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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION PHONATHON—1987... "It's time for all GSU employees to come to the aid of their Alumni Association," says **Ginni Burghardt**, director of Alumni Relations. Once again, she states, employees can have an evening of fun, dinner on the Alumni Association, meet employees from other departments, and help raise money from alumni for the university.

The Phonathon, which helps raise money for scholarships, sponsors faculty research and grant attainment, and provides funds for holdings for the University Library, will be held weekdays from March 9 to 27.

As an incentive, for each civil service employee who participates in the Phonathon, \$10 will be deposited in the Civil Service Scholarship Fund. "Be an eager beaver, and sign up today," states Burghardt, "and bring a friend!"

ONE-WOMAN SHOW PRESENTED FEB. 6... *Walk Together Children*, a collection of black poetry and prose depicted in a one-woman show by **Vinie Burrows** will be presented at 8 p.m., Feb. 6 in the GSU Theatre.

Burrows starts her program by inviting the audience to explore the past and the present of black America. Through poetry, verse and song she presents the black American's role as slave and ex-slave, as cotton picker, educated American and urban black. She includes a discussion on black participation in society by Booker T. Washington and W.E.B. DuBois.

The program incorporates works by **Jenny Proctor, Sojourner Truth, Paul Laurence Dunbar, George Houston Bass, Fenton Johnson, Dudley Randall, Langston Hughes, Anita Eckford, Bob Kaufman, Gwendolyn Brooks and Haki Madhubuti.**

Walk Together Children has been seen by tens of thousands of people since its New York City opening in November 1968. Burrows has since presented her one-woman show on four continents and on over 2,000 college campuses. This program is sponsored by the Office of Student Life. For further information, please call (312) 534-5000, extension 2123.

LUNCHEON NOTES SCHEDULES ENTERTAINMENT... Luncheon Notes, a series of noontime entertainments at GSU will continue offering free musical programs during the winter trimester. Performances take place in the Hall of Governors from 12:30 to 1:15 p.m. every Thursday unless otherwise announced.

Jan. 29 **Jay Lubinsky** (CHP) performs on guitar, and on Feb. 5 **Donna Lowe** (FA) performs on piano with **Lynn Godfrey** on clarinet. Tenor **Lewis Davis** will entertain on Wednesday, Feb. 11. Governors State is closed on Lincoln's birthday, Feb. 12.

Darlene Blackburn and the Thunder Sky Drummers (African dancers) will appear Feb. 19, and **Joy Richard**, mezzo soprano, will perform Feb. 26 accompanied by **Sharon Conley** on the piano.

THEOLOGY FOR LUNCH LECTURE SERIES SCHEDULED... A series of lectures on religious or ethical topics, Theology for Lunch, will be offered Tuesdays during the winter trimester. Discussions begin at noon in the Hall of Honors. This program is open to the public at no charge.

On Feb. 3, "What Quakers Stand For" will be discussed by the **Rev. P.V. Chandy**, pastor of the Chicago Friends Church. "Social Justice and the Arts" will be discussed on Feb. 10 by **Tris Thompson**, graduate student in dance movement therapy at Columbia College, Chicago. On Feb. 17, "The Quest for a Greater Reality: 'The Artist'" will be discussed by **Dr. Arthur Bourgeois**, chairperson, Division of Fine and Performing Arts, College of Arts and Sciences. Sexual assault therapist for the South Suburban YMCA in Olympia Fields, **Barbara Davis**, will discuss "The Societal Impact of Sexual Abuse" on Feb. 24.

Theology for Lunch is coordinated by the Campus Ministries Council. Further information regarding the series may be obtained by contacting the Campus Ministries Council at (312) 534-5000, extension 2149.

FEBRUARY, BLACK HISTORY MONTH ART EXHIBIT PLANNED... A month-long show by black American artists will help mark the beginning of Black History Month at Governors State. Artists from across the country have been invited to exhibit their works in the Fourth Annual Afro-American Artists Show Feb. 5 through 28 in the GSU Art Gallery, according to **John Payne** (CAS), sculptor in residence and coordinator of the show.

An estimated three dozen works are expected to be exhibited. A reception honoring the artists will be given from 7 to 9 p.m., Feb. 20 in the gallery. Members of the community are welcome to attend this exhibit and the reception for the artists. There is no charge. The gallery is open Mondays through Fridays from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. For further information contact Payne through the College of Arts and Sciences, Division of Fine and Performing Arts (312) 534-5000, extension 2461.

A SPECIAL "THANK YOU" TO THE GSU COMMUNITY... Please allow me this opportunity to thank *everyone*—students, staff, faculty, administration and members of the community—for the very outstanding program which was presented at our campus on Jan. 15, the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. The accolades have been pouring in from numerous sources and, as president of the university, I have been very proud to acknowledge that the day's success was due entirely to the excellent cooperation which was demonstrated at all levels within the university. A special 'thank you,' obviously, to the organizers and planning committee members! Once again, we have demonstrated that the people of Governors State University know how to translate the *idea* of a university into a *reality*.

Dr. Leo Goodman-Malamuth
President



Cafeteria Menu

Week of February 2-6...Monday-Chicken rice soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Swiss steak; Breaded turkey steak; French style green beans; Whipped potatoes. Tuesday-Manhattan clam chowder w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Roast beef aujus; Lasagne w/meat, garlic toast; Mixed vegetables; Whipped potatoes. Wednesday-Vegetable soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Hoagie steak and grilled onions; Popcorn shrimp; Buttered broccoli; Whipped potatoes. Thursday-Beef noodle soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Chicken fricassee; Sloppy joe on bun; Buttered peas; Whipped potatoes. Friday-Soup dejour w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Seafood croquette w/cream sauce; Vegetable dejour; Whipped potatoes.

Week of February 9-13...Monday-Chicken noodle soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Roast beef aujus; Spaghetti w/meat, sauce, salad, garlic toast; Seasoned peas and carrots; Whipped potatoes. Tuesday-Split pea soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Chuck wagon steak w/brown gravy; Oriental chop suey over rice, roll and butter; Corn O'brien; Whipped potatoes. Wednesday-Garden vegetable soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Liver and onions; Five fried wing dings w/fries and cole slaw; Seasoned spinach; Whipped potatoes. Thursday-Beef barley soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Potted luncheon steak jardiniere; Italian sausage, tomato sauce, peppers on French bread; Seasoned cut broccoli; Whipped potatoes. Friday-Manhattan clam chowder w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Fried perch w/fries and cole slaw; Baked macaroni and cheese; Vegetable dejour.

VETERANS OF INNOVATION FOR JANUARY...Congratulations to the following employees who celebrate their anniversaries in January: 1971-Robert Press (CAS), Betty Leving (CE), Shirley Ramirez (Prov). 1972-Andy Lokos (MR), Evelyn Pegus (CBPA). 1973-Tom Call (BO). 1975-Franchon Lindsay (Pers). 1976-Teresa Marcus (SD). 1977-Arthur Bourgeois (CAS), Virginia Lenart (CE), Mary Sallander (UL). 1978-Sue Sturmon (BO), Virginia Bixby (OCW). 1979-William Toner (CPA), Lisa Chang (CE), Michael Dimitroff (CE). 1980-Robert Woodard (U.P. Shop). 1981-Randall Waselewski (U.P. Shop), Roberto Ruiz (PPO). 1982-Jay Boersma (CAS).

PUBLISHED...Dr. Young Y. Kim (CAS) completing editing of *Cross-Cultural Adaptation: Current Theory and Research* to be published by Sage Publications in 1987.

SINCERE CONDOLENCES...To **Barbara Flowers** (PROV/AA) and **Ed Flowers** (ICC) on the passing of Barbara's father, **Alfred J. White**, on Dec. 28, 1986. Mr. White was a 36-year resident of Park Forest.

And deepest sympathy to **Doris Carter** (PPO) on the lose of her mother, **Pauline Kobak**, on Jan 10, 1987. Mrs. Kobak was a resident of White Oakboro, Pa.

EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR NAMED...A big congratulations to **Lucille Kerr** (UL) who has been chosen to be the 1986 Civil Service Employee of the Year. Lu coordinates the Materials Center in the library. Lu said, "I'm grateful for being chosen and wish to thank those who made it possible. All of the Employees of the Month were deserving, but I'm really glad to have been picked. It's like frosting on the cake. I love my job, and I love working for the university." Lu believes that working for GSU has opened up a whole new world for her. She meets people from all parts of the world and all walks of life with all kinds of interests which they share with her.



Lucille Kerr

AND BABY MAKES THREE...Shelby McConkey (BO) and husband **Craig** became parents for the first time on Jan. 10, 1987. Son **Justin Michael** was a healthy 9 lb., 8 ozs. Congratulations to the proud parents.

JANUARY EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH AWARDED...Congratulations to **Geraldine Kerestes** (UL) on being chosen the January 1987

Civil Service Employee of the Month. Gerry works as a library technical assistant in the Circulation Department and has been at GSU since December 1980. She has served as a Civil Service Senator and had chaired the Civil Service Grievance Committee. Gerry likes the public relations aspects of her job and enjoys assisting faculty and the public. She said, "I want to take this opportunity to thank all the students who cared enough to nominate me and especially communication disorders students. It feels very special to be recognized for my ability to provide good service. I feel I have received this unique honor for all my colleagues in circulation/media for work well done."

A serious student for many years, Gerry received a Board of Governors baccalaureate degree in liberal arts from the university. She has also gone on to complete the program in the College of Education for the master's in counseling.

Personal interests include the fine arts, reading and drama. Gerry notes that working at GSU offers a great many opportunities to people who want to become involved.



Geraldine Kerestes