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Elections to be Held Tomorrow

Council Seats Up for Grabs

By Lisa Roman

Two seats on Polity's eight member council will be voted on tomorrow.

Up for grabs are freshman representative and Polity Treasurer. Vying for freshman representative are Joy Ann Sopio, Belina Anderson and Wis Ramos. Running unopposed and for a second term is Polity Treasurer Chris Fairhall.

Undergraduates may vote from 10 AM to 10 PM in the following locations: Commuters, either the Lecture Hall, Stony Brook Union or South P-Lot; Stage XII and Kelly residents, in Kelly Quad cafeteria; Stage XVI residents near the quad office; and residents of Tabler, Roth G and H quads, in the respective building offices.

Also, a senator will be elected in each building to serve as the building's residents' voice in Polity.

According to Election Board Co-chairman, Jim Burton, a freshman representative sits on the council and is a voting member of Polity "It is traditional for the representative to become involved in the FSA (Faculty Student Association) and the meal plan," said Burton. The position of freshman representative was described by Polity President Jim Fucchio.

Joy Ann Sopio, one of the candidates for freshman representative, said she is very concerned with working out the problems of freshmen - one of which is changing the 13 week semester back to the original 15 week terms. "Freshmen need more time to adjust themselves. The shorter semester hinders people's ability to become active in more extra-curricular activities and leaves less time for research," Sopio said. She added that she currently works under Union Class Representative Ellen Brounstein, on a course evaluation committee. "I am also working with the Polity Committee to get cable television in the dorms," she said. She also noted Lackman's contract, which runs out in 1982 as a problem to look at as well as an evaluation of the food service mode.

Freshman candidate Belina Anderson said she is eager to learn how to work with Polity and maintain a close contact with freshmen and their ideas. Anderson said she feels that a main problem is "there is no sense of unity in the freshman class." She said she is concerned with "alleviating the pressures of tripling and shortening its duration."



Running unopposed for re-election as Polity treasurer is Chris Fairhall. Statesman/Roberta Guzzone



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Running for freshman representative are Belina Anderson (above), Luis Ramos (right, above) and Joy Ann Sopio (right, below).

Another of Anderson's ideas is to put up suggestion boxes in buildings and a bulletin board to inform residents what happens at Polity meetings. She said she would also like to poll students on issues in order to voice their needs.

Luis Ramos, the third candidate for freshman representative, said he is concerned with the plans for his class "because the freshman class is definitely the largest in the community." His major proposals include items such as
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Sports Funding To be Voted On

By Roberta Guzzone

An increase in the allocation of student funds to the 17 intercollegiate sports teams is being considered in two referenda to the Polity Election ballot tomorrow. An increase in the student activity fee of \$3.40 per semester per student is being requested in a referendum authored by Polity Treasurer Chris Fairhall. The referendum, if passed, will raise the amounts of money allocated to the athletics program to \$10 per year from each student activity fee. The second referendum would stabilize this amount over the next three years, providing \$250,000 to the athletics program.

Men's Athletic Director, John Ramsey said that with this stabilized funding base the athletics programs could be upgraded to include entrance for some teams into Division III competition, more scheduled games, better equipment and adequate transportation. Ramsey said he feels that a better sports program would benefit all students at Stony Brook. "Outstanding academics and outstanding athletics are compatible," he added.

The athletic department received \$58,000 from Polity this year, a \$10,000 cut from last year. This cutback, coupled with inflation has hindered the growth of intercollegiate athletics at the University, Ramsey said, as well as the ability of existing intercollegiate teams to compete with teams from other schools. Student funding currently provides about one-fourth of the support of the athletics programs. According to Ramsey, this funding is crucial to the programs. "It pays for all the expenses involved in intercollegiate competition, such as uniforms, supplies, insurance, entry fees, administrative dues and

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NYPIRG Renewal To be Referendum

In a referendum included on the Polity Election Ballot tomorrow, the New York Public Interest Research Group (NYPIRG) will ask students to continue to allocate funds to the organ-
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