

ECOGRAD NEWS.....ECOGRAD NEWS.....ECOGRAD NEWS

OR "THERE REALLY IS AN ECOLOGY STUDENT ORGANIZATION!"

QUOTE OF THE WEEK - (Upon the appointment of Denny Heiman to manage an ecology student summer baseball team)

J. Root: I have managed the Entomology team and it's thankless work.  
D. Heiman: I won't lose any sleep over it.

EDITORIAL - I have been appointed to the thankless job of producing a newsletter (at irregular intervals strictly) to keep you informed about matters relating to ecology grads and our newly formed organization for ecograds. It could be restricted to strictly "business," but hopefully, it will find great use as a medium of communication on matters of mutual interest. Therefore, I invite your comments, criticisms of management of the Ecology Group, poetry, philosophy, book reviews, and especially information on parties, etc. Our people will be moving around this summer and we would like to keep in touch. Furthermore, I solicit the help of all who would like to work on putting the newsletter out; it can't be much if left to me alone. Jay Nunley.

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Mary Major asks that each of you stop by the Ecology Institute offices (AOB #3, 460) before the quarter expires and give her your address and phone for the summer, and to list the type of financial support you expect to receive next year. The address will also be needed for our mailing list.

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May 28, 1970, 7 PM South Rm., Dinning Commons MU

The organizational meeting of ecology graduate students began with 15 students and Drs. Brocksen and Cothran (who have agreed to sponsor the group) present. The following persons were elected to office: Jack Root, Chairman, Joe Kuhn, Vice-Chairman; Jay Nunley, Secretary; Ted Delaca and Mike Petitpren Members at Large. These five will compose a graduate student steering committee and will be responsible for formulating ideas and programs in behalf of ecology graduate students. They will also represent graduate student interests within the Ecology Graduate Group, and will call general meetings of ecology graduate students.

Items to be presented at the annual meeting of the Ecology Graduate Group, June 1, were discussed. These included petitioning for voting membership on Graduate Group committees, establishment of a Ecol. 298 course as an interdisciplinary directed group study or workshop, and office space at the Ecology Institute. It was finally agreed to limit our presentation at the June 1 meeting to identification of our group and our desire to participate in certain areas of policy formulation in the Ecology Group.

A number of projects were discussed with the view of making our ecology graduate student organization relevant and valuable to all ecology graduate students. Ideas included: Examination files on professors, information dissemination, processing of student complaints, social activities, and athletic teams. Dennis Heiman was elected to manage a summer baseball team to be comprised of ecology graduate students. Finally, ideas were discussed

as to how to best involve new graduate students arriving in the fall. These included a party in the fall and placing incoming students on our summer mailing list.

The Steering Committee decided to meet Monday, June 1 at 10 AM in the M.U. Cafeteria to discuss its presentation to the Graduate Group.

The meeting adjourned at 8:55. Jay Nunley, Secretary

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For those who hold subscriptions and won't be here during the summer to pick up the remaining transcripts, Jay says he will mail them to you C.O.D. Send name and address and titles of missing transcripts to him at Dept. Bacteriology, U.C. Davis.

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