Purchase of the Eldorado West apartment building marks UCSB’s move into the business of off-campus property management.

Chancellor Huttenback Cited For Upgrading Women’s Status

By HONGI MOGEL
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UCSB Chancellor Robert A. Huttenback is this year’s recipient of the Fritz Tagliani Award, presented by the Santa Barbara Business and Professional Women’s club.

The award was given for “his positive actions in upholding the status of women in the field of education,” according to Ruth Schneider, the club’s public relations chair.

“Huttenback’s affirmative action programs for women and men were ranked high on my list of aspirations,” said UCSB Controller Karen Moroney. Committee on the Status of Women, Professor Huttenback has always been outspoken in his support for women. However it would be hard for me to say whether he was specifically responsible for the gains made by women on this campus.”

“I think there are probably more fellowships for graduate students, whether that is because of him (Huttenback) or I can’t say for sure,” according to Schneider.

Huttenback amended university’s procedures for selecting professors, requiring that the associate vice chancellor for academic affairs and the affirmative action officer meet individually with search committees and discuss the department’s affirmative action goals, mandates of the Title IX legislation, and issues of equal opportunities. (Please turn to pg. 3, col. 2)

McGovern Presents Offers Of U.S. Involvement In Vietnam

By BECKY DODSON
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Following the Vietnam War, George McGovern told 500 students in “The Year of the War” that the Vietnam War was responsible for “destroying the American society” and split the Democratic Party.

McGovern labeled the Vietnam War “the most divisive war in terms of impact on the American people,” because it was the longest in United States history and also the country’s only war.

“‘This war still haunts the psyche of American political leaders and millions of Americans today,’” he said.

McGovern blamed the split in his party for electing Richard Nixon to the presidency over Robert Humphrey in 1968, and again in 1972 when McGovern was the Democratic challenger.

“I won the nomination with the vigorous support of the anti-war movement,” McGovern noted.

“But this is in itself turned of a great many Democrats who felt it was not proper to be challenging American policy at a time when American soldiers were involved in combat overseas.”

He added, “I suspect that a lot of people who voted on their hands in that campaign (1972) that ordinarily we would have been backing the Democratic nominee.”

McGovern gave a broad history of American involvement in Vietnam, dating back to the President Harry Truman’s decision to support France in its efforts to recapture its former colonies in the Asian region. After the French were defeated and withdrew in 1954, the United States began an effort to establish a government in South Vietnam that would be non-Communist, and able to stand on its own against threats from other Communist elements.

“‘This is where our American intervention really began to become serious,’” McGovern explained.

“First, the Eisenhower administration, then the Kennedy administration began to control American military aid. In 1963, shortly after his election to the Senate, McGovern gave one of the first speeches criticizing American involvement in Vietnam.

“He admitted, ‘We were very difficult for a new senator to get on the floor of the United States Senate and warn against a policy that was being pursued by a close friend of mine (President John F. Kennedy).’ McGovern said.

The senator said his warning that “we were falling into a trap in Vietnam that would embroil thousands of American soldiers and in the end would lead to disastrous results.”

Congress was told in 1965, however, that two American destroyers were attacked by the North Vietnamese in the Gulf of Tonkin without provocations. The Gulf of Tonkin Resolution was then passed, allowing President Johnson to eventually fully escalate the United States’ involvement in Vietnam.

McGovern said he was not long after the resolution was passed that Congress failed to confirm that these two American ships had provoked confrontations by shelling the North Vietnamese coastline.

The major break in public support for the war, McGovern believes, came after the Tet offensive in 1968. At a time when Americans were being told that the war was finally going in their favor, suddenly an offensive broke out in South Vietnam. The Viet Cong and guerillas were everywhere — on the ground of the American Embassy,” he explained.

“When news broke in the United States, it convinced Americans both inside and outside the government that everything was all over.”

McGovern said this realization of impending defeat made the 1973 withdrawal inevitable. He believes, however, that American troops could have left Vietnam five years earlier.

“One of my principal regrets,” he noted, “is that even after it became clear to a majority of Americans that we were going nowhere in the military involvement in Vietnam, we had to go another four years under the

I.V. Apartments Are Bought By University

By JAQUELYN AFFONSO
New Staff Writer

University of California Regents has approved UCSB purchase of an Isla Vista apartment building at a price of $1,875,000, to be used for student housing.

$775,000 in reserved student registration fees will be used for the down payment, leaving a balance of $1,000,000 to be financed through a loan from a commercial lending institution. Repayment of the loan will come from income produced by rental of the facility.

Eldorado West, located at 6677 El Coligio Road, is the first existing building the university has purchased this year.

This is the "first step in improving the quality of living in Isla Vista through ownership," Vice Chancellor for Student and Community Affairs Edward Birch said.

Birch, also the chair of the Property Preservation Group which was established to search for prospective properties, said the group considered a number of property before deciding on this one.

"It’s very well constructed. We won’t buy anything we can’t improve," he said.

Regarding the purchase price, Birch said, "We paid more than any person would like to pay but less than what we believed was a fair price in terms of the real estate market in Santa Barbara."

The request to use student registration fees money for the purchase of student housing was proposed by the Reg Fee Advisory Committee in January, and again, then approved by Chancellor Huttenback, Committee Chair Steve Jeffries.

Over the last three years the committee has accumulated $1.5 million for this purpose. "We haven’t cut any of the other student services to come up with this money," Jeffries said.

Jeffries feels such a project should be supported by student fees. "It’s a matter of addressing what could arguably be the biggest student need in the future." "

Associated Students President Jay Weiss agreed with Jeffries. "I think that’s a justifiable expenditure — it’s one of the single most overriding concerns of students. I totally support it."

UCSB Public Analyst Lynn Ahlert, an adviser to the PFGM felt that the group, composed of three reg fee committee members and three student senate members, made a good decision on this purchase. "This is very exciting, it is the first time UCSB has ever done anything like this before.

As an adviser, Ahlert helped the group evaluate prospective proposals with the help of a consulting firm hired by the university to do so.

The 50-unit complex, built on 1.17 acres, can house a maximum of 146 students. There are both studio and two bedrooms. The non-students will be able to continue living there, Birch said, but non-students leave will be renting to students.

Birch explained that the rents will remain the same. "They will be competitive rents in Isla Vista. The income we generate has to pay the bills."

The apartment which was purchased from the Maracadero Apartments will be managed by UCSB’s own resident house management, which also manages the on-campus dorms and Santa Ynez Apartments.

Although the building needs some repair, Birch said, "its in reasonably good shape as buildings in Isla Vista go. We fully plan to improve the quality of the building."

Former Senator Still Considering ’84 Bid

By BECKY DODSON
New Staff Writer

George McGovern, former U.S. Senator from South Dakota and Democratic presidential nominee in 1972, said he has not yet ruled out the possibility of another bid for that office in 1984.

McGovern, who spoke to a UCSB class and also addressed two UCLA student groups at the Sheraton, Friday said his decision on whether to run for president will not be made "until after Labor Day."

"What I’m going to do is decide whether or not I’ll bid for..." If McGovern was along that I think it’s really saying what has to be said... I might try myself," he told students in Campbell Hall.

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Historian Promotes Ancient Greek Ways Of Healing Mind And Body

By CARSON BECKER
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Physical and mental healing through the ancient Greek methods of therapy are still being practiced and promoted today by Greek historians and philosophers.

Houston recounted the ancient Athenian culture and their theories of the healing process in a lecture sponsored by the Barbara Marx Human Relations Center.

The culture of ancient Greece is characterized by its well-timed and philosophical leadership of this ancient society has never existed, according to Houston.

With the advent of the new millennium, there was an increase in interest in the field of human interaction.

"Athenians were full of brilliance, the psyche filled the world," Houston said.

She elaborated on the medical methods of the ancient Greeks, emphasizing the importance of their ritualistic culture.

Houston explained that there are no prayers or priestesses to begin with the patient in oils and would engage in chants together to form a sort of meditative state.

The "healers" would then have a dialogue with the injured or ailing person, who was the patient in the dream state.

After this process, they would engage in the latter two aspects of prayer and prayer.

The nature of humor is the nature of health.

Everything is mixed up into a new perspective, it can give us a new glimpse of reality.

She praised the ancient culture because they emphasized the "patterns of our spirits and treating the patient as a whole," Houston said.

She then proceeded to sketch out a picture of our own time in the context of our history.

Houston explained that we are also in a time when we have come to focus on the role of science, art, and religion in the present and the future.

"This process has only been possible in difficult times. It has been a process of evolution in the medical field. We have been dealing with a very difficult period where the truth is not easy to find and we are reaching new levels of existence in cultural terms."

With what we now know about the multiple levels of consciousness and psyche, we can reach the new level of evolution within ourselves. It can be viewed as the recreation and recreation of ourselves. We are turning to a system of psychology with more refined levels of perception.

"Therapy amplifies daily living to the great story of history," Houston concluded.

The lecture was held Wednesday at the University Church. Houston is the director of the Foundation for Mind Research and is the author of "Life: The Psycho-Historical Recovery of the Self and the Possible Human." Houston was introduced as "the leading pioneer in the exploration of the human potential and in the study of the human consciousness."

Currently, she is the student of Greek culture and has worked on various archaeological digs in Greece.

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Nixon administration before we finally worked out an arrangement to disengage our forces.

When he saw if he saw any parallels today to the Vietnam situation, McGovern said that El Salvador is a similar case, and he opposes involvement in that country for the same reasons that he was against intervention in Vietnam.

I wouldn't endorse 100 percent everything the guerrillas are doing in El Salvador, but I couldn't endorse 100 percent what the Viet Cong were doing," McGovern said, "but that is quite different from saying that they are evil and such a threat to peace and freedom that we ought to intervene and defeat them.

He added, "there are a lot of governments around the globe that I wouldn't support, but it is not our business to go in and overthrow them."

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This year's debaters are: K.D. Libet, "Hamburger vs. Latke," and K.E. Libet, "Hamantaschen vs. Latke." The debate will be held Wednesday, February 23, in UCSL 2284, at 12:00 noon. The event is sponsored by the Jewish Student Alliance and the Hillel Foundation.
McGovern: Still Considering Bid

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"This business of presidential politics is a kind of inurable disease — once you get bitten, you're never entirely cured. I've been able to refrain from it now for about 12 years. But I can do it through another campaign — I'm not sure," McGovern added.

Although he would not make any endorsements yet, McGovern believes the field of Democratic candidates is shifting up and, mentioning Senators Alan Cranston of California and Gary Hart of Colorado, he could cheerfully campaign for either one of them.

In an interview with the Daily Nexus, McGovern said the Democrats must be able to provide some alternative to President Reagan on defense, unemployment, education, the environment and energy programs, in order to win in 1984.

"They've got a spell out a clear, attractive alternative," McGovern stated. "They can't just wait for reaction to set in against Reagan. He's too clever a communicator to defeat just on the basis of people who are unhappy with his policies.

However, if McGovern does choose to run, he said he would not accept any support from political action committees. "I think they're a menace to American democracy," he stated. "If I run for office again, I'm not going to take any money from any of them."

McGovern feels that the National Conservative Political Action Committee's 1980 defeat, when he failed to be re-elected to a fourth Senate term, McGovern said.

McGovern outlined his proposals for the next term.

"I've been talking about all the changes in priorities in domestic policies," he added. "We need to address, first and foremost, the $12 to $13 million unemployment. But, I don't think we're really going to do that until we bring the arms race under control, and begin to divert the resources we're spending on arms into constructive projects to put people back to work."

McGovern said he is pleased by the response he has gotten from students.

"Of the joys of my life is the reaction I get on the campuses of this country — it's just one great, and we're no lessening of that," he said. "Even though these people were children when I ran for the presidency, there's still a very warm and interested response on campuses all over the country."

McGovern sees the general mood of the country as being anxious and skeptical about the political leadership of both parties.

"People are looking for alternatives to what's now being proposed by the Reagan administration," he said. "But they're not all sure that the Democrats have a clear agenda."

In his speech to the Channel Club Club Friday, McGovern outlined some of his alternative proposals for the future. These included: financing rail systems and testing the MX missiles and the bombers; accelerating job training programs, student loans and G.I. Bills, rather than cutting them; and creating more jobs by restoring the physical infrastructure of America.