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## Schedules are outlined for holiday periods

Marshall University administrative offices will close for the Christmas holiday at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 23, and reopen at 8 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 29. The offices will close for the New Year's holiday at 4:30 p.m. Dec. 30 and reopen at 8 a.m. Monday, Jan. 4.

**STUDENTS AND FACULTY** will begin the holiday/semester break officially at 12:15 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 19; however semester grades are due in the Registrar's Office by 9 a.m. Monday, Dec. 21. Second semester classes begin Tuesday, Jan. 12.

THE UNIVERSITY MAIL ROOM will observe the same holiday schedule as other administrative offices during



### **MU RECEIVES COLLEGE BOWL AWARD**

Dr. Robert Mutchnick, right, coach of Marshall University's College Bowl team, presents MU Foundation Executive Director Bernard Queen with a \$1,000 check awarded to Marshall's team, which placed third in the 1981 National CBS Radio College Bowl Tournament. The funds, according to Dr. Queen, will be used to support the university's College Bowl program. Marshall hosted the national radio finals last spring in which 24 teams from colleges and universities all over the United States competed. The University of Maryland at College Park and Davidson College were first and second place winners respectively. (Marshall University photo by Rick Haye) Christmas and New Year's, according to John McKinney, communications manager.

THIS IS THE LAST ISSUE of the University News Letter for this semester. The next issue will appear Thursday, Jan. 14. The deadline for that issue will be 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 12.

**THE JAMES E. MORROW LIBRARY** will observe the following schedule during the holiday-semester break:

#### Administrative schedule begins Sunday, Dec. 20:

| Sun., Dec. 20                       | CLOSED          |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Mon., Tues., Wed., Dec. 21-23       | 8 a.m 4:30 p.m. |
| Thurs., Dec. 24, thru Mon., Dec. 28 | CLOSED          |
| Tues., Dec. 29, thru Wed., Dec. 30  | 8 a.m 4:30 p.m. |
| Thurs., Dec. 31, thru Sun., Jan. 3  | CLOSED          |
| Mon., Jan. 4, thru Fri., Jan. 8     | 8 a.m 4:30 p.m. |
| Sat., Sun., Jan. 9, 10              | CLOSED          |
| Mon., Jan. 11 (Registration)        | 8 a.m 4:30 p.m. |

### Resume regular schedule Tuesday, Jan. 12:

| Monday - Thursday | 7:45 a.m 11 p.m. |
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| Friday            | 7:45 a.m 5 p.m.  |
| Saturday          | 9 a.m 5 p.m.     |
| Sunday            | 1 p.m10 p.m.     |

## Stephen W. Hensley appointed special services program head

Stephen W. Hensley, Marshall University assistant dean for student development, has been named director of the Special Services Program, Associate dean for Student Affairs Ken Blue announced today.

Hensley, who will continue as assistant dean, succeeds Dr. Edythe Taylor in the Special Services post. Dr. Taylor resigned earlier this year to accept an assistant professor position in the MU College of Education.

A federally funded program, Special Services provides counseling and tutoring in skills development for disadvantaged college students, Blue said. "Steve Hensley's past experience and interest in counseling made him an ideal choice for this particular position," Blue said.

Hensley, a Huntington native, earned his bachelor's and master's degrees from Marshall and is enrolled in the Ed.D. degree program offered jointly by Marshall and West Virginia University.

A member of the MU Student Affairs staff since 1972, Hensley has served as a counselor and assistant director in the Special Services Program.

## MU faculty and staff achievements, activities...

Five members of the Accounting Department participated in the eighth annual joint seminar, sponsored by the Ohio Valley Accountants Association and Marshall University, which was held Nov. 14 at Ashland Oil's executive headquarters in Bellefonte, Ky. DR. ROLAND MADISON, associate professor, was a panel member for a discussion of "Inflation Accounting" and "International Accounting Standards Development." NEAL G. ADKINS, associate professor, was program coordinator. DR. GLEN LANGE and CHARLES D. WEBB, associate professors, and DON WAHLMAN, assistant professor, also attended.

DR. RICHARD O. COMFORT, professor of sociology/anthropology, was a delegate to the White House Conference on Aging held in Washington, D.C., Nov. 29-Dec. 3. Among the recommendations adopted were several dealing with higher education, including one encouraging institutions of higher learning to re-examine their services to the increasing number of people over 65.

### NEWCOMERS

New to our campus are:

THELMA PRINCE, RONALD R. WECHSLER, JOHN DARRAH and PAULA JEAN KELLY, Building Service Workers, Plant Operations; JACKIE BRUCE ADKINS, Grounds Service Worker, Plant Operations, and GILBERT DAHLER JR. and ROY O. BENTLEY, Police Officers, Security. Welcome to Marshall!

## Personnel personals...

Llewellyn McKernan has been awarded a \$6,000 Individual Artist Fellowship from the Arts and Humanities Division, West Virginia Department of Culture and History, to write her second book of Appalachian poetry. The first, "Short and Simple Annals," was published in 1979 through a grant from the American Association of University Women. She is the wife of **Dr. John McKernan**, professor of English and director of the MU Writing Program.

Emily Claire Stewart, born Dec. 7 in Boston, weighing 8 lbs. and 2 oz., is the first grandchild for **Dr. Paul D. Stewart**, associate provost and Graduate School dean, and his wife. The parents are Dr. David W. Stewart and Karen J. Cole. David, who recently completed his Ph.D. in clinical psychology at the University of Tennessee, is interning at Maclean Hospital.

Linda Sue Spears, daughter of **Mrs. Marguerite Spears**, was united in marriage to Grover J. Geiselman III Nov. 7 in St. John's United Methodist Church, Richmond, Texas. The bride's mother is secretary to Dr. Kenneth Slack, director of libraries.

Timothy E. Clagg of Washington, D.C., nephew of Geography Department Chairman **Sam Clagg**, recently received the Director's Award for Exceptional Civilian Service from the Defense Intelligence Agency. He received the award, the highest which can be earned by a DIA civilian employee, for his role as Deputy Chief, Societ/Warsaw Pact Division, Directorate for Current Intelligence. DR. MICHAEL E. SEIDEL, associate professor of biological sciences, is the author of a paper, "A Taxonomic Analysis of Pseudemyd turtles (Testudines: Emydidae) from the New River and phenetic relationships in the subgenus Pseudemys," which has been accepted by Brimleyana, a North Carolina State Museum publication.

Seven members of the Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department participated in the West Virginia Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance conference held Nov. 20-22 at Oglebay Park, Wheeling, DR. ROBERT CASE, professor and department chairman, presided as president and presented DR. C. ROBERT BARNETT, associate professor, a citation for Barnett's publication, "The History of the West Virginia Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation." Case also served as a panelist and presented a program. DR. DONALD WILLIAMS, professor, was a presenter for two convention sessions and DR. DOROTHY HICKS, professor, represented the American Association of HPERD as publication liaison. Also attending were MRS. OLIVE HAGER, assistant professor, who is vice president of the state organization; DR. BET-TY ROBERTS, associate professor, and DR. WAYNE TAYLOR, associate professor.

DR. MARC J. BECHARD, assistant professor of biological sciences, presented a paper, "Effects of vegetative cover on foraging site selection by Swainson's Hawks," at the Raptor Research Foundation meetings held in Montreal Nov. 1-2. Another paper, "Historic nest records of the Peregrine Falcon in Southern Saskatchewan and Manitoba," was published in a recent issue of the Blue Jay, the journal of the Saskatchewan Natural History Society.

DR. THOMAS BISHOP, professor of marketing, presented a one-day workshop on "The Marketing of Mental Health Services" to the executive directors of the state Community Mental Health Centers on Dec. 8 at the State Rehabilitation Center in Institute.

## Campus job openings...

The Personnel Office has announced the following campus job opportunities:

Word Processing Operator/Clerk, Admissions, Pay Grade 3, closes Dec. 18;

Accounting Clerk II, Accounting, Pay Grade 3, closes Dec. 18. Computer Programmer I, Computer Center, Pay Grade 5, closes Dec. 18

Admissions/Records Officer, College of Business (full-time temporary until July 1), Pay Grade 6, closes Dec. 18;

Administrative Aide, Vice President for Administration, Pay Grade 7, closes Dec. 18;

**Registered Nurse,** Medicine Department (two positions), Pay Grade 12, closes Dec. 18;

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Secretary I, Student Government (part-time temporary until May 12), Pay Grade 3, closes Dec. 18;

Laboratory/Medical Technologist II, Medical School (two positions), Pay Grade 8, closes Dec. 18.

For additional information or to apply, call the Personnel Office, 6455.

### Excused absences...

Absences have been excused by the respective college deans for the following:

NOV. 6-Rifle Team members.

DEC. 4-6-Wrestling Team members.