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Location:
Small Auditorium
Basement
Nebraska Union

# Builders to beef up membership

By Kathy McAuliffe

Despite a declining membership, NU Builders expect to have the Buzz Book, a student/faculty directory, ready by the third week in October, said Builders member and senior law student Clay Statmore. The Builders is a student service organization over 30 years old which is dedicated to building a better university.

"The Buzz Book will not go down the drain,"

He has concluded that he is the organization's only active member because other members have graduated or left Lincoln and there have been no yearly officer elections since December, 1976.

Statmore attributes the declining Builders membership to apathy.

"Back in the 60s, people were active in everything," he said. Builders, at that time, was an "in" group to belong to, and sponsored a variety of service oriented projects.

Gradually, other groups took over the activities of the Builders, and it became more difficult to hold the organization together, he said.

"One problem in keeping people in an organization is you need something to do," Statmore said.

Redcoats also a part

In addition to the publication of the Buzz Book, Builders past projects included visits to Nebraska high schools by Builders members and campus tours led by the Redcoats, a Builders committee.

However, current lack of organization has led Statmore to conclude that these activities no longer exist.

According to former Builders member Mary Jo Pitzl, who has helped Statmore publish the Buzz Book for the past two years, the Redcoats probably have been most active because of "the appeal of the kind of work that they do." People aren't really aware of the other activities of the organization, she said.

In order to continue the Buzz Book project in future

years, Pitzl said, either the Builders must be revived, or another organization must take on the project.

Another problem within the organization is an unused scholarship fund, she said. The fund is financed through profits from the sale of the Buzz Book.

"They (scholarships) haven't been given out for the past two years because of poor leadership," she said. "The scholarship money hasn't been awarded, but it's still accumulating interest."

However, Statmore cited a slump in the sale of Buzz books in past years and a desire to build up the fund to a level where five \$100 scholarships can be awarded exclusively from interest earned as reasons for not awarding Builders scholarships.

Reorganization plans

Statmore added that he has plans to reorganize Builders. Continuing the Buzz Book "is a must," he said. A general university information book which would combine the current NU Book and the residence hall booklet, as well as other information pertaining to students is another of his ideas, he said. Statmore said he also would support reintroducing the Redcoats and an activities mart for new students at the beginning of each semester.

Another problem with Builders was the lack of a paid faculty director, he said.

"It takes leadership like that which you can always depend on," he explained.

In order to revive Builders, Statmore said he will begin to recruit new members through Daily Nebraskan advertisements and letters to Greek houses.

Bob Van Neste, assistant director of the Office of University Information, called Builders "a whale of a good organization," and added, "I'd like to get it going again."

Problems also have arisen since the death of the last elected Builder's president, Eric Reid, in a plane crash this summer, he said.

"When Eric was killed, it was, of course, a tragedy itself," Van Neste said. "But we'll have to get reorganized."

Despite all these organizational problems, Statmore was enthusiastic about additions to this year's Buzz Book. In addition to the student names, phone numbers and addresses, the Buzz Book will contain a cross reference between dormitory room numbers and phone numbers. A copy of the east campus bus schedule also will be included, he said.

# New phone features offered to customers

Telephone customers on the 474 and 475 exchanges can obtain four new convenience features from Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph.

The four features, known as Custom Calling, are available to those exchanges serviced by the phone company's computerized electronic switching system, according to Dick Nealy of LT&T.

The four features are:

Call Forwarding-which allows a customer to have his calls forwarded to another number by dialing a code and the number to where the calls are to be sent.

Speed Calling-a "short cut way to dial people you talk to quite frequently" by precoding numbers and then dialing 1 or 2 digits to reach those numbers.

Call Waiting-provides a short tone to indicate an incoming call while the phone is being used on another call. The person using the phone can then place his first caller on hold, talk to the second caller and then resume his first conversation.

3 Way Calling-allows 3 parties to participate in a single call.

All the services can be used locally or for long distance calls or forwarding, Nealy said.

Each service is available for \$1.50 a month. The \$1.50 charge provides eight numbers on the speed dialing service. Thirty number speed-dialing is available for \$3.00.

Package service is available with any three services for \$3.75 a month, or all four for \$5.00 a month with eight numbers or \$6.25 for 30 numbers, Nealy said.

Nealy said some customers on the 474 and 475 exchanges will not be able to obtain these services because of equipment they use.

But, he said the equipment could be changed so the person could get service.

Nealy said customers who obtain the service are not charged an installment fee as the changes are made on the centralized switching system.

### Postal reward offered

The U.S. Postal Office offers a reward leading to the identification and arrest of person or persons involved in the vandalism and theft from the Self-Service Postal Unit located at 14th and U Streets, on the city campus. Information on this subject should be relayed to Robert Dixon, Postal Inspector, Room 314, Main Post Office. 700 R Street, or phone 471-5172.

