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In line with its mission to provide classes with wide community appeal, the Community College of Marshall University has announced 10 classes offered through its Division of Continuing Education/Community Service.

Cost of the non-credit classes range from $10 to $40 per person, according to Robert L. Lawson, director of the division at the Community College.

Persons may register by calling Lawson at (304) 696-3646.

Classes, with dates, meeting times and cost, are:

- Fly Tying, luring fish to bait, taught by Byford Osborn, 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays, Feb. 27 through April 24, Smith Hall 227, $25.
- Bread Baking, taught by Tina Battis, 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 28 through April 25, Northcott Hall 111, $25.
- Ground School Aviation, designed to help a student obtain a private pilot license and become qualified to fly single engine and multi-engine aircraft, 6 to 9 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, Feb. 26 through April 11, Gullickson Hall 18 on Mondays and Gullickson Hall 121 on Wednesdays, $40 excluding class materials and a management kit. John Condon, instructor, will prepare persons for the Federal Aviation Administration examination.
- Polynesian Food Cooking, taught by Tina Battis, 7 to 9 p.m. Mondays, Feb. 19 through April 16, Northcott Hall 111, $25.
- Conversational Japanese and Chinese, taught by Dr. Shu Yuan Chang, 7 to 9 p.m. Mondays, Feb. 26 through April 23, Harris Hall 442, $25.
- Microwave Cooking, 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays, March 13 through May 1, Northcott Hall 125, $10.
- Chinese Food Cooking, including use of a wok, taught by Tina Battis, 7 to 9 p.m. Thursdays, Feb. 22 through April 19, Northcott Hall 111, $25.

Promotions, tenure topics for AAUP meet

The Marshall University Chapter of the American Association of University Professors will hold an open meeting Tuesday, Feb. 20, at 3:15 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2E10.

A panel of university administrators will make introductory statements on the discussion topic, “Promotion and Tenure Policies,” with a question and answer period to follow.

The panel will include: Dr. Paul Stewart, acting vice president for academic affairs, who will present the university position relating to promotion and tenure; Dr. Frank Aldred, MU's representative to the Board of Regents Faculty Advisory Council and council president, who will answer questions related to the BOR promotion and tenure policies; deans of the various colleges who will address their divisions' policies, and several departmental heads who will discuss policies at their level.

The meeting is open to all faculty members and refreshments will be served.

Tickets for ‘Happy Haven’ on sale at theater box office

Marshall University Theater will open a four-night run of “The Happy Haven” by John Arden on Wednesday, Feb. 21, in Old Main Auditorium.

Curtain time will be 8 p.m. nightly. Tickets are available from the University Theater Box Office, located in Old Main Room 107, from noon to 4 p.m. weekdays. Telephone reservations may be made by calling 696-2306. All seats are reserved and tickets cost $2 each. Marshall students with valid Activity Cards will be admitted free.

Directed by Keith Peacock, visiting professor of speech from The Polytechnic, Yorkshire, England, the Marshall production will be done in commedia dell’arte style with masks used to delineate roles and character traits.

Written by one of England’s leading contemporary playwrights, “The Happy Haven” portrays life in an old peoples' home and relates the experiments performed on the unwilling residents by the doctor in charge, Dr. Cooperworth, who is conducting rejuvenation research.

The Marshall University Institute for the Arts is offering free consultation services for promotional campaigns to interested Tri-State arts groups.

“By utilizing resources at Marshall, we have arranged for the journalism class, ‘Public Relations Practices and Methods,’ to work with the requests of local arts groups,” said Dr. Michael Cerveris, director of the Institute.

Dr. Wallin McCardell, MU assistant professor of journalism, said, “Many of the arts groups are non-profit organizations with limited promotional budgets. Our free consultation service will offer planned campaigns. The class will implement campaigns if the organization can provide funds for production costs.”

“The students will benefit from becoming involved with practical situations they will encounter later in their careers,” McCardell said. He added that the number of students enrolled each semester in the class will determine the amount of requests completed.

“Since the goal of the Institute is to promote and coordinate arts in the tri-state, we hope that by uniting community needs with the university’s resources, common goals can be achieved,” said Cerveris.

Any arts group interested in the free consultation service may contact the Institute for the Arts at 696-6665 or 696-6615. Services will be provided on a first come-first served basis.
National building figure
to speak here Feb. 27

The president of the National Institute of Building Sciences in Washington, D.C., will discuss “Current Issues Affecting the Building Industry” Tuesday, Feb. 27, at Marshall University.

Gene C. Brewer will speak at 7:30 p.m. in Room 154, Smith Hall. The lecture is sponsored by the Marshall University College of Business and the Marshall Foundation, Inc. A reception will follow.

During his 40 years with the building industry, Brewer has served as president of the U.S. Plywood Corp., director of the Sherwin-Williams Co., and board member for The Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco and the Wells Fargo Mortgage Investors.

The lecture is open to the public.

Elected to committee

Mrs. Jane Wells, assistant professor of English, has been elected by the faculty of the College of Liberal Arts to serve as a member of the Faculty Personnel Committee.

Columbus Symphony to perform on Tuesday

The Columbus Symphony Orchestra will perform at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20, in the Keith-Albee Theater as part of the Marshall Artists Series’ Community (Baxter) Series programming, according to Nancy P. Hindsley MU cultural events coordinator.

The program for the Columbus Symphony, conducted by Evan Whallon, will include Brahms’ “Piano Concerto No. 2, Opus 83,” with noted pianist Bela Szilagyi as guest soloist. Also on the program will be Barber’s “Overture to School for Scandal” and Berlioz’ “Harold in Italy.”

Szilagyi will present a piano master class at Marshall University on Monday, Feb. 19, at 2 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall. The free class is open to all interested students of piano.

Reserved seat tickets for the concert may be obtained at the Keith-Albee Theater or from the Marshall Artists Series Office, Room 2W23 Memorial Student Center. Loge and orchestra seat tickets are available for $9 each and balcony tickets at $7. Balcony seats for youths under 17 years of age will be available at $3.50 each. Marshall students with ID and Activity Cards will be admitted free.

Report offers budget request comparisons

EDITOR’S NOTE: The following is a continuation of a report from Dr. Frank Aldred, Marshall’s representative to the Board of Regents Faculty Advisory Council, who as president of the Council serves as a voting member on the Board.

The material preceding these items was published in the Feb. 9 News Letter.

1. I have a copy of the Board’s budget request, which was submitted to the Governor in October and presented in outline by the Chanceller to the House and Senate Finance Committees on Jan. 22 and 25. I will be glad to share it. I do not have a copy of the budget recommended to the Legislature for the Board of Regents by the Governor. However, I will outline it for you below, noting the differences between the Governor’s recommendation and the Board’s request.

   It calls for a flat 7% increase on last year’s base for personal services, with the recommendation that the increase be used for 7% increases across the board.

   The Board’s budget request, submitted to the Governor prior to President Carter’s “7% Address,” specified a 10% increment for faculty salaries. The current expense increase recommended by the Governor is 9.55% for the main account (No. 279), which is about 15% (roughly $2.5 million) less than the amount requested by the Board. For R&A (repairs and alterations) the Governor requested a 10% increase, which, if approved by the Legislature, would mark the third straight year in which ground has been lost on this line item (a total loss of about $0.5 million).

   The Board request was for a 68% increase for R&A. The Governor’s equipment recommendation was for a 16% increase, compared with the Board’s 19.7% request. Finally, the Governor recommended that the scholarship program allocation remain the same, while the Board request called for a 28% hike (roughly $600,000). In summary, the Governor’s proposal is quite similar in most respects to the one he presented to the Legislature last year.

2. Throughout the 1978 legislative interim period the Subcommittee on Higher Education considered the question of the desirability/need for an independent review of the State’s system of higher education. It was felt by the Subcommittee that, since 10 years had passed since the creation of the Board of Regents, an objective analysis of the system and its needs was in order. On Jan. 9, 1979, the Subcommittee recommended and the Joint Committee on Government and Finance approved retention of the Academy For Educational Development, a Washington, D.C. based educational consultant group, to conduct such a study and to report its findings and recommendations to the Legislature in June of this year.

   The study, according to the Subcommittee, will focus on virtually every aspect of higher education governance and management under the Board of Regents, and is designed to ascertain any need for internal and/or legislative adjustment. They study began on Feb. 1 and will conclude in May. Throughout the study the Academy will be contacting and meeting with personnel at every level within the system. This will include members of the Board, the Board staff, institutional administrations, staffs, faculty, students and other persons with an interest and role in West Virginia higher education. The study group will be seeking various forms of data and input regarding the system, including opinions and experiences of those individuals who work within it.

   Your questions and comments on these or other matters will, as always, be welcomed.

   Frank Aldred

NEWCOMERS

New to the campus are:

LOIS J. TREAT, nurse coordinator, Medicine/Psychiatry Departments; A. EILEEN HAAS, secretary II, Counseling and Rehabilitation Department; DEBRA A. MUTH, secretary, Psychiatry Department; NANCY J. MONTROSO, clerk, MU Bookstore; MASOOD-UL-HAQ, clerk, Receiving Department; JAMES C. CAVANAUGH, BRUCE TERRY JOHNSON and MARK HUNTER, assistant football coaches, and THOMAS EDWARD WHEELER, building service worker, Plant Operations.

Welcome to Marshall!
Celebration" is the author of two notes, nos. of an article, of management, and Wayne A. Ross, a former accounting; DR. WARREN W. WOODEN, associate professor of English, is the author of two notes, "An Unnoticed Sixteenth Century Reference to More’s ‘Utopia’" (p. 91) and "A More Celebration" (p. 72) in the current issue of Moreana (XV, nos. 59-60, December, 1978).

**Excused absences...**

Absences have been excused by the respective college deans for the following:

- **FEB. 13-14**--Varsity basketball team.

**Faculty and staff achievements, activities...**

ELIZABETH DEVEREAUX, assistant professor of psychiatry, attended the conferences of the Council of Postsecondary Accreditation and the Council of Specialized Accrediting Agencies, held in Charleston, S.C., Jan. 30-Feb. 1, as educational liaison to the executive board of the American Occupational Therapy Association. The conference theme was "Encouraging and Assisting Interagency Cooperation in Accreditation." As immediate past chairperson, Mrs. Devereaux also participated in the Accreditation Committee meeting of the American Occupational Therapy Association held in San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 24.

DR. C. ROBERT BARNETT, assistant professor of health, physical education and recreation, and Darel Pickenpaugh, former HPER graduate student, co-authored an article, "The 1932 Los Angeles Olympic Games: A Slice of Americana," which appeared in the Spring, 1979, issue of the Journal of the West Virginia Historical Association.


**Moved**

The offices of the Marshall Credit Union have been moved. The Credit Union is located in Old Main 17B, near the Publications Office. The Credit Union is open Tuesday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.