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Prof. Knudsen Earns National Honor

Dedication is the key to effective teaching, according to Dr. Jens W. Knudsen, one of 20 educators across the country honored last Sunday by the Dansforth Foundation.

A professor of biology at Pacific Lutheran University, Dr. Knudsen has been selected as a recipient of the 1969 E. Harrison Harbison Prize for Distinguished Teaching. Sunday in St. Louis the Foundation honored the 20 teachers selected.

Along with the award, the 39-year-old biologist, artist and textbook author receives a \$4,000 grant, to be used as he desires in furthering his teaching and scholarship.

Individuals considered for the award must be outstanding in the art of teaching, in the significance of their scholarly contribution, in their concern for the student as an individual and in their commitment to ethical and spiritual values.

The Prize, established in 1962, is named for the late Princeton University history professor.

Honors are nothing new for Knudsen. He was selected as Distinguished Teacher for 1967 at PLU. The same year he was presented the Faculty Award by the



Dr. Jens W. Knudsen

university's chapter of Blue Key, a national honorary fraternity, and the Tacoma Zoological Society's special award

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Theodore J. Thuesen, former sociology teacher now at Lenoir Rhyne (Hickory, N. C.), was married last spring to a young lady who is acquisitions librarian and instructor in history at Lenoir Rhyne. . . Ted represented PLU at the recent inauguration of Dr. Raymond Bost as president of Lenoir Rhyne. . . House guests of the Dr. Olaf Jordahls (physics) last weekend were son Eric, his wife and their two daughters of Portland, Ore. . . like Scandinavian music and chatter? Tune in to Audun Toven's radio hour each Sunday evening at 7 over KBLE-FM, 93.3 meg. . . Miss Anne Knudson (English) has a book review in the current issue of "Lutheran Forum," a national magazine. Her review deals with Nathan A. Scott, Jr.'s book, "Craters of the Spirit: Studies in The Modern Novel." . . Mrs. Ruth Halvorson (Ordal housemother) left Tuesday on a three-week trip to Europe and the Holy Land with the Bethel Bible group. . . Mrs. Theodore Aaberg of Parkland visited the campus Monday and presented the book, "A City Set on a Hill," to President Mortvedt as a gift to the University. The book is written by her son the Rev. Dr. Theodore A. Aaberg, Jr., and is a history of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod which is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year. With Mrs. Aaberg were the Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Theiste of Parkland Lutheran Church. . . Congratulations to Larry All and his Central Services crew for turning out 2,700 copies of the 40-page PLU Directory. This is the largest task ever tackled by our printer. . . Congratulations to Jon Olson (alumni dir.) who was named Jaycee of the Quarter by the Lakewood Junior Chamber of Commerce. There's a handsome plaque in his office from the Jaycees. . . Congratulations to Milton Nesvig (University Relations) who was selected as "The Man in the Foreground," by radio station KTAC. Also, he is leaving for Europe tomorrow where he will make the arrangements for the 1970 Choir of the West tour. Linda Olson (nursing) gave a talk to Delta Kappa Gamma, a key woman teacher sorority Tuesday, Oct. 29, in Puyallup. Her topic was "Values and How They are Communicated". . . Dr. J. A. Schiller (Soc.) attended the Northwest Regional Lutheran Health and Welfare Conference in Portland, Ore., Friday and Saturday. He addressed the conference on "Theology and the Helping Process." He also served as program consultant.

for community service.

A 1952 graduate of PLU, he has been a member of the university faculty since 1957. He was born in a small California town where learning was sometimes frowned upon. "You would get beat up if you did your homework," he commented.

Nevertheless, Knudsen continued his education, with undergraduate work at PLU. He earned masters and doctors degrees at the University of Southern California.

Teaching, to Knudsen, is "the thrill of launching careers and thus becoming a part of agelessness." Inspired by his teachers during his collegiate days, he seeks to pass on the enthusiasm for learning instilled in him.

"Today's challenge is to produce an environment where such teachers may be created for the future," Knudsen believes. "Dedicated teachers are probably born as students."

He has, however, become concerned about the trend toward impersonal relationships between teacher and student, which he sees as one of the reasons for unrest on college campuses. "True teaching can only take place between two individuals, the student and the teacher, even in mass situations," he said.

"The teacher must transmit a poignant dedication to the truth," Knudsen continued. "He must project a meaningfulness into his subject matter and a sense of worth to the students."

I teach biology, not as a bagful of facts, but as something I hope is relevant to their lives."

Taking his enthusiasm beyond the campus, Knudsen last year completed an exhibit for the Point Defiance Aquarium on oceanic food cycles. He is presently working on another which will depict types of animal camouflage, the only one of its kind in the Northwest.

He completed his first textbook last year and is also an accomplished artist.

Cartoonist To Appear With Orchestra



Frederick Newnham & Calvin Knapp

Sunday Faculty Recital Features Baritone Newnham

Frederick J. Newnham, baritone, will appear in faculty recital Sunday, Nov. 10, at 4 p. m. in Jacob Samuelson Auditorium.

The soloist will be accompanied by pianist Calvin Knapp. Both are members of the faculty in the PLU music department.

Newnham, a member of the voice faculty since 1950, has appeared as soloist with numerous orchestras across the country as well as in Canada and England.

The Sunday program consists of 15 numbers, opening with two compositions by Handel. Mozart will also be featured during the second half of the program.

SAGA FACULTY SECTION

The faculty section for the 1969 Saga is now being assembled. If you are interested in helping to select your photograph for the Saga, please call Wendy Williams, ext. 808, or call the Saga office on Tuesday or Thursday between 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Stu Hample, nationally known cartoonist, will appear as soloist with the Pacific Lutheran University Symphony Orchestra in the final Phi Beta Saturday Theater children's program next weekend.



Performances will be Saturday at 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Stanley Petrulis in PLU's Eastvold Auditorium.

This is Hample's first Northwest appearance. As a soloist with symphony orchestras, his "instruments" are great sheets of newsprint and charcoal and red chalk. He is sometimes called the "Pied Piper of chalk."

He has frequently appeared on CBS-TV's "Captain Kangaroo" and NBC's "Birthday House." He is co-compiler of the bestselling book, "Children's Letters to God," and its sequel, "More Children's Letters to God."

Selections to be interpreted Saturday include "Anitra's Dance" and "Hall of the Mountain King" from Grieg's Peer Gynt Suite No. 1 and Saint-Saens' entire "Carnival of Animals," the latter including the cartoonist's jaunty quotations of Ogden Nash verses and featuring duo pianists Calvin and Sandra Knapp of the PLU faculty.

Besides the Hample numbers, the orchestra, directed by Stanley Petrulis, will also perform Mozart's "Overture to the Impresario," Bach's "Gavotte and Bourree" and the Hoedown from Copland's "Rodeo."

Introducing the various sections of the orchestra and calling on single instruments will be Karen Krebbs, senior drama student at PLU and a Phi Beta member.

Phi Beta's second annual fall series of three Saturday Theater programs is being presented with support of the Washington State Arts Commission.

Band Presents Concert For Children's Hospital

A family concert, presented by the Pacific Lutheran University Concert Band and sponsored by the Parkland Orthopedic Guild, will be presented Sunday, Nov. 17, in Eastvold Chapel at 2:30 p.m.

All proceeds from the concert will be used for the maintenance and operation of Mary Bridge Children's Hospital.

The band, under the direction of Prof. Gordon O. Gilbertson, and the Parkland Orthopedic Guild are presenting the program for the fifth consecutive year. The presentation is intended as "a contribution to the cultural life of the community," according to Mrs. Theodore Apa, president of the Guild.

Professor Gilbertson has planned a program which will appeal to the whole family. There will be marches, novelty numbers and classics. Gilbertson will explain each number to the audience to give a background and better understanding of the program.

The program will open with two marches, "Liberty Bell" by Sousa and "On The Mall"-Goldman. A novelty number, "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star"-Piket, will be followed by a flute solo played by Karen Vance, "Concertino Opus 17" Chaminade. The "Jamaican Folk Suite" - Walters, will be followed by another novelty, "El Burrito," and a trombone solo by Dennis Smith, "Concertpiece" - Muhlfield. This number has been arranged for trombone by a senior music student at PLU, Ron Ahre.

Rounding out the tentative program are two polkas, a Norwegian march and a popular number, "Can't Take My Eyes Off of You."

The purpose of the program, according to Gilbertson, is not just to entertain, but to give students and their families an appreciation of the various types of good contemporary and classical music.



Prof. Gordon O. Gilbertson and Parkland Orthopedic Guild representative Mrs. Rudolph Valentine, enjoy a jam session with Craig Pattee, patient at Mary Bridge Children's Hospital.

Guild co-chairmen for the event are Mrs. Randolph Valentine and Mrs. Ted Bottiger. Also on the committee are Mrs. Roy Carlson and Mrs. Ted Karl.

Tickets are \$2 for families, \$1 for adults and 35¢ for children. They may be purchased at the door or by calling Mrs. Valentine, VI 7-7827.

CHEST X-RAY NOTICE

The mobile x-ray unit will be on campus Thursday and Friday, Nov. 7-8, at the Health Center, 121st and Park Ave. Times are 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. and 2-5 p. m.

CAMPUS DIRECTORY CHANGES

Please check the new campus directory for information pertaining to you. If there are changes or additions, call or send a memo to Mrs. Barbara Markley, president's secretary, ext. 211.

Throughout the year, address changes and other information should be sent to the president's secretary to maintain a current file for the directory.

PLU Knights Foil Boxer Rebellion 33-0

HOW GOOD ARE THE LUTES?

Ever since the Lewis and Clark game a month ago, when PLU came within an eyelash of upsetting the powerful Pioneers before succumbing 6-0, grid fans and scribes have been asking the question.

In the past three weeks, Roy Carlson's aggregation tied still undefeated Linfield and blistered winless University of British Columbia and Pacific University 40-0 and 33-0.

Following the Linfield standoff, PLU was sixth in the Northwest Conference in total defense, giving up 255 yards a game. In the past two games they've given up 138 and 116 yards respectively.

On offense, the Lutes, who averaged 222 yards a game in the first five games, have rolled up 355 and 373 yards respectively in their last two contests. They scored 33 points their first five games; 73 in their last two.

The PLU-Whitman contest is a must for both teams, fighting for fourth place in the NWC. PLU (1-1-2), however, could still finish anywhere from third to sixth in the conference.

Comparative scores show Whitman (1-3-0) with an eight point win over a team tied by PLU, College of Idaho. The reverse is true in the case of Linfield, tied by PLU but a 27-7 victor last Saturday over the Missionaries.

Lewis and Clark topped the Missionaries by 13, the Lutes by six. To Whitman's credit, they held undefeated Willamette to a one-point win. The Missionaries will rely on the passing arm of freshman quarterback Eric Johnson, one of the league's leading aerialists. The Lutes concentrate primarily on a ground attack lead by sophomore halfbacks Dave Halstead and Gary Hammer, the top two runners in the conference through last week.

Any bets?



PASS INTERFERENCE - Knight Mike Murphy is grabbed near the end zone, one of the two pass interference penalties that led to PLU's second TD Saturday.

BLITZKREIG

Last Saturday's PLU-Pacific battle at Franklin Pierce Stadium was really two different ball games. The Lutes mounted a blitzkreig in the first quarter. The Boxers were held to minus yardage before intermission, while the Knights reeled off 278 yards.

The second half saw the visitors outgain the Knights 121 yards to 95 yards, but the Boxers only scoring threat ended with a fumble on the goal line.

In the first quarter, the Knights waited until the last four minutes for their initial score, with Halstead banging over from the two after a 12-play, 54 yard drive.

The Lutes recovered an onside kick to begin a 49-yard drive, culminating in

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Cage Outlook Promising - Lundgaard

Coach Gene Lundgaard's Pacific Lutheran University cage squad began practice last Friday with an optimistic outlook and an eye on a more Northwest Conference honors.

There are reasons for the optimism. Lundgaard lost only one of his top seven players by graduation - high scoring all-conference forward Dennis Buchholz. And he has nine returning lettermen.

Two other front liners, 6-5 center Al Kollar and 6-4 forward Leroy Sinnes, have two years of eligibility remaining. Sinnes, who led the Knights in scoring last year with 378 points and a 15.7 game average, was first string all-conference. Kollar, named to the all-conference second team, scored 367 points and led the Knights in rebounds.

A welcome freshman prospect, 6-8 Ake Palm, could be the man to replace Buchholz in the Lutes' front line. A 22-year-old from Sweden, Palm averaged 25 points a game for the Swedish national team. Former PLU great Hans Albertsson is credited with sending Palm to Pacific Lutheran.

"He has good shot and is agile and light on his feet," Lundgaard says of his prize prospect.

The Lute mentor again plans to rotate his five veteran guards Tom Meeks, a 6-3 senior who also plays forward and scored 200 points last year; Rick Ancheta, 5-11 senior; Kevin Miller, 5-11 junior; Ron Groth, 6-3 senior; and Bruce Shamp, 6-2 senior.

Lundgaard also has a promising junior college transfer, Ralph Whitman from Everett Junior College. Whitman is a 6-3 forward.

Other lettermen include John Rankin, a 6-0 sophomore guard, and Bruce Reichert, a 6-2 sophomore forward.

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a Bob Lovell one-yard plunge for the score as the second period began. It took the Lutes seven plays to score from the eighty-yard line, aided by two Boxer interference penalties on fourth down.

Rod Bolek completed two passes during PLU's third touchdown drive, one for 22 yards to Doug Jansen, the second for 21 yards to Vic Eaton for the score. Only six plays later the Lutes scored again. Jack Irion intercepted a Boxer pass, Grant Spencer hauled in a 33-yard Bolek aerial, and Hammer swept 15 yards for the touchdown.