Central Council
'Sound Off Scene'
To Be Friday

Voting for Central Council offices will be "in action" Friday in Schwitzer Center with a total of 12 candidates vying for student government positions.

Campaigning this year has been somewhat more conservative than in previous years. However, the status and influence of Central Council has been steadily growing through the years.

Members of the Council are two elected persons from each class, organization officers plus several selected faculty members. Projects which the Council has supported in the past few years have been the school sign, Dixie (school mascot) and organization of a pep band.

The actual running of Council meetings and Council actions is done by three elected party members. (Split ticket voting is allowed for all offices.)

Religious and social activities branch off the main stream of Council concern. These two vice-presidents organize and carry out projects on a more independent basis. Religious Emphasis Week, campus devotional life, WUS auction, holiday communions, and inner-city tutoring are some of the projects supervised by the vice-president of religious activities. The social activities vice-president is concerned with such things as Leap Week, record hops, the Homecoming dance, and campus movies.
MIKE WATKINS LEADS "SPIRIT OF '67"

"I am convinced that the majority of the students here are enthusiastically interested in seeing improvements made at ICC," replied junior Mike Watkins, when asked why he is running for Central Council president. "After serving as vice-president for the past year, I am even more determined that new ideas and goals can be attained with a little cooperation and work," he continued.

Mike and his running partners, sophomore John Beebe for vice-president and sophomore Sarah Hiatt for secretary, constitute the slate of candidates for the "Spirit of '67" Party.

Having earned a letter on the ICC wrestling team, Mike is a member of both the C-Association and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Mike served his class as president during their freshman year, and he is also a member of the Student Education Association. At ICC, Mike is majoring in physical education and minoring in business education. He is a graduate of Greenfield High School.

"I also feel that the president of the Central Council should be more of a representative of the student body," Mike added. "Admittedly, one person cannot possibly attend every event on campus throughout the year, but the president can be in closer contact with the students themselves."

A graduate of Warsaw Community High School, John Beebe is majoring in business administration with a minor in economics. John has experience in Council activities by being the sophomore class representative this year and serving on the Council's constitutional revision committee. He supports the athletic program well, participating on both the basketball and track teams, and John was vice-president of the freshman class last year.

"I am seeking this office because I want to help our college with its problems," John explained. "I have taken an interest in the Council and want to become a part of it. I chose to run with the members of the Spirit of '67 Party after a long consideration of their characters, purposes, and ambitions. I feel that our party working together with the students and faculty can serve the Council very adequately in furthering its purpose — mainly to give the student a voice in his college."

An English major from Lawrence Central High School, Sarah Hiatt has also served this year as the sophomore class representative to Central Council.

Sarah takes an active part in the journalism program at ICC, being an editor on the Reflector staff, a member of the Tusitala staff, and a member of Alpha Phi Gamma, the journalistic fraternity on campus. She is also a member of Theacalians Literary Society, English Club, and Student Education Association.

THE SPIRIT OF '67 PLATFORM

Public Relations
- Sign on Interstate 465 — INDIANA CENTRAL EXIT
- Better signs along Hanna Avenue
- Better publicity for student activities
  a. Indianapolis Papers
  b. Indianapolis Radio and T.V.
- Athletic Contest Sign

Social Activities — bigger budget — almost twice
- More dances
  a. Live Bands
  b. Record Hop
- Mixers with other schools
  a. Marian College
  b. Franklin College
- Informal Hootenanny
- More and better movies
- A Really True Homecoming
  a. Weeklong Activities
    (1). Dance
    (2). Live Entertainment
    (3). Better Decorations

Religious Activities
- Council backed plan for "adopting" inner-city child
  a. Special events planned during year

Student Concern
- 10 minutes between classes
- Meal ticket for commuters
  a. Buy so many coupons — free meals
- Ride Board
  a. Week-end rides home with fellow students
- "Gripe" Box
  a. Turn in complaints or suggestions to Council
- Proposed public banquet for honored academic achievement
  a. Dean's List Students
  b. Public invited
  c. Publicity involved

THE SPIRIT OF '67

HAVE A VOICE IN YOUR SCHOOL

VOTE!
FULCRUM PARTY HEADED BY DON BARE

"Our platform is one which will meet the expressed needs of the student body," explained junior Don Bare, presidential candidate for Central Council of the Fulcrum Party. "If elected," he continued, "we shall use it as Webster defines 'fulcrum': that which facilitates action."

Don's running partners in the Fulcrum Party are junior John Kesterson, candidate for vice-president and treasurer, and sophomore Lynn Parks, candidate for secretary.

A psychology major from Casey, Illinois, Don Bare has been active in college activities during his three years at ICC. He is presently vice-president in charge of social activities, and last year Don served as president of the sophomore class. Don is a letterman on the Greyhound football team, and he is also a member of the C-Association and Interclub.

"For the past two summers Don has travelled throughout Illinois and Indiana representing Indiana Central. He has also participated in college dramatics and has worked on Central's radio station, WICR."

"The Fulcrum wishes to serve the student body in many ways, and we hope that examination of our platform will show this," Don commented. "Realizing my shortcomings, I shall strive toward a progressive year for the student body."

John Kesterson, a graduate of Franklin Central High School, is president of the junior class this year. He is majoring in psychology. When not busy in school activities, John works as co-director of Mathew F. Smith Community Center and as director of a teenage program in the inner-city area.

John expressed his feeling concerning the coming election in this way: "Election implies opponents, and opponents imply competition, and the dynamics of competition are complex indeed. It is often easy to vent old hostilities in a campaign such as this, and we soon begin to believe even the half-truths we hear about our opponents. Let us remember through our campaign that we are classmates, not hated enemies, who are offering our services, as leaders, to the student body, and that we are all working for one end (the improvement of ICC) and not our own individual gains (victory in this campaign)."

Fulcrum Party's candidate for secretary is Lynn Parks, a graduate of Speedway High School. Lynn is a business major and is treasurer of the Business Club.

Lynn is also program director for Drama Call on WICR, a member of Philalethea Literary Society and German Club, and an associate member of Alpha Psi Omega.

THE FULCRUM PARTY PLATFORM

If elected to serve you, the Fulcrum party intends to promote these following points as outlined in your copy of the official platform:

1. Adequate safety devices to be installed on Hanna Avenue.

2. Uniformity and posting of all individual dormitory rules.

3. Bulletin boards for the offices of all professors.

4. Stronger student-alumni relations.

5. Improved parking facilities.

6. Student referendums on all important Council and Campus issues.

7. Synerization of all clocks on Campus.


9. Promotion of educational and informative Campus seminars.

10. Recommendation of a more student-oriented Artist Series.

11. More adequate coverage of events and publicity of all Campus events.

12. Student discount programs with local merchants.

13. More areas of study to be opened on the weekends.


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THE FULCRUM PARTY
Religious Vice-president Candidates Named

Three Indiana Central students have been nominated as candidates for the office of vice-president in charge of religious activities. These students are junior Dick Boyce, sophomore Linda Brown, and junior Nancy Burcham.

A graduate of Van Buren High School near Brazil, Indiana, Dick Boyce has been active in numerous campus projects and organizations during his three years at ICC. This fall he was co-chairman of the Religious Emphasis Week. Dick is a sociology major and an English and philosophy minor.

“For some reason we, the students of Indiana Central, seem to regard Christianity as living only in the walls of beautiful churches,” Dick commented. “I would appreciate the opportunity to represent the student body and to express their desires concerning what Christianity is and possibly what it should be.”

Linda Brown, majoring at ICC in sociology and psychology, is a graduate of Twin Lakes High School in Monticello, Indiana. Linda has been active in the Phi Alpha Literary Society and IAY, and is serving as chairman of the Tutoring Program at Mayer Chapel.

“I believe religious activities on our campus are an essential factor not only in personal growth, but also in community awareness of ICC through the service projects of the Religious Activities Committee,” Linda explained. “I would like to see these committees become even more effective and integrated into daily life.”

An elementary education major, Nancy Burcham graduated from Browns- town Central High School and transferred to Indiana Central from Indiana University this year. Since coming to ICC, Nancy has served as chairman of the Mental Health Committee and has also worked in the Inner-city and Fletcher House projects. She is also a news-writer for the Reflector and a member of the Phi Alpha Literary Society and Student Education Association.

“Tt would like to be vice-president of religious activities because I gain a deep sense of satisfaction and enjoyment by participating in such worthwhile service,” Nancy said. “I propose to continue with the programs already established, to develop more fully the new programs, and to encourage more student involvement in religious activities,” she added.

Centralites Run for Social Vice-president

Sophomore Harold Brown and juniors Dee Ann Stohler and Dennis Wolf are this year's candidates for the office of vice-president in charge of social activities.

Harold Brown graduated from Tech High School in Indianapolis and is a Humanities major. While a student at Central, he has been active in Alpha Phi Omega, Alpha Psi Omega, and Circle-K and has worked on WICR-FM.

“I can see progress that ICC has made and feel I can help,” Harold explained. “I wish to become a catalyst; an effective cog in the wheel of progress for ICC. The key to this is efficient and effective programming that can be wrought this year for next year.”

Working toward an area major in social studies, Dee Ann Stohler came to Indiana Central from Markleville, Indiana. Dee Ann has worked this year as co-chairman of the movies committee as a part of social activities, and she is currently the president of Krannert Hall. She is also recorder for the student court and a member of Interclub and Student Education Association.

“I am running for social activities vice-president in the hope that we can create many new and improved social affairs on the Central campus this coming year,” Dee Ann commented. “Central has the potential to have a much more active social life, if people would just realize this and show more cooperation and concern by serving on committees, by showing general enthusiasm, and by attending these social events.”

A graduate of Jefferson Township High School in Dayton, Ohio, Dennis Wolf is a social studies major and German minor. At ICC, Dennis has played on the football team, is active in Co-Association, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and German Club, and is a member of the staff of WICR-FM.

Dennis explained, “We are fortunate here to have a unit of central authority through which we can plan things such as religious and social activities. I would like to serve as vice-president of social activities to give the leadership I could to make this campus socially better for all involved with it.”