

1984 WILD GAME BANQUET

by Gregg Engelken

March 24, 1984 was an evening filled with appreciation for those involved with forestry at Iowa State. It was time for celebration of another fine year which had passed. The setting for the celebration was the Scheman Education Building where the 1984 Wild Game Banquet was underway.

The banquet began at 6:45 p.m. with the blessing which was given by Deb Knichrehm. Next on the agenda, came the dinner which consisted of the usual Game Banquet delicacies such as deer, buffalo, duck, goose, pheasant, rabbit, raccoon, trout, and even beaver. These meat delights were all made possible through donations from Dora Schrodt, Marty Wimmer, Les Miller, Gregg Engelken, and Scott Webb. With the special touches added by the cooks, the entire meal was one which was fit for a king. After the meal, the banquet proceeded with the program.

The program began with an introduction and welcome by the new Associate Dean of the College of Agriculture, Dr. Kenneth L. Larsen. Dr. Larsen had recently joined the faculty at Iowa State, filling the position previously held by Dr. Louis M. Thompson. Dr. Larsen was introduced by Dr. Lee R. Kolmer, Dean of the College of Agriculture. Dr. Larsen then gave those present a synopsis of his background using a touch of humor here and there. Finally, Dr. Larsen was welcomed by Forestry Club President Jay Eason and was presented with a Forestry Club T-shirt.

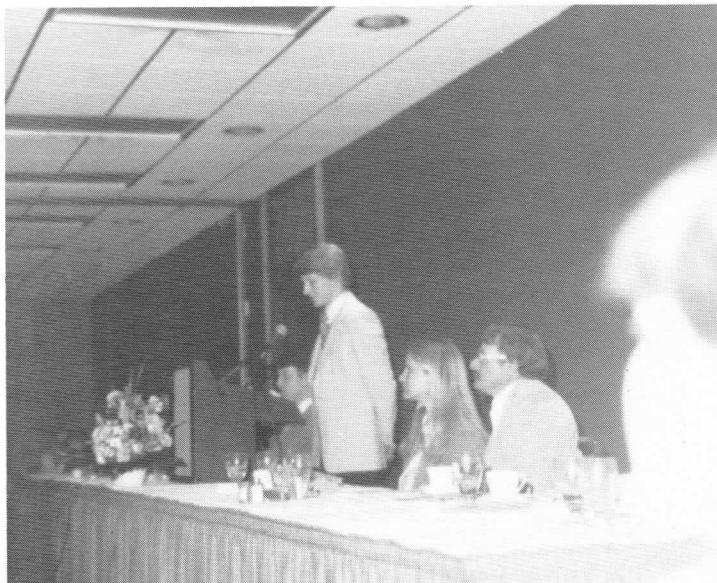
The evening then proceeded with the presentation of the academic awards. The first awards to be given were those



from the Forest Products Research Society. Receiving the Student Membership Award was Nancy Roys, and the Book Award was presented to Randy Clark. Next came the Society of American Foresters Award. This award was presented to two people this year. The recipients of the S.A.F. award were Theresa Callery and Maureen Connolly. The next awards of the evening came from the honorary fraternity, Xi Sigma Pi (XΣΠ). The first of these awards was the Keith A. Bauer Award. This award is presented in memory of Keith A. Bauer, an out-

standing student at ISU who received his undergraduate degree in Forest Management in November, 1964. Keith was accepted into Graduate College in December, 1964 and received a Graduate Research Assistantship on July 1, 1965. Unfortunately, Keith was killed at 25 years of age in an automobile accident on September 7, 1965. This award is given to someone who possesses the qualities that Keith A. Bauer expressed. This year's recipient of the Keith A. Bauer Award was Michelle Cram. Dr. Harold McNabb, National Forester for XΣΠ, presented the National XΣΠ Award next. This award is one of few presented in the U.S. and Iowa State was very proud to have Brian McGee receive this award.

A new award was given at this year's Game Banquet. It was the Faculty-Alumni Award and it was presented to Nancy Roys. Finally came the Iowa State Forestry Department's most prestigious award; The John Milton Cone Award. This award is given in honor of John Milton Cone, an outstanding student at Iowa State



Jay Eason, Forestry Club Pres., preparing to hand over his office

in Forestry from 1961-1965. John was inducted into the Army in September of 1968, after he received his Masters of Forestry Degree that Christmas from Berkeley. Unfortunately, John lost his life on November 17, 1969 near Tay Ninh, Viet Nam while serving his country as squad leader of the First Air Cavalry. This award is presented on behalf of John Milton Cone representing his fine qualities. This year's recipients were Eric Main and Linda Haefner Haugen.

The evening continued with the recognition of the four organizations in forestry. Those recognized were the Forestry Club, Forest Products Research Society, Society of American Foresters, and Xi Sigma Pi.

The banquet presentation was next on the agenda and this year it was given by Miriam Dunlap, Public Relations Director at Living History Farms in Des Moines. Her presentation topic was a wild animal safari which she partook of in Africa. All those present enjoyed the slide presentation which was given. It was very interesting and gave everyone a view of some real "wild game."

The evening concluded with the presentation of the Most Beloved Teacher Award which was presented to Reinee Hildebrandt for her many humorous undertakings throughout the year. After this presentation, Gregg Engelken, 1984 Game Banquet Chairman, extended many thanks to those who helped make the evening a success. Finally, Scott Webb, Master of Ceremonies for the evening, closed and bid all a fine farewell.

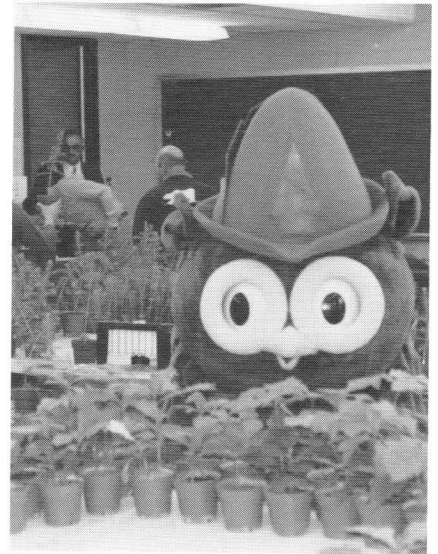
Another Game Banquet has passed but memories of what went on will never die. One can only look forward with anticipation of the 1985 Game Banquet.

VEISHEA

This year's Forestry Veishea Display is being supervised by W. Math Heinzl. the theme of this open house display is "Forestry: Growing in Excellence." The various subjects of the display are tied together using a tree theme: roots (history), stem (basics), and branches (areas of specialization and alternatives).

Veishea is also the time in which Smokey and Woodsy Owl make their traditional stop to the Forestry Department and greet the people on campus, inviting them to see the Forestry Displays.

The traditional tree seedling sale will take on a different look this year as the seedlings will be GIVEN away instead of sold. This was changed so that more people will be introduced to the Forestry Department.



People of all ages enjoyed the VEISHEA Display

