

Regents discuss minorities, KSC

Science center planned

By Mark Georgeff
Staff Reporter

Ground-breaking for the Nebraska Center for Science and Technology has been scheduled for November, 1991, John Goebel, UNL vice chancellor for business and finance, told the NU Board of Regents at their meeting Saturday.

The center will be built on the east edge of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln City Campus, on Vine Street between 19th and 20th streets.

Goebel said construction on the \$23.7 million, federally funded project should be completed no later than the summer of 1994.

The new facility will house the department of Chemical Engineering, the Center for Biological Chemistry and the Center for Biotechnology, he said, including space for undergraduate, graduate and research programs and laboratories.

"One of the things that's been important in putting this program together has been to work toward flexibility. Laboratory needs, research needs change with time, and one of the things we have tried very hard to do is to provide an overall facility that can change as the times change," Goebel said.

Regent Kermit Hansen of Elkhorn said he thinks the biotechnology and agricultural experts from areas such as North Platte, Clay Center, Concord and Mead may not feel part of

the Lincoln-based facility.

"My plea is that somewhere in the building there be either space or simply designation that this is for our greater Nebraska cohorts. They do not feel that they are part of this center," Hansen said.

"I strongly recommend that you at least accord them some identity," he said.

Goebel agreed with Hansen's views, saying, "One of the reasons this facility is important is to make Nebraska--and I do not mean simply Lincoln--the center for biotechnology. And it will be important to pull in those people, and we are working on it."

Also at the regents' meeting, UNL Student Regent Phil Gosch called for continued improvement in the recruitment of minority faculty members at UNL.

"We need to develop an atmosphere of understanding and appreciation," Gosch said.

It's important to students to be educated in a culturally rich environment, he said, emphasizing that UNL still has a long way to go.

Gosch said Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs James Griesen has done valuable work for the programs.

"His work has made an incredible difference in the past two years," Gosch said.

UNL Chancellor Martin Massengale called minority recruitment a "long term goal we're trying to

achieve."

"We are working on it consistently," he said.

Regent Rosemary Skrupa of Omaha emphasized giving key consideration to hiring American Indian faculty members.

UNL Academic Senate President James McShane said Kearney State College has hired a "sizeable" number of minority faculty members, but difficulties exist in competition for such members when salaries are low.

He said hiring is an important matter, because the future will consist of half the entry-level work force being women and minorities and students will need access to varied cultures.

In other business, Massengale called the Kearney State College integration into the NU system "a milestone."

He said the July, 1991, integration will help deliver quality education statewide.

"We generate more energy by having all the parts together," Massengale said, adding that the state will be served better through this integration.

Board of Regents Chairman Donald Blank of McCook said the NU administration is working "diligently" to bring Kearney into the system in "spirit as well as body."



Grandpa's Ribbs & Secret Sauce

THURSDAY ONLY

All you can eat Country Style ribs with side orders and free refill on beverage order all for only \$5.99 (on premises only)

EVERY SUNDAY

.25¢ Taco's

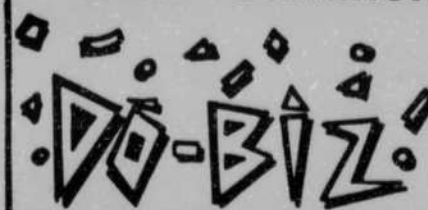
23rd and Holdrege Free Delivery 476-6076



Busy Summer? Start Your Day Right

With Continental Breakfast

From



Bakeries

120 No. 14th

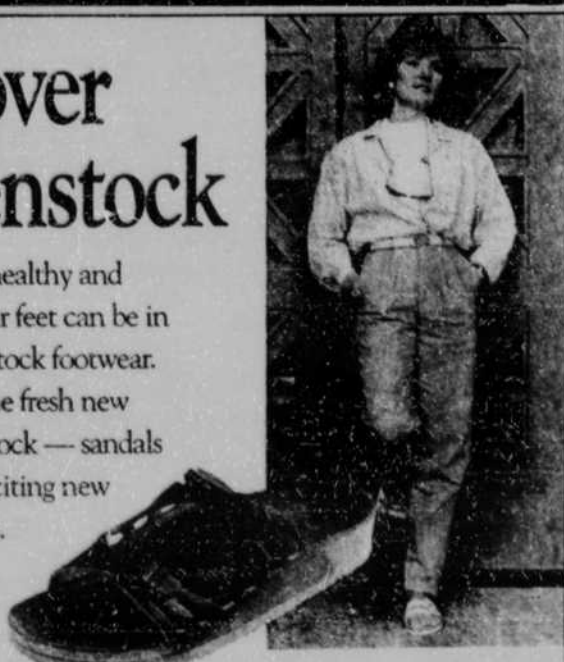
You're astute enough to discuss the philosophical ramifications of Victor Frankl's "Existential Vacuum."

And you're still smoking?

U.S. Department of Health & Human Services

Discover Birkenstock

Discover how healthy and comfortable your feet can be in original Birkenstock footwear. And discover the fresh new look of Birkenstock — sandals and shoes in exciting new colors and styles.



Birkenstock®

Footloose & Fancy

Nebraska's Largest Full Service Birkenstock Store. Serving The Midwest For Over 15 Years.

1219 'P'

476-6119

LINCOLN SCHWINN CYCLING AND FITNESS SUMMER MADNESS

6 DAYS TO SAVE LIKE MAD SALE ENDS July 3rd



GIANT ACCESSORY SALE!

SALE Starting at \$149 & Up All '89 Bikes \$10 to \$100 OFF Many one of a kind bikes at terrific savings.

DOZENS OF MORE ITEMS ON SALE

FREE Water Bottle with each Bike Purchase

Good through July 3, 1990 w/ coupon.

2 For the price of 1 SALE Buy Any Size Tube Get the 2nd Tube FREE

Good through July 3, 1990 w/ coupon.

20% OFF Any Accessories With ALL new Bike Purchases * Schwinn * Dyno * Fuji * MT Shasta * Red Line

Good through July 3, 1990 w/ coupon.

Troxel Helmets \$32.00 Ltwt. Rear Rack \$19.95 Water Bottle & Cage \$2.99 \$5.99 Cable & Padlock Set \$17.99 \$1.29 Lycra Shorts \$17.95

All Lightweight Bikes Up To 20% OFF

Selected Mountain Bikes at terrific Savings Starting from \$199.95

LINCOLN Schwinn CYCLERY

3321 Pioneer 488-2101 1517 No. Colner 464-6952

North Store Hours: 9-6 Weekdays, Thurs till 8:00 9-4 Sat South Store Hours: 8-6 M-Th, 8-7 Fr, 8-5 Sat, 12-4 Sun

and Downtown Bike Shop

427 So. 13th 435-2322

OPEN 7 Days A Week