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'Different' Gab Session set Wednesday

A "different" type of Faculty Gab Session will be held Wednesday, Nov. 19, at 2 p.m. in the Presidents Dining Room of Memorial Student Center. The primary topic will be an evaluation of the Gab Session program itself, whether changes should be made and how it could be improved.

President Robert B. Hayes said Dr. David E. Fields, assistant professor of mathematics, has agreed to conduct the Nov. 19 session.

The Gab Sessions were established more than a year ago as an informal method of communication between the faculty and the president.

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United Way campaign extended

Marshall drive reaches 78 per cent

The United Way campaign on the Marshall University campus has been extended two weeks until Nov. 25, according to Neal G. Adkins, assistant professor of accounting and co-chairman of the MU drive.

At the end of the normal campaign period Wednesday, the university community had pledged or donated a total of $10,300, or 78 per cent of the $13,250 goal.

Dr. Neil L. Gibbins, professor of education and the other co-chairman, reported that approximately half of the 1,177 people in the university community had made pledges or donations.

"If the people in the other half can find it in their hearts to give an average of $5 to $6 each we can make our goal," he said.

Gibbins asked members of the university community who have not made pledges or donations to contact him (696-6430), Adkins (696-2310) or any of the 21 United Way campus division leaders.

Faculty voting on Senate issue ends today

Today (Friday, Nov. 14) at 4 p.m. is the deadline for voting in the current faculty election on the University Senate document introduced at the Oct. 28 faculty meeting and discussed in the Nov. 4 meeting.

Ballots have been sent to each voting faculty member. Completed ballots must be delivered in person to the Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Old Main 110, where a ballot box has been placed.

Terming the University Senate question "a matter of tremendous importance to Marshall University and particularly to the faculty," President Robert B. Hayes earlier this week urged "that each faculty member exercise his or her right and responsibility to vote on this issue."

Under provisions of the current faculty constitution, two-thirds of those voting must favor the proposals to adopt a new constitution and new by-laws for the question to be approved.

Incoming mail schedule changed by Finance

To improve the distribution of incoming mail, the Office of Finance would like to call your attention to the following arrangements:

1. Monday through Friday, incoming letter mail will be picked up from the downtown Post Office by Marshall University personnel at 8 a.m. each day. This letter mail will be worked up and placed in the departmental boxes in the Old Main mail room by 9 a.m. each day. Incoming mail other than letter mail (packages, cartons, films, etc.) will be delivered to the university from the downtown post office at approximately 10 a.m. each weekday. This type of mail will be available for pick up by departments by 11 a.m. each day.

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DR. DERYL R. LEAMING, chairman of the Department of Journalism, has been named to the Awards Committee of the American Society of Journalism School Administrators. He also has had an article on the mini-course concept published in the current issue of the Phi Kappa Phi Journal.

DR. E.S. HANRAHAN, chairman of the Department of Chemistry, attended the National Science Foundation Regional Convention in Pittsburgh, Pa., on Oct. 13.

Absences excused...

Excused absences have been approved by the respective colleges for the following students on the dates listed:

NOV. 6 - David Abraham, Elizabeth Ascoli, Jerry Foster, John Clark, Rick McCann, Sheree Flowers, Bob Neville, Jerry Thorne, Ruth Maynard, Clint McElroy, Arch McIntosh, Ed Pasley, Dan Woodrum, Tom Keith, Rick Nolte, Robert Pearce, Rex Repass, Valerie Saville, Bob Torlone, Sharon Sarver, Peter Wallace, Nicole Urian, Suzanna Whittppen, William Willett, Kathy White, Carol Ann Young, Dianna Young, Vicki Shannon and Joey Pendley.


NOV. 7-8 - Dave Hoge, Robin Courts, Lora Browning, Linda Dempsey, Eileen McMann, Debbie Stollings, Janice Brown, Dana Casarez, Julie Cassidy, Karen Bosia, Cathy Arbogast, Connie Clay, Mary Harris, Angie Stockwell, Teri Craft, Kathy Vance, John De Raimo, Jack Phaves, George Rooker, Phil Bartram, Brian Riley, Jimmy Walls and Cathy Davis.

NOV. 10-13 - Members of the Symphonic Choir.


NOV. 14 - Members of the Big Green Marching Band.


DR. JOHN HOBACK, professor of chemistry and pre-professional advisor, attended an open house for West Virginia College Pre-Medical Advisors in Lewisburg on Oct. 3.

GEORGE ARNOLD JR., assistant professor of journalism, has been informed by The Education Digest that his article, "A School News Bureau? Why Not?" has been selected for condensation in a forthcoming issue. The article first appeared in the September issue of Scholastic Editor.

DR. FRANK L. BINDER, assistant professor of biological sciences, is the author of an article, "Substitution of The Radiation Requirement for Sporulation by Host Tissue in Dendrophoma Obscurans," in a recent issue of Mycologia.

DR. DARYLL BAUER, director of special education program and president of the West Virginia Federation, Council of Exceptional Children, chaired the annual convention of the federation in Morgantown, Oct. 23-24.

DR. STEVEN HATFIELD, associate professor of mathematics, spoke at the Lexington, Ky., meeting of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics on Oct. 31. His topic was "Problems High School Students Have with College Math."

DR. CHARLES V. PEELE and JAMES R. KELLER, assistant professors of mathematics, have had an article accepted for publication in the journal, School Science and Mathematics.

DR. DONALD C. TARTER, professor of biological sciences, and DAN K. EVANS, assistant professor of biological sciences, attended the 61st annual meeting of the Kentucky Academy of Science in Louisville on Nov. 8. Tarter presented a paper, "Distribution, Including New State Records, of Fishflies in Kentucky (Megaloptera: Corydalidae)."

Library's holiday hours

Following is schedule of hours to be observed by the James E. Morrow Library from Wednesday, Nov. 26, through Sat. Nov. 29:

- Wednesday, Nov. 26: 7:45 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
- Thursday, Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 27: Closed
- Friday, Nov. 28: 7:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Sat., Nov. 29: 7:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Regular schedule, 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. will resume Sunday, Nov. 30.

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Our objective is to speed the flow of mail to the various university departments.

Submitted by:
Richard D. Vass
Director of Finance
ANNOUNCEMENTS...

Admiral Zumwalt to speak on MU campus Tuesday

Adm. Elmo R. Zumwalt Jr., former Chief of Naval Operations, will speak on “Russia’s Challenge to Our Naval Supremacy” at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 18, in Old Main Auditorium as part of the Marshall Artists Series, Forum Series.

Admission is by season membership to the series or by MU student activity card.

Zumwalt, who warns that “the United States has already lost to the Soviet Union its ability to control the world’s sea lanes,” served as Chief of Naval Operations from 1970 to 1974 and has been hailed as the Navy’s most popular leader since World War II.

‘1776’ PLAYS IN CITY MONDAY

A man from Boston and a man from Philadelphia will meet in Huntington on Monday, Nov. 17, to declare independence. The occasion is the full-staged production of the prize-winning Broadway musical “1776.”

The Marshall Artists Series will observe the nation’s Bicentennial with its Mount Series presentation of “1776” at the Keith-Albee Theater. Curtain is 8 p.m.

The main characters of the play are John Adams of Boston and Ben Franklin of Philadelphia. They will be portrayed by actors actually from those cities.

General admission tickets for the event will be on sale at the Theater box office the day of the performance from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and an hour before curtain. Tickets are $6.20 each. MU students may obtain free tickets by presenting valid activity cards.

SIGMA XI TO MEET THURSDAY

The Marshall University Sigma Xi Club will meet Thursday, Nov. 20, at 11:30 a.m. in the private dining room in Twin Towers cafeteria, Prof. J. E. Douglass announced. Members may bring their own lunch if desired. At noon, Dr. Howard Price will give a report on the national meeting of the society which he attended recently.

SCOUTS SEEK HELP FROM MU

Dr. Richard O. Comfort, professor of sociology and anthropology, has been asked to help the Tri-State Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, by preparing a list of persons at Marshall University who have been active in the Scouting program in the past.

The council also would like to know the kinds of Scouting positions that have been held by MU personnel and it has requested the names of persons who would be interested in helping the council in its work with troops, packs, explorer units and district committees.

Those who have been involved in Scouting or would like to become involved are asked to send the information requested to Comfort in care of the Department of Sociology and Anthropology.

MIME THEATRE PERFORMANCE SET

Claude Kipnis and the Claude Kipnis Mime Theatre will present a lecture-demonstration and performance at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 19, in Old Main Auditorium on the Marshall Artists Series Convocation Series. The program is open to the public without admission charge.

EMERITUS CLUB DUE ‘SURPRISE’

The Emeritus Club of Marshall will meet at noon Wednesday, Nov. 19, at the UpTowner Inn. Percy Galloway, newly-installed vice president, will present a “surprise” program.

At the group’s meeting last month, it was decided to make a memorial donation to the James E. Morrow Library in the names of two deceased members of the club, Dr. Donald Martin and Miss Ruth Robinson.

COMPUTER CENTER OFFERS AIDS

The Academic Services Division, Marshall University Computer Center, will conduct a seminar as the SAS and SPSS statistical packages for its users within the university community during December.

Persons interested in attending the seminar may call Walter Harriman or Jerry Farmer at 696-3140 or visit them in Room 212, Prichard Hall before Tuesday, Nov. 25.

10 schools, 10 speakers win in MU debate forum

Ten schools and ten speakers talked their way to awards at the fourth annual John Marshall Debate Forum held last weekend on the Marshall University campus.

West Virginia Wesleyan College won the top two spots in the tournament’s varsity division, defeating teams from Fairmont State College and Ohio University. Wesleyan was awarded the Ben W. Hope Trophy, named in honor of the Marshall speech professor who served as director of debate for many years.

In the novice division, Morehead (Ky.) State University won championship honors with a victory over Marietta (Ohio) College.

As the host of the tournament, the Marshall debate team was not eligible for awards.

NEWCOMERS

Newcomers to the campus include:

LOIS A. CHRISTAL, staff counselor in the Student Development Center; GLORIA J. WILLIAMS, circulations clerk in the library; BETTY JO HAMM, secretary in Occupational, Adult and Safety Education; WALTER HARRIMAN, assistant director for Academic Services, Computer Center; LOIS C. MOORE, night supervisor at Laidley Hall, and BETTY C. LAWHORN, LYNDEN McGANN and MARY BERRY, night supervisors at Twin Towers.

Welcome to Marshall!

Dr. Wright is speaker for meeting of AAUP

Dr. John C. Wright, vice chancellor and director of academic affairs for the West Virginia Board of Regents, will present the second program in a two-part series on “Program Review in Higher Education in West Virginia” at a meeting of the American Association of University Professors at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 30, in Room 2W22, Memorial Student Center.

The meeting is open to all Marshall University faculty and administrative personnel.

Towers cafeteria, Prof. J. E. Douglass announced. Members may bring their own lunch if desired. At noon, Dr. Howard Price will give a report on the national meeting of the society which he attended recently.