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Alumni Phonathon Fund Drive Starts

Volunteers are still needed. Call Ginni Burghardt at extension 2419.

Funding for academic scholarships and library support are the main objectives in this year's phonathon which begins Monday evening, April 18. Volunteers, recipients of a free dinner at 5:30 pm and motivated by prizes awarded the most successful callers each evening, will begin calling the east coast at 6:30 pm.

“We hope to top last year's drive and raise $25,000,” stated Ginni Burghardt, alumni director, “enough to fund 100 scholarships and further enhance library services. We still need volunteers for the phonathon which will run through Wednesday evening, April 27. We'll be on the job in Engbretson Hall Monday through Friday the week of the 18th. I urge anyone and everyone to help. We must have every phone covered each evening if we are to achieve our goal. On Friday the 22nd and Monday the 25th we've invited our regional legislators to visit the phonathon. We are hoping that many of them will accept this invitation.”

The phonathon, the climax of the Association's annual drive, follows two mailings sent to every graduate of the University. Burghardt reports that over $7,000 has already been donated. By the 18th she projects that this total will exceed $8,000. "This is very exciting for the Board. Last year, as we entered the phonathon, we had only $5,500 in hand. Every sign indicates that this drive will be, by far, the most successful in our history," Burghardt said.

Don Hansen, current board president, points to other services provided by the Association. “Upcoming events,” he says, “such as the Stress Management Seminar, which is scheduled for April 30 and the Financial Planning Seminar, which will be held Saturday, May 14, are examples of the kind of programming the Association provides. Both of these events, incidentally, are open to the general public. I encourage GSUers who are interested to call Ginni for more information.”

Special Notice

State representative Michael Tate of Decatur, at a press conference Tuesday, April 12, announced withdrawal of the bill calling for the closing of Governors State University.

The bill, which Tate introduced in March, also would have closed the law schools at Northern and Southern Illinois universities.

Alumni Association Financial Planning Seminar

The GSU Alumni Association will present a seminar, “Financial Planning in Today's Economy” on Saturday, May 14 from 9:30 am to 12 noon in Engbretson Hall.

Scheduled speaker is Paul McCarren, a certified financial planner and registered investment advisor. McCarren specializes in the art of unbiased financial planning with an emphasis on tax, insurance, investment, retirement, and estate planning.

Topics to be discussed at the seminar include an overview of individual and/or family financial planning; coping with inflation; tax-favored financial instruments, estate building ideas, and the roles of professionals in financial planning. There will also be question and answer sessions.

The seminar is open to GSU students and Alumni Association members for $2.00; non-association member alumni and general public, $5.00. The fee is tax deductible. For further information, contact the Alumni Office at extension 2419.
GSU String Quartet Presents Annual President's Concert

For the fourth consecutive year, the GSU String Quartet will present the President’s Concert on Wednesday, April 27, to raise funds for the Community College Scholarship Fund.

William Schoen, assistant principle violist with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, will be guest artist at the 8 pm concert in Music Recital Hall. He will join violinists Raya Kodesh-Beatty and Elmer Rosen, violist Robert Shamo and cellist Alan Rostoker to play Mozart's "String Quartet in C Major."

The program will open with "Quartet in One Movement," No. 12, in C minor, by Franz Schubert, followed by "String Quartet No. 6," by Dimitri Shostakovich.

The President's Concert is the only time during the year when an admission is charged to hear the String Quartet play on campus. Proceeds from the $50 a ticket affair provide full scholarships for academically superior graduates of community colleges located within the University’s region. Since its beginning in May, 1980, this special series of programs has raised some $30,000 and benefitted 25 students.

Each year, a special guest artist appears with the String Quartet for the President's Concert. This year's guest, William Schoen, has been a member of the CSO since 1964. Previously, he had been principle violist of the Philadelphia Orchestra under Eugene Ormandy, with which he also appeared as soloist. Earlier, he served with the Rochester Philharmonic under Jose Iturbi and the All-American Youth Orchestra under Leopold Stokowski.

Schoen currently is a member of the Chicago Arts Quartet. He also has been violist with the Guilet Quartet, Claremont String Quartet and Berkshire Quartet.

All guest artists have donated their talent at little or no fee to help the Community College Scholarship Fund.

Anyone wishing to contribute to the fund and hear this special concert should call the GSU Foundation at (312) 534-5368, or for GSU staffers, 2122.

The Governors State University String Quartet. Members are Raya Kodesh-Beatty (seated), first violin; (standing left to right) Elmer Rosen, second violin; Robert Shamo, viola; and Alan Rostoker, cello.
GSU-Community Chorale Sings “Hymn of Praise”

More than 40 singers from the southern suburbs will join voices to sing "The Hymn of Praise," by Felix Mendelssohn, when the GSU Community Chorale presents its annual spring concert in Music Recital Hall on Sunday, April 24, at 4 pm. Admission is free.

Marilyn Bourgeois, CAS professor of piano and chorale accompanist, will open the program with Mendelssohn’s “Rondo Capriccioso.” The chorale, under the direction of Rudolf Strukoff, CAS professor of voice, will sing the ten-part cantata assisted by six of its members as soloists. They are sopranos Judith Napoli, Chicago Heights; Elizabeth O’Malley, Steger; Annabeth Packard, Homewood; Madelon Starke, Olympia Fields; and tenors Richard Griffin, Crete, and Henry Hunt, Richton Park.

“Hymn of Praise,” which will be sung in English, was composed in 1840 for the Leipzig celebrations of the 400th anniversary of the invention of printing. It is the final movement of Mendelssohn’s Symphony No. 2 in B-flat, Op. 52, just as “Ode to Joy” was the final movement of Beethoven’s Ninth Symphony 16 years earlier.

In addition to the soloists, members of the chorale include: Bourbonnais — Ann Gerritsen; Burbank — George De Loria; Burnham — Jeanette Lipinski; Chicago Heights — Peter Jones, Francine Kocourek, John Prendergast, Paul Volkman; Crete — Valerie Schultz, Colleen Shanahan, Marylynn Wessel; Flossmoor — Barbara DeBolt; Hazel Crest — John Rothenberger; Homewood — Dan Bodnaruk, Sharon Rosengard; Matteson — Roger Pampel; Oak Forest — Betty Kott, Frank McCauley; Olympia Fields — Andrea Brietzke; Park Forest — Nina Chilcoat, Sabra Johnson, Don Johnston, Kay Klang, Ray Klang, Philip Krapp, Marietta Lazzo, Betty McGee, Dan Molloy, Harriet Molloy, Sue Peterson; Park Forest South — Patricia Jones, Linda Stanislawski, Donna Strukoff; Peotone — Dottie Legge, Jeanne Legge; Worth — John Mazelkis. Parking is free for this event.

GSU Conducts Survey of Small Business in Region

The College of Business and Public Administration at GSU is conducting a mail survey of smaller businesses throughout the southern suburbs in an effort to determine how to better serve their interests.

Robert Milam, dean of the college, believes that the survey will yield information which will be of exceptional value to GSU in planning a variety of programs and seminars tailored specifically to the needs of the smaller firms in the area.

Initially, about 400 firms will be asked to describe their operations and their needs or desires for training in a wide variety of business practices and disciplines. By the end of April, the mailing will be expanded to nearly 5,000 businesses serving the region.

In those areas of greatest concern, CBPA will attempt to develop courses, workshops, seminars and other training experiences. Business people who complete and return the survey to GSU will be sent the results if they so request.

GSU, Indiana U Cosponsor Nature Course at Dunes

Teachers and nature lovers in Northeastern Illinois and Northwestern Indiana will have an opportunity to learn all about Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore Park and earn college credit at the same time this summer.

GSU and Indiana University — Northwest are cosponsoring an eight-week course on “Nature Interpretation: Principles and Practices,” which will feature field studies at the popular nature area on Lake Michigan. The class will meet on Saturdays from June 18 through August 13.

One aim of the summer program is to train teachers so they can bring their own students to the park or become volunteer park rangers to assist the regular staff.

Illinois residents may take the course for 3 hours of undergraduate or graduate credit from GSU. They can register on campus in Park Forest South on April 28 or May 2-11. For further registration and fee information, call Joyce Newman at extension 2121.

GSU Play, “Step On A Crack” Opens April 23

“Step On A Crack,” a two-act play by Susan Zeder, will be performed in GSU Theatre at three 2:00 pm matinees on April 23, 24, 30, and an evening performance on April 29 at 8 pm.

Described by Director Temmie Gilbert, CAS professor of creative dramatics, as family entertainment, the story revolves around a young girl’s difficulty in adjusting to a new stepmother. “It shows us a funny, crazy, wildly imaginative child who arms herself with her fantasies to deal with her real life problems. It is as classic as Cinderella and as timely as tomorrow,” she explains.

General admission is $3.00 for adults and $1.00 for children under 12. Group rates for parties of 20 or more are available. GSU faculty and staff, members of the GSU Alumni Association and senior citizens will be admitted for $2.00. Admission is free for GSU students with valid ID cards.
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GSUings...

Audrey Witzman (HLD), presenting a paper, "Quality Programs Begin with Quality Staff: Selection, Retention and Inservice," at the annual conference of the Chicago Association for the Education of Young Children, at the Palmer House, Chicago. Also, March 21, speaking on "Learning and the Whole Child," to nursery school parents and guests at Temple Anshe Sholem, Olympia Fields.

Arthur P. Bourgeois (CAS), speaking to members of the Primitive Art Society of Chicago, April 11 on "Reliquary Cults of Gabon and Beyond," at the Field Museum of Natural History.

Harriet Gross (CAS), and Helen Hughes (HLD), being honored by the South Suburban Chapter of NOW with Susan B. Anthony awards. Gross was cited for her service to women through the Women's Resource Center and her scholarly contributions, Hughes for her work as editor and founder of the quarterly journal, The Creative Woman.

Margaret Morton (BPA), participating as a program speaker at the annual convention of the National Business Education Association, April 7. Her topic: "Program Implications from Office Systems Research.

Anthony Wei (CAS), lecturing March 27 at Trinity Lutheran Church on "Literary Structure and Hermeneutics: A Model in John 18-19."


Best Wishes

To Bethe Hagens (CAS), who was married recently to William Becker, a faculty member at University of Illinois - Chicago School of Art and Design.

Sympathies

To Mildred Laken, whose son died recently, and to Ardis Pribyl, on the death of her father, Truman Green, 79, who died Friday, April 8 after a long illness, in Crete, Illinois.

Faculty Governance Nominations

Today is the deadline for nominations to the Faculty Governance system. Elected positions open are: faculty senators, graduate studies councillors, program elimination reviewers, personnel committee persons and BOG councillor.

Appointed positions are available in educational policy, program review, curriculum planning, governance, sabbatical review, examinations, budget, physical resources and student conduct.

For further information, see Cary Dominak, Provost's Office, or a collegial representative.

Civil Service April Workshops

The Personnel Office in conjunction with the Civil Service Affairs Committee, Physical Plant Operations and the Department of Public Safety is offering the following in-service workshops for April.

Wednesday, April 20 - Physical Plant Operations 10 am - 12 noon F1105. Civil Service Procedural Workshop on work orders, vehicle requests and services.

Friday, April 29 — Department of Public Safety - CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Certification) 9 am - 12 noon F1200 - All GSU staff, faculty and students.

Registration flyers were distributed the week of April 11. Contact Dorothy Sherman (Personnel) at extension 2194 for further information.

Spring/Summer Library Reserve

The University Library is preparing for Spring/Summer Trimester reserve requests. To place materials on Reserve, make requests as early as possible. As usual, such requests are processed on a first come basis.

Forms are available in the Library at the Circulation Desk. For further information, call extension 2327.
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