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News Letter

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State-wide program review under way

A system wide evaluation of all degree programs offered by the state institutions of higher education will be conducted by the West Virginia Board of Regents over the next five years, according to MU Associate Provost Robert F. Maddox, who will coordinate the process at Marshall.

Approximately one-fifth of the programs under the BOR are up for review in 1983, Dr. Maddox said. The evaluation will be conducted in accordance with Policy Bulletin 11 which states in part:

"That in order to maintain an accurate assessment of productivity and to evaluate the need for continuing the

several degree programs offered by the state universities and colleges, it shall be the policy of the West Virginia Board of Regents to review in detail enrollments, enrollment trends and degrees awarded in each program offered by the institutions comprising the state system of higher education. . . ."

Each program under review will submit an "Institutional Program Evaluation Report" to the BOR and an analysis of these reports along with a proposed recommendation by the BOR staff will then be given to the appropriate degree level committee for review.

That committee will respond to the staff's recommendations and at this phase outside consultants may be used if necessary, Maddox explained. If the institution does not agree with the BOR staff's recommendations, it may request that the Evaluation Advisory Committee review the report.

The advisory committee's report and the institutional response will be submitted to the board along with the staff recommendation and any appropriate information provided by the consultants.

The possible recommendations may include: continuing the program, sharing the program or discontinuing the program.

"The BOR staff will examine a number of factors, including quality and quantity—the number of students being served—of the program," Maddox said. "All the schools in the state system will develop their own "Institutional Program Evaluation Reports," he added.

Programs coming under review in 1983 include:

GRADUATE AND PROFESSIONAL DEGREE PROGRAMS—Art, Visual Art, Music, Theatre, Community Health, Speech Pathology and Audiology, Rehabilitation Counseling, Medical Technology, Biomedical Science, Public Administration, Recreation and Parks Management, Social Work, Criminal Justice, Humanistic Studies, Liberal Studies and Engineering Management.

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Bos Johnson, Karen Simpkins to head United Way on campus

Bos Johnson, associate professor of journalism, and Dr. Karen Simpkins, assistant professor of sociology/anthropology, will serve as co-chairmen for the Marshall University campus division of the 1983-84 Cabell-Wayne United Way Campaign.

The community-wide United Way drive will be launched Monday, Sept. 19, with a noon luncheon in the Don Morris Room, Memorial Student Center, at which time the theme and goal for this year's campaign will be announced.

The campus drive will be kicked off with an 8 a.m. coffee Wednesday, Sept. 28, in Memorial Student Center 2W22. MU Acting President Sam Clagg will speak to the departmental representatives for the campaign.

Council prepares legislative package

The Board of Regents' Advisory Council of Faculty met in June, July and most recently on Sept. 7-8. The major concern of these meetings has been to prepare a legislative package which the Council will soon submit to the Board of Regents. It is hoped that the BOR in turn will incorporate the Council's suggestions into its annual legislative program.

After lengthy debate the following items comprise the Council's request:

1. State funding adequate to provide an average faculty salary increase of 20 per cent. Fifteen per cent raises should be distributed across-the-board, while the remainder should be used for appropriate salary adjustments.
2. Statutory authorization to use a portion of HERF monies (up to \$1 million annually) for purposes of faculty development.
3. Provision of new funds to enhance campus computer facilities and instruction available for faculty and students in all disciplines.
4. Opposition to any reduction in the state government's 100 per cent support of state employees' medical insurance premiums.

Among items excluded by the Council from its legislative request was a public employees' collective bargaining enabling act. Ten of the Council's 16 members opposed such legislation. They reported that faculty sentiment on their campuses was either negative or lukewarm on this matter. Faculty members were reported to be strongly in favor of a collective bargaining act at Parkersburg and Northern West Virginia community colleges, and also at West Liberty State College.

On our own campus I received by last Wednesday 183 responses to the collective bargaining survey sent to all full-time faculty members through the campus mail system. Of those, 75 percent favored some form of collective bargaining legislation. Only 19 percent opposed collective bargaining, while 6 percent volunteered "no

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University Theatre announces new season

Marshall University Theatre will launch its 1983-84 season with five performances of Cole Porter's romantic musical, "Kiss Me Kate," directed by Dr. Elaine A. Novak, professor of theatre.

Evening performances are scheduled Wednesday through Saturday, Oct. 12-15, at 8 o'clock in Old Main Auditorium and a 2 p.m. matinee will be presented on Sunday, Oct. 16.

The musical is a joint production between the Theatre/Dance and Music departments. J.D. Folsom, assistant professor of music, is musical director and Mary Kessick of Huntington will do choreography.

The season includes: "A Hatful of Rain," a drama

by Michael Vincent Gazzo, Nov. 16-19; "The Inspector General," a farce by Nikolai Gogol, Feb. 22-25; "The Spiral Staircase," a mystery adapted by F. Andrew Leslie, March 28-31, and "Lysistrata," a comedy by Aristophanes, April 25-28.

Season tickets at \$15 each are now available from the Theatre Box Office. All seats are reserved and season subscribers will have the same seats on the same night for all productions. Individual performance tickets are \$4 for the musical and \$3.50 for plays. The box office is located in Old Main B-23. Telephone: 304-696-2306.

CC to offer variety of special interest classes

Marshall University's Community College will offer a wide range of continuing education and community service classes this fall, according to Robert L. Lawson, continuing education director.

The fall schedule includes 19 classes, ranging from the study of Arab culture and civilization to beginning clogging and from bread baking to photography.

"There are a number of new classes, such as clogging and personal survival tactics, and many of our most popular ones have been expanded to include some new materials. There's even one on how to conduct a yard sale," Lawson said.

"The classes offer members of the community an opportunity for cultural, personal and professional enrichment—as well as just plain fun," he added.

Taught of an evening, the classes begin the third week of September and most will meet through the first week of November. Cost for enrolling will depend upon the class selected. The enrollment fee ranges from \$15 to \$164.50, but most classes cost between \$30 and \$40.

The schedule will include the following noncredit courses:

MONDAYS

Conversational German, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 19-Nov. 7, Smith Hall 416, \$35 fee, Erika Mininni, instructor.

Introduction to Photography, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 19-Nov. 7, Harris Hall 139, \$40 fee, John Lloyd instructor.

Dynamic Mind Power, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 19-Nov. 7, Harris Hall 331, \$30 fee, Jeanne Crowther instructor.

All staff employees invited to council meeting on Sept. 22

The University Staff Council will hold an open luncheon meeting at noon Thursday, Sept. 22, in Memorial Student Center's Special Dining Room.

The meeting is open to all staff employees. Those attending are asked to go through the cafeteria line and bring their trays upstairs for the luncheon meeting.

The agenda will include a discussion of the 12th paid holiday and reports on the Board of Regents Staff Advisory Council and on the Institutional Board of Advisors by Ray Welty and Ken Reffeitt, respectively. A legislative committee will be appointed and the feasibility of a news letter will be discussed.

Basketball Officiating, 6 to 9 p.m., Oct. 3-24, and 9 a.m. to noon on Saturdays, Harris Hall 139, \$40 fee, Willard Hunter instructor.

Ground School Aviation, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays, Sept. 19-Nov. 7, Gullickson Hall 213, \$164.50 fee, Don Clay and Trey Mace instructors.

TUESDAYS

Conversational Spanish, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Smith Hall 414, \$35 fee, Laura Adkins instructor.

World Affairs Discussion Group, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Smith Hall 336, \$30 fee, Clair Matz instructor.

How to Conduct a Successful Yard Sale, 6 to 8 p.m., Sept. 20-Oct. 4, Corbly Hall 306, \$15 fee, Donald Wilkes instructor.

Personal Survival Tactics, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Harris Hall 331, \$25 fee, Glenn Crouse instructor.

Basic Obedience - "Dog Training," 7 to 8:30 p.m., Sept. 27-Nov. 1, Community College Lawn, \$15 fee, Raymond Huck instructor.

Personal Financial Management, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Corbly Hall 305, \$40 fee, Robert Russell instructor.

Tapping Community Resources, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8 Harris Hall 441, \$35 fee, Jonathan Williams instructor.

Aerobic Exercise for Adults, 5:15 to 6:15, Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept. 20-Nov. 3, Gullickson Hall 206, \$15 fee, Sandy Walls instructor.

Beginning Clog Dance Class, 8 to 10:30 p.m., Sept. 20-Nov. 8, Henderson Center Hallway Level E, \$40 fee, Jim Bowling instructor.

WEDNESDAYS

Advanced Microwave Cooking, 6:30 to 9 p.m., Nov. 9-Dec. 21, Corbly Hall 103, \$30 fee, Donald Chezik instructor.

Beginning Clog Dance Class, 8 to 10:30 p.m., Sept. 21-Nov. 9, Henderson Center Hallway Level E, \$40 fee, Jim Bowling instructor.

THURSDAYS

The Arab World, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 22-Nov. 10, Smith Hall 232, \$30 fee, Jabir Abbas instructor.

Chinese Cooking, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 22-Nov. 10, Corbly Hall 103, \$40 fee, Robin Ziegler instructor.

Ballroom Disco and Country Style Dancing, 7 to 9 p.m., Sept. 22-Nov. 10, Gullickson Hall 206, \$30 singles, \$45 couples, Jack Austin instructor.

A brochure describing the various classes in detail may be obtained from the Community College by calling 696-3646. Advance registration is necessary. Registrations will be accepted by telephone or mail up to one week prior to the first class session. After that time, registration must be made in person at the Continuing Education Office, which is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Mellon Foundation establishes new fellowships

The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation has established a new national fellowship program for beginning graduate students which will begin in fall 1984. The Mellon Fellowships in the Humanities have two objectives:

To attract 100 to 125 exceptionally promising students each year into preparing for humanistic teaching and scholarship careers through top-level, competitive awards renewable for as many as three years; and, to contribute to the continuity of the highest order of teaching and research in America's colleges and universities.

Fellowship candidacy may only be initiated by a nomination by a faculty member. Any college senior or

recent graduate, who is a U.S. or Canadian citizen with evidence of outstanding academic promise, wishing to begin graduate study for a teaching and scholarship career in a humanistic field, is eligible for consideration.

Complete information and nomination forms are available from the Office of the Graduate School Dean. The nomination deadline is Nov. 4.

Stipend for Mellon Fellows will be \$7,500 plus payment of tuition and fees. Fellowships will be renewed for a second year on the recommendation of the graduate school, but the school will be expected to assume one-third of the tuition and fees that year.

Five-year assessment

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BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMS—Bachelor of Fine Arts, Art, Visual Art, Music, Theatre, Commercial Art, Graphics/Fine Arts, Music Administration, Health Science, Physical Therapy, Health Services Administration, Speech Pathology and Audiology, Rehabilitation Education, Medical Technology, Cytotechnology, Health Physics Technology, Allied Health Administration, Public Service, Public Administration, Park Resources and Leisure Studies;

Sports Management, Recreation-Administration, Recreation-Therapeutics, Recreation and Parks Management, Park Administration, Social Welfare, Social Work, Law Enforcement, Corrections, Criminal Justice, Interdisciplinary Studies, Interdepartmental Studies, Geo-Social Studies, Basic Humanities, Regents Bachelor of Arts.

ASSOCIATE DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE LEVEL PROGRAMS—Cytotechnology, Medical Laboratory Technology, Medical Radiologic Technology, Medical Records Technology, Medical Assisting, Respiratory Therapy Technology, Psychological Service Technology, Health Care Management, Physical Therapist Assistant, Veterinary Assistant Technology, Nuclear Medical Technology, Emergency Medical Services, Surgical Technology, Surgical Technologist;

Church Music, Child Care, Child Development, Library Media Technology, Criminal Justice, Law Enforcement, Police Science, Security and Loss Prevention, Industrial Security, Recreational Leadership, Social Services (Human Services), Fire Science Technology, Legal Assistant, Paralegal Assisting, General Education, General Studies, Pre-Engineering, Music, Physical Therapy, Medical Technology, Pre-Social Work.

Joe McMullen, former AD, dies; services held in Towson

Former Marshall University Athletic Director Joseph H. McMullen died of leukemia Sept. 9 in Towson, Md., at age 59. Memorial services were held earlier this week in Towson.

McMullen had been athletic director at Towson State University for the past four years. The Pennsylvania native headed Marshall athletic program from 1971 until 1979, having previously been head football coach at San Jose (Calif.) State College.

Survivors include his wife, Marge; their three daughters, Bonnie Tighe of Lutherville, Md., Nancy Roberts of State College, Pa., and Peggy DeCosta of Timonium, Md., and six grandchildren.

Marshall Emeritus Club to meet Wednesday at noon

The Marshall University Emeritus Club will hold its first meeting of the 1983-84 season at noon Wednesday, Sept. 21, at the Uptowner Inn.

The program will feature William "The Deacon" Headley as guest speaker, according to Dr. Mervin Tyson, emeritus professor of English and club vice president.

All retired Marshall employees and their spouses are welcome to attend, according to Dr. Eugene Hoak, emeritus professor of speech and club president. Guests may be included as well.

All meetings are held on the third Wednesday of the month at noon at the Uptowner.

RHODES SCHOLAR APPLICATIONS

Applications are invited from students wishing to apply for Rhodes Scholarships for graduate study at Oxford University in England, beginning in October, 1984.

Rhodes Scholarships are awarded on a competitive basis to 32 outstanding students from the United States, who have demonstrated academic ability and leadership potential. The scholarship provides for a subsistence allowance in addition to tuition and fees payments.

Application deadline is Oct. 31. Those interested may obtain additional information and application forms from College of Science Dean E.S. Hanrahan, Old Main 109, ext. 2372.

NEWCOMERS

New to the campus are:

THERESA R. McDEVITT, assistant librarian, MARGARET RURAK, reference librarian, and ANN F. HENSON, library clerk, Morrow Library; MARGIE N. MARTIN, administrative assistant, Psychiatry Department; KEVIN J. DOBREFF, music specialist, Music Department; THOMAS D. McCULLOUGH, parking attendant, and DANNY LESTER PARSONS, patrolman, Public Safety.

Welcome to Marshall!

MU faculty and staff achievements, activities. . .

DR. JOHN W. LARSON, professor of chemistry, is co-author of a paper entitled "Strong Hydrogen Bonding in Gas-Phase Anions: An Ion Cyclotron Resonance Determination of Fluoride Binding Energetics to Bronsted Acids from Gas-Phase Fluoride Exchange Equilibrium Measurements," appearing in the *Journal of the American Chemical Society*, Vol. 105, pp. 2944-2950, 1983.

Committee solicits nominations for honorary degree recipients

The Commencement and Honorary Degrees Committee is now accepting recommendations from faculty, staff, and students for persons to be considered as possible recipients of honorary degrees at the May, 1984, Commencement.

Names of recommended individuals should be submitted to Dr. Frank Riddel, Department of Social Studies, on or before Friday, Oct. 14, 1983.

Persons submitting names should include for each individual a brief statement as to why the individual should receive the honor, along with the name, address, and phone number of the person submitting the name so that the Committee can secure additional information as needed.

W.C. Felty
Committee Chairman

Ballet Nacional Espanol to open Marshall Artists Series

An appearance by the Ballet Nacional Espanol will open the 1983-84 Marshall Artists Series' Community Division at 8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 19, at the Keith-Albee Theatre.

Tickets for the performance are available from the Artists Series Office, located in Memorial Student Center. Reserved seats are available for \$15, \$13 and \$10 each. Youth age 17 and under may purchase balcony seats at \$5 each.

Season subscriptions are still available, according to Mrs. Nancy P. Hindsley, MU cultural events coordinator. Reserved seats for the full season of four events may be purchased at \$58, \$48 or \$40 each, depending on location.

The series will include the Cleveland Orchestra with Eduardo Mata as conductor, the New York City Opera National Company with "La Boheme," and a production of the Broadway play "Promenade All." Additional ticket information may be obtained by calling the Artists Series Office, (304) 696-6656.

Brown now associate dean

Dr. Patrick I. Brown Jr., assistant dean for medical student affairs, has been named associate dean for medical student affairs, according to Marshall University School of Medicine Dean Robert W. Coon.

An associate professor of anatomy, Brown joined the MU faculty in 1975 and has been an assistant dean since 1980. He holds the Ph.D. degree from Southern Illinois University.

DR. C. ROBERT BARNETT, associate professor of health, physical education and recreation, had two articles appear in the summer issue of **Goldenseal**: "The Finals: West Virginia Black High School Basketball Tournament, 1925-1957" and "Something We Lived For, An Interview with James Wilkerson." The papers were written with support from the Humanities Foundation of West Virginia. Barnett also presented a paper at the North American Society for Sport History convention at Mont Alto, Pa., in May.

DR. JACQUELINE M. GUTTMAN, assistant professor of modern languages, taught two graduate courses in literature for Millersville University's intensive summer French School: Humanism in Prose and Poetry and a Seminar on Victor Hugo. She also presented a paper, "French Women: Myth and Reality," which will be published in the *PSMLA Journal*.

DR. JOSEPH WYATT, assistant professor of psychology, presented a paper, "Similarities and Differences Between Identical Twins and Between Non-Related People," at the West Virginia Psychological Association's meeting in April at Pipestem. Co-authors of the paper with Wyatt were Ann Posey and William Welker, students. He also presented a paper, "Behavioral Journals: A Cumulative Visual Display of the Growth of Behaviorism," at the May meeting of the Association of Behavior Analysis in Milwaukee.

DR. JOHN H. MEAD, associate professor of music, was a member of the "Dirty Dozen," a group of college and university trombone educators from nationwide, who participated in the International Trombone Workshop at Belmont College in Nashville, May 29-June 3. His review of a performance by the Malmo (Sweden) Symphony Orchestra low brass section appeared in the July issue of the **International Trombone Association Journal**. Mead also was guest soloist May 24 with the Sissonville High School Band.

DR. CHRISTOPHER DOLMETSCH, assistant professor of modern languages, contributed several reviews of recent publications in German literature to the July/August issue of **Choice** (Vol. 20, No. 11-12).

Collective bargaining. . .

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opinion." Of the 137 reporting in favor of a collective bargaining act, 46 preferred one which would permit strikes, 43 percent preferred a no-strike with binding arbitration provision, and 11 percent preferred a no-strike/non-binding arbitration clause.

I have learned of a few instances in which faculty members did not receive the collective bargaining survey form. I would appreciate hearing from others who were not reached for one or another reason.

William E. Coffey
MU Representative
BOR Advisory Council of Faculty

Judicial Board members needed

Faculty members are needed to serve on the 1983-84 Marshall University Judicial Board. The Judicial Board is made up of students and faculty and is responsible for hearing University conduct cases. Anyone interested in serving please contact Rita Mann, ext. 2378.