Kenneth Blue appointed associate dean

Kenneth E. Blue, director of counseling and group resources in the Student Affairs Division at Marshall University, has been promoted to associate dean for student development.

Blue assumed his new duties Aug. 20, according to Dr. Richard G. Fisher, vice president for student affairs.

Community College adds 8 program coordinators

Eight Community College program coordinators, appointed during the summer, joined the university staff Aug. 22.

They are:
- Patricia Carol Gunn, former Massachusetts assistant Attorney General, Legal Assistants Program;
- F. Michael Bunting, former head chef at Guyan Golf and Country Club, Food Services Management Program;
- Mrs. Mack C. Jarrell, former legal secretary, Legal Secretarial Studies Program;
- George M. Frisch, former Union Carbide Corp. engineer, Occupational Safety and Health Technology Program;
- Mrs. Jane Page, former bookkeeper and secretary, Clerical Studies Program;
- Matthew P. Young, Boyd County, Ky., businessman and educator, General Business Program;
- John M. Glenn, former industrial chemist and teacher, Chemical Technology Program;
- Linda Naymick, former Cabell County schools distributive education teacher/coordinator, Retailing Program.

In addition to teaching classes program coordinators are responsible for developing, refining and evaluating the programs and work closely with their program's advisory committee.

Blue succeeds Dr. Richard W. Waite, who has resigned to become dean for student affairs at Ohio Dominican College in Columbus.

The announcement marks Blue's second promotion within a month, Fisher noted. Blue has been a staff counselor in the student affairs area prior to assuming his present position.

"While we regret very much losing an administrator as highly qualified as Dr. Waite, I am pleased that we have on our staff a person of Mr. Blue's caliber who can move into the position immediately and maintain a high level of service to students," Fisher said.

The associate dean for student development has administrative responsibility for the human relations area, which includes minority, women's, international students and vocational rehabilitation programs. He also is responsible for the counseling, health and student orientation programs, as well as special learning services provided for disadvantaged students.

Interim dean named for College of Education

Dr. Jack Jervis Jr., chairman of Marshall University's Curriculum and Foundations Department, has been named interim dean of the MU College of Education, according to Dr. Noel J. Richards, MU vice president for academic affairs.

Jervis will head the college while a search committee, composed of faculty, administrative staff and student representatives, screens candidates for the position, Richards said. The post became vacant July 1 when the former dean, Dr. Bernard Queen, became director of development for the university. Jervis' appointment is effective immediately.
**Announcements**

The James E. Morrow Library will observe the following hours next week and during the Labor Day weekend:

- **Saturday, August 27** CLOSED
- **Sunday, August 28** CLOSED
- **Monday, August 29 (Registration)** 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
- **Tuesday, August 30 (Registration)** 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Resume regular fall schedule:
- **Wednesday, August 31** 7:45 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.
- **Thursday, September 1** 7:45 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.
- **Friday, September 2** 7:45 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**NEWCOMERS**

- **GLENNA MAY ESTEP**, secretary, Chemistry Department
- **PATRICIA ANN PERDUE**, secretary, Health
- **ELIZABETH CHINN**, secretary, Counseling and Rehabilitation
- **CARL R. BLANKENSHIP**, police office
- **ROBERT L. CASERTA**, police officer
- **TIMOTHY BRYANT STANLEY**, assistant trainer
- **MARGARET OURS**, secretary, Chemistry Department
- **ELOISE OURS**, secretary, Mail Room
- **JEAN M. EDWARDS**, secretary, School of Medicine
- **TOM BLANKENSHIP**, police officer, Security
- **DOUGLASS NAMED CHAIRMAN**

- **Dr. James E. Douglass** has been selected chairman of Marshall University’s Chemistry Department, Dr. E. S. Hanrahan MU College of Science dean, announced.
- The appointment is effective immediately, Hanrahan said.
- Douglass who holds the rank of professor, succeeds Hanrahan in the post. Hanrahan, the former chairman, became dean of Marshall’s new academic division last month.

**DOCTORATE EARNED**

- Harold T. Murphy, associate professor of modern languages, has earned a Ph.D. degree from Mexico’s Universidad de Jaime Balmes, according to Academic Affairs Vice President Noel J. Richards.
- Dr. Murphy completed the degree requirements last month, Dr. Richards said. His dissertation is entitled “Un Estudio de Un Mito Literario Peruano: ‘La Perricholl.'”

**Leonard E. Bedel named to safety post**

Leonard E. Bedel, former safety director for General Tire and Rubber Co., Jeannette, Pa., has been named safety coordinator at Marshall University, according to Harry E. Long, MU administrative services director.

Bedel joined the administrative services staff early last month, Long said.

A Cincinnati, Ohio, native, Bedel will be responsible for establishing and enforcing safety standards for the campus community. His other duties will include monitoring Occupational Safety and Health Administration regulations and responding to recommendations of visiting safety officials.

Bedel received a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Management degree from the University of Cincinnati. He has held various safety positions with Teledyne Isotopes in Sandusky, Ohio, and was assistant health physicist for Monsanto Research Corp., Miamisburg, Ohio.

He and his wife, the former Kathryn Sullivan, have four children.

**Rate Increase**

The Public Employees Insurance Board has notified us that effective Sept. 1, rates will be increased due to rising medical costs. The new rate schedule for employees currently paying premiums will be: $9.10 per month, single coverage, or $19.90 per month, family coverage. Note: only employees who have been at Marshall less than a year are affected by this change.