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MU faculty and staff achievements, activities...

KYLE G. McMULLEN, associate professor of accounting, spoke to the CK Ricks Club Aug. 3 on the topic, "Tax Law Changes for 1984 and 1985 and Their Efforts on You.

DR. JOHNIEE CALGEMORE, Psychiatry Department chairperson, spoke to members of the West Virginia Psychiatric Association and the State Medical Society Aug. 24 on "Right To Keep A Little Law Keeper at Bay."

DR. GEORGE T. ARNOLD, associate professor of journalism and Chiel Justice advisor, and BETSY COOK, Parthenon advisor, along with Penney Hall and Pam Wilkinson, yearbook co-editors, conducted yearbook workshops in Charleston Sept. 15 for 150 high school and junior high school students and teachers. Arnold also delivered the keynote address for the day-long meeting sponsored by Walsworth Publishing Company and held at the Marriott Hotel.

DR. KAREN SIMPKINS, assistant professor of sociology/anthropology, presented a paper, "Cultural Indicators of Child Abuse," at a workshop on child abuse Aug. 24 on "Right to Die: A Performance, Cognition and Mood." Dr. BETTY JANN JARRETT, assistant professor and director, Division of Business Technology, Community College, has successfully met all requirements for certificate in public accountancy (CPA).

YOU'RE INVITED

President and Mrs. Nitzsche cordially invite all faculty, staff and their spouses or guests to a reception Monday, Oct. 1, from 5 to 7:30 p.m. in the Morris Room, Memorial Student Center.

Entertainment will include an appearance by Nuclei II, award-winning break dancers from Ironton (Ohio) Junior High School, scheduled for 6 p.m. Light refreshments will be served. (Individual invitations will not be mailed.)

Nominations sought for HST scholarship program

The Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation is soliciting applications from Marshall University sophomores interested in a career in government service at the federal, state, or local levels. Established by Congress in 1975, the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation operates a continuing educational scholarship program designed to provide opportunities for outstanding sophomores interested in a career in government service.

This April, the Foundation will award 105 scholarships nationally, with at least one of the scholarships being awarded to a West Virginia student. The scholarship award, worth up to $20,000, covers eligible expenses up to $5,000 a year for the junior year, the senior year, and two years of graduate study.

To be eligible, students must be full-time sophomores working toward a bachelor's degree, have a 3.00 average, and be a U.S. citizen. If you know of students who would be interested in applying for the Truman Scholarship have them contact Dr. Troy Stewart, associate professor of political science, in Room 740 of Smith Hall by Oct. 31.

Apartment booked for fall

The Housing and Conference Services Office reports that the Holderby Hall Guest Apartment is reserved for the remainder of the Fall Semester. No new reservations will be accepted at this time.

Dr. Bernard Queen returning to teaching

Dr. Bernard Queen, Marshall University's director of development since 1977, has asked to be reassigned to a teaching position in the College of Education.

"I believe we have achieved the goals we set out to achieve with the Development Office and the Marshall University Foundation when I accepted the assignment seven years ago," Queen said. "Now, I would like to return to the College of Education and let others assume the challenge of building the program to greater heights," he added.

President Dale F. Nitzsche said Queen had requested, and would receive assignment in the Department of Educational Administration. "I had asked Dr. Queen to continue to serve in the administration as part of the new structure with the Department of Educational Administration. I would have preferred an assignment in the College of Education and I reluctantly agreed to honor his request. "Bernard Queen has done an outstanding job in reorganizing the Development Office program and putting it on a strong, solid footing," Nitzsche said. "The figures speak for themselves, as he has brought the assets of the Marshall Foundation to more than $6.5 million. He has been very effective, and we are going to miss him in that role," Nitzsche added.

Officially, Queen's assignment with the Development Office will end Friday, Sept. 28, at which time he will begin preparations to return to the classroom at the start of the Second Semester.

Nitzsche said he would meet with the officers of the Marshall Foundation to discuss the steps he will take in filling the vacancy.

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'Thanks to you, United Way agencies can and do'

"Thanks to you, United Way agencies can and do" is the theme for this year's United Way campaign which has a $1.5 million goal to support services provided by 28 community agencies.

Marshall's goal, announced yesterday at a kick-off breakfast, will be $10,000, according to Dr. Karen Simpkins, assistant professor of sociology/anthropology.

Gee, Ginsberg, Nitzsche forum airs Friday on WPBY

West Virginia University President E. Gordon Gee in a green blazer, Chancellor Leon H. Ginsberg wearing Marshall green, too.

Marshall University President Dale F. Nitzsche sporting a WVU sticker on his green blazer, Gee "on a roll" with a Johnny Carson-type monologue.

Television viewers will see all that -- and more -- Friday, Sept. 28 at 9:30 p.m., when WPBY Channel 33 and the other West Virginia public television stations broadcast a forum on higher education featuring campus leaders Nitzsche and Gee.

The three leaders of West Virginia's public higher education system were recorded by WPBY cameras when they appeared as speakers at the Huntington Area Chamber of Commerce's annual meeting at the Gwynn Golf and Country Club in Huntington.

In addition to its many moments of humor, the forum takes a look at the need for cooperation among the public institutions of higher education, the future of Marshall and WVU, the need for greater financial support, and the necessity of greater efficiency in managing institutional budgets.

The broadcast was produced by Dick Hoffman of the WPBY staff.

Faculty meeting Oct. 2

There will be a General Faculty Meeting in the Old Main Auditorium on Tuesday, Oct. 2 at 4 p.m. The agenda will be:

1. Receiving of nominations for the position of Faculty Representative to the President's Committee to Develop Legislative Proposals on behalf of Marshall University

2. President Nitzsche will discuss the Administrative Re-organization of the University

3. Nominations will be received for an at-large vacancy on the Athletic Committee.

Persons desiring to place additional items on the agenda should contact Dr. Sam Clagg, chairman of the University Council, prior to 4:30 p.m., Friday, Sept. 28.

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A BANNER YEAR FOR MARSHALL

Marshall University Alumni Affairs Director Linda Holmes was presented with the Jack Alldred Award last spring that Marshall should have its own flag for the first time. Working with the University Relations Office, he designed the flag which is being manufactured by a West Virginia company. He presented one of the first flags to Ms. Holmes for the university's use. (Marshall University photo by Rick Haye)
Fine Arts celebration to begin Friday
A weekend of art, music, theatre, dance and more featuring such personalities as Phyllis Curtin and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., will officially welcome the new College of Fine Arts at Marshall University Sept. 28-30.

The main events begin Friday, Sept. 28, with a "Showcase of Arts" in Smith Recital Hall at 9 p.m. The public is invited to view MU Theatre in action through a gallery of Marshall's performing arts production "Camelot," a flute ensemble and percussion ensemble; and a dance sculpture, "Vignettes EN 2nd Avenue" choreographed by Vicky Kelly with music by Grace Jones and nine dancers.

A reception in the Birke Art Galleries at 8 p.m. includes soft drinks or dixieland and foundation offices, the other one admission. Absences have been excused by the respective departments and others. Absences have been excused by the respective departments and others.

The traditional Lunch-Under-the-Flute at Prindle Field (across from Fairfield Stadium) will precede the Herd's game against Appalachian State. The smorgasbord-style picnic begins at 11:30 a.m. and includes fried chicken, potato salad, baked beans, rolls, iced tea, coffee, and beer. Price for the lunch is $6 per person. Reservations must be made by Monday, Oct. 8. Members of the Marshall Jazz Ensemble will entertain.

To make reservations or for additional information, call the Alumni Office, extension, 3314.

CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS...

Comprehensive exhibit of work by R. Buckminster Fuller, inventor, architect, design scientist, engineer, mathematician, cartographer, poet, author and educator, will open Oct. 3 and continue through Oct. 29 in the Birke Art Gallery.

The exhibit will include: signed prints from the portfolio "Inventions: Twelve around One," five signed 1927 original microscope drawings, "Dymaxion Air-Ocean Map," "Tetrascrol," and six sculptures.

The gallery is open weekdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and other evenings in conjunction with events in Smith Recital Hall.

SCIENCE FACULTY VOTES
The College of Science Faculty has approved the proposal to revise the college's standing committee structure. Dr. M. Chris Waldron, assistant professor of biological sciences, was elected to serve as the college's representative on the Academic Planning and Standards Committee.

ADULT PIANO CLASS
An eight-week piano class for adults will be offered by Marshall's Music Department on Saturdays from 10 to 11 a.m. beginning Oct. 6. The class is open to high school students and adults who have had some piano work. Additional information may be obtained by calling the Music Department, extension 1317.

Masons award $6,000 scholarship
The Scottish Rite Masons of West Virginia have established a graduate scholarship in public school administration and have named David Brian Hetzer of Huntington, a 1983 Marshall University alumnus, as the first recipient of the $6,000 annual award.

The scholarship is a part of the Masons' national program to assist outstanding students in education-related fields.

ACADEMIC ISSUE PROGRAM... The Academic Issue Program is currently being presented with assistance from the West Virginia Arts and Humanities Agencies, through a grant from the West Virginia Arts Council.

The program is being presented under the direction of the College of Fine Arts, and is being coordinated by Dr. Neil L. Gibbins, chairman of Marshall University's Educational Administration Department, and Dr. Bernard Queen, a 32nd degree Mason and director of MU's Office of Development, look on.

FACULTY RESEARCH
Current Research is preparing an update on faculty research activities for 1984. Information should be sent to either Dr. Joan Gilliland, Corbly Hall 445, or Dr. Corey Lock, Homer Hall. At the time of the update, there is a list of books published by MU faculty members. "If you have had a book published, please send us the title, publisher and date of publication," Lock said.

WOMEN'S COFFEEHOUSE
The Women's Center, Campus United Methodist Ministry and the National Organization for Women will sponsor a Coffeehouse at the Campus Christian Center Friday, Sept. 28, from 8 to 11 p.m. Four female faculty will appear on the program which will feature music, singing and dramatic readings. Food and beverage will be available. There will be a $1 donation.

Personnel personals...
Wedding bells pealed on Sept. 21 at the First United Methodist Church when Donald Assistant Basketball Coach Dan Bell and Diana Calhoun exchanged marriage vows. Diana is a senior on the women's track team.

Donna Beckett, secretary to the School of Medicine dean, is now answering to the name "Gamy D" as her husband, David, Jr., just became a grandmother for the second time when daughter, Jeannine Beckett, and husband, Dr. and Mrs. Walter Balshaw, welcomed a baby boy, named James Andrew, on Sept. 21. Donna's brother, and Mrs. George Bode are doing well, but Donna's on vacation.

Melanie Waddle, cashier in the Finance Office, and her husband Carl are first-time parents now with the arrival of a 1 lb. 2 oz. granddaughter, Jaclyn Alexis, on Sept. 23. Both the baby and dad George Bode are doing well, but Donna's on vacation.

"Visions for Huntington" theme for VIP discussion
The Vital Issues Program (VIP) will hold its first public forum of the new academic year at 11 a.m. Monday, Oct. 1, in Memorial Student Center 2W22, according to Dr. Jabir A. Abbas, VIP coordinator and professor of political science.

"Visions for Huntington—What Direction, What Government, What Projects?" will be the topic to be discussed. A panel of experts will include Governor Balshaw; Huntington mayor; College of Business Dean Robert Alexander; Dr. Carl Gillard; Huntington County Commissioner Ronald Oakerson, associate professor of political science, and a Huntington League of Women Voters representative.

EXCUSED ABSENCES
Absences have been excused by the respective college dean for the following students:

MU'S College of Fine Arts...