

## Five mini-courses offered

A student survey in the Philosophy Dept. last year resulted in five new mini-courses for next semester.

"The Philosophy of 1776," "Communism vs. Religion" and "The Philosophy of Ayn Rand" will be taught by Robert Anderson, and "Trials of Jesus and Socrates" and "Philosophy of Anarchism" will be offered by Daniel Bennett.

The department distributed a survey in philosophy classes asking for student course suggestions and students responded with these topic ideas, said Robert Audi, chairman of the Philosophy Dept.

The one-month long one-credit-hour courses run in sequence so that a student can take one or all three of Anderson's mini-courses, or one or both of Bennett's mini-courses.

Audi said that sometimes it's "easier to sustain enthusiasm" for students on shorter projects.

Next semester also will be the first time for three new three-hour philosophy courses.

"Introduction to Existentialism," "Medical Ethics" and "Freedom" also were primarily the result of student suggestions, Audi said.

"Medical Ethics," taught by Sudi, will examine moral questions that arise in medical science.

Anyone interested in patient-physician relationships would enjoy this class, Audi said.

Students who take "Freedom" will study questions such as what is freedom, how is it related to democracy and what it means to act freely.

The meaning of life, the human condition and the absurd will be surveyed in "Introduction to Existentialism."

## Execs to speak

The Executive-in-Residence program, sponsored by the College of Business Administration, is hosting speeches by Bruce Springborn, of Chicago and Albert R. Van Tieghen, of East Moline, Ill. today.

Springborn, director of organization and development for Quaker Oats Co., will speak at a public lecture today at 3:30 p.m. in the College of Business Administration (CBA) auditorium.

Van Tieghen, president of the National Association of Public Accountants, will conduct an open student forum today at 2 p.m. in the CBA third floor lounge. He will also speak to various accounting classes throughout the day.

Springborn and Van Tieghen are the last of five Executive-in-Residence speakers.

## calendar

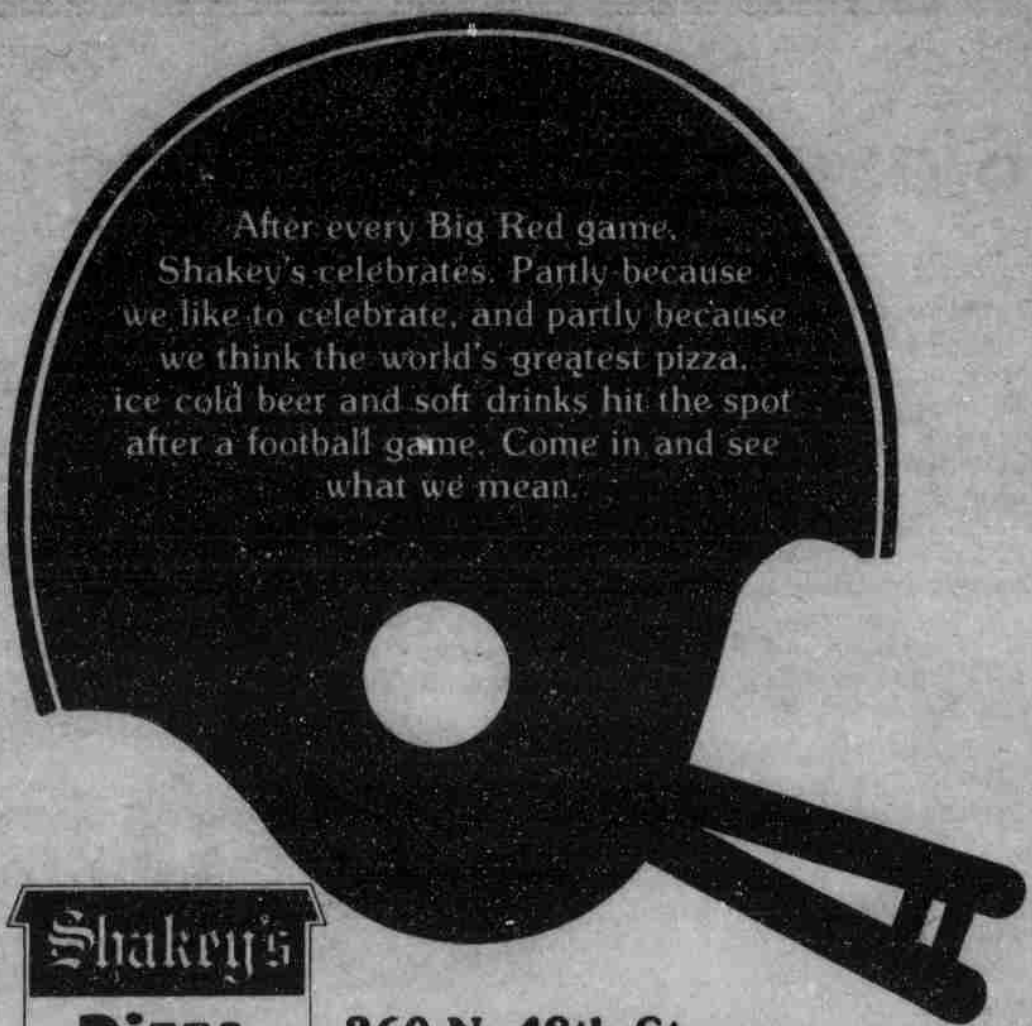
**Friday**  
 9 a.m.—Agriculture Engineering Dept.—Nebraska Union 242.  
 9 a.m.—Student Affairs—Our Troubled Economy—Union 343.  
 10 a.m.—Agriculture Engineering Dept.—Union 243, 222, 232.  
 10:30 a.m.—International Studies—Dr. Camara-Barbachano—Union Pewter Room.  
 10:30 a.m.—Business Education 120—Union Auditorium.  
 11:30 a.m.—Californians for Nebraska luncheon—Union 202.  
 3:30 p.m.—Mexican American Student Association—Union 343.  
 6 p.m.—Nebraska Community Improvements Awards Dinner—Union Ballroom and Centennial Room.  
 7 p.m.—African Student Association—Union 343.  
 7 p.m.—United Church of Christ—Nebraska Center for Continuing Education (NCCE).  
 7:30 p.m.—Inter Varsity

Christian Fellowship—Union Auditorium.  
 7:30 p.m.—Robert Lowell's "The Old Glory"—Henzlik Hall.  
**Saturday**  
 8 a.m.—10 p.m.—United Church of Christ—NCCE.  
 7:30 p.m.—Robert Lowell's "The Old Glory"—Henzlik Hall.  
**Sunday**  
 8 a.m.—Noon—United Church of Christ—NCCE.  
 3 p.m.—International Student Union—Piper Hall.

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