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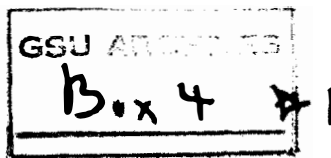
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REGISTRATION THIS WEEK...for the January/February and March/April sessions takes place this week with a few new wrinkles. The gymnasium will be the focal point of activity with students receiving key punched cards identifying the student and each learning module. Actually, students will receive two identifying cards, one for each of the two sessions. The cards will also better control class size and more accurately record those registered in a learning module. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 1:30 to 8:30 p.m. inaugurates the remodeled system with the first day of the January/February session, Jan. 2, marked as a final "clean-up" registration day for the session and March 3 for the March/April session. Registration starts with student schedule request forms available from the college in which the student is enrolled. Students should secure required signatures, including special permission to enroll in learning modules, where, necessary and permission for overloads prior to registration in the gym.

EAR'S JAZZ DEBUT...by the GSU Music Experience takes place Wednesday, Dec. 18 in the GSU Theater at 7 p.m. Bring yourself and a friend or three or what is now one of the nation's top collegiate jazz groups. This is the group that won record breaking nine awards at last year's Notre Dame Jazz Festival (Outstanding Combo, Outstanding Big Band, Outstanding Reed Soloist, Outstanding Trumpet Soloist, Outstanding Trombone Soloist, Outstanding Drummer, Outstanding Composer Arranger, Honorable Mention for Piano and Honorable Mention for Guitar). The Dec. 18 performance will consist of compositions written especially for the group by some of its members, former members, director WARRICK CARTER (CCS) and area arrangers/composers. As always, the concert will be an exciting one with many musical surprises. Tickets are \$1.50 for adults and \$1.00 for students.

THIS WAS THE WEEK BEFORE THE WEEK...of the accreditation site visit by a team appointed by the North Central Association. All seems in readiness for the team which arrives Monday, December 16, and provides its observations three days later on Wednesday in an informal exit interview. Faculty, administrators and students may well have impromptu visitors during the team visit. A summary of the exit interview will be included in the first FAZE I following the visit, the Dec. 23 issue which is distributed Dec. 20.

The LRC has extended its hours and is now open until 11:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Weekend hours are maintained as follows:

Saturday	8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday	1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

IT'S SNOWING...and you wonder if GSU will open for classes and other activities despite the odds. Radio stations to tune for advisories at GSU include WCGO in Chicago Heights (1600) and WGN (720) in Chicago, WKAN in Waukegan, WJOL and WJRC in Joliet, and WJOB in Hammond.

FUEL FOR BLAST...scheduled for the EAS Commons on December 21 will not be alcoholic beverages as described in the Innovator. The year-end party seems to have everything else though including music, fun and games. Check student services for tickets. The Blast is billed for everyone, students and all staff.

THEOLOGY FOR LUNCH BUNCH...has a "Celebration" as a theme this Wednesday at noon in the Student Services Conference Room (D1120). Subtitle of the discussion with Elmer Witt is "A Time for Hope - Multi-Media." Everyone is invited and welcome. Bring a brown bag lunch.

THE ADVISING SYSTEM...is the topic of an R & I seminar this Tuesday, Dec. 10, at 10 a.m. in Rm. B1325. Results of a survey on the advisory advising system will be reported and discussed.

FROM AN INNOVATIVE GSUer..."At least I'm not a run of the mill dummy."

WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE GOVERNMENT DOCUMENT RESOURCES IN THE LRC?...A seminar-discussion on these important resources will be held in the Community Conference Room on Tuesday, Dec. 10, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. BETTY ROIZMEN, Documents Librarian, and staff will discuss significant government documents, their content, organization and retrieval capabilities. All are welcome--come and enlarge your horizons and find out what can be learned from using document resources.

PARKING REGULATIONS...yes, Virginia, parking regulations will be enforced commencing Jan. 2. The new regulations have been sent to each staff member and portions will be excerpted in FAZE I just before the magic date. The regulations will hopefully avoid hazards and chaos on campus roads and drives and provide a measure of safety for 3SUsers and visitors.

BI-CENTENNIAL FILMS...by students funded to the tune of \$3,000 have a Jan. 2 deadline for proposals. Application forms are now available through R & I.

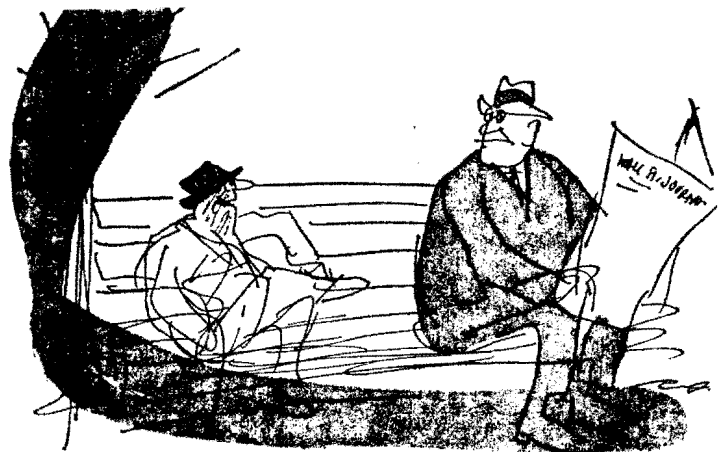
FAZE I DEADLINE...for the Holidays is Wed. a.m. Dec. 11 and Dec. 18 for the following Monday issues. Then FAZE I takes a holiday until January (Thurs. Jan. 2 deadline for Friday distribution).

TENURE FREEZE...by the Board of Governors this year will apply to GSU's seven year cyclical tenure despite President Engbretson's protests and presentations to the Board. GSU is in the fourth year of a five year experimental period with professional personnel systems. The arguments that GSU does not grant lifetime tenure and its faculty could hardly be considered over-tenured did not impress Board members who want to study the tenure situation at the five BOG universities.

POSTPONE "AGAINST RAPE"...Co-Author Susan Andra Medea. She was to be the speaker on Dec. 11 on "Urban Survival for Women." Co-sponsors of the event, the CCS Women's Studies program and the new South Suburban Women's Council, will announce a new survival date later.

STUDENT DIALOGUE WITH THE PRESIDENT...for the Nov/Dec session is set for Tuesday, Dec. 17 in the Commons at 12:15 - 1:15 p.m. The once-a-session forums run the gamut of concerns and have drawn anywhere from just 10 students to over 100. Last session's Dialogue drew a non-metric 60 students with one complaint being that they were not long enough.

TIDBITS FROM CHANGING TIMES MAGAZINE..."We want to add just one more word to the millions already written on how to conserve electricity: Read them all by daylight..."...and "One good thing about inflation: When you don't buy something new, you save a lot more than if you hadn't bought it before."



"So what's the new high and what's the new low?"

GSUings...DAVE BURGEST (HLD) speaking at Grove Elementary School in East Chicago Heights at the Fifth Ave. Parent Workshop on "Role of Parents, Role of Teachers in Educating Youngsters for the Future."...DON HERZOG (BPS) participating in a safety and health course for the construction industry at the U.S. Dept. of Labor Training Institute in Rosemont, Ill. JIM TILLS (EAS) speaking at the 3rd annual seminar on alcoholism sponsored by the South Suburban Council On Alcoholism at the Harvey Holiday Inn...MABEL McMILLEN (EAS STUDENT) presenting the EAS Student Information System (EASIS) to a meeting of the Systems Programmers Society at the University of Chicago's Center for Continuing Education. His presentation was based on a project completed in collaboration with PETE FENNER and RICH POLLACK (both EAS)...ELMER WITT (Campus Ministries) discussing "Life can be Sexual" at Concordia Teachers College in River Forest then speaking at a men's breakfast at Bethlehem Lutheran Church (hmm)...BILL BOLINE (HLD) attending a Group Leaders Training Workshop under the auspices of Explorations Institute, Berkeley, Calif., also appearing on "Urban Times", a radio program sponsored by the Chicago Urban League on WDAI-FM...MARY LOU CAMPBELL (COMM) speaking to paraprofessionals at Mile Square Neighborhood Health Center on the West Side about GSU's BOG program, also invited to serve as a field rep. of the U. of Chicago's Graduate School of Education and the Department of Education.

GSU IN THE MEDIA...included LARRY McLELLAN (CS) defending Park Forest South on a lengthy Channel 2 newscast on the community's reaction to a two-page Chicago Sun Times Story on the "failing" new towns. (The article was replete with a photo of GSU through the weeds in "undeveloped farm land")...local radio appearances included DAVE CURTIS (R & I) December 2 on "The New Community College Concept" with the specific program titled, "Target: Education"... and CS COMM student RAMONITA SEGARRA on Channel 7's "Oiga AMIGO" program on December 22...and BILL ENGBRETSON (PRES) interviewed on a WFYR radio program to be aired on a date to be announced.

POSITION AVAILABLE: Student Assistant Dean of HLD

- ***Must be a student of HLD
- ***Must be able to work 30-40 hours per week
- ***Must be interested in student affairs and student representation
- ***Must have organizational and leadership skills
- ***A knowledge of the college will be helpful.

Interested parties should contact Ms. ELLEN SILVER, Chairperson of the Ad Hoc Student Assistant Dean Search Committee, c/o Ms. JO AHN BROWN, Ext. 2358, or Rm. 3424 - HLD.

NOTES ON SADS...Two Student Assistant Deans have or will be departing shortly. FRANK HALPER (CHLD) and BILL WHITED(EAS) are both on to bigger and better things. BILL WHITED, who has been in three of GSU's colleges left this note in The Zebra, the EAS Student Newspaper:

A LAST S.A.D. EDITORIAL
REFLECTIONS

My resignation as S.A.D. marks the end of my tenure in that office but it also signals the end of my career at Governors State. I came to this institution in September of 1971 so the two of us sort of evolved together. Bob Blue remarked in a recent Innovator about time and people who have passed by in the years we have spent here. When I started, there were only about 700 students at the University. HLD alone has almost twice that many now. I am committed to this university and I guess I always will be. G.S.U. has problems, drawbacks, headaches, and numerous insanities, but in many ways it is one of the best schools in the country. It may take a long time to get the recognition we deserve, and we must be continually on guard against backsliding into the twin sump holes of triviality and irrelevancy which plague the more traditional schools with whom we share the academic turf.

Governors State gave me the opportunity to seek out and explore my future as no other school could have or probably ever will. It also allowed me to begin to realize my potential and reach for its fulfillment.

<p>Civil Service Employees Meet With President Engbretson December 13, 1974, 4:30 p.m., Community Conference Room</p>

EVENTS

MONDAY, December 9

8:30 a.m. Academic Affairs Staff
9:00 a.m. R & I Staff
1:30 p.m. R & I Coordinators Meeting
1:30 p.m. Operations Committee
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. CHLD Faculty Rep Assembly

TUESDAY, December 10

8:30 a.m. VPs' Meet with President (PCA)
10:00 a.m. Seminar, "Advisor/Advising System," R & I (B1325)
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Seminar, "Government Documents Resources", LRC (CCC)
10:30 a.m. Financial Aids Advisory (D1120)
11:00 a.m. Non-Academic Credit (PCA)
1:30 p.m. Child Care Meeting (PCA)
1:30 p.m. LRC Staff
4:30 p.m. Seminar, "Police Ethics", DPS (CCC)

WEDNESDAY, December 11

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon SCEPP (D1120)
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m. BOG, Chicago
Theology for Lunch, "Celebration--A Time for Hope - Multi Media", Rev. Elmer Witt (D1120)
3:00 p.m. CCS Faculty Meeting
4:30 p.m. CCS ISC Meeting
7:30 p.m. Phil Upchurch-Tennison Concert (CCC)

THURSDAY, December 12

9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. CEAS Faculty
Innovator Deadline
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon Alternatives of Learning, ICC (CCC)
12:00 noon Student Communications Media Board (D1120)
1:30 p.m. Union of Afrikan People (D1120)
1:30 p.m. Fiscal Resources (PCA)

FRIDAY, December 13

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon Faculty Mini-Workshop, "Self Instructional Modules Development and Use" (AA (D1109))
10:30 a.m. Directors of Student Support Units
12:00 noon - 1:30 p.m. Executive Committee (A & R Conf. Area)
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. R & I Advisory Committee (PCA)
2:00 p.m. Dedication Program Coordinators (PCA)
4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Civil Service Meets with President (CCC)
6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Lecture, Michael Wyman, CCS (B1507)
Readers Theater (Theater)

SATURDAY, December 14

9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. HRS - Group Process Workshop, HLD (CCC)