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SEPTEMBER BOARD OF GOVERNORS MEETING...at Eastern Illinois University in Charleston, approved GSU Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 1975 at \$11.5 million, and a total BOG budget of \$87.16 mil. The total budget is \$6.3 million more than the BOG request of last year and about \$12.6 million more than was actually appropriated for the current fiscal year after reduction vetoes. (The budget process has a long way to go...through the Board of Higher Education...then the legislature...then the Governor...with many board, university and other staff deliberations in between)...also approved -- a GSU capital budget of \$9.23 million for Phase II which would build about 200,000 square feet or about half of what was originally projected for Phase II. (GSU overall building program was conceived as the 400,000 square feet now under construction for Phase I, an additional 400,000 square feet in Phase II and Phase III for a total of 1.2 million square feet to accomodate the 10,000-13,000 students the BOG approved as GSU's leveling off point, initially projected to be reached by 1977-78. However, although GSU is approximately on its initial enrollment projections with the S/O 73 Session, Phase II planning money appropriated by the legislature twice has yet to be released by the Governor. GSU's primary feeders are the more than 75,000 community college students within an hour's drive of our campus)...also approved by the BOG is the current fiscal year internal operating budget generated after the Governors Amendatory veto reductions at the \$7.8 million level (up 12.8% from the previous year).

...In other BOG business, the Board accepted the resignation of Dr. Milton Byrd as Pres. of Chicago State University. He has served as the chief executive of CSU for seven years ...Dr. James Mullen, new Pres. of Northeastern attended his first BOG meeting as did new Board members Ms. Felicitas Berlanga of Chicago (a junior majoring in political science at Illinois State at Normal), Ms. Norma Relph of Peru, Ill., and Dr. Lawrence Hansen of Springfield, special assistant to the Superintendent of Public Instruction...the Board also denied a request from three faculty organizations to hold a collective bargaining election at Western Illinois with BOG Executive Officer Ben Morton recommending that any future consideration be based on the total BOG system as the minimal bargaining unit.

BOX SCORE: 10 DAY S/O 73 ENROLLMENT STATS:

Total students:	2326	
Full Time Equivalent (FTE)	1760	
Graduate Students	1126	49%
Undergraduates	1200	51%
Graduate Students FTE	991	44%
Undergraduates FTE	769	56%
New Admissions	809	35%
Male	1252	53%
Female	1074	47%
Married	1496	64%
CHLD	762	33%
CBPS	746	32%
CEAS	393	16%
CCS	372	15%
BOG	53	2%

GSUings...JOHN HOCKETT(CEAS) invited by Ill. Supt. Michael Bakalis to serve as a member of the Inventory of Educational Progress Committee for Science Performance...CORA BURKS (FA) and MARILYN COMER (FA) attending annual conference of the Midwest Assoc. of Financial Aid Administrators in Omaha, Neb. (whose theme is "Financial Aids in the 70's: Evolution or Revolution,")..TINA STRETCH (CCS) attending the IV International Mexican Studies Conference at UCLA...ELMER WITT (CAMPUS MNSTRY) selected to chair national task force for the Lutheran Council/USA studying religious ministries and studies at Community Colleges ...ANTHONY JOHNSON (former CHLD student) lecturing in Communications Dept. at Lewis College, Lockport, Ill. (he received M.A. in Comm. Science)...LARRY SHAPIRO (former CBPS student) joining management training program of the Alsip Bank (he received his B.A. in Bus. Adm.)...MEL MUCHNIK (COMM) doing radio interview with BILL ENGBRETSON (PRES.) for world wide English language broadcast on Voice of America...PETE FENNER (CEAS) series editor for McGraw-Hill Concepts in Introductory Geology publishing new module titled "Crystallization of Magma," written by R. W. Berry of Calif. State Univ., San Diego and edited by Mark Christensen, Univ. of Calif., Berkeley.

THE ROAD TO GSU...Milton Pikarsky, Chairman of the Board, Chicago Transit Authority, will address students at Governors State University 7:30-10:20 p.m., Monday, Sept. 24. The presentation, in area 308, is part of the learning module, "Transportation Systems," by PAUL A. DILLON, Adm. Asst. (CAP Div.) of the State Dept. of Aeronautics and a CEAS Community Professor, with assistance by PETE FENNER.

A CREDIT TO HER/HIS CREDIT UNION...CREA BROWN (Cashier) enthusiastically reports the semi-sky rocketing of the infant GSU Credit Union going from assets of \$862 at the end of June to \$2,222 at the end of July, to \$5,109 at the end of August, to \$8,324 at mid-September. Membership is obtained by a \$5.25 check to the GSU Credit Union turned in to Cree at the Cashier's Office, or see MARY ANN KOUBA in the Business Office. Thus far, 124 of 350 staffers are crediting away.

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN ASKING...The ISP (Instructional Systems Paradigm) is currently being bound and will be distributed to faculty and administrative staff and Univ. Assembly members in alphabetical order by R & I.

TEACHING AT GSU: IS IT DIFFERENT?...Mark Wed., Oct. 3 in your calendar for a two-hr. panel with reps from all Colleges considering such questions as: What have been the experiences of faculty members in terms of what constitutes the best learning/teaching formats for GSU students?...What constitutes achieving a competency?...How much effort (class time, other time) should be expended by a student to obtain a unit of credit?... How do you cope with "college level" abilities in an open admissions university?

GENETIC ENGINEERING...will get a going over from the THEOLOGY FOR LUNCH bunch, Mon., Sept. 24. DON DOUGLAS (CEAS) has agreed to stimulate discussion. Meeting from 12-1 pm in the Mini-conference room with brown-bag. No theological/religious commitment required to join the discussion. Students, staff, faculty and community are invited.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL...was the decision of a U.S. Supreme Court on the controversial Federal provision denying Federal aid to any student convicted of crimes during campus disruption. The anti-riot provision was enacted in the Higher Education Amendments of 1968 as a reaction against the wave of campus disruptions that spring.

LOST CHILD SEARCH CONTINUES...for Catherine Davidson 6, who has been missing since she wandered away from her parents, GSU students ROBERT and ANNA DAVIDSON at Warren Dunes State Park in Michigan. The search was suspended during the week and resumed during the weekend. The disappearance is being pursued by the FBI following out-of-state leads as well as local authorities and volunteers. Volunteers were asked to call 536-1606.

QUESTION: Does the acceleration of CHLD have anything to do with the walls crashing around BPO personnel last week?



FASCIST, CHAUVINIST, OR EXISTENTIALIST?...That's a description of D.H. Lawrence by JUDITH ROSENBERG, who will offer a module to students for the N/D Session in CCS. The seminar hopes to answer such intriguing questions as...Did D. H. Lawrence's rejection of equality, democracy, and socialism make him a fascist? Did his poverty-stricken youth and extreme intellectualism make him an elitist snob? Was he joking when he wrote about enslaving and exterminating the masses of "human vermin" in society? Was Lawrence perhaps both fascist and racist? Or was Lawrence's real hang-up a need to dominate women? Could the feminists Simone de Beauvoir and R. Kate Millet be right when they call him a male chauvinist of the worst kind? Did he demand total submission from women? Does Lawrence's doctrine of phallic mystery really mean phallic mastery? Or could Lawrence's startling ideas be a form of early existential thought? Stay tuned in and find out none, some, or all of the answers.

THE GSU LECTURE HALL...that's the euphemism for the Commons where the topic of the Natl. Council of Teachers of English, Walker Gibson, Dir. of Rhetoric at the U. of Mass., Amherst, will speak on "Euphemism and Double-speak." Some of you early yawners may have seen Prof. Gibson on CBS-TV's Sunrise Semester. His lecture at GSU is sponsored by the NCTE Committee on Public Doublespeak in conjunction with CCS. The gala event is scheduled for Oct. 17 at 7:30 p.m.

NEW SHUTTLE SCHEDULE...to and from the IC is available from Student Services. The schedule attempts to meet the needs of many and the sometimes erratic arrival/departures of the IC. Note that not each train is met upon arrival, though the shuttle schedule has been arranged so that no one has to wait for an extended period of time at the station. Student Services would welcome any constructive suggestions to improve it's shuttle service.

MAKE LOVE NOT WAR...may be one interpretation of Aristophanes' "LYSISTRATA" slated for GSU production Nov. 9-11 with a cast of thousands.

CORRECTIONS LECTURE...Correction programs will be discussed by the only Black woman in the Ill. General Assembly. Free to the public, the address by PEGGY SMITH MARTIN of Chicago, Democratic State Rep from the 26th Dist., will be Wed., Oct. 3, at 7 p.m. Ms. Martin is the first Black woman ever to serve as temporary speaker of the House. She was elected State Rep. in 1972 after being defeated four times for the office. She has been a precinct captain, exec. V.P. for the re-election of the late Martin H. Kennelly as mayor of Chicago, and Chairman of the University and College Drive for Stevenson and Kefauver. She was previously a retail credit and collection manager.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT...and their left-behind utensils from the Pot Luck dinner, may be claimed in Student Services via FRANKIE BARNES. She also announces a trip to Starved Rock on Sept. 29-9am to 9 pm. Sign up in her office by 9/25.

THE BOSS AND GSU WOMEN...The theater and gourmet group of GSU Women will spend an evening at the Forum Theater, Sat., Oct. 27...dinner at 8:30, a performance of "Boss," at 10:30. Reservations and money turned in, by Sept. 28, please, to JOAN LAYZELL (748-4298) or BARBARA GALLAGHER (748-2725).

BETTER HOMES AND GARDENS?...Among non-professional magazines mentioning GSU is the Sept., 1973 issue of Better Homes and Gardens in an article titled "Is a Community College Right for Your Child?" GSU and Sangamon State, along with Florida Atlantic in Boca Raton, get a sentence or two as examples of solving the community college transfer problem.

MONEY...The State of Ill., Div. of Vocational and Technical Education, has just announced 16 Requests for Proposals for research in the areas of career, vocational, technical, occupational, cooperative, and adult education. Anyone interested in preparing a proposal for conducting research in these areas, see BOB KREBS (R & I) for details and deadlines.

MORE MONEY...EPDA, Part E will support grad. level fellowships for study in carefully developed and coordinated programs. Priorities this year are 1) Developing institutions 2) Programs to retrain teachers, administrators, etc., for 2-yr. colleges, 3) Programs to prepare women and minorities entering or re-entering grad. ed. for careers in higher education. See BOB KREBS (R & I).

NEW GAMBIT FOR RAISING MONEY...for GSU Scholarship Fund...pay toilets with meter on inside.

AN ABOUT TO BE FORMED BUSINESS CLUB FOR STUDENTS...is requesting monies from SSAC. The purpose of the club is to act as a conduit of social service between the commerce student and all GSU students and their community, in the form of presenting professional speakers as well as faculty members from other universities in the metropolitan Chicago area. First meeting: Tues., Oct. 2, 6 p.m.

EVENTS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Academic Affairs Staff (AA Area)
9:30 a.m. Chairpersons of Task Force 2 (Student Services)
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon Coop Ed Staff (830)
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon A & R Staff (Mini-conf.)
12:00 noon - 1:30 p.m. Theology for Lunch (Mini-conf.)
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Fiscal Resources Committee (Mini-conf.)
3:00 p.m. Task Force 1 (Mini-conf.)
7:30 p.m. - 10:20 p.m. CEAS Lecture, M. Pikarsky, Chrm. CTA (308)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Deadline for Reservations-Starved Rock Bus Trip
(Student Services)
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon President's Advisory Council (Mini-conf.)
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Governance Committee (840)
12:30 p.m. Financial Aids (Mini-conf.)
1:00 p.m. Seminar on Creativity/Creative Education (254)
1:00 p.m. Innovator Staff (N. Rotunda)
1:00 p.m. HSRC Staff (HSRC Area)
1:00 p.m. Film, "Titticut Follies," (Commons)
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Academic Wing (Mini-conf.)
2:00 p.m. LRC Staff (308)
3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Outpost Subcommittee (Mini-conf.)
6:30 p.m. GSU Women, Bowling (Paula Gunther, 534-0136)
8:00 p.m. GSU Women, Read 'n' Rap (Jean Curtis, 534-0325)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Dean's Meeting (Mini-conf.)
9:00 a.m. Student Service Staff (AA Area)
10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Educational Policies and Programs (Mini-conf.)
12:00 noon - 1:30 p.m. Seminar on Computer Programming (Mini-conf.)
12:00 noon Student Affairs Subcommittee (244)
2:30 p.m. Task Force 2 (Performing Arts Room)
8:00 p.m. Audubon Wildlife Film (Hickory School, PFS)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. CEAS Faculty (802)
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Financial Aids Staff (Mini-conf.)
12:00 noon - 1:30 p.m. Committee on the Future (Mini-conf.)
1:00 p.m. BALANCE (780)
1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Civil Service Personnel Committee (Mini-conf.)
3:00 p.m. CHLD Steering Committee (Dean's Conference Area)
3:00 p.m. University Assembly (Performing Arts Room)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

8:30 a.m. Deadline for reservations for GSU dinner-theater
"Boss"
9:30 a.m. President's Advisory Council (Mini-conf.)
12:00 noon - 1:15 p.m. CHLD Forum (244)
1:30 p.m. Executive Committee (Mini-conf.)
Student Overload Committee (Mini-conf.)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Bus Trip to Starved Rock State Park-Student Services