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Social Committee Speaks

Last weekend there was a successful Master Suite Party-- people attended. Let's keep that up.

This weekend is the Seasons Greetings Party. Please help us decorate on Friday evening and on Saturday. We especially need artists or pseudo-artists. Even house painters. We will even stoop so low as to take people who drip paint (as does a for now nameless member of House Committee). The Party is Sat. 8-12. Jacket & Tie. 2.50 per couple either from one of the 25 people who are selling tickets or at the door. It's a rather unique ticket. Of course there will be eggnog and Santa. In the middle of the party Santa, as usual, will be giving out gifts -- don't miss it.

Remember the Wishing Well. Eggnog is expensive but we will keep the Wishing Well at 35%. DON'T FORGET!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

j & b

ps- if you still need a fix-up see john (440) or bill (225) now!

JOCK'S CORNER

Baker House's winter sports program is shaping up very nicely. Our "A" team is undefeated and looks like a sure bet to do very well in the basketball playoffs. The "B" team has a good chance to get into the playoffs also. The other teams have shown a lot of spirit even though their records are not quite as good as those of the first two teams.

In the House inter-floor basketball tournament the 4th floor tied the 1st and 6th combine. The playoff game may still be played but the guys seem to have a little trouble getting together. Chas Lavine was the high scorer in the tournament.

Bowling is moving along. The fee for each team is \$20. The House has agreed to provide \$14 per team --- which amounts to a total of \$84. This means each team must give \$6, through the athletic chairman, box 2200, to the intramural association. \$2 for each regular bowler and \$1 each for people who split a position. I expect the money by at the latest the day after each teams next match. For two and an half months of bowling the price is sure right.

Hockey is looking up for regular season play. Our first playoff game though, after one of our teams wins the "C" division is against the winner of the "A" division. This is not as hopeless as it sounds since our previous two strong "C" league teams have been bolstered up lately by some Baker alumni. The playoffs are usually double elimination anyway.

By the way, a great way to spend one's time if he has nothing better to do is to watch a Baker House hockey game.

Jerry Sevick (237)

A NOTE ON THE HOUSE POLAROID

As most of you know, Baker House owns a Polaroid Model 900 and a winklight. The camera was overhauled completely this fall; the fingerprints inside the lens(?) were removed. Consequently, the camera is working perfectly now.

If you would like to borrow this camera, just come up to my room (541), at a reasonable hour, demonstrate proficiency in its use, and you can use it, at 25¢ a picture.

Stan Rose (541)

GUEST EDITORIAL

A SUMMER AT DEKE HOUSE

During summer '66 I had the "pleasure" of staying at DEKE house. I remember a few of the gory details, and thus would like to warn Bakerites against any future mistakes.

The room was (literally) covered in years of dust, Coke and beer cans and bottles, the "desk" was a door on top of one rollaway without wheels (seesaw style).

The mattress was at least 30 years old, and bed older. To turn off the light you merely stood on the bed and unscrewed the bulb.

Vines attract bugs, and there were lots of them. Moths, caterpillars, mosquitos, and millions of little tiny spiders.

Filth attracts mice, and there were a few of those! I found one eating some cocoa in my food drawer (a "Nifda" cocoa packet had torn open).

If you're working regular hours, and perhaps like to sleep about 6 hours, at times even this is impossible. Beer cans dropping on the pavement from 3 floors above tend to be startling, expecially when breaking the silence of 3-4 A.M.

If you want to cook some food in their "kitchen" without being nauseated, this too is difficult. You must use your own cookware, as the stove is 50 years old and has that much grease and dirt on it. In order to cook anywhere with your own hotplate, you must clear off 8 months of dirt and grease from the table I cleaned off during the summer (I found about 10 years of dirt on it).

Finally, the only friends you'll find there are other dorm students who made the same mistake.

Jon Campbell (231)

QUOTATION OF THE WEEK

The first draught a man drinks ought to be for thirst, the second for nourishment, the third for pleasure, the fourth for madness.

They never taste who always drink;
They always talk who never think.

---Matthew Prior

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12

- 5:00PM. Lecture Series Committee Meeting. Student Center, East Lounge.
5:00PM. Outing Club Meeting. Student Center, South Lounge.
5:05PM. Roman Catholic Mass. MIT Chapel.
7:30PM. IV Basketball. MIT vs. Harvard. Rockwell Cage.
8:00PM. MIT Film Society: "The Devil is A Woman" by Joseph Von Sternberg.
Admission: \$1.00. Rm. 54-100.
8:30PM. Lecture. Elliot Carter. Kresge.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13

- 12:00PM. Foreign Students Meeting. Student Center, East Lounge.
4:00PM. Tau Beta Pi Meeting. Student Center, Rm. 407.
5:05PM. Roman Catholic Mass. MIT Chapel.
6:00PM. IV Wrestling. MIT vs. Lowell State.
7:00PM. Graduate Folk Dance. Student Center, Rm. 491.
7:30PM. Zeamer Squadron. Student Center, Rm. 467.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14

- 5:00PM. Phi Lambda Upsilon Meeting. Student Center, Rm. 407.
5:00PM. Club Latino Meeting. Student Center, Rm. 467.
5:05PM. Roman Catholic Mass. MIT Chapel.
7:00PM. Debate Society Meeting. Student Center, Rm. 473.
7:00PM. Sports Car Club. Student Center, Rm. 467.
7:00PM. Committee on Visual Arts Program. Student Center, Sala de Puerto Rico.
7:00PM. Logarithms Practice. Student Center, East Lounge.
7:30PM. Alpha Phi Omega Meeting. Student Center, Rm. 491.
8:00PM. Sangam Concert: Ali Akbar Khan. Admission: \$2.00. Kresge.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15

- 11:00AM. Christmas Convocation. Kresge.
5:05PM. Roman Catholic Mass. MIT Chapel.
7:00PM. Ashdown Dance Class. Student Center, Rm. 407.
8:00PM. Bahia Discussion. Student Center, Rm. 473.
8:00PM. MIT Film Society: "Tarnished Angels" and "Written on the Wind".
Admission: \$1.00. Rm. 54-100.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 16

- 12:05PM. Roman Catholic Mass. MIT Chapel.
5:15PM. Vedanta Service. MIT Chapel.
6:00PM. Freshman Wrestling. MIT vs. Harvard.
7:00PM. Committee on Visual Arts Program. Student Center, Sala de Puerto Rico.

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- 7:00PM. Varsity Squash. MIT vs. McGill.
- 7:00PM. Varsity Fencing. MIT vs. Norwich.
- 7:30PM. Hillel Services. MIT Chapel.
- 7:30PM. Varsity Wrestling. MIT vs. Harvard.
- 8:30PM. Dramashop: "Heartbreak House". Admission \$1.50. Kresge.
- 8:30PM. WTBS Concert: Ornette Coleman Trio. Admission: \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00. Kresge.
- 8:30PM. Hillel Program. Student Center, East Lounge.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17

- 12:00PM. Bridge Club. Student Center, Rm. 473.
- 1:00PM. Strategic Games Society Meeting. Student Center, Rm. 473.
- 1:00PM. Chess Club. Student Center, Rm. 491.
- 4:00PM. Student Center Committee Christmas Party. Student Center, Sala de Puerto Rico.
- 6:15PM. Freshman Basketball. MIT vs. Tufts.
- 7:00PM. Filipino Association Christmas Party. Student Center, Sala de Puerto Rico.
- 8:15PM. Varsity Basketball. MIT vs. Dartmouth.
- 8:30PM. Dramashop: "Heartbreak House." Admission: \$1.50. Kresge.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18

- 9:15AM. Roman Catholic Mass. MIT Chapel.
- 11:00AM. Protestant Ministry Services. MIT Chapel.
- 12:15PM. Roman Catholic Mass. MIT Chapel.
- 1:00PM. Chess Club. Student Center, Rm. 491.
- 2:00PM. Chinese Students Meeting. Student Center, Rm. 407.
- 4:00PM. Hillel Meeting. Student Center, Rm. 467.
- 4:45PM. Roman Catholic Mass. MIT Chapel.

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