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Due to the lack of cultural and recreational resources on the St. Petersburg Campus, student participation in many community events is directly subsidized to compensate for these deficiencies.

Students taking the majority of hours on the St. Pete Campus will be allocated $1.00 per credit hour to be applied toward subsidization. Proof of fee payment (listing your hours) and your validated student photo I.D. are required when using your subsidy.

Eligible students must come to the Activities Office (SPE-112) to initiate ticket arrangements. Students may buy as many tickets as desired but only the allotted amount of subsidy will be deducted from the purchase. Subsidy may be used for more than one event—until the individual's portion of subsidy is depleted.

The student must pay at least $1.00 per subsidized ticket.

The Subsidization Program is conducted each session. Tickets are on sale from the first to the last day of each term. Subsidization is not available during term breaks.

Once you have used your subsidy, you may still buy tickets at our PURCHASE PRICE, which is often much lower than the regular retail price. For example:

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Subsidized tickets may be purchased for events at Bayfront Center, Asolo Theatre in Sarasota (during its repertory season), Country Dinner Playhouse (USF group night), Palisades Theatre, Busch Gardens and other places. (Faculty and staff may buy tickets at our PURCHASE PRICE.)

For further information... and other discounts... contact the Activities Office.
usf st. pete singers

The USF St. Pete Singers are a collection of persons who periodically gather to volunteer their time and talents for humanitarian entertainment endeavors. Active since 1974 at USF St. Pete, the group features Vocalists, Hummers, Dancers, Jugglers, Artists, Costume Designers and many other interested persons.

In 1980-81, the Singers performed approximately twenty-one Christmas shows. During March, the group produced six St. Patrick’s Day shows (and several impromptu acts by request at local Irish pubs)! Generally, these events occurred at local rest homes, adult psychiatric centers, veterans’ hospitals, low-income housing projects, etc. Special shows were also given during Halloween and for the Irish-American Club. Additionally, the Singers were invited to perform at the Gasparilla Sidewalk Art Show in Tampa. The group has also been asked to appear on TV’s “Commitment.”

Now here’s your chance to become a real star! And bring your family! Rehearsals will begin in October for our Christmas program and we’ve reserved a special place for you!

Contact the Activities Office (SPE-112) for details today.

PIANO PLAYERS NEEDED DESPERATELY! PIANO PLAYERS NEEDED DESPERATELY! IF YOU HAVE A FEW HOURS TO SPARE, PLEASE SHARE THEM WITH US! LIMITED TIME COMMITMENT!

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**student accounting organization**

**MEETING**

The first meeting of the Student Accounting Organization (SAO) for Semester I will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 8 in SPE-108. Coffee and sweet things will be served. Come and see what SAO can do for you!

**FIRST NATIONAL ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATION (NAA) MEETING**

The First National Accounting Association meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 9, at 6:00 PM at the Holiday Inn on Cypress Street in Tampa. Carpooling will be available. For details, contact: Kathy Hauser 584-2681, Cathy Neville 393-3086, Tracy Houston 347-9432, Pan Land 988-6088. We would like to get a head count into the NAA as soon as possible, so please let us know soon if you’ll be able to attend.

**SAO GET-ACQUAINTED PICNIC**

Come and meet accounting students for a day of fun in the sun! The picnic will be held on Sunday, September 20 at Fort DeSoto Park. Hamburgers and hot dogs will be provided. Look for all the details in the next CROW’S NEST and in flyers around campus.

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**crow’s nest**

The CROW’S NEST is printed weekly on Mondays. If you have any information, features, personal ads, free student-to-student advertisements (For Sale, For Rent, etc.), please leave them at the Activities Office (SPE-112). Deadline for submitted material is the Thursday prior to publication.

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**WINNERS!**

The Association of Black Students (ABS) recently conducted a raffle to raise money for Book Scholarships.

The drawing was held in August. Campus Dean John Hinz picked the winner: Coletta Sylver.

Book Scholarships were awarded to: Joyce Williams, Gene Smiley, Ruby Watson, and Ruthie McWhite.

Further information about ABS may be obtained in the Student Organizations Office in SPE-116.
Chu Chu and the Philly Flash could have had more interest as a study of human nature and the human predicament, but it is done with such a clown-like facade that it doesn't quite make it.

Carol Burnett plays Chu Chu, which is her name for her one woman Latin band. Her name is Emily, but when she gets on her Carmen Miranda outfit, complete with six inch high platform shoes and starts climbing up and down the San Francisco hills, she becomes Chu Chu. She also teaches dancing in her green stamp style apartment which is complete with ballet bar and mirror. She has only one student, who is inept at tap dancing, but that doesn't bother Emily a bit. It brings in some money. When she isn't a woman band or a dance instructor, she helps her neighbor pull his hot dog stand up and down the apartment house stairs. Her costumes are a masterpiece of tackiness.

The Philly Flash is a former baseball player (Alan Arkin) who has fallen on hard times because of his drinking, but now having been dry for three weeks, he is earning money to go to Michigan where a job has been offered by one of his old baseball buddies. His occupation is washing windshields and he is having trouble with the windshield washing monopoly run by the Commander (Jack Warden) who has his own window washing product and sells it to various bums who use it to make a little money. The Commander is angry because Philly Flash is using what appears to be Windex instead of the highly flammable liquid that he is selling.

A brief case falls out of a window. Chu Chu hides it in her drum. Philly sees it happen and is promised a reward by the owner of the briefcase if he will return it to the hotel.

Philly and Chu Chu devise an impossibly complicated scheme for the drop, the reward, etc. although the etc. is vague. Philly will then have the additional money that he needs for bus fare to Michigan.

Eventually, after all the zany and the hilarious and the rollicking and the caper is exhausted, the two protagonists find that they are real people and have value to themselves and to each other.

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They fade away into the sunset on the Greyhound Bus quarreling and eating "shaving cheese". (That soft cheese that squirts out of a can. There are a few good lines.)

More interesting than the silly plot are the characters. All down and outs in one way or another, they are caricatures of people who are just not making it in today's world. They may fit more appropriately into medieval times. Their costumes are too obviously costumes and their general behaviour is so exaggerated and exotic that they appear to be clowns rather than comic characters. Their humaness was not showing, even though this was what the film was trying to depict.

There is a little tenderness and feeling in the story but the parts are played with such an excess of falsification that I was aware of the unreality of it all the time. Carol Burnett tends to be Carol Burnett, not Chu Chu and not Emily. Alan Arkin is much more believable and sympathetic in his part, but he is up against great odds in the material that he has to work with.

The part of Charlie is played by Adam Arkin, who is the son of Alan Arkin, and he is excellent. He plays the role of one who has just been released from psychiatric hospital and is still not sure of where he is or what he's doing or when. His loyalty to his friend, Philly, is one thing of which he is certain. He is the only one in the story who knows that he is not with his reality. The others are having problems, but think that every will be all right. The Charlie part is done beautifully.

This film tries, but is really just an average flick. It is rated PG and is suitable for children. I cannot give it more than a five on a scale of ten.

Chu Chu and the Philly Flash is now showing at the Tyrone Square Six. Discount tickets are available at the Activities Office, SPE-112.

Your friendly critic,
NIELA ELIASON

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: GENE OLSON (FIO) - Sept. 4
MARTHA TAUGHTERY (Academic Affairs) - Sept. 5
REGIS FACTOR (Political Science) - Sept. 8
ROBERT FOWLER (Psychology) - Sept. 14
The University of South Florida at St. Petersburg will continue its Film Classics Series throughout the upcoming year. Films will be shown on the second Sunday of each month in the Auditorium, Building A. Tickets for each film are $1.25 for USF students with validated I.D. and $1.75 for others. These may be purchased in advance by contacting the campus Activities Office or at the door prior to the film showing.

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Schedule of events is as follows:

5:00-7:00PM POOLSIDE BARBECUE featuring hot dogs, potato salad, brownies, chips and soft drinks ... free!
6:00-7:30 PM WATER VOLLEYBALL GAMES with exciting competition between student clubs and other interested persons (sign up in the Activities Office to participate; register as a team or as an individual—we'll create teams)
PRIZES AWARDED!

plus STUDENT ORGANIZATION BOOTH

FRIDAY NIGHT FILM SERIES in the Auditorium, Building A

FILM: BREAKING AWAY (see p. 3)

9:00 - Midnight SWIMMING pool
Snacks and Music
RAIN OR SHINE! This will be the LAST hurrah for the Recreation Center. The facility will be demolished in mid-September to make way for the new Student Services Building.

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