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DR. HAYES I PRESUME...The University Assembly, meeting in special session last Wednesday, recommended as a committee of the whole, then as the Assembly proper, that the award winning composer-singer-arranger Isaac Hayes be given GSU's first honorary doctorate, a Doctor of Cultural Arts, at GSU's first commencement. The recommendation will be taken to the Board of Governors meeting Thursday in Springfield. If it passes the BOG, Hayes would receive the degree in person at the Commencement now set for June 25.

Support for the Assembly resolution noted in part that "Isaac Hayes has been an inspiration to low income and minority youth...has set up a foundation to promote the development of low income and minority youth with unusual talents...has won international acclaim and he serves as a symbol of what can be achieved under the pressures and difficulties which are common to many students of Governors State University."

"GOVERNORS STATE UNIVERSITY PRESENTS ISAAC HAYS"...May 27 will be Isaac Hayes Day with a benefit performance by Hayes for the GSU Scholarship Fund slated for the International Amphitheatre at 8 p.m. Hayes will be recognized by the University for his past achievements in the field of music which this year have resulted in a harvest of awards for the 30 year old artist. Among the awards is the coveted Oscar as well as a Grammy for the theme for the movie "Shaft." The album "Shaft" has sold over 18 million making it the biggest seller in history.

ROMNEY TO VISIT GSU WEDNESDAY...HUD Secretary George Romney will make a brief stop at GSU sometime between 9:30 and 10:00 a.m. Wednesday. Romney will be touring Park Forest South which to date has the largest grant (\$30 million) under HUD's new communities program. Hope the IC's on time...that's how Romney will be arriving from Chicago.

"ETHNIC SOUL '72" GSU DEBUT THURSDAY...The USO tour show now being prepared by CCS will make its GSU debut in the Commons at 8:00 p.m. Thursday night May 11. The 75 minute show has 11 scenes with everything from "Fiddler on the Roof" and "Hair" to blues and country and western. Al Sherman staged and directed the show which has a cast and crew of 15.

GSU OPEN HOUSE ON MOTHERS DAY...Relatives and friends of students and staff, and the general public are invited to an informal open house on Mothers Day, May 14, between 3 and 5 p.m. Units have been asked to have a professional staff member available to chat with visitors. John Canning is acting as coordinator for the open house...our jaundiced friends from Safety Services suggest that portable equipment be placed in secure locations...even on Mothers Day.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: Will the person or persons digging those chuck holes on Stuenkel Road please fill them up for Mothers Day?

FROM LAST WEEK: Those new thing-a-majigs appearing in offices over the Spring break are bulletin board strips. Besides very small messages, you can also hang papers of various sizes.

GSU ARRIVALS...Belated greetings to those arriving since January 10 to: Grace Clarke (Secretary EAS) Louise Alexander (Clerk LRC) Reginald J. Bishop (Data Analyst MIS) Phyllis Boege (Secretary Personnel) Judy M. Brookshaw (Bookstore Clerk Bus. Off.) Creamoulia Brown (Clerk Personnel) Robert E. Colley (Data Analyst MIS) Michael R. Hale (Copy Control Bus. Off.) Dan J. Newell (FA Advisor) Susan K. Roberts (Asst. Catalog Lib. LRC) Lydia Rosales (Secretary CCS) Angie V. Thomas (Library Clerk LRC) Kenneth P. Werner (Secretary Bus. Off.) Doris Williams (Clerk A & R) Joan T. Campbell (Asst. Personnel Director Bus. Off.) Hans M. Roman (A & R Officer A & R) Lois Zawada (Secretary LRC) Burton A. Collins Jr. (Professor BPS) Mary C. Taylor (Secretary A & R) Helen M. Lipke (Secretary BPS) Jeffery W. Bushong (Payroll Clerk Bus. Off.) Kitty Crowe (Secretary Student Services) Marion Kluger (Clerk LRC) Jerome F. Wartgow (Coordinator R & I) Betty M. Elliott (Secretary R & I) Kathy A. Barry (HLO) Glen H. Claus (Storekeeper EAS) Archie Calzada (Secretary HLD) Victoria M. Washington (Secretary EAS)..

BLOOD REMINDOER...Those who want to participate in the National Blood Replacement Plan should make an appointment for May 16 between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Call Health Services at 247.

FORD FOUNDATION WINNERS...Five winners of Ford Foundation scholarships are enrolled at GSU: Penny Banks, Malcolm X; Lois Porter, Central Y; Lorraine Etta Simpson, Prairie State; Sam DeBose, Thornton; Patrick Winfrey, Joliet Junior...Ford Foundation awarded the scholarships to junior college graduates, based on academic excellence, financial need, and references from counselors.

VIDEOMEET...The wide world of videotape land will be on display during a three day video festival at the University of Illinois, Chicago Circle, Arts and Architecture Building Rm. 1400, May 17-19. May 17 at 2:00 p.m. local tapes from video freaks (this isn't broadcast/Bonanza land TV), May 18 at 2:00 p.m. tapes from across the country with a cable television workshop at night and May 19 at 8:00 p.m. a general meeting of video buffs and reshewing of the best tapes. Michael Shamburg of Raindance Corp. in New York will lead a workshop in the use of video equipment. More info from Anda Korsts, 528-6555.

THE REPAIR ROAD...Repairs on another road may cause some inconveniences for GSU'ers. Governors Highway (U.S. 54) will be repaired, widened and repaved on a 15.3 mile stretch from U.S. 30 south to Kankakee County. Work will begin on May 8 and be completed by Labor Day. The Department of Transportation claims 90,000 tons of hot-mix asphalt will be required...in case anyone wants to count them.

THE FLIGHTS OF SPRING...Anyone interested in joining the new Thorn Creek Chapter of the National Audubon Society are invited to attend a bird walk and organizational meeting on Saturday, May 13, at the home of the Sidney Duke family, 35 Braeburn Drive, Park Forest. Bird Walks will be led through Thorn Creek Woods, with small groups setting out from 8:00 a.m. on. At 11:00 a.m., an informal meeting will take place at the Duke home.

The walk will take place at the height of the spring bird migration and wildflower season. If you're interested in the organization but unable to attend call Mrs. Duke at 748-6407 or Kit Struthers at 534-9249 for further information.

WATER MEDIA...St. Louis artist Manuel Hughes will demonstrate his approaches to use of water media Tuesday at 3:30 pm and Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. in CCS.

The National Endowment for the Arts in Washington, D.C., awarded a matching grant for the artists and lecturers in residence program at GSU.



REMEMBER THE
OPEN UNIVERSITY

EVENTS

MONDAY, MAY 8, 1972

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	MIS (Planning Building)
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	A & R Staff (Mini-conf.)
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Fiscal Resources Committee (Planning Building)
4:00 p.m.	ICC Staff Meeting (Preview Room)
7:30 p.m.	Jazz Band Rehearsal (Planning Building)
7:30 p.m.	Urban Associates (B40)

TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1972

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	Vice Presidents meet with President (Mini-conf.)
1:30 p.m.	LRC Staff Meeting
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.	Academic Wing (Mini-conf.)
3:30 p.m.	CCS Art Lecture Series
3:30 p.m.	CBPS Community Council
7:30 p.m.	European Choir Rehearsal (Planning Building)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10, 1972

8:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	CEAS Steering Committee (B02)
9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	HUD Secretary George Romney stops at GSU on tour of Park Forest South
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	MIS Advisory Group (Planning Building)
10:30 a.m.	CCS Art Lecture Series
4:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.	HLD Films: Dialogue on Vocational Development Theory "An Introduction to Behavioral Counseling" and "A Behavioral Counseling Seminar" (244)
7:30 p.m.	Jazz Band Rehearsal (Planning Building)
8:00 p.m.	Citizen Education (326)

THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1972

9:00 a.m.	Board of Governors - Springfield
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	CEAS Faculty Meeting (B30)
10:00 a.m.	Human Services Resource Center Staff (Ch. Hgts.)
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	A & R Staff Meeting (Mini-conf.)
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	CBPS Staff Meeting (Mini-conf.)
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	Educational Policies and Programs Committee (Mini-conf.)
7:30 p.m.	Jazz Band Rehearsal (Planning Building)
8:00 p.m.	GSU Women (30B)
8:00 p.m.	AETA-USO Overseas Production, "Ethnic Soul '72" (Commons)

FRIDAY, MAY 12, 1972

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.	President's Advisory Council (Mini-conf.)
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Urban Teachers Education Work Group (B40)
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon	HLD Faculty Meeting (HLD Conference Room)
12:00 noon - 1:15 p.m.	Executive Committee (Mini-conf.)
1:00 p.m.	HLD Steering Committee (B02)
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	R & I Faculty Coordinating Committee (Mini-conf.)
7:30 p.m.	For Women Who Are The Rapid Transit Theatre Group, Films, Coffeehouse

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SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1972

10:30 a.m. Popular Chorus Rehearsal (Planning Building)
9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. For Women Who Are
Registration, programs, workshops

SUNDAY, MAY 14, 1972

3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. GSU Open House

TUESDAY, MAY 16

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Blood Mobile
(Cooperative Blood Replacement Plan) (304)
8 p.m. CCS Community Council Lecture Series (302)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

GSU hosts Council of Directors of State University
Libraries in Illinois (CODSULI) at Holiday Inn,
Crete. GSU Tour - 2 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

HLD Films (244)

SATURDAY, MAY 27

Isaac Hayes Day - GSU Benefit Performance at
International Amphitheatre (Chicago) - 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7

HLD Films (244)

TUESDAY, JUNE 20

CCS Community Council Lecture Series (302)

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21

HLD Films (244)

SUNDAY, JUNE 25

Commencement

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