One of the more important events in the fall of 1943, the brothers of the Phi Kappa Sigma (PKS) fraternity threw their first Halloween party, calling it the "Skull House of Skuffle." Now simply called Skuffle, the bi-annual Halloween event is one of the two remaining large all-campus fraternity parties. The other being Fiji's Island party, held in alternate years from Skuffle.

In the mid-forties, large all campus fraternity parties were fairly common events. While most other parties of that era have now faded into anonymity, Skuffle has survived in fine fashion, growing in size and recognition. The initial 1943 party attracted considerably less than one hundred guests; most recently, the 1977 Skuffle drew a record attendance of over six hundred and fifty people.

While the party has long been a well-known event on the MIT campus, the 1977 Skuffle received city-wide recognition, drawing front-page coverage from the Boston Globe. PKS hopes to increase the party's wide recognition, calling it the "Skull House party," in an effort to break their 1977 attendance record.

A fifteen-foot paper-mache skull covers the entrance to the PKS house for the party, as guests enter the building through the skull's mouth. The party will include a tunnel of horrors, as well as a live PKS bi-annual "Skuffle" party is a long-standing MIT tradition.

There is no admission charge to Skuffle, as all costs are paid by the PKS brothers. This year's Skuffle will begin on Saturday, October 27, when the mouth of the skull opens for five hours at 8pm. All members of the Wellesley community and their dates are invited.

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Announcements

The annual Harry S. Truman Scholarship Award will be made to current sophomores intent on a career in the public service. The awards will be for $5,000, are renewable for two years and for up to two years of graduate study. Up to two MIT students will be nominated by the president of the student association. Any student wishing to be considered should contact Dr. Louis Menland, Room 37253, not later than Oct. 17, 1979.

Wednesday October 17 is the last day to vote in the Cambridge city council elections, to be held in November. Cambridge residents can register between 9am and 5pm at the Cambridge Police Station in Central Square.

Activities

MIT Exotic Fish Society will be meeting Thursday night, October 18 at 7pm in Room W20-482. All welcome. Election meeting.


The Harvard Law school Forum is pleased to announce its second speaker for the 1979-80 season, Charles Kirby, a close advisor to President Carter, will speak at 8pm on Wed. Oct. 17th, in the Langdell North Middle Classroom at Harvard law school. Mr. Kirby is an Atlanta attorney; and a member of the Democratic national committee. His remarks will be followed by a question and answer period. The public is invited to attend; admission is $1.50. For further information, call 495-4411, 482-1534, or 486-3228.

Herman F. Ellis, a Boston University Professor of International Relations, will lecture "The Two Yemeni Conflict or Cooperation?" on Wed. Oct. 17 at 7pm in the University's Law School Auditorium.

The Wellesley Department of Black Studies is sponsoring Dr. Cornell West, who will speak on "Afro-American Philosophy," beginning at 12:30pm, in Fenelon West.

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