

# E-Week to focus on ecology vs. economy

by Dave Madsen

A concrete canoe guaranteed to float, a working model of the Wankel rotary combustion engine and a laser communication system are three of the projects to be displayed by engineering students during the 60th annual UNL E-Week.

The event, which will include displays from Nebraska high school students and UNL engineering departments, will begin tomorrow and run through Saturday.

According to Jerre Tritsch, chairman of the program, the purpose of E-Week is to "communicate to the general public exactly what is going on in engineering today."

The schedule for E-Week includes an open house Friday and Saturday at the Nebraska Engineering Center, 17th and Vine.

On Thursday, a field day will be held at Pioneer Park for engineering students.

A public convocation will be held Friday at 11 a.m. in the Nebraska Union Centennial Room. The guest speaker will be Arthur F. Sampson, administrator for the U.S. General Services Administration. He will speak on the E-Week theme "Engineering: Economy vs. Ecology."

An E-Week banquet Saturday at the Nebraska Engineering Center will end the exhibition. Richard Anderson of Battelle Research Laboratories in Columbus, Ohio, will speak about opportunities for engineers in the 1970's.

Tritsch said that unlike last year, ASUN has appropriated funds to be used for the public

convocation. The other E-Week expenses are being met by the sale of E-Week buttons which carry the E-Week slogan, he said.

According to Tritsch, the E-Week activities traditionally attract more than 15,000 visitors.

UNL Students participating in the exhibition are from the departments of agriculture, chemical, civil, electrical, industrial and mechanical engineering; engineering mechanics; computer science and construction science.

High school students chosen to participate were winners in the Greater Nebraska Science and Engineering Fair held last weekend in Nebraska City.

Serving as the official hostess for all E-Week activities will be Peggy Hermann, Miss E-Week. UNL junior Julie Haskell and sophomores Nancy Lahm and Barbara Moome, Miss E-Week semi-finalists will serve as members of Hermann's official court.

The E-Week program began in 1895 when it was called the First Annual Exhibition, Tritsch said. He said in its early years, the activities were different than today. They included a parade complete with floats and a rivalry between engineering students and students from the law college.

The schedule of events for E-Week includes:

Thursday, April 5: Field Day 1:30 p.m. Pioneer Park.

Friday, April 6: Public convocation, Union Centennial Room, 11 a.m.; Open House, Nebraska Engineering Center, 1 p.m.-10 p.m.

Saturday, April 7: Open House, Nebraska Engineering Center, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; E-Week Banquet, 7 p.m. Omaha Room, Nebraska Engineering Center.

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