10-18-1984

Marshall University News Letter, October 18, 1984

Office of University Relations

Follow this and additional works at: http://mds.marshall.edu/oldmu_news_letter

Recommended Citation
http://mds.marshall.edu/oldmu_news_letter/371
MU faculty and staff achievements, activities...  

Dr. C. ROBERT BARNETT, professor of health, physical education and recreation, WVU Hill, produced at WQBY-TV, and Glenn Pressnell, former professional football player, spoke to the Portsmouth (Ohio) Kiwanis Club Sept. 12 on early professional football.

DR. GEORGE T. ARNOLD, associate professor of journalism, directed a language skills discussion session Sept. 19 at the Huntington Publishing Company for staff writers of the Herald Dispatch.

DR. GARY O. RANKIN, associate professor of pharmacology, presented a paper on nephrotoxicity to the Second International Symposium on Nephrotoxicity in Guilford, England Aug. 6-9. He presented two other papers on the topic to the American Society for Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics meeting Aug. 22 in Indianapolis.

VIOLETTE E. EASH, associate professor of counseling/rehabilitation, delivered the keynote address, "Born to Win," to the 60th annual meeting of the West Virginia State Easter Seal Society, held at Oglebay Park on Oct. 6. On Oct. 5, she presented a position paper on the organization and maintenance of consumer advisory committees for the West Virginia Division of Vocational Rehabilitation at a two-day meeting held in Morgantown. Dr. Eash is president of the District V (Huntington area) consumer advisory committee which makes recommendations to vocational rehabilitation regarding client services and related matters.

DR. ROBERT GERKE, professor of English, attended and delivered a paper, "The Allegory of Temperance in Henryson's 'The Two Mice,'" at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Medieval Association, Oct. 5-6, at Eastern Kentucky University.

DR. WILLIAM PALMER, assistant professor of history, has been notified by the editor of The Southern Humanities Review that his article, "Still More on Utopia: A Revival of the Catholic Interpretation?" has been accepted for publication.

BOR resolutions.  

(Continued from page 1)

upon better preparation in public schools, and better prepared students will enable higher education to utilize its resources more efficiently; and,

WHEREAS, building a quality foundation requires good teachers, proper facilities, adequate materials, supplies and equipment and appropriate instructional programs; and,

WHEREAS, the public school system plays an integral role in the training of teacher education students; and,

WHEREAS, proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 4, entitled, "Better Schools, Roads and Public Works Construction Amendment," provides for educational improvements.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the West Virginia Board of Regents does hereby support the "Better Schools, Roads and Public Works Construction Amendment," and urge its adoption at the General Election on November 6, 1984.

WEST VIRGINIA BOARD REGENTS 
RESOLUTION ADOPTED 
OCTOBER 3, 1984

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF REGENTS AS FOLLOWS:  
All public higher education legislative goals, objectives and programs shall be formulated by the Board of Regents after consultation with its constituent groups, including the college and university presidents.

No college or university president, or those appointed by them or acting in their behalf, shall pursue independent legislative goals or act in legislative matters contrary to the common program for higher education established in West Virginia, as formulated by the Board of Regents.

The Board of Regents welcomes and encourages the support of the colleges in the process of legislation involving their staffs and constituent groups. In its efforts to promote the Regents' legislative goals and objectives in West Virginia.

THANKS TO YOU 
None of us alone can provide character-building programs for our youth. supervised facilities for recreation and neighborhood activities... special events for our handicapped and disadvantaged... and, 

THANKS TO YOU, United Way agencies can and do!

Resolutions passed by Board of Regents  

The West Virginia Board of Regents at its Oct. 3 meeting passed two resolutions which are of importance to the state system of higher education and its personnel. The first urges the adoption of the "Better Schools Amendment" (Amendment 4) at the General Election on Nov. 6. The second according to BOR Chancellor Leon C. Plumley, Marshall's representative to the Board is a major improvement in enrolling legislative goals. "The desire of the board on this issue deserves our special attention," Dr. Gimbarg said.

WEST VIRGINIA BOARD OF REGENTS 
RESOLUTION ADOPTED 
OCTOBER 3, 1984

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of higher education to meet the needs of the State's residents for advanced training and knowledge; and,

WHEREAS, the public school system is the foundation for all future educational pursuits; and,

WHEREAS, better prepared college freshmen depend

(Continued on page 4)

News letter  

OFFICE OF UNIVERSITY RELATIONS • NEWS BUREAU • MARSHALL UNIVERSITY • HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA 25701

Forums to explore arms control, candidates  

'Breaking the Stalemate' Friday at Student Center

Vitaly Churkin, the second secretary of the Soviet Embassy, will join with U.S. Congressman Dan Raffensperger and members of the Marshall faculty in a public forum and discussion, "Breaking the Stalemate," at 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 19, in the Alumni Lounge, Memorial Student Center.

The panel discussion is a highlight of "Breaking the Stalemate Week," currently being observed campus-wide, and is sponsored by the university.

"This forum is designed to provide the public with a diversity of perspectives on how to break the nuclear arms race," said Dr. Elinore Taylor, associate professor of English. "Secretary Churkin is a specialist in arms control," she added.

Moderator for the panel will be Dr. Clair Matz, professor of political science and international affairs specialist. Also on the panel will be Dr. Vernon Padgett, assistant professor of psychology, whose field is social psychology. Also participating are "back-up commentators," according to Dr. Taylor, will be Dr. R. Morris Coats, assistant professor of economics, and Rebecca Johnson-Kerns, assistant professor of journalism.

(Continued on page 3)

NEWSCOMERS

New to the campus are:

TRACY S. HILL, secretary, Economics Department; JANIS B. KINGERLY, clerk, James E. Morrow Library; NANCY M. DAVIS, clerk, Housing; RANDY H. LAYNE and JOHN E. GARRIDO, police officers, Public Safety; ROBERT, EUGENE LEWIS, and THOMAS W. VARNET, building service workers, Housing. Welcome to Marshall!

College of Science election  

The College of Science faculty has elected the following people as committee representatives: Mary Etta Hight and Tom Olson, at-large members; College Curriculum Committee; Carol Henderson; SCORES representative; Mike Little, a one-year seat on Honors Council.

WHEREAS, the responsibility of higher education to meet the needs of the State's residents for advanced training and knowledge; and,

WHEREAS, the public school system is the foundation for all future educational pursuits; and,

WHEREAS, better prepared college freshmen depend

(Continued on page 4)

FACULTY COUNCIL HONORS NITZSCHKE

The Advisory Council of Faculty to the West Virginia Board of Regents recently honored Marshall University President Dale F. Nitzschke for his actions in defense of academic freedom and tenure. Shown presenting the award to President Nitzschke is Council Chairman Allan Roberts, chairman of the Advisory Council of Faculty at Marshall. Nitzschke earlier had received the American Association of University Professors' Alexander Meiklejohn Award for defense of academic freedom while serving as vice president of the academic affairs at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas.
Committee seeks faculty service funds

The following report was submitted by Mack H. Gillenwater, chairman of the Faculty Service Committee.

As of Oct. 9, the Faculty Service Committee had received donations from 150 faculty and administrators, including full-time, part-time and medical school personnel, which represent 21 percent of the total eligible to participate.

According to the coordinator of Institutional Research, there are 598 faculty and administrators at Marshall University.

In order that we may carry out our functions as outlined in the Marshall University faculty handbook, we are encouraging every faculty member and administrator to contribute at least 1 percent of your annual salary toward Marshall’s Student Services Fund to help defray the cost of personnel, including full-time, part-time and medical school personnel.

The following is a list of those who had contributed as of Oct. 9:

John B. Adams, Neal Adkins, Robert Alexander, Frank Aldredge, Gary Anderson, Robert Angel, Stanley Ash, William Ashford, Nell Bailey, Paul Bailey, Robert Baker, Charles Bais, Margaret Bird, Michael Boundres, Barbara Brown, Margaret Campbell, Judy Caste, Kathleen Cauthen, Martha Childress, Sam Clague, Stephen Cody, Sue Corley, Robert Cooper, John Corley, Charles Cunningham, David Cusick, Dorothy Dougherty, David Dawson, Jack Deming, Lyle Deutchman.


A one-hour seminar on self protection will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, in the Morris Room Memorial Student Center, according to MU Personnel Director Marshall Mullins.

"Although the seminar is designed primarily for women, the material to be presented is just as applicable to men," Mullins said. "I hope members of the local black community will join our students, faculty and staff in this workshop experience.

Former program administrator for Educational Testing Service of Princeton, N.J., Parker has a broad background in leadership and human behavior spanning a career as a teacher, college administrator, public school and college administrator and management consultant.

"He is the author of numerous publications on human behavior, motivation, behavioral learning patterns, human development, counseling, managerial psychology, career assessment, leadership and affirmative action in education and in the corporate environment.

Better understanding (Continued from page 1)

"Our idea then is to get the audience involved in the discussion, either by asking questions of the panelists or by making their own statement of things in regard to what we have seen," said WGN News Director Dee DeLancy, who developed the idea for the public forum. DeLancy and WGN News Director Alan Howell serve as moderators for the evening.

"We are joining WGN in sponsoring this program as a service to the community," said DeLancy. "We have been fortunate to have a man of Dr. Alan B. Gould. "The whole idea behind this live radio broadcast is to create a better understanding of American politics and to provide people with an opportunity to learn more about the candidates, so they can make an informed choice," he added.

Panelists will include: Dr. Albert Esposito, representing the Reagan/Bush forces; Mr. George Mills, representing Mondale/Ferraro; Dr. Clair Matz, professor of political science, Dr. Troy Stewart, associate professor of political science; Dr. Craig Monroe, associate professor of speech; Mark Borzi, assistant professor of speech; Dr. Donald Chezik, professor of psychology; Dr. Steve Cody, assistant professor of psychology; Bob Brunner, WGN-A's political director, and George Wolford of the Ashland (Ky.) Daily Independent.

Faculty elects Olive Hager, Loraine Duke, Marc Lindberg

Results of the recent faculty election for representatives to the Athletic Committee, the President's Legislative Committee and the President's Cabinet have been announced.

Dr. Loraine Duke, professor of English, was elected to the newly-created President's Cabinet, while Dr. Marc A. Lindberg, professor of history, was elected as a faculty liaison to another new group, the President's Legislative Committee.

Olive Hager, assistant professor of health, physical education and recreation, was elected to fill a vacancy on the Athletic Committee.