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General faculty meeting scheduled March 22

There will be a general faculty meeting at 4 p.m. Tuesday, March 22, in Old Main Auditorium. The annual Spring elections of various faculty to the standing faculty committees will begin at that time by receiving nominations.

In this Spring election by the faculty at large, nominations are received and ballots are distributed and collected during the following week. This has been the standard procedure for some years. The vacancies are as follows with the name indicating the person now serving in the position.

1. A. (All four year terms)
   1. Faculty Service Committee - Professor Louise Bailey
   2. Athletic Committee - Professor Harry Sowards

B. Institutional Board of Advisors (1 year term) Professor Elinore Taylor
2. Board of Regents Advisory Council of Faculty (1 year term) Professor Francis Aldred

Grant made to encourage Marshall faculty research

The Marshall University Foundation has received a $2,000 contribution to encourage faculty research from Margaret Van Zandt Winn of Huntington, according to MU Foundation Executive Director Bernard Queen.

This is the fourth consecutive year that Mrs. Winn has offered the award which she began in 1980 as the George W. Van Zandt Memorial Research Grant, named for her father, a prominent Huntington businessman.

One of the best ways to challenge faculty members or to intellectually stimulate a campus and its surrounding community is through the exploration of new ideas, Mrs. Winn said when she first established the grant.

“I would hope that others in the community would be encouraged to make similar gifts to assist faculty research at Marshall,” she said.

Faculty members from any university department are eligible to compete for the grant, according to MU Graduate School Dean Paul D. Stewart. Proposals should be for a social science project with an international perspective, he said.

The MU Research Board will make the final determination as to which project proposals qualify as social science. Information on how to submit a project proposal for this award may be obtained from the Graduate School Office. The deadline for submission is Monday, March 28.

Graduate school representatives

The Graduate School faculty recently elected the following representatives to university standing committees: Dr. Mahlon Brown, Academic Planning and Standards; Dr. Virginia Plumley, Personnel; and Dr. Leonard Deutsch, Budget and Appropriations.

3. Memorial Student Center Board (2 year term) Professor Maureen Milicia.

C. The Board of Regents Policy Bulletin No. 36 (Revised January 1983) provides for the following in 13a: “Institutional Hearing Committee: Each year the faculty of each institution shall elect thirteen tenured or probationary faculty members, representative of the various ranks in the institution, who shall be known as the Hearing Panel.” In keeping with this, nominations will be received to elect three instructors, three assistant professors, three associate professors, and four professors. The ranks are those to be held during the 1983-84 academic year. (The names provided are now serving in the positions.)

2. Nominations of associate professors (3) Mary (Continued on page 2)
MU, SWVCC establish ‘two-plus-two’ programs

Southern West Virginia Community College and Marshall University have developed seven “two-plus-two” programs allowing students taking their first two years at Southern to complete a baccalaureate degree at Marshall in two additional years.

Announcement of the agreement was made jointly Tuesday by SWVCC President Gregory Adkins and MU President Robert B. Hayes during news conferences held at Southern’s Williamson and Logan campuses.

Specific courses at Southern compatible with Marshall requirements have been identified for MU’s baccalaureate degree programs in: Accounting, Criminal Justice, Elementary Education, Secondary Education, General Business, Medical Technology and Nursing. These curricula are four-year degree programs except for Medical Technology which takes five years.

“Students enrolled in these specific programs not only will be assured of an orderly progression toward the bachelor’s degree, but also will be able to reduce the cost of their education by remaining in the region for those first two years,” said Dr. Adkins.

“The formalization of what has been somewhat ambiguous under previous informal agreements will have tremendous benefits for southern West Virginians,” he added.

For several years, Marshall and other four-year schools within the state Board of Regents system have had credit transfer agreements with the system’s two-year colleges, but this is the first time the university has dealt with specific degree programs.

“We consider providing services to southern West Virginia a major priority in our mission,” said Dr. Hayes, adding that the programs were developed at the request of SWVCC.

February meeting report of academic planning/standards

At its Feb. 15 meeting, the Academic Planning and Standards Committee took the following actions:

1. Faculty can visit other faculty’s classrooms with prior permission from the visited instructor and provided space is available.

2. The following courses were added:
   - GLY 101 General Geology 3 hrs.
   - MUS 111-112 Elem Music Theory 2 hrs.
   - MUS 113-114 Elem Ear Training & Dict 2 hrs.
   - MUS 211-212 Adv Music Theory 2 hrs.
   - MUS 213-214 Adv Ear Training & Dict 2 hrs.
   - MUS 173 ABCD Applied Music Harp 1-2 hrs.
   - MUS 373 ABCD Applied Music Harp 1-2 hrs.
   - MUS 101 Basic Musicanship 3 hrs.
   - MUS 650 Ancient & Medieval Music 3 hrs.
   - CI 466-566 Prob in Curr Dev for Pub School Art K-12 3 hrs.
   - ART 466-566 Prob in Curr Dev for Pub School Art K-12 3 hrs.
   - SOS 207 Prob of Multicultural Society 3 hrs.
   - SOS 208 Social Prob in a Global Context 3 hrs.
   - PMC 640 Behavioral Pharmacology 3 hrs.
   - CR 107 New Student Seminar 1 hr.

3. The following Courses were deleted:
   - MUS 115-116 Elem Music Theory 4 hrs.
   - MUS 315-316 Adv Music Theory I, II 4 hrs.
   - SOS 201 Fund Social Prob 3 hrs.
   - SOS 202 Fund Social Prob 3 hrs.

4. A major revision of the MBA program was also passed.

Respectfully submitted
Dr. John E. Smith
AP&S secretary

Search committee appointed

The Search Committee for the College of Business Dean has been appointed, according to MU Graduate School Dean Paul D. Stewart, who will serve as search committee chairman.

The committee includes Dr. Ramchandra G. Akkihal, professor of economics; Dr. David O. Barrows, assistant professor of computer and information science; Richard Jones, assistant professor of marketing; Dr. Steve Lahoda, assistant professor of management; Dr. Glen Lange, associate professor of accounting; Lt. Col. John A. Marshok, professor of military science; Dr. Dayal Singh, professor of finance; Brian Kneafsey, College of Business Advisory Committee chairman, and Judy Salaz, graduate student.

Spring Break Schedule

The University News Letter will not be published next week during the student and faculty Spring Break. Publication will resume with the Thursday, March 17, issue. Copy deadline for the News Letter is 10 a.m. the preceding Tuesday.

The James E. Morrow Library has announced the following schedule for Spring Break:

Saturday, March 5: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, March 6: CLOSED
Monday - Friday, March 7-11: 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, March 12: CLOSED

Resume regular schedule Sunday, March 13:

Sunday: 1 p.m. - 10 p.m.
Monday - Thursday: 7:45 a.m. - 11 p.m.
Friday: 7:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Free tickets offered

“Marshall employee appreciation nights” are being observed this week by the Marshall Athletic Department, Athletic Director Lynn Snyder announced Wednesday. As part of the observance, free tickets were being made available to MU employees and their immediate family members for Wednesday night’s game with Furman and this Saturday night’s final regular basketball season game with Davidson.

Tickets for the Davidson game may be picked up at the Henderson Center Ticket Office from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. daily through Saturday by presentation of a MU staff identification card. No requests will be honored after 4:30 p.m. Saturday. The game starts at 7:30 p.m.

Committee nominations sought

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3. Nominations of assistant professors (3) Boots Dilley, Kathryn Chezik and Betty J. Jarrell.


II. Other agenda items may be added by contacting the Chairman of the University Council.

Sam Clegg, Chairman
University Council