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Recommendations for curtailing long distance calling

Curtailment of direct dialed long distance calls is placing a heavier burden on the Marshall University telephone system, according to John McKinney, communications manager.

Impact of the cut can be lessened, McKinney said, if university employees follow these suggestions:

- Eliminate long distance calls whenever possible.
- If the call can't be eliminated, dial the university centex console attendant ("O") for assistance. The attendant will help determine the most economical method of making the call.
- Exercise patience! The capacity of the university telephone system and the capacity of the state government telephone system in Charleston are limited by the number of available lines.
- Be brief! If possible, limit the time of the call to three minutes. The number of calls that can be handled depends on the amount of time each call consumes.
- When possible, make necessary long distance calls in late afternoon and evening when the lines are not as busy.

The curtailment is part of the university's effort to meet recent budget reductions ordered by Gov. John D. Rockefeller IV.

Community College continuing education classes

Continuing education classes ranging from wedding planning and aerobic dance to investment techniques and the African cultural heritage will be offered this spring by Marshall University's Community College. Most classes will begin in February, according to Robert L. Lawson, CC continuing education director. The number of sessions will vary with the type of class, but range from six to 11, Lawson said.

Classes are not scheduled to meet during the university's spring break, March 7-11. Instructors also will make the additional adjustments made necessary by the impending furlough of MU employees scheduled to follow spring break, Lawson said.

Students may register for the classes by calling the Continuing Education Office, extension 3646. The spring schedule includes:

MONDAY NIGHT

- Conversational German, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Feb. 28, Smith Hall 409, Erika Mininni, instructor, $40 fee.

TUESDAY NIGHT

- Basic Photography, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Feb. 15, Smith 143, Willis Cook, instructor, $45 fee.
- Ballroom Disco Dancing, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning March 3, Gullickson Hall 206, Jack Austin, instructor, $30 singles fee/$45 couple fee.  

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NCATE review rescheduled

The National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE) has rescheduled its review of Marshall's College of Education from the dates of March 20-23 to March 27-30, according to Dr. Jack Maynard, the college's assistant dean.

The visit by NCATE to Marshall is the regular 10-year review cycle as the college was last evaluated in 1973, Maynard said. The approximately 15-member NCATE team will review all teacher education programs—undergraduate and graduate, Maynard noted.
MU faculty and staff achievements, activities...

DR. MACK H. GILLENWATER, associate professor of geography, is the author of an article, “Place Names as Cultural Indicators: The Case of the New River (West Virginia) Basin,” which has been published in Virginia Geographer, XIV, Fall-Winter, 1982, issue.

Typewriter repair services offered by Plant Operations

Typewriter broken? Budget dollars almost gone? Then a relatively new service from Plant Operations may be the answer.

H.E. Long, director of Plant and Administrative Operations, reminds the campus community that typewriter repair services are available and encourages users of all brands to use them.

“While this service is primarily for IBM typewriters, we want users of other equipment to contact us for an evaluation of the problem prior to placing a service call to a commercial shop,” Long said.

“We believe we can offer significant savings and hope people on campus will take advantage of this new service by calling Plant Operations (Ext. 6680),” he said.

NEWCOMERS

New to the campus are:

MAUREEN ELAINE ROGERSON, lab/medical technologist trainee, Physiology Department; JAMES P. SPITLER JR., FRANK HATFIELD, ROGER LEE KENNEDY and TONY HARRISON GRAY, building service workers, Plant Operations.

Welcome to Marshall!!

Personnel personals...

Dr. Milton Rosenbaum, distinguished visiting professor of psychiatry, and his wife have donated a 1963 Picasso linocut, “Le Peintre a la Palette,” to the Huntington Galleries.

Dr. Patrick I. Brown, assistant dean for medical student affairs, and his wife Barbara announce a new addition to their family, Theodore Jared, born Jan. 14 weighing 9 lbs.

Proud of a family member’s accomplishment! Is there a new baby at your house? Is there something else you’d like to share with your colleagues? Personnel personals... is just the place. Send your information to Judith Casto, University Relations, Old Main 102.

BOR president Paul J. Gilmer to open Black History Month

The Rev. Paul J. Gilmer, state Board of Regents president, will be the keynote speaker launching an observance of Black History Month in February, according to DeWayne Lyles, Minority Students Program coordinator.

Gilmer will speak at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 2, in Memorial Student Center’s Don Morris Room. The theme for the campus observance is “MU Black Graduates: Their Impact on Campus and Society.”

A full schedule of events will be announced in next week’s News Letter.


DR. ALLAN STERN, assistant professor, was among those faculty and staff members of the OAS Department who completed the course, “Contact: Making Positive First Impressions,” last month. He is now certified to teach the course in West Virginia.

CE courses for spring scheduled

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-Planning Your Wedding, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Feb. 8, Corbly Hall 356, Patricia Ann Batie, instructor, $40 fee.
-Aerobic Dance, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m., beginning Feb. 22, Gullickson Hall 206, Sandra Jean Walls, instructor, $40 fee. Class also meets on Thursdays.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT

-Micro Wave Cooking 1, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., beginning March 2, Corbly Hall 103, Janet Yost, instructor, $40 fee.
-Conversational French, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Feb. 23, Smith Hall 409, Marianne Waterbury, instructor, $40 fee.
-Conversational Spanish, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning March 2, Smith Hall 227, Laura Adkins, instructor, $40 fee.

THURSDAY

-African Roots of Soul, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Feb. 24, Harris Hall 234, Deborah Carter, instructor, $35 fee.
-Wall Street Semester, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Feb. 24, Smith Hall 227, Everett Brown, instructor, $40 fee.
-Chinese Cooking with Culture, 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Feb. 24, Corbly Hall 103, Robin Ziegler, instructor, $40 fee. (May be an additional fee to cover food costs.)

Seminar on Hitchcock tonight

“Hitchcock Closeup,” a seminar featuring Dr. Donald Spoto, author of “The Art of Alfred Hitchcock,” will be presented at 8 p.m. today (Jan. 27) in Old Main Auditorium as part of the Marshall Artists Series’ Student Series.

The program will include a lecture and discussion of Hitchcock’s work as well as the screening of his classic film, “Psycho.”

General admission tickets for the program are $5 and are available from the Artists Series Office, located on the first floor of Memorial Student Center. MU students with ID and Activity cards will be admitted free. Faculty and staff as well as students with Marshall ID only may purchase tickets at $2.50 each.

Campus job openings...

The MU Personnel office has announced the following campus employment opportunity:

Secretary II, Special Services, Pay grade 4, deadline Jan. 31.

For additional information or to apply, contact the Personnel Office, located in Old Main 207, extension 6455.