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# News Letter

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## Directories available

Student/Faculty/Staff Directories, a publication sponsored by MU's Student Government, may be picked up by employees at one of the following locations: the Student Government Office in the Memorial Student Center, the lobby of the Memorial Student Center, and the Informational Services Office in Room 115, Old Main.

## New director named

Dennis John Montrella, director of student financial aid at Arapahoe Community College in Littleton, Colo., has accepted an appointment as director of student financial aid at Marshall University. He resumed his new duties Nov. 1.

The announcement was made by Dr. Richard G. Mund, vice president for student affairs.

Montrella succeeds Frank B. Cummings Jr. who has assumed the position of assistant coordinator of the new Upward Bound Project at Marshall.

Montrella, 29, graduated from Hollidaysburg (Pa.) High School in 1962. He earned an Associate of Arts degree at Trinidad State (Colo.) Junior College and a B.S. degree in education from Kent State University. He received his M.A. degree in urban studies from the University of Akron in 1971.

He won the George W. Scott Award presented to the varsity athlete with the highest academic average at Trinidad State in 1963. He later was a member of the Kent State football team.

Prior to assuming the financial aid directorship at Arapahoe Community College in 1971, Montrella served as assistant director of student financial aids at the University of Akron for two years.

He is married and the father of two children.

## Local scientist to speak here

Dr. Jon P. Shoemaker, a principal scientist at the Huntington Veterans Administration Hospital, will present a lecture on "The Role of Hormones in Parasitism" at Marshall University Monday, Nov. 5, at 8 p.m. in Science Hall Room 122.

The lecture, which will be open to the public, is being sponsored by the Marshall Sigma Xi Club.

Dr. Shoemaker, a former member of the Marshall faculty, will discuss the influence of hormones on parasite reproduction and metabolism, particularly with respect to Chagas' disease and malaria.

Dr. Shoemaker is well known for his research and numerous publications in the field of parasitology. He is a graduate of Western Michigan University and received his Ph.D. from Auburn University.

## Debate tournament draws 16 teams

Teams from 16 colleges and universities will participate in the Marshall University Big Green Debate Tournament today and Saturday.

Both varsity and novice debaters will take part in the event, which will begin at noon today and conclude Saturday at 2:30 p.m., according to Mrs. Mary Ann Murphy, Marshall speech instructor and tournament coordinator.

Hosts for the tournament will be the Marshall Forensic Squad and volunteer members of the Marshall Department of Speech.

The tournament will feature six rounds of competitive debate. Twenty-one trophies will be awarded to outstanding individuals, teams and schools, Mrs. Murphy said.

Schools which have entered the event, in addition to Marshall, are Somerset (Ky.) College, Eastern Kentucky University, the University of Pittsburgh, West Virginia Wesleyan College, Miami University of Ohio; Morris Harvey College, Morehead State University, Alderson-Broadus College, Capitol University, Marietta College, Otterbein College, Ohio University, Murray State University, West Liberty State College and the University of Florida.

Most of the tournament competition will take place in Smith Hall, Mrs. Murphy said.

## Official holidays

Official university holidays for the remainder of the academic year are as follows:

Nov. 22	Thanksgiving Day
Nov. 23	Day after Thanksgiving
Dec. 24	Day before Christmas
Dec. 25	Christmas Day
Dec. 26	Day after Christmas
Jan. 1	New Year's Day
Feb. 18	Observe Washington's Birthday
Apr. 15	Monday after Easter Sunday
May 27	Memorial Day
July 4	Independence Day

## NO HOLIDAY TUESDAY

Tuesday, Nov. 6, date of a special statewide election on four proposed constitutional amendments, will NOT be a holiday for Marshall University students and employees.

Classes will be conducted as scheduled and normal office hours will be observed.

# Retirement Board schedules hearing

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The West Virginia Teachers Retirement Board has scheduled a hearing Nov. 29, on a proposed new regulation—Regulation 37—dealing with tax sheltered annuity options. The action was taken at the board's Oct. 15 meeting in Charleston.

Some members of the Teachers Retirement System in the past have requested additional options for the payout of their tax sheltered annuities. In accordance with their request, the board adopted four options. Before this regulation becomes effective, however, a hearing must be held, at which time any amendments, objections or other comments, verbal or written, can be expressed.

The Nov. 29 hearing will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the offices of the Teachers Retirement Board in Building 6, Room B-18, 1900 Washington St. E., in Charleston.

After the hearing, the regulation will be filed with the Secretary of State and will become valid 30 days after the filing.

Here is the proposal:

## Proposed Regulation 37

37. Tax Sheltered Annuity Options - Members of the Teachers Retirement System who have reduced their salary or foregone a salary increase in order to purchase a tax sheltered annuity through agreement with their employer, said proceeds being deposited in the Teachers Accumulation Fund, shall select one of the following options upon application for retirement with respect to their tax sheltered annuity proceeds;

Option 1 - To pay an annuity in accordance with the annuity options available upon age and service retirement (Options A, B, B-1, C and D);

Option 2 - To refund in a lump sum all tax sheltered annuity contributions plus interest upon written application;

## Security Office has major position open

Applications are now being taken for the position of assistant director of security services at Marshall University.

The assistant director will assist the director in administering a complex, campus-wide security system and must act during the absence of the director. The assistant director must be able to organize and conduct training programs, teach security-related courses, and provide other modern training for security personnel, among other responsibilities. This employee will be directly responsible to the director of security.

Desirable qualifications, training and experience requirements include education equivalent to graduation from an accredited high school, preferably some college or special law enforcement training, four years experience in police or security work including two years in a supervisory level position (or similar service in the U.S. armed forces), at least 18 years of age and 5 feet 8 inches in height with proportionate weight as recommended by medical charts, and good physical condition. The successful applicant must be able to pass a physical examination administered by a medical doctor designated by the university.

Application for the position should be made through Donald Salyers, director of security. Applications will be accepted through Nov. 15. A complete job description may be obtained at the Security Office.

Marshall University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer.

Option 3 - To pay \$1,000 of proceeds in monthly installments until exhausted;

Monthly Annuity per \$1,000 of Proceeds	Period Payable	Final Payment
\$10.00	10 yrs. 9 mos.	\$ 9.82
15.00	6 yrs. 6 mos.	3.56
20.00	4 yrs. 8 mos.	1.98
25.00	3 yrs. 7 mos.	18.86
30.00	2 yrs. 11 mos.	26.14
35.00	2 yrs. 6 mos.	13.96
40.00	2 yrs. 2 mos.	15.06
45.00	1 yr. 11 mos.	13.27
50.00	1 yr. 8 mos.	42.92

Option 4 - To pay a monthly annuity for a certain period of time from \$1,000 of proceeds.

Number of Years Certain	Monthly Annuity per \$1,000 of Proceeds
5	\$18.85
6	16.10
7	14.13
8	12.67
9	11.53
10	10.62

In other action at the Oct. 15 meeting, the board adopted a policy statement affecting members of the retirement system aged 65 and older. The statement reaffirms the present regulation and code concerning approval of extension of employment for those members of the retirement system.

The board's acting executive secretary, Joseph F. Peters, noted, "The board is going to enforce this regulation in quite a firm, fair manner." He also pointed out that requests for extensions of members over age 65 under the regulation's guidelines will not be accepted and reviewed by the board prior to Aug. 20 of any school year.

## Expulsion abolished

Expulsion will no longer be a form of disciplinary action at Marshall University, Dean of Students Richard G. Fisher announced.

Dr. Fisher said President John G. Barker has endorsed a recommendation from the Student Conduct and Welfare Committee which called for abolishing expulsion as a category of discipline.

The dean of students office had recommended this action "to remove Marshall University from participation in 'capital punishment in the educational community,'" Fisher said. Such action also was based on recognition of "the potential of a person to redirect his behavior in ways which are productive to himself and the institution," he added.

With the elimination of expulsion, the category of conditional expulsion will be denoted as indefinite social suspension. This category leaves the door open to the individual to petition the university president for reinstatement.

With this change, the disciplinary categories now are warning, social probation, definite social suspension, and indefinite social suspension. As the titles imply, definite social suspension involves suspension of the individual from the university for social reasons—not academic—for a definite period of time, while indefinite suspension places no time limit on the action.

DR. HAROLD E. WARD, chairman of the biological sciences department, has been appointed to serve as a member of the Southeast Committee on College Science Teaching of the National Science Teachers Association (NSTA).

CARL JON DENBOW, instructor of journalism, has been selected to participate in a National Science Foundation Short Course to be held at Hueston Woods, near Oxford, Ohio. "Patterns in Problem Solving" will be divided into two sessions to be held Nov. 26-27 and March 14-15. Approximately 30 college teachers from the Ohio, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia areas have been selected for this course.

DR. MARVIN MILLS, associate professor of safety, attended a meeting of the National Safety Council in Chicago Oct. 28-31. Dr. Mills participated as an officer of the Higher Education Research Section of the council and is on the council's executive committee of the Driver Education Section.

LAVELLE JONES, associate professor of music, gave a program on "Impressionism" to the Huntington Woman's Club on Oct. 18. She was assisted by MARY FIKE, part-time instructor of flute.

DR. BETTY HAMMOND, assistant professor of physical education, was guest speaker at the Oct. 25 meeting of Delta Kappa Gamma, professional women education honorary. Her topic was "Expanded Leisure Time."

DR. LYMAN AUBREY DREWRY, dean of the College of Business and Applied Science, spoke to the Huntington Lions Club Thursday on new and continuing programs in Marshall's College of Business and Applied Science.

DR. FRANK S. RIDDEL, assistant professor of social studies, has been informed by the Clearinghouse on Rural Education and Small Schools that his doctoral dissertation, "Related Aspects of the Social and Economic Problems, Cultural Tradition, and Educational System of Rural Appalachia," has been selected for inclusion in the documents collection of the Educational Resources Information Center at New Mexico State University.

Documents selected by ERIC are reproduced on microfiche

## VISITING LECTURER

Dr. James N. Rosenau, director of the Institute for Transnational Studies at the University of Southern California, will speak at Marshall University Tuesday, Nov. 6.

Dr. Rosenau's visit is being sponsored by the Marshall Department of Political Science through the Political Science Lectureship Program, originally established in 1970. The 1973-74 program has been funded by the Twentieth Street Bank of Huntington and by Charles M. Polan Jr., Huntington businessman and member of the West Virginia House of Delegates. Dr. Clair W. Matz, assistant professor of political science, is coordinator of the program.

Dr. Rosenau will present a lecture at 7:30 p.m. in Smith Hall Auditorium, Room 154, on "Sources of Foreign Policy." The lecture will be open to the public at no charge.

Dr. Rosenau is considered a leader among scholars of international politics who are studying linkages between domestic politics and foreign policy. Author of numerous books and articles on scientific analysis and comparative study of foreign policy, he has taught at Rutgers, Princeton and Ohio State universities.

Dr. Rosenau also is a lecturer at the Foreign Service Institute senior seminars for senior diplomatic officers, and is an advisor to the National Science Foundation and a member of the Council on Foreign Relations Study Group on "Chinese Foreign Policy."

and in book form for distribution to libraries and research centers throughout the country.

DR. MARK D. PANKIN, assistant professor of mathematics, has had a paper entitled "Finite Planes of Type I-4" published in Proceedings of the International Conference on Projective Planes, 1973.

DR. JOHN L. MARTIN, chairman of the modern language department, has an original poem in Spanish, "A un libro viejo," published in "Hablemos, Parlons, Sprechen Wir," a monthly trilingual publication of the Department of Foreign Languages of Bethany College for October, 1973.

DR. WARREN DUMKE, associate professor of physics, DR. WESLEY SHANHOLTZER, associate professor of physics, and JAMES RUTHERFORD, assistant professor of physical science, attended the annual meeting of the Appalachian Section of the American Association of Physics Teachers held at West Virginia Institute of Technology, Montgomery, on Oct. 20.

Dr. Shanholtzer presided over the morning session as the outgoing president of the Appalachian Section and also presented a paper entitled "Inexpensive Lecture Demonstrations for High School and College Teachers."

BRUCE A. ARDINGER, instructor of English; DR. ALAN B. GOULD, associate professor of history; DR. DOROTHY JOHNSON, associate professor of speech; DR. C. CLYDE PERRY II, assistant professor of sociology and anthropology, and DR. CHARLES D. CORMAN, associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, represented Marshall University at a conference on "The Future of the Humanities and Public Policy in West Virginia" on Oct. 25-26.

Faculty from the state colleges and universities participated in a discussion of the planned state-based program to be sponsored by the National Endowment for the Humanities. The theme of the proposal to NEH will be decided and announced by the West Virginia Committee for the Humanities and Public Policy in the near future. If the proposal is accepted, the resulting program of re-grants will bring professional humanists and the out-of-school public into direct dialogue on the pressing public issues of our state.

DR. LYMAN AUBREY DREWRY, dean of the College of Business and Applied Science, was a participant in a seminar for new deans sponsored by the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business at Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., Oct. 21-26.

## Students excused

The following students were excused from classes Oct. 26 to participate in the Appalachian Volleyball Tournament at Boone, N. C.:

Judy Allen, Marsue Burroughs, Brenda Dennis, Corinne Ders, Laurretta Gensler, Linda Holmes, Judy Lantz, Barbara Sepcic, Gloria Taylor and Robin Vealey.

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The following students are excused from classes Nov. 5-6 to perform with the Marshall Symphonic Choir in Marietta, Ohio, New Martinsville and Fairmont:

D. J. Graziani, Bob Chiarenzelli, Nancy Benton, David King, Randall McMullen and Jane Bane.

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The following students have been excused from classes Nov. 1-2 to attend the Associated College Press Convention:

Meg Galaspie, Nikki Humrichouser and Debra McDanald.



## Nominations welcomed

The Commencement and Honorary Degrees Committee is inviting Marshall University faculty, staff, students and alumni to submit names of persons they believe to merit consideration as possible recipients of honorary degrees from Marshall at the 1974 Commencement.

The committee has adopted the following statement as a guideline for consideration, according to Mrs. Jane B. Shepherd, secretary:

"The recipient of an honorary degree from Marshall University should be a person whose contribution to humanity clearly merits recognition."

Complete data about the individual must accompany the recommendation to allow the committee to make a valid decision, Mrs. Shepherd said. Recommendations and accompanying data should be sent to the Office of Academic Affairs, Old Main 110, no later than Dec. 1.

## FALL CONCERT

Members of Marshall's faculty and staff are cordially invited to attend the fall concert of the Marshall University Symphonic Choir this evening at 8 o'clock in Smith Music Hall. This concert will be the program which the choir is taking on tour to high schools, churches and colleges in Louisville, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Dayton, Marietta and Fairmont. Admission is free.

## More students excused

The following students are excused from classes Nov. 5-6 to participate in the ATE Convention on campus:

Ruth Baker, Janet Santec, Gloria Hill, Cathy Hutchinson, David Hatton, Terry Shepherd, Debbie Winter, John Johnstonbaugh, Angie Fields, Tom Plymale and Chuck Wright.

Chris Hume, Karen Curtis, Karen Westfall, Debbie Powell, Mike Grooms, Steve Bloom and Vicki Nichols.

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The following students are excused from classes Nov. 6 to tour Huntington Alloy Products Division of The International Nickel Company, Inc., as members of Alpha Kappa Psi:

Jonathan Casto, John Law, Steve Kittle, Willie Gray, Ronald McCullah, Dan Hufford, J. B. Drennen, Denny Fisher, Roger Johnson, Rick Reynolds, George Hogshead, Tom McMahon and Jim Thurston.

Simon Graham, Michael Saouan, John Viglianco, Doug Myers, Dave Berger, Phil Archer, Kern Watts, Terry Hudson, Jerry Muth, John Hamilton, Eugene Lewis, Greg Pinkerman, Robert Sanford and Dick Johnson.

Ed York, Glenn Statzer, Howard Hicks, Dick Staten, Don Young, Jerry Prinzbach, Jim McCormick and Lynn Wilson.

## Basketball tickets still available

As a member of the Marshall University faculty and staff, you are entitled to purchase season tickets for your immediate family for only \$26.25 per ticket, which is one-half the regular price.

Tickets are still available. Special credit arrangements can be made by talking with Joe Wortham, athletic ticket manager, extension 3190.

Season tickets will be mailed to subscribers the middle of this month.

## Fraternity reinstated

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Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity has been reinstated as a recognized student organization in good standing with Marshall University, Dean of Students Richard G. Fisher announced.

The Student Conduct and Welfare Committee, acting on a recommendation by Dr. Fisher, approved the removal of provisional probation, imposed against the fraternity last summer, and President John G. Barker accepted the committee's recommendation.

Dr. Fisher said the organization had taken positive steps to alleviate administrative and program deficiencies which led to serious problems last summer. He said fraternity house security and administration have been upgraded.

The fraternity also established a strong rush program, Fisher said, but added that some rushees declined to seek membership because of probation status. He said the group has been seeking greater alumni support.

## 'Fairness in Broadcasting'

Eleanor Applewhaite, an executive of the Columbia Broadcasting System, New York City, will discuss the topic "Fairness in Broadcasting?" at the Speech Department Convocation on Tuesday, Nov. 6, at 11 a.m. The convocation will be held in Smith Hall, Room 154. All faculty and students are invited to attend.

The speaker has been in the Radio, Broadcast and Governmental Affairs Section of the CBS Law Department since 1964. She is a member of the bar association of New York City. She also serves on the Board of Governors of the International Radio and Television Society.

## Three programs coming on Artists Series

The London Bach Society will present the music of Mozart, Bach, Handel, and Christopher Brown in a concert on the Marshall Artists Series, Baxter Series, Tuesday, Nov. 6, at 8 p.m. at the Keith-Albee Theater.

Reserved seat tickets for university students and non-season members will be available at the theater box office, Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m.

The Belgrade Chamber Orchestra, Antonio Janigro, conductor and cellist, will perform works by Pergolesi, Vivaldi, Corelli, Mozart, Radovanovich, and Tchaikovsky on the Forum Series, Wednesday, Nov. 7, at 8 p.m. in Smith Music Hall. Admission is by season membership or appropriate activity card. Faculty/staff memberships will be on sale for \$5 at the door.

University students may obtain tickets for reserve seats for "Godspell" by presenting the appropriate activity card, Wednesday, Nov. 7, at 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the Smith Hall Lounge.

Students wishing to sit with non-students may purchase guest tickets when obtaining their activity card tickets.

"Godspell" will be presented on the Mount Series, Nov. 13, at 8 p.m. at the Keith-Albee Theater.

## MAGIC THEATRE

The Magic Theatre film for this evening will be "The Candidate." The movie will be shown at 7:30 in the Multi-Purpose Room of the Memorial Student Center. Admission is free upon presentation of ID Cards.