

# Evergreen State College welcomes WSU takeover

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A WSU takeover of courses offered by Olympia's Evergreen State College is a victory of sorts for both schools, said WSU President Sam Smith.

The takeover will involve classes currently offered by Evergreen at the Vancouver branch campus.

Smith said so-called turf wars among Washington's colleges are a waste of time and paint a dingy picture of the state's system of higher education.

"This is the kind of agreement that's going to get rid of turf wars," Smith said Thursday. "Evergreen wanted to enhance its programming in Olympia and we wanted to make sure that all students in the (Vancouver) area are taken care of. That's why we're in the business."

On Monday, Smith and The Evergreen State College President Joseph Olander met in Vancouver with several state legislators to finalize an agreement that gives WSU full responsibility for courses offered at the Vancouver campus by 1989.

Evergreen has about 125 students enrolled in its bachelor of arts program at Vancouver. Those students who enroll in Evergreen's Vancouver program after this month will be admitted

into the WSU program in 1989 if they're in good academic standing.

State lawmakers gave WSU about \$500,000 during the last legislative session so that the university could step up its programming in Vancouver for the 1987-98 biennium.

According to the university's vice provost for extended university services, Fred Dobney, WSU officials are tossing around the idea of offering undergraduate degrees in business, nursing and engineering at Vancouver. However, getting enough money to hire faculty to support those course offerings is a major obstacle, he said.

"Right now we have one faculty person there in education," Dobney said. "By spring we'll have two and hopefully, by next fall, we'll have five."

Since WSU's state funding support is determined by enrollment, taking over Evergreen's Vancouver course will give the university the students — and possibly the increased funding — that it needs in order to offer the additional undergraduate programs. WSU began offering an undergraduate degree in social sciences there this fall.

Dobney said the majority of WSU classes now offered in Vancouver are taught through the university's WHETTS system, a

telecommunications network that allows students in Vancouver to watch classes being taught in Pullman on television.

Leaving its Vancouver students in the hands of WSU wasn't a hard thing for Evergreen administrators to do, since the school closes its enrollment earlier than any other college in the state, turning down as many as 700 applicants a year at its Olympia campus.

Evergreen's assistant to the president, Stan Marshburn, says the switch will allow TESC to channel more money to the Olympia campus and let about 100 more students attend classes there each year.

"We're looking at this as an opportunity to help WSU fully establish its program down there," Marshburn said. "The key is to keep the momentum of higher education in Vancouver going. We're keeping it going and hopefully WSU will be able to pick it up."

He said Evergreen will encourage Vancouver students to enroll in the WSU program, despite the fact that the strong liberal arts college "wants people who enroll in its program to get an Evergreen degree."

After the WSU transition, Evergreen faculty in Vancouver will be transferred back to the Olympia campus.

## CAMPUS BRIEFS

### Live at Eight tonight

Cable channel 8 will present "Live at Eight" at 8 p.m. today.

"Live at Eight" is a series of weekly 30-minute comedy/va-riety shows, produced, directed and written by students.

Tonight's program will feature "The Young Fresh Fel-lows" music band, hosted by KUGR-FM's Dave Prunty.

### Geology seminar today

A geology seminar on Environmental Issues and the Arctic National Wildlife Preserve will be held at 4 p.m. today in Physical Science Room 17.

The seminar will feature Mark McDermott, senior environ-mental coordinator for ARCO, Inc.

### Pre-vets to meet

The first official meeting of the OFV pre-vet club will be held at 7 p.m. Sept. 6 in CUB B-7.

Anyone interested in working with animals is welcome to attend.

### Cycle club sets ride

The WSU Motorcycle Riders Association will ride to Lake Chacolet, at the southern tip of Lake Coeur d'Alene, on Sun-day, Sept. 6.

The group will depart at 11 a.m. from the CUB west entrance and is open to all interested riders.

The club meets at 7 p.m. every Tuesday in CUB B7-9. For more information call 334-0797 or 332-7108.

### Engineers hold picnic

The American Society of Mechanical Engineers will hold their annual fall picnic at noon Sept. 6 at Kruegel Park.

Tickets cost \$3 and can be purchased at Sloan 230.

### Gay awareness group meets

Who We Are: Relating to our lesbian and gay relatives, friends and selves, is a weekly discussion group open to the Pullman/WSU community.

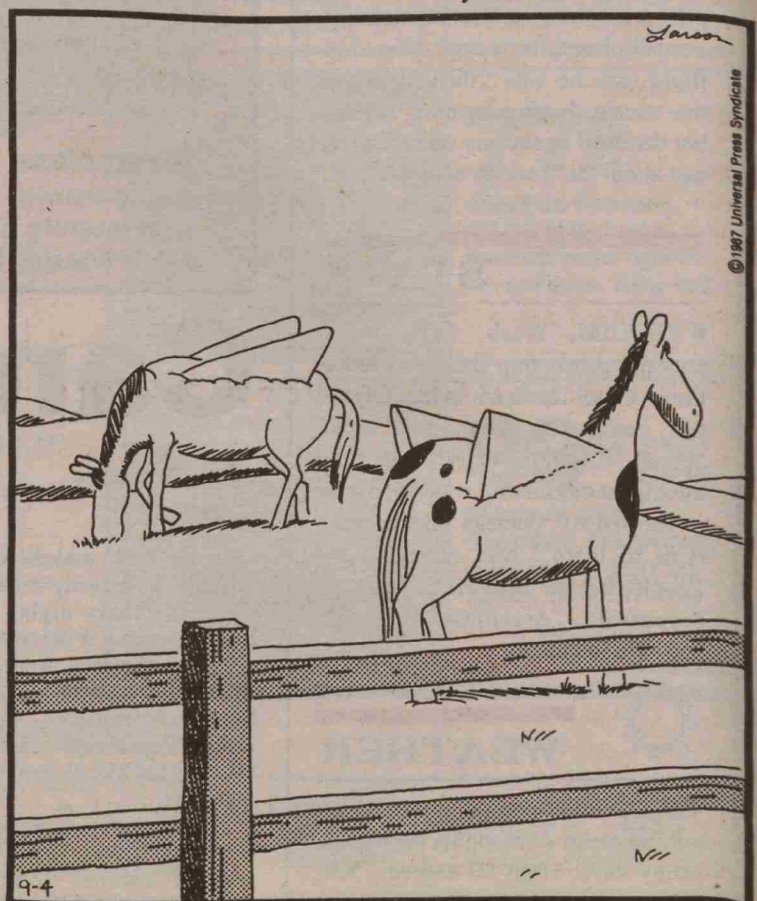
The group meets every Sunday evening. Call the YWCA, 335-3916, for the exact time and place.

### Correction

The Daily Evergreen incorrectly spelled Fred Hudson's name in the Sept. 2 issue. Hudson is a WSU alumnus working to raise funds for the museum.

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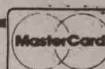
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