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NEWSLETTER

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Black History Month events scheduled

Marshall University will open its observance of Black History Month with a teleconference titled "Beyond the Dream, Part V: A Celebration of Black History--The Writers, The Story, The Legacy" on Wednesday, Feb. 3, from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge, according to Macel Braxton, coordinator of Marshall's Office of African American Students' Programs.

The teleconference will focus on the impact of African American literature as it pertains to American culture and life. A common theme throughout the program will be the importance and preservation of culture and heritage.

A panel discussion will be held following the teleconference from 3 to 4 p.m. in the Alumni Lounge.

Dolores Johnson, assistant professor of English at Marshall, will serve as panel facilitator. Panel members

include Dr. Shirley Lumpkin, associate professor of English at MU; Marion Ward, assistant principal at Spring Hill Elementary School, and Victoria Smith, a teacher at Spring Hill Elementary.

Other activities scheduled throughout the month include:

Thursday, Feb. 4--Historian Emma Lapsansky will make a presentation at 7 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center.

Monday, Feb. 8--Columnist DeWayne Wickham will make a presentation at 7 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room.

Wednesday, Feb. 10--"A Day With the Elderly" from 1 to 3 p.m. in the Shawkey Room in Memorial Student Center. Braxton said this popular event gives students and young people a chance to interact with and learn from several of the community's elderly black citizens.

Friday, Feb. 12--Children from the Young Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church will recreate an African wedding ceremony from 6 to 8 p.m. in the Memorial Student Center Alumni Lounge.

Friday, Feb. 12--A Masquerade Ball will be held from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. in Marcos in Memorial Student Center. There will be an admission charge of \$2 per person for the masquerade ball.

Monday, Feb. 15--Actor Giancarlo Esposito will make a presentation at 7:30 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room.

Friday, Feb. 19--A Talent Show will be held beginning at 8 p.m. in Marcos. There will be a \$1 admission charge.

Tuesday, Feb. 23--Joseph Davis, president of the Black

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Prominent speakers to make presentations

Three nationally prominent guests from the fields of education, journalism and the arts will be featured during Marshall University's observance of Black History Month, according to Macel Braxton, coordinator of Marshall's Office of African American Students' Programs.

Dr. Emma Lapsansky, historian and curator of Haverford (Pa.) College's internationally known Quaker Collection, will be a guest speaker on Thursday, Feb. 4, at 7 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room in Memorial Student Center.

DeWayne Wickham, a popular columnist for the Gannett News Service and USA Today, will be a guest speaker on Monday, Feb. 8, at 7 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room.

Giancarlo Esposito, an actor who has appeared in Spike Lee's "Do the Right Thing" and "School Daze" and will be featured in Lee's upcoming film, "Variations on the Mo' Better Blues," will make a presentation on Monday, Feb. 15, at 7:30 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room.

All of the presentations will be open to the public free of charge. Receptions will be held following each presentation.

An associate professor of history at Haverford College, Lapsansky is responsible for the Quaker Collection's 250,000 manuscript items and documents from the past 350 years.

She received her bachelor's degree in history and doctorate in American civilization from the University of Pennsylvania. Her research interests include American

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Nerhood named chairman

Robert Nerhood, M.D., has returned to Huntington to become chairman of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the Marshall University School of Medicine, Dean Charles H. McKown Jr. has announced.

Nerhood's first priority has been to reestablish Marshall's postgraduate training in obstetrics and gynecology.

He said Marshall has not had an OB/GYN residency program since 1986, although the educational program for students is fully approved as part of the school's overall accreditation. In addition, the faculty has continued to assist in residency training through the obstetrical component of the school's family practice residency.

Nerhood said he wants to put together a program that

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colonial history and American intellectual and community history.

Lapsansky has been a member of the History Department at Temple University and served as associate dean of the Temple University College of Arts and Sciences and advising coordinator of the Temple American Studies Program. She has taught at the University of Pennsylvania, Princeton University, Moore College of Art and the Community College of Philadelphia. She also did archaeological work for the National Park Service and served as a research assistant in Afro-American art for the Menil Foundation.

She has served as a consultant for several museums including the Smithsonian Institution.

Wickham began his journalism career in 1973 as a copy-editing intern with the Richmond Times Dispatch. He has worked as a reporter for both the Evening Sun and Sun of Baltimore and as a Capitol Hill correspondent for U.S. News and World Report. He also served as Washington correspondent and contributing editor for Black Enterprise magazine.

He received a bachelor's degree in journalism from the University of Maryland and a master's degree in public administration from the University of Baltimore. He earned a certificate in Afro-American studies from the

University of Maryland.

Wickham is a founding member and former president of the National Association of Black Journalists.

"Fire At Will," a collection of Wickham's columns was published in 1989 by USA Today Books. Wickham recently completed his first screenplay and is working on another book that is scheduled for publication in 1994.

He appears weekly on "Lead Story," a half-hour news analysis program that can be seen nationally on Black Entertainment Television.

At the age of 31, Esposito already has made a mark in the world of entertainment. He perhaps is best known for his role as "Buggin Out" in Spike Lee's "Do the Right Thing," a role in which he portrayed an antagonist who incited the neighborhood to violence. Esposito now presents lectures in which he asks people to consider the true meaning of the film and discusses ways to end racial hatred.

Esposito received the Obie and Theatre World awards in 1981 for his work in "Zooman and the Sign." He previously had performed in several plays including "Maggie Flynn," "Merrily We Roll Along" and "Donut Get God Started."

He has appeared on television in everything from soap operas to "Miami Vice," "Spenser: For Hire" and "Legwork." His most recent film is "The King of New York."

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United Students' Organization at Marshall University, will make a presentation at 7 p.m. in Memorial Student Center Room 2W22.

Thursday, Feb. 25--Gospel Night featuring the Marshall University Mass Choir and choirs from area churches will be held beginning at 7 p.m. in the W. Don Morris Room.

Sunday, Feb. 28--A Soul Food Feast will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Campus Christian Center. Tickets will be \$6 for adults and \$3.50 for students and children. Tickets can be purchased at the MU Office of African American Students' Programs located in Memorial Student Center Room IW25.

A photographic exhibit about the life and times of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and his impact on the civil rights movement will be on display in Marshall's James E. Morrow Library through Feb. 28.

Black History Month activities are being sponsored by Marshall's Office of African American Students' Programs, the Black United Students' Organization, Black Greek Fraternities and Sororities, the Office of Multicultural Affairs, the Office of Continuing Education and Student Activities/Campus Entertainment Unlimited.

All activities will be open to the public. Activities will be open free of charge unless otherwise noted in the schedule.

To obtain further details contact the Office of African American Students' Programs, 696-6705.

Women's Center programs set

The Marshall University Women's Center will hold a four-week group session titled "Relationships and Autonomy" beginning Tuesday, Feb. 2, according to Dr. Donalee Cockrille, coordinator of women's programs at Marshall.

Designed for men and women, the program will explore the strength of relationships and examine compulsive relationships, apathetic relationships and healthy relationships.

The center also will hold a program titled "Rape Education and Prevention for International Women Students" in conjunction with the International Students Programs Office on Wednesday, Feb. 3.

To obtain further details about the programs contact the Marshall University Women's Center, 696-3111 or 696-3338.

Grant deadline Feb. 1

The deadline for faculty members to submit applications for travel grants through the Quinlan Endowment is 4:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 1, according to Dr. Bryan Larsen, chairman of the MU Research Committee.

Application forms are available in the office of the vice president for academic affairs. Completed applications should be returned to that office.

Questions pertaining to the application process should be directed to the individual college representatives on the Research Committee.

Student receives King Scholar Award

The first Reverend Martin Luther King Jr. Scholar Award was presented to Terrie Collins, a Marshall University student from Barboursville, during the Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration held Jan. 18 at the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church.

Dr. David Wilkin, dean of Marshall University's Community and Technical College and chairman of the King Scholar Award Selection Committee, said the award will be presented annually to the high school student or MU undergraduate who writes the best formal research paper about the life and times of King or his impact.

Collins' paper was titled "Pilgrimage From Prejudice."

Winning scholars receive a cash award of \$250. A plaque with the scholar's name will be displayed in Marshall's James E. Morrow Library and the winning paper will be permanently housed in the library.

Four students received special honorable mention for their papers: Leo Rafail, a Huntington resident and Marshall student; Christina Smith of Hannan High School, and Angela Mullins and Kelli Coffman, both from Iron-ton (Ohio) High School. Each honorable mention winner received a cash award of \$50.

Wilkin said the purpose of the King Scholar Award is to promote research, writing and understanding about the life and times of King. The award will be presented in conjunction with the community's annual Martin Luther King Jr. holiday celebration.

The deadline for submitting papers for the 1994 King Scholar Award is Dec. 1, 1993.

To obtain further details about the award program contact Wilkin at Marshall University's Community and Technical College, 696-6796.

Nerhood named chairman

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provides good education for residents, is in harmony with community physicians, and benefits the community at large. Particular emphasis will be placed on ways doctors specializing in obstetrics and gynecology can function in rural and semirural settings, he added.

Most recently, Nerhood had been an associate professor on the faculty of the University of Massachusetts School of Medicine, where he was chairman of obstetrics and gynecology for the Berkshire Medical Center. From 1987 to 1989 he was director of resident education in obstetrics and gynecology at Allegheny General Hospital/Medical College of Pennsylvania. He also was medical director of the Division of Urogynecology. At both schools, he was a clerkship coordinator for third-year medical students.

From 1975 to 1989, Nerhood was a member of OB-GYN Associates Inc. of Huntington and was involved in medical affairs and health policy at local and state levels. He directed the West Virginia Improved Pregnancy Outcome Project for Region II, was a member of the West Virginia Perinatal Committee, and served as a board member of the West Virginia Perinatal Association.

He served as chief of obstetrics and gynecology at Cabell Huntington Hospital where he directed the maternal transport system and the perinatal outreach program. In addition, he served as secretary and president-elect of the hospital's medical staff.

Nerhood was president of the Cabell County Medical Society in 1981.

He began his career as a major in the medical corps of the United States Air Force. He directed outpatient OB/GYN services at Keesler Air Force Medical Center from 1973 to 1975.

A Pennsylvania native, Nerhood received his undergraduate and M.D. degrees from West Virginia University, where he also did his residency. He did his internship at the Harrisburg (Pa.) Polyclinic Hospital.

He was accompanied to Huntington by his wife, Deborah, and their children, Robert, Timothy and Justin.

Cleckley named to post

Dr. Betty J. Cleckley, vice president for multicultural affairs, has been appointed to the Executive Committee of the Defense Advisory Committee on Women in the Services (DACOWITS).

Established in 1951 by former Secretary of Defense George C. Marshall, DACOWITS assists and advises the secretary of defense on policies and matters relating to women in the military services.

Individual members of the committee visit military installations and organizations to keep fully informed on current military activities and policies.

Appointed to DACOWITS in 1992 for a three-year term, Cleckley already has visited Fort Bragg in North Carolina and Fort Jackson in South Carolina.

She recently visited the 254th Army National Guard Transportation Company in Huntington where she met with officers and enlisted guardswomen from the 254th, the 146th Aviation Company and the 153rd Public Affairs Detachment.

Cleckley also will serve as vice chair of the DACOWITS Quality of Life Committee.

Letter of appreciation

Dear Marshall Faculty and Staff:

Your warm expressions of love and concern have meant so very much to me and my family since my mother's death.

Thank you for caring.

Sincerely,
Nell Bailey

Institutions sponsoring trip to Egypt

A 17-day educational tour of Egypt, June 18 through July 4, is being sponsored by Marshall University, the University of Charleston, West Virginia Institute of Technology and West Virginia State College, according to Dr. Clair W. Matz, director of Marshall University's Center

'Art Op' program planned by department

Marshall University's Department of Art will sponsor an after-school art enrichment program titled "Art Opportunity" for students in kindergarten through eighth grade beginning Wednesday, Feb. 17, in Smith Hall.

The program is aimed at enriching the appreciation and understanding of a broad range of cultures through art, according to Linda Anderson, director of the program.

Students enrolled in the program will explore a variety of media including drawing, painting, weaving, print-making, clay and an array of three-dimensional materials. The classes have been designed to be fun as well as challenging for all skill levels.

All classes will meet on Wednesdays from 4 to 6 p.m. through March 31.

An exhibition of works produced during the program will be held April 3 from 2 to 3:15 p.m. in Birke Art Gallery.

There will be a registration fee of \$35 plus \$9 for materials. There will be a 10 percent discount for families enrolling more than one child. Preregistration will end Feb. 10. There will be a \$4 late fee for registration after Feb. 10.

To register or obtain further details contact the Marshall University Art Department, 696-2895.

Employee achievements

Dr. JUDITH SORTET and Dr. LYNNE WELCH of the School of Nursing presented a research study titled "Nursing Students' Attitudes Regarding Appalachian Culture" at the sixth annual International Conference for Women in Higher Education held Jan. 7-10 in El Paso, Texas.

Dr. THOMAS J. MANAKKIL, professor of physics and university safety officer, attended the annual winter meetings of the American Association of Physics Teachers held Jan. 2-7 in New Orleans. He presented two papers: "Medical Radiation Exposure: Benefit vs. Risk" and "Radioactive Radon in the Environment and the Potential Health Risks." The second paper was co-authored by WILLIAM R. ALEXANDER, a former MU graduate student.

Dr. SUSAN C. POWER, assistant professor of art, gave a presentation titled "Native American Art" at the recent West Virginia Art Education Association annual conference, "World Visions of Art Education," held in Morgantown. She was elected to the board of directors as State Higher Education Representative.

for International Studies.

Participants will be able to obtain three hours of college credit through the individual institutions.

The trip will include visits to Cairo, the pyramids of Giza, Saqqara, Abu Simbel, Aswan, Luxor, Hermopolis and other sites.

Dr. Herta Jogland of West Virginia State College will lead the tour and give educational lectures prior to departure and along the way. Jogland has led many previous tours and has a thorough knowledge of the Egyptian culture.

The cost of the tour will be \$2,200 double occupancy from New York City. "This is a very good price considering that it includes two meals per day and deluxe hotel accommodations," said Matz.

The tour enrollment period ends April 5. To obtain an itinerary or further details contact Marshall University's Center for International Studies, 696-5421, or Jogland at West Virginia State College, 346-2240.

ASCR Committee meets

(The following report on the Jan. 19 meeting of the Marshall University Academic Standards and Curricular Review Committee was submitted by Denecia Merritt-Damron, secretary.)

Due to the short notice of the meeting, a quorum was not present. Therefore no formal action was taken.

The new spring 1993 ASCR Committee meeting schedule was announced. Dean Adkins indicated that the schedule will not conflict with the subcommittee's meetings.

Earl Damewood received two grade appeals and passed them on to Professor Elizabeth Nordeen, chair of the Academic Appeals Committee.

At a previous meeting committee members were asked to comment on the existing "Overload Policy." Bob Eddins called to offer any information and/or assistance he might be able to give to the committee regarding this policy.

Dean Adkins reported that he had only received one reply from the college deans regarding program deletions. Each dean was to respond by Jan. 15 with their written input. Damewood had received another reply.

The meeting adjourned at 1:15 p.m. The next meeting will be held Tuesday, Feb. 16, at noon in Smith Hall Room 810.

Excused absences...

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

Jan. 14-17--Jennie Meredith.

Jan. 22--Michael Ross, Eddie Roach, Jesse Hingson, Rebekah White, Christopher Hennessy, Ronda Leighty, Emile Burch, James Issac Woodrum, Cristi Miller.

Jan. 25-27--Christopher Wood.

Academic calendar for 1993-94 set

FIRST SEMESTER CALENDAR 1993-94

August 23, Monday, 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m.	Regular Registration
August 24, Tuesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Regular Registration
August 25, Wednesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Regular Registration
August 26, Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Regular Registration
August 27, Friday, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.	Last Day of Regular Registration for Fall Semester
August 28, Saturday, 9 a.m.	Residence Halls Open
August 30, Monday, 8 a.m.	First Day of Classes
August 30, Monday, 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
August 31, Tuesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
September 1, Wednesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
September 2, Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
September 3, Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
September 6, Monday	Labor Day Holiday - University Closed
September 7, Tuesday 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment Closes
September 17, Friday	Application for December Graduation Due in Academic Dean's Office
September 17, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Day to Drop 1st 8 Weeks Courses with "W" Grade
October 19, Tuesday	Mid-Semester, 1st 8-Weeks Courses End
October 20, Wednesday	2nd 8 Weeks Courses Begin
October 22, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Day to Drop Courses with "W" Grade
October 23, Saturday	Homecoming
October 25, Monday - December 10, Friday	"WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period
November 1 - 19	Advance Registration for Spring Semester for Currently Enrolled Students
November 3, Wednesday	Student Government Elections
November 5, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Day to Drop 2nd 8 Weeks Courses with "W" Grade
November 12, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Day to Drop an Individual Class
November 22 - December 10	Advance Registration for Spring Semester Open to All Admitted/Re-Admitted Students
November 23, Tuesday, After Last Class	Thanksgiving Recess Begins
November 24, Wednesday, Noon	Residence Halls Close
November 25, Thursday	Thanksgiving Holiday - University Closed
November 26, Friday	University Holiday - University Closed
November 28, Sunday, Noon	Residence Halls Open
November 29, Monday	Classes Resume
December 6 - December 10	"Dead Week"
December 10, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Class Day and Last Day to Completely Withdraw For Fall Semester
December 13, Monday	Exam Day
December 13 - January 2	Advance Registration/Schedule Adjustment for Spring Semester is Suspended
December 14, Tuesday	Exam Day
December 15, Wednesday	Study Day - Exams For Wednesday Classes 3 p.m. and After Will Be Held
December 16, Thursday	Exam Day
December 17, Friday	Exam Day - Fall Semester Closes - Official Graduation Date For Fall Semester
December 17, Friday, 6 p.m.	Residence Halls Close
December 20, Monday, 4 p.m.	Deadline for Submitting Final Set of Grades
December 23, Thursday, through January 2, Sunday	University Offices Closed
January 3, Monday	University Offices Open

SECOND SEMESTER 1993-94

January 3, Monday, 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m.	Regular Registration
January 4, Tuesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Regular Registration
January 5, Wednesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Regular Registration
January 6, Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Regular Registration
January 7, Friday, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.	Last Day of Regular Registration for Spring Semester
January 9, Sunday, 9 a.m.	Residence Halls Open
January 10, Monday	First Day of Classes
January 10, Monday, 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
January 11, Tuesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
January 12, Wednesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
January 13, Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
January 14, Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment
January 17, Monday	Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday - University Closed
January 18, Tuesday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment Closes for Spring Semester
January 21, Friday	Application for May Graduation Due in Academic Dean's Office

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February 4, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Day to Drop 1st 8 Weeks Courses with "W" Grade
March 2, Wednesday	Mid-Semester, 1st 8 Weeks Courses End
March 2-3, Wednesday & Thursday	Student Government Elections
March 3, Thursday	2nd 8 Weeks Courses Begin
March 4, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Day to Drop Regular Semester Courses with "W" Grade
March 7, Monday - April 29, Friday	"WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period
March 25, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Day to Drop 2nd 8 Weeks Courses With "W" Grade
March 25, Friday, 6 p.m.	Residence Halls Close
March 26, Saturday through April 4, Monday, 4 p.m.	Spring Break - Classes Dismissed
April 4, Monday, Noon	Residence Halls Open
April 4, Monday, 4 p.m.	Classes Resume
April 5, Tuesday - April 8, Friday	Advance Registration for Summer Session for Currently Enrolled Students Only
April 8, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Day to Drop an Individual Class
April 11 - June 10	Continuous Registration for Summer Session Open to ALL Admitted Students
April 11 - April 29	Advance Registration for 1994 Fall Semester for Currently Enrolled Students
April 25, Monday - April 29, Friday	"Dead Week"
April 29, Friday, 4:30 p.m.	Last Class Day and Last Day to Completely Withdraw for Spring Semester
May 2 - May 30	Advance Registration/Schedule Adjustment for Fall Semester is Suspended
May 2, Monday	Exam Day
May 3, Tuesday	Exam Day
May 4, Wednesday	Study Day - Exams for Wednesday Classes 3 p.m. and After Will Be Held
May 5, Thursday	Exam Day
May 6, Friday	Exam Day
May 6, Friday, 6 p.m.	Residence Halls Close (except for graduating students)
May 7, Saturday, 11 a.m.	157th Commencement Exercises
May 9, Monday, 4 p.m.	Deadline for Submitting Final Set of Grades
May 30, Monday	Memorial Day Holiday - University Closed
May 31, Tuesday, 8 a.m.	Advance Registration and Schedule Adjustment Resumes for Fall Semester for All Students Except First Time Fall Undergraduates

SUMMER SESSIONS 1994

June 10, Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Regular Registration
June 12, Sunday, 9 a.m.	Residence Halls Open
June 13, Monday	First day of Classes
June 13, Monday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment closes for 1st Summer Term
June 17, Friday	Application for July Graduation Due in Academic Dean's Office
July 1, Friday	Last Day to Drop Courses With "W" Grade
July 4, Monday	Independence Day Holiday - University Closed
July 5, Tuesday - July 14, Thursday	"WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period
July 8, Friday	Last Day to Drop An Individual Class
July 14, Thursday	Last Class Day - Last Day to Completely Withdraw for 1st Term
July 15, Friday	Final Examination Day - 1st Term Ends - Official Graduation Date for 1st Term
July 18, Monday, 4 p.m.	Deadline for Submitting Final Grades

Second Term

July 18, Monday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Regular Registration
July 19, Tuesday	First Day of Classes
July 19, Tuesday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m.	Late Registration and Schedule Adjustment closes for 2nd Summer Term
July 22, Friday	Application for August Graduation Due in Academic Dean's Office
August 5, Friday	Last Day to Drop Courses with "W" Grade
August 8, Monday - August 18, Thursday	"WP" or "WF" Withdrawal Period
August 12, Friday	Last Day to Drop An Individual Class
August 18, Thursday	Last Day of Classes for 2nd Term - Last Day to Completely Withdraw for 2nd Term
August 19, Friday	Final Examination Day - 2nd Term Ends - Official Graduation Date for 2nd Term
August 19, Friday, 6 p.m.	Residence Halls Close
August 22, Monday, 4 p.m.	Deadline for Submitting Final Grades