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GSU ARCHIVES

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"Pleasure is terrific...fill your
life with as much of it as you can."

-Dr. Wayne Dyer

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DEAR GSUers... We would like to thank the many people at GSU who volunteered to be blood donors during the illness of our daughter, Kimberly Anne Edwards. We appreciate the willingness of so many to be available on a stand-by basis for emergency needs. We especially want to thank Marci Smith and Jim Buckenmeyer for their special help in organizing and assisting the recruiting of blood donors. This fall, while I was on the tutorial staff of GSU, Kimberly enjoyed many good experiences at the GSU Day Care Center. Thank you to all the members of the GSU community who opened their hearts and showed their concerns for us during this heartbreaking time.

Ellie & Jim Edwards, Community
Professor, BPS & Learning
Assistance Center Tutor

NOTE: Kimberly died January 6th at Childrens Memorial Hospital and was buried in Falmouth, Massachusetts, January 9th. A memorial service will be held at St. Lawrence O'Toole on Monday, January 15, at 7:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be sent to the Kimberly Edwards Memorial Research Fund in care of the Matteson Richton Bank, to be used for research for Hemolytic-Uremic Syndrome.

STUDENT ORIENTATION... GSU will host duplicate orientation re-entry programs Mon. and Tues., Jan 22-23, 6-7 p.m., and Wed., Jan 24, 6-7 p.m. and 7:30-8:30 p.m. in Engbretson Hall.

NEW ASSOCIATE DEAN... Frank Borelli, Dean of Student Affairs and Services, has announced the appointment of Burton Collins as Associate Dean for Student Development, effective January 15, 1979. Mr. Collins will be responsible for administering the functions of counseling, testing, health services, placement, and the Women's Resource Center. The Learning Assistance Center will also become part of the unit on July 1, 1979. Dean Borelli commented, "The Associate Dean is a key position in the new organizational structure of Student Affairs and Services, and Mr. Collins brings the experience and skills needed to develop this important component of our area".

INSURANCE CHANGES... Recent state legislation has impacted the psychiatric benefits of the State Employees Group Insurance program. Senate Bill 1850 became effective December 13, at Public Act 80-1476, requiring that benefits for psychiatric care revert to the FY78 level. In effect, there is no limit on the number of out-patient visits, and the plan will pay 50% of the fee (\$25 maximum for any number of out-patient visits. The other major change is that charges in excess of \$125 per day for psychiatric confinement will no longer be included under Major Medical.

GSU CLOSED MONDAY... In observance of Martin Luther King's birthday, Monday, January 15, will be a holiday at GSU.

NEW POLICY BOARD... The GSU District 147 Teacher Corps Project, a federally funded collaborative effort among the University, the West Harvey school district, and the community served by the district, has formed a policy board. The new board includes the Rev. J.C. Smith, chairperson of the elected Teacher Corps Community Council; John Sayer, superintendent of the district, and Dr. Roy Cogdell, Dean of HLD. The new policy board elected the Rev. Mr. Smith chairperson, Sayer vice chairman, and Dr. Cogdell, secretary. The community is represented in the project by the Community Council, elected in October. Members are the Rev. Mr. Smith, chairperson; Beverly Swan, secretary; Harry Curtis, Elizabeth Lange, Chiralaine Stewart, Julia Tellis, and Ruby Wheelis. The project director is Peggy Williams, University Professor of Urban Teacher Education at GSU. The project is designed to improve school climate to foster the learning of children of low-income families, to improve the training and retraining of teachers, to increase community participation in the education of children, to demonstrate and disseminate beneficial educational practices, and to provide for continuation of educational improvements after federal funding ends.

SURVEYING TV NEEDS... GSU is one of the member institutions of the Chicago Metropolitan Higher Education Council which was recently awarded a 12-month planning grant from the Division of Public Programs of the National Endowment for the Humanities. The study will survey humanities program needs for broadcast on the education/instructional television station WCME Channel 20, scheduled to begin telecasting from the Sears Tower early next year.

GLOWING GRAD... Congratulations to Samuel G. Booras on his election as vice president of the Air Pollution Control Association (APCA) Board of Directors. He received his M.A. in Science (Environmental Science) from GSU. Samuel is Director, Environmental Safety, Gas Research Institute in Chicago and an Associate Professor for the School of Public Health at the University of Illinois in Chicago.

LONDON'S "BACCHOLIAN SINGERS"... will appear at GSU Sunday, January 21, at 8 p.m., in the Music Recital Hall. Their wide repertory goes from medieval music to the 20th century, including English madrigals and lute songs, German part-songs, English-part songs, settings of European folksongs, and more than 30 works commissioned by them from British composers. Admission for GSU students will be \$1; senior citizens, alumni association members, GSU staff, and students \$2, and general public \$3.

DON'T MISS ALICE... A new Trimester informal newsletter on career experience has been issued for EAS students. ALICE NEWS (Academic Learning and Interrelated Career Experience) is being published by the Cooperative Education faculty in EAS to improve communications among students and co-op faculty.

GSUings... LARRY MC CLELLAN (CCS) receiving a short-term Research Fellowship in Community History at the Newberry Library in Chicago. Larry plans to spend April with this research, working on local/community history in the South suburbs and developing some community history resources for GSU... CURTIS MC CRAY (PROVOST) being interviewed on the Dave Baum Show over WIND-Radio, Tuesday morning, January 9. He answered questions for about 10 minutes on the IBHE recommendations for the funding of Illinois Board of Higher Education. DICK NEWMAN (A & R) reporting 325 new registrants were enrolled Monday, January 8, the day added to regular registration because of inclement weather... HUGH RANK (CCS) being selected as consultant for the Ralph Nader group in Washington for their forthcoming book on corporate propaganda in the classroom... DONNA SIEMRO (EAS) appearing in a recent issue of the Matteson-Richton Park "Star" Newspaper observing GSU students as they fulfill their teaching practicum requirements for the "Teaching Elementary School Science" course which she instructs... GSU's Theatre is noted in "Chicago" Magazine this month, including last year's productions among those which have been "meaningful and enlightening".

ALL ABOUT SKING... The YMCA at GSU will present William Stroz of the Mokena Ski Shop in a free lecture, Wed., Jan 17, at 8 p.m. in Engbretson Hall. For details, call 534-5800.



FAZE FOCUS ON . . . LARRY McCLELLAN

Observing a person's surroundings can tell you a lot about the person who lives there. If you walk into an office crammed with documents and books, you can believe the person who calls that cubicle "home" is interested in people and places, and you just might tend to think, after reading several book titles including The Seamy Side of Democracy, that this person is a questioner - one who actually digests given information, turns it over in the mind, raises questions and then seeks answers. Such a person is Larry McClellan.

A University professor, ordained Presbyterian minister and president of the Village of Park Forest South, Larry is like three persons in one, each segment of his life overlapping and making him much more knowledgeable and understanding in each area. As professor of Urban Studies, Larry shares his knowledge with others in the GSU community. Instructing courses like "Suburban Housing", "Integration Policies and Practices" and "The Idea of Community", belies an interest in politics. As Village president of PFS, Larry explains that it's just like "being mayor of any small town", dealing with everything from people's sewage problems and street repairs to Village ordinances. He sees PFS as unique in two ways: 1) it is a federally designated "new community", therefore very deeply involved with the federal government, 2) it is a "well-integrated" community. Because of its government association, Larry is constantly asked to testify before congressional committees and at hearings. He is accustomed to being interviewed by the New York Times and Wall Street Journal, which pinpoint the Village's role, and his as president, as one of national leadership in suburban integration. "A community has the right to be an integrated community and to avoid resegregation" is Larry's belief. Elected in 1975, his term expires this April. He is not seeking reelection. He is looking forward to retiring as Village president this year because he is "ready to live" in his community. Larry is not the only one in his family active and interested in making this community ideal. His wife, Diane, is president of the Board of Directors of the day care center being planned for the community and on the staff of the Deercreek Cooperative Pre-School. Larry and Diane have two children, Kara, 4 1/2, and Seth, 1 1/2. The McClellans moved to PFS in 1972 from Hyde Park.

An ordained minister with Master of Theology and Doctor of Ministry degrees from the University of Chicago, you may occasionally find the professor in one of the area churches delivering a sermon or performing a wedding or a baptism. "I very much see what I am doing here as a form of ministry," Larry said of GSU. He sees the University responding to a very important need in today's society. GSU's greatest strength is its capacity and desire to meet the educational needs of mature students, although he also recognizes a need to upgrade the counseling and advisory process.

One who enjoys cross country skiing, racquetball and spending time with his family, Larry has two major areas of interest for which he plans to make more time: researching community history, especially of the South suburbs, and researching the entire question of religion in our society. Larry's research efforts to date have been extensive. The recipient of numerous professional honors and awards, he has many publications to his credit. As an expert on the development and use of simulation games, his materials are widely used by other universities. Being minister, scholar and politician - three persons in one - couldn't be easy, but Larry sure makes it look that way.

EVENTS

OUR DEADLINE ... Wednesday Noon. Send news to Joan Lewis
Editor, Faze I, c/o University Relations,
Assistant Editor, Brenda J. Wright.

FRIDAY, January 12

3, 5, & 7 p.m. Movie: "Saturday Night Fever" * Eng. Hall

SUNDAY, January 14

4:00 p.m. Marilyn Miller and the St.
Elizabeth Choir: Music of
the Catholic Church Free Recital Hall

WEDNESDAY, January 17

12 Noon Theo. for Lunch: Religious Approach
to Human Sexuality E 1105

1:00 - 3:00 p.m. EAS Degree Plan Review Committee Mtg.

8:00 p.m. Cross County Skiing Lecture Eng. Hall

THURSDAY, January 18

8:30 - 10:30 a.m. EAS Admin. Council Mtg.

1:00 - 2:30 p.m. EAS Acad. Affairs Council Mtg.

3, 5, 7 p.m. Movie: "Coma" * Eng. Hall

SUNDAY, January 21

8:00 p.m. Baccholian Singers Recital Hall

* \$1 General Admission, .50 GSU students

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Job Opportunities

UNIT & POSITION	RESPONSIBILITIES	QUALIFICATIONS	START DATE	CONTACT & DEADLINE
STUDENT AFFAIRS & SERVICES Director of Student Activities	Develop & administer social/cultural programs of interest to the University/community; administer budget & expenditure of student activity fee funds.	MA in student personnel admin., guidance & counseling or related field & 3 yrs. exp. in student activities.	3/1/79	Frank Borelli, EX 2553 by January 19, 1979
EAS - University Professor of Nursing	Instruct nursing students in a competency-based curriculum leading to a BSN or MSN	MSN w/clinical specialty in Community Health, Maternal Child Health, or med/surgical nursing Pref. teaching experience.	3/1/79	Ted Andrews, EX 2438 February 1, 1979
SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES EAS - University Professor of Health Services Administration	Teach health care organization ambulatory care admin., long-term care admin., & field experience & residency programs.	Ph.D. pref., MA in health/hospital admin. w/exper. in ambulatory/long-term care.	2/1/79	Robert Cornesky, EX 2335 by January 19, 1979
BPS - University Professor of Business	Teach business law, and other related business courses.	J.D. and M.B.A. required.	9/1/79	Dean Milam, EX 2241 February 1, 1979

CIVIL SERVICE POSITIONS

CEAS - Electronics Technician II DPS - Police Officer I ICC - Senior Electronics Technician BOG - Secretary IV Stenographer				FOR INFORMATION ON ALL CIVIL SERVICE POSITIONS CONTACT EXAMINING SECTION, PERSONNEL OFFICE, EX 2194
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State University System of Florida - Position Vacancy Listing	AVAILABLE IN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION OFFICE			
Affirmative Action Register	AVAILABLE IN LRC			
The Academic Journal	AVAILABLE IN LRC			

UNIT & POSITION	RESPONSIBILITIES	QUALIFICATIONS	START DATE	CONTACT & DEADLINE
Assistant Prof. of Elem. Ed.	Teach undergraduate and graduate courses in bilingual read. and language arts	Earned doctorate, elem. teaching experience	8/79	Dr. Sarah Hudelson College of Education Arizona State University by February 15, 1979
Assistant Prof. of Elem. Ed.	Teach early childhood educ.	Earned doctorate, pre-school or primary grade teaching required.		
Assistant/Associate Prof.	Teach courses in mass communication theory; broadcast hist., writing & regulations.	Ph.D. w/major in mass communication (for Asst) Ph.D. w/major in mass communication, teaching, & exp. in commercial or public broadcasting desired (for Assoc.)	8/20/79	(Resume, Ltr. of Ref.&Trans David McCants, Chairman Dept. of Communication Indiana Univ.-Purdue Univ. at Fort Wayne 2101 Coliseum Blvd. East Fort Wayne, Indiana 46805
Director of Training and Staff Development	Develop training & development program to fill career development needs of nonacademic personnel & administrative employees	B.A., 4 yrs. exp. in human resources development or management/employee training.	immediate vacancy	Ms. Mary Kay Walsh Office of Vice Chancellor for Administration U. of I. at Chicago Circle Box 4348 Chicago, IL 60680
Director of University of Wisconsin Systemwide Center for the Study of Minorities and the Disadvantaged	Plan & coordinate all Center research & activity. Provide advice to System Administration on policies affecting minority/disadvantaged programs.	3-5 yrs. Admin. & Educ. exper. in Hi. Educ. w/competence in research. Knowledge of programs dealing w/minority/disadvantaged students. Ph.D. pref. & qualif. for faculty appt. desirable.		Y. Austin Chang, Assoc. Dea The Graduate School Univ. of Wisc.- Milwaukee Milwaukee, WI 53201 DEADLINE - Feb. 28, 1979
President, California State Univ. - Los Angeles		academic excellence, a terminal degree, successful admin. skills & leadership, pref. in org. of hi. educ. Ability to develop sound relationships w/diverse constituencies		Dr. Marjorie Downing Wagner Vice Chancellor, Faculty & Staff Affairs Calif. State University & Colleges 400 Golden Shore Long Beach, Calif. 90802 DEADLINE - January 22, 1979