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'DISCO' DANCE

A Disco will be held in the Main Hall of the MacFadzean Laboratory on FRIDAY 1st NOVEMBER from 8 pm until midnight.

Tickets cost 30p for a single and 50 p for a double (Buffet inclusive), they are available from S. Castle (283) and Mrs. E. King (233).

WINE TASTING

The WINE TASTING this year will be held on the 22nd November at 7.30 pm (Friday). There will be the usual Cheese Buffet and about 18 different wines to taste.

The price of the tickets is 70p and are available from D. Goff, S. Castle, Mrs. E. King and D. Groombridge.

"Snooker '74" Tournament

There were 19 entries for the Snooker Tournament, necessitating 13 byes into the second round, to reduce the field to 16.

First round matches are D. Green v. C. Carroll, J.A. Gobetti v. J. Heggie, and T. Alleyne v. J. Keelan.

Matches between players with byes into the second round are L. Panasuik v. G.R. Stainthorpe, M.J. Squelch v. J. Blissett, K.R.M. Elder v. S.M.A. Hussain, S.M. Castle v. V. Semmens, G.F. Holder v. J. Watson, and P. Mercer v. D. Groombridge. Odd man out is T. Cozens,

who will have to await the result of the T. Allegne/J. Keelan match. Full details and rules are being posted on the notice board. Please note that the first-named in each pair is the "challenger" and is responsible for arranging the match within the time limit set. Please try to play off your matches by the due dates, or Snooker '74 will become Snooker '75.

HON. GEN. SEC.

Clive Robeson has now left the Company making it necessary for a new General Secretary of the Social Club to be found. We are pleased to announce that, with only a small amount of arm twisting, John Heggie has volunteered to take over the post. Any enquiries concerning the Club should now be addressed to John, who can be reached on Ext. 328.

FILM SOCIETY

Our next presentation on Wednesday 6th November at 6.30 p.m. is GETTING STRAIGHT.

This film, directed and produced by Richard Rush, is set against a background of the American University campus riots of the late '60s. It tells the story of a student teacher, brilliantly portrayed by Elliott Gould, who returns to his former university to do a post-graduate degree. In the past he had always been at the forefront of the student protesters but now, being a bit older and wiser, he tries to ignore the increasing unrest on the campus of which his girl-friend Jan (Candice Bergen) is a ringleader. Their differing views on the subject lead to endless rows and they eventually agree to part company. If you feel that a film about student riots is not your cup of tea, don't be put off but come and see how Harry and Jan succeed in "getting straight". It really is a very funny, at times very moving, and always very entertaining film.

The programme also includes the delightful Italian animated film LA LINEA - a line comes to life - and one of the best motor-racing films ever made, TRIBUTE TO FANGIO. This film, made by BP in 1958 to mark the retirement of the five times World Champion, looks back over his career as a racing driver, after which he takes you in his Maserati for five hectic laps of the Modena Autodrome which are guaranteed to leave you breathless.

In our opening show and Soiree on October 2nd we had a meagre audience of only 35 people. Those that came enjoyed themselves, but the Film Section cannot exist for long with such small audiences. A lot of work goes into putting on these films, so give us your support and give yourselves an enjoyable evening out.

Photographic Section

The section secretary is now Dave Chapman of Physics, 287 (not that other hero from metallurgy). The equipment is still available for hire at a nominal charge a substantial deposit. Dave and Richard Grigsby handle this between them. The latest acquisition is a Sunpac duto 33 computer flashgun.