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HUNTINGTON ALLOYS AIDS STUDENTS

The Marshall University Science Hall provides an appropriate backdrop as Gary E. Wilson, right, presents a \$6,000 check from Huntington Alloys, Inc., to Dr. Bernard Queen, executive director of the Marshall Foundation. The annual gift from Huntington Alloys is earmarked to provide scholarship assistant to students working toward careers in science, mathematics or engineering. Wilson is the firm's supervisor of personnel development. (Marshall University Photo by Arza Barnett)

Musical revue opens forum series Tuesday

The Marshall University Community Forum Series will open its 1978-79 season Tuesday, Sept. 12, with the musical revue "Hot Licks and Vanilla." The performance will begin at 8 p.m. in Marshall's Old Main Auditorium.

The show originally had been scheduled for Sept. 21, but was moved up because of a change in the group's tour plans, according to Mrs. Nancy P. Hindsley, Marshall cultural events coordinator.

Ten attractions are scheduled on this year's Community Forum Series. Attendance is by season membership only. Mrs. Hindsley said the remaining season memberships will be sold at the door at \$20 per person. Marshall students with activity cards will be admitted free, while students without activity cards will pay \$1 upon presentation of their identification cards.

"Hot Licks and Vanilla" revives the music, dance and dress of the 1930s and '40s as it attempts to recreate the year when Swing was King and Big Bands reigned throughout the land. It was the basis of the critically acclaimed musical "The All Night Strut."

Previous 'Greenbook' to remain in effect

The undated Greenbook issued to faculty in 1977-78 will remain in use during the 1978-79 academic year, according to Dr. Noel J. Richards, vice president for academic affairs.

Part III of the Greenbook, dealing with academic employment and related topics, has been under review since 1976-77. Several issues concerning Policy 36, including retrenchment guidelines, are still under discussion by the West Virginia Board of Regents.

A joint committee from the Regents Faculty Advisory Council and Academic Affairs Advisory Committee is involved in this review, Richards said. Dr. Frank Aldred, MU's representative to the Faculty Council and chairman of the council, is serving on the joint committee.

The revised Part III, pending changes effected by the Regents, will be in effect during 1978-79. The revisions followed an intensive review initiated while Dr. A. M. Tyson was vice president for academic affairs; conducted by the Deans Committee and Faculty Personnel Committee, and approved by President Hayes.

Faculty members interested in reading the revised Part III may obtain copies from their departmental chairmen, or the Academic Affairs Office, Richards said.

Evaluation task force seeks faculty opinions

The Task Force on the Evaluation of Academic Personnel is requesting that faculty and students provide the group with general concepts or specific suggestions that should be considered by the Task Force.

"In order to guide you in making your comments the Task Force's statement of purpose was published in the Sept. 1 issue of the News Letter," Dr. Paul D. Stewart, chairman of the Task Force and dean of the Graduate School, said.

"In addition to making written suggestions, please feel free to talk with any of the Task Force members to share your ideas," Stewart added.

Written comments should be given Dr. Stewart by Sept. 20. Other members of the Task Force include: Bonnie Douglas, Wayne Elmore, Walter Felty, Guru Kademani, Harold Lewis, Stuart Thomas, Donna Spindel, Cathy Bingham and Rex Johnson.

PARTY TIME!

President and Mrs. Robert B. Hayes will host the annual Faculty/Staff Reception and Dance tonight (Sept. 8) from 8 to 11 o'clock in the Multi-Purpose Room, Memorial Student Center.

All current, retired and former faculty/staff members and their guests are invited to attend. Music will be provided by Gentlemen III.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.....

The U.S. Navy will hold on-campus interviews at the Career Services and Placement Office, Prichard Hall Lobby, Monday and Tuesday (Sept. 11-12), according to Terry L. Myers, assistant director of Career Services and Placement.

Appointments for the 30 minute interviews must be scheduled through the Career Services and Placement Office prior to Monday.

NEH SUMMER STIPENDS

Information is available in the College of Liberal Arts on

Organizational meet set Saturday by NSA

An organizational meeting of a new Huntington Chapter, National Secretaries Association (International), will be held in Smith Hall Room 108 at 11 a.m. Saturday (Sept. 9).

Anyone interested in learning about the Association's programs, either working secretaries or persons preparing for a secretarial career, are encouraged to attend. Persons interested in joining, but unable to attend this meeting, may contact Shirley Overholt, Secretarial Studies Program coordinator for the Community College and assistant professor.

Faculty and staff achievements, activities

Note: Items to be published in "Faculty and Staff Achievements and Activities" should be submitted to the Office of University Relations no later than one month after the activity or achievement.

DR. ROBERT F. MADDOX, associate professor of history, will present a paper entitled, "Prologue to the National Science Foundation: Senator Harley M. Kilgore and the Establishment of the National Science Foundation," before the Organization of American Historians annual meeting in New Orleans in April.

DR. FRANK BINDER, associate professor of biological sciences, presented a paper entitled, "Transport of L-phenylalanine by the mycoparasite *Tieghemiomyces parasiticus* in axenic culture" before the Mycological Society of America at the annual meeting of the American Institute of Biological Sciences in Athens, Ga., Aug. 20-24.

JOHN McKERNAN, assistant professor of English, published two poems in the Aspen Anthology 1978: "My Name" and "The New Passport."

DR. RALPH OBERLY, associate professor of physics and physical science, attended a one-week short course on "Digital and Optical Image Processing." The short course was held June 12-16 at the Institute of Optics at the University of Rochester.

LOIS CHRISTAL, staff counselor and advisor to the Women's Center, presented a Feminist Modern Dance Workshop at the Third Annual Women's Music Festival, Hisperia, Mich., Aug. 17-20.

DR. WARREN W. WOODEN, associate professor of English, is the author of "Shakespeare's Globe Theater in Appalachia" which appears in The Shakespeare Newsletter, XXVIII, 2 (April, 1978).

VIRGINIA PLUMLEY, assistant professor of educational media, is co-author of "Collective Bargaining at Kent State University: Negotiating Team and Costs," which appeared in the summer issue of The Journal of College and University Personnel Association.

NEH Summer Stipends for 1979. Application deadline is Oct. 16. Applicants for summer stipends must be nominated by their employing institution. The amount of the stipend is \$2,500.

RECEPTION

Faculty and staff members are invited to attend a reception for international students and their families to be held Sunday (Sept. 10) from 2 to 4 p.m. in the Special Dining Room, Memorial Student Center.

The reception has been planned, according to Judith Miller, international student program advisor, to welcome the new international students and provide them an opportunity to meet other international students on the campus and members of the university community.

RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS

Applications are invited from students wishing to apply for Rhodes Scholarships for graduate study at Oxford University in England, beginning in September, 1979. Rhodes Scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis to 32 outstanding students from the U.S. who have demonstrated academic ability and leadership potential. The scholarship provides for a subsistence allowance in addition to payment of tuition and fees.

The deadline for applying is Oct. 31. Interested applicants may obtain applications and further details by contacting Dr. E. S. Hanrahan, College of Science, Old Main 115, Telephone 696-2372.

BLOOD DRIVE

The Red Cross will conduct a blood drive on campus Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 13-14, according to Mrs. Nancy Kingsbury, MU health programs advisor.

Blood will be collected both days from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Multi-Purpose Room, Memorial Student Center.

NEWCOMERS

New to the campus are:

JUDY ANN BORSTEIN, secretary, Athletic Department; DEBORAH ARNDT, secretary, Sports Information; DONNA LYNN BRAXTON, resident director, Resident Life; PATSY JIMISON, clerk, Library; RON GALLOWAY, JAMES E. FAULKNER, ROSA M. DODSON, and THEODORE G. MISNER JR., building service workers, Plant Operations.

Welcome to Marshall!

Defensive driving class

Before 1981 all state employees are required to have had the Defensive Driving Course (DDC) in order to use any state vehicle. The first DDC course will be held Sept. 18 from 5 to 7 p.m. in Harris Hall 444. Subsequent class sessions are scheduled for Sept. 25, 27, and 29. You must attend all four sessions in order to complete the required eight hours and receive your certificate.

During the next year, the times of DDC classes will vary so that faculty members traveling off campus in the evening to teach may attend the classes.

Each class will be limited to 25 individuals. For additional information call Dr. Allan Stern, OAS Department, 2380.