating in extra curricular activities into each day. As each of us finds ourselves in that situation, we tend to look for "shortcuts" in most any aspect of our lives.

As I walk around campus I see more evidence of this daily. Candy wrappers, soda cans, and beer cans are "adorning" the hills and halls of Dana. The back fire escapes smell like a brewery and they are a real eyesore. This is not

only unbecoming to the appearance of "our" school, but the condition of the fire escapes is a potentially dangerous situation.

It only takes a couple minutes, at the most, to walk to a trash can. We complain that it costs too much to come to school and yet we don't demonstrate enough pride to keep what we pay for clean. Take some initiative and pick up the litter you see. It is everyone's job to keep campus clean. If everyone works together I'm sure we will continue to impress prospective students and visiting people by the beauty of the school and campus. This is the place you and I call home.

by Mike Martin



HELMETS WORK!

BAGINSKI