

# Grant funds math, science program

Cranbrook Institute of Science is accepting applications for its Upward Bound Science and Math Program, which will be offered once again this summer, thanks to the continued support of the U.S. Department of Education and a \$200,000 grant.

Upward Bound provides 50 first-generation, college-bound high school students from low-income families with an intense five-week program focusing on

math and science research. At the end of the program, instructors will continue to keep in touch with students and encourage them to pursue science and math-related careers.

In order to be accepted into the program, students must show an interest in science and math and have a strong desire to learn. Potential candidates must also:

- Enter 10th or 11th grade in the fall.
- Complete at least one, high

school science course and one algebra course.

- Carry at least a 3.0 grade point average.
- Commit to the entire five-week program.
- Meet federal income guidelines.

- Live in Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, Ohio or Wisconsin.

Students accepted into the program will live on Cranbrook's campus from July 5 through Aug. 7.

The program will begin each morning with accelerated classes in science, mathematics, English and computers. During the afternoon students will work in teams to conduct research projects involving physics, botany, astronomy, ecology and statistics. Students also will get a chance to discuss career options with science and math professionals, go on field trips to explore different colleges and careers, and work in a science museum and nature cen-

ter conducting demonstrations for museum visitors.

The Department of Education grant will cover the cost of each student's room and board, admission and transportation for field trips, and nominal spending money. Two years ago, Cranbrook was the first institution other than a college or university to receive the Department of Education grant.

For more information about Upward Bound, or to receive an application, call 313-645-3256. The application deadline is June 16. Cranbrook Institute of Science, 1221 N. Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills, is a non-profit natural history and science museum serving Michigan and the Great Lakes region.

The institute is a part of Cranbrook Educational Community which includes Cranbrook Academy of Art and Museum, Cranbrook Schools and other affiliated educational and cultural programs.

# OU exempts some dorm rooms from no smoking policy

Oakland University in Rochester has expanded its no smoking policy to include all enclosed areas of the campus including private offices, but exempting private residences and some residence hall rooms as designated by the president.

The policy approved by the Board of Trustees June 3 will also allow smoking in spaces specifically designated by President Sandra Packard or her designee, for such occasions as private and/or social functions, research, or theatrical performances.

The new policy takes effect on Aug. 15 and replaces the existing policy that had been in effect since 1987.

Packard had asked the Campus Development and Environment Committee of the University Senate to consider the university's existing smoking/no smoking policy in light of concerns raised by various members of the campus community.

The current policy had permitted smoking in private offices, public hallways, all private residential spaces, certain designated smoking lounges, and portions of food service establishments.

Smoking was also permitted on special occasions like private functions, social functions, and for research, demonstrations, or theatrical performance purposes.

The June 3 board vote reflects University Senate action on the no smoking issue, except that some accommodations will be made for certain residence hall private rooms. The Senate would have banned smoking in all student rooms.

The university already has a smoke-free residence hall and certain smoke-free floors in other halls, Packard said. She said other smoke-free spaces will be designated without prohibiting smoking in all residence hall rooms in response to student requests.

The specific wording of the policy follows: Smoking is prohibited in all enclosed areas of Oakland University campus except in:

A. Private residences (including residence hall rooms when designated by the president).

B. Spaces specifically designated by the president or a designee for such purposes as special or private functions, research, or performance where smoking is part of the performances.

## Young viewers sought for King discussion

WKBD-TV, Channel 50, in Southfield is looking for interested young people, particularly from the ages of 10 to 13, to be part of a television studio audience for a discussion called "Kids, Let's Talk About Dr. Martin Luther King."

The show is a children's version of the discussion show "Straight Talk," called "Straight Talk for Kids." Like

the adult version, it's hosted by Amyro Makupson, news anchorwoman at Channel 50.

Taping will be at 5 p.m. Friday at the Southfield studios, 26905 W. 11 Mile Road. The show will air at 5:30 p.m. June 25.

For reservations, call Madrice Rabi, public affairs, at 355-7089 anytime.

## State asks elderly for input

The Michigan Commission on Services to the Aging is seeking comments from state residents about how well the elderly population is being served by the state government.

Officials will hold a public

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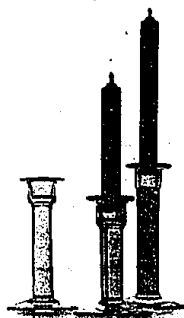
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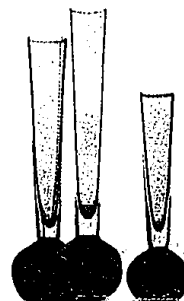
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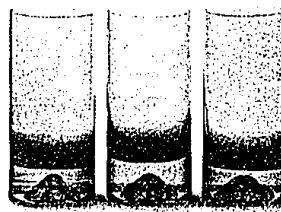
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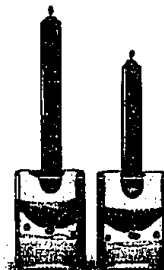
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