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First Party Policy Violator Receives Social Probation

For the first time this semester, a student was put on social probation and ejected from his dorm because he violated the party policy.

Charles Sherman, a resident of Dirksin Hall, will not be allowed to sponsor another party on campus or attend any campus affair where alcohol is being served as a result of his social probation. In addition, he was suspended from his dorm from 5:30 p.m. Thursday, September 20, to Sunday, September 23.

Although Sherman's party was registered, he violated the policy because he had two kegs present instead of his registered one keg.

Paul Adams, Housing Director, took action against Sherman after hearing about the party, and the two kegs, from Sherman. Even though Adams and Sherman are acquainted with each other, Adams insisted that Chuck should have realized that action would be taken against him if he mentioned it anyone in authority. Adams stated, "When parties are turned in to me, then action will be taken, definitely!"

Speech Division Receives Award

The speech division has captured another national honor. Clemson University, host of the 28th annual National Discussion Contest, has informed Dr. Bradford Kinney that the Wilkes entry in the contest has placed fourth in overall competition. More than 450 institutions of higher learning participated in the discussion contest.

What makes the victory even sweeter for Dr. Kinney was the fact that he entered the contest with members of his small group communication class. Most contestants in this contest are coached and directed for between four and six months prior to entry. Dr. Kinney started his class on the project in February and sent the taped entry to the contest headquarters in April. This was only a three-month training period.

The tapes were judged by several of the best experts in the field of speech-communications. This was the first time that Wilkes had entered this national tournament. The college will receive a plaque representing the fourth place national finish.

This award adds still more honors to the already award-winning speech program. This past year, the debate team captured the state championship award in Lincoln-Douglas Debate, the speech team received national ranking, and the college radio station won first place in the Northeastern Pennsylvania Broadcasting Contest.

After numerous meetings with Adams and the Dean's Council, Chuck was instructed to go home and discuss the matter with his parents after which he would return to school, with his parents, at their convenience. The punishment Chuck will receive depends greatly upon the outcome of the meeting between his parents and the Dean's Council.

Contrary to popular belief, Sherman did not miss any classes due to the meetings he had with the Dean's Council. Paul Adams said that the meetings were held late at night when Chuck had no classes, and that if he missed any classes, it was because of his own doing. Obviously, Chuck was not suspended from classes despite the numerous rumors on campus.

When asked about the other parties on campus that night, Adams stated that every party he knew about was registered, including the one he attended at Gore Hall. Commenting on the possibility that the Gore party was illegal, Adams retorted, "I would have to be stupid to attend a party that was in violation and then go and take action against another party. No, I can assure you the party was both registered and legal."

With the possibility of Charles Sherman being made an example of in regards to the party policy, Adams maintained that Chuck is not being made an example of and that the action being taken against him is just. "Chuck is suffering the same consequences any violator would."

Initially, Charles Sherman consented to an interview with the Beacon, but after his brief residential suspension, for no apparent reason he refused to comment on the matter when contacted at the previously established time.

Peter Steve

Carpet Rolled Out For Parents; Full Day Of Activities Slated

Wilkes is rolling out the red carpet this weekend in preparation for the 17th Annual Parents' Day to be held Saturday, Sept. 29. A full day of activities is scheduled to facilitate the involvement of parents in the education of their sons and daughters. The entire Wilkes campus will be open for visitation.

According to George Ralston, dean of student affairs, the event provides an opportunity for parents to become acquainted with the college and gain a better understanding of the processes of education that their sons and daughters are exposed to at Wilkes.

Dean Ralston comments on the purpose of the Parents Day tradition, "This day is conceived of as a

SG Advisors Initiate Fund Drive For Stereo And T.V. In Center

Dean Arthur Hoover and Mrs. Doris Barker, advisors to Student Government, began the drive for money to be used for the Student Center by donating \$50 and \$25 respectively.

The money-raising project is headed by David Blumfield and Student Government. The money that is contributed will be used to buy a stereo, to be used throughout the building; a four-foot suspended television for the lounge; and bar equipment plus necessities.

At this point one may be wondering how the college and Student Government can afford these "extras"? After all, the college just refurbished the old Conyngham home into the new Student Center. Well, this is where you come into the picture.

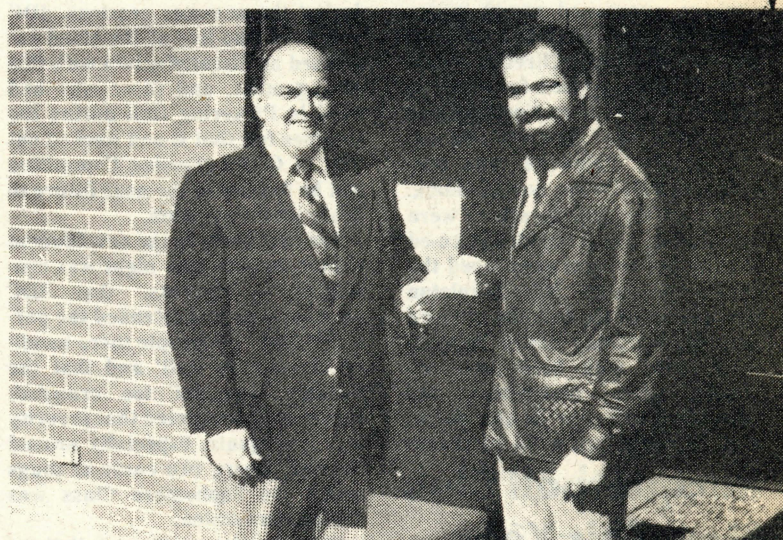
Student Government, Commuter Council, Inter-Dormitory Council and the Student Center Board are each donating \$500 to the drive giving a base amount of \$2000. The projected need is between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

Blumfield sees no problem in raising the additional money and has a set of plans to achieve the goal.

The first people that Blumfield is turning to are the students, faculty and administration. He is asking them to give what they can because the new equipment will benefit everyone.

"Collection boxes will be set up around the campus, mainly at the Student Center, the cafeteria, the bookstore and possibly in Stark," states Blumfield. He feels that if each of the 2000 students at Wilkes gives a dollar, "that's \$2000 closer to the goal."

One of the final participants in the drive will be the alumni of



FIFTY FOR THE TILL—Dean Art Hoover presented SG President Dave Blumfield a check for fifty dollars to go towards the purchase of a stereo system and television for the new Conyngham Student Center. Everyone else on campus will be asked to contribute to the cause in the weeks to come.

Wilkes. In the fall issue of the **QUARTERLY**, the alumni magazine, there will be a full page ad urging alumni to contribute. Blumfield hopes that they will realize that the project is worthwhile and a benefit for themselves also.

Blumfield asks that everyone drop that extra change in the contribution boxes and "to give as much as you can. A contribution over \$5 should be given directly to me or an SG representative," Blumfield explains.

Margaret Scholl

Teacher Evaluation Tabled Until First Meeting In Jan.

Student Government voted 17-0-0 at Monday night's meeting to table the teacher evaluation project until the first SG meeting in January. During this period a meeting will take place between SG's academic

committee, the Teacher Recognition and Effectiveness Committee (TREC), and Dean of Academics, Dr. Gerald Hartdagen.

This was done after the results of a recent survey conducted by Ana Nunez, academic committee chairman, during the recent elections indicated overwhelmingly that the students are not in favor of the evaluation project. The results were as follows:

- 1) Have you ever used the published results for choosing a professor? 26 per cent yes; 71 per cent no.
- 2) Have you ever used the published results for choosing a course? 18 per cent yes; 79 per cent no.
- 3) If a course advisory service were available, one which contained information on course content, teaching emphasis, etc., would you use it? 79 per cent yes; 16 per cent no.

Elain Slabinsky, a member of TREC and the nursing faculty, was present at the SG meeting to speak about the evaluation were too broad and that SG should narrow them down in order for them to accomplish their goals.

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IDC

Co-ed Dorms A Possibility

Co-educational Housing may become a reality on the Wilkes College campus in the near future if funding is available and if the Administration is cooperative. At the Interdormitory Council meeting Sunday night, President Mike Stapleton stated that a survey conducted by Dr. Freysinger and others for the Middle States Evaluation later this year revealed that a significant majority of the students questioned would prefer co-ed housing. According to Paul Adams, Housing Director, last winter Wilkes applied for funds to build a new dorm on Northampton St. where the women's dorms, Chesapeake, Delaware, and Susquehannock Halls are now standing.

Many of the IDC members were enthusiastic about the idea of co-ed housing but several questioned the need for a change. Mike Stapleton then discussed the benefits of co-ed housing, including better security in a dorm with both men and women; less destruction and disruptive behavior in the dorm; and, in some cases, an increased

Racquetball Club New This Year

Racquetball is one of the fastest growing recreational sports today. The game is easy to learn and merely requires; a raquet, a ball and a four-walled court.

In the beginning of the semester Scott Wiener decided he was going to share his interest in racquetball with the rest of Wilkes College. He thought if he could get enough people interested in the game he could form a league and possibly receive discounts at one of the local courts. To this end Scott started the racquetball club.

After only two weeks, the club has a roster of nearly sixty interested people. Scott cannot believe the response to the club. "I was only expecting about twenty people," he said.

Due to the great interest in the club, Scott made arrangements with Royal Courts in Plains, for membership discounts. If the club can get fifty to seventy-five members, the cost for a court membership will be \$15 per year.

With the way the club is growing Scott believes they can cut the membership fee to \$15 and possibly \$10. Racquetball is an easy game to learn and any new members in the club can be taught the game in a few lessons. "It's great exercise," says Scott, "and it's fun to play." Anyone interested in the club should contact Scott Wiener at 823-7741.

Bill Turcan

Grade Point Average for many in a co-ed dorm. Vice President Mike Sibilia also felt that living in a co-ed dorm could be a good learning experience since men and women do not live in separate buildings outside of college.

Stapleton noted that, to some extent, co-ed housing does exist at Wilkes such as in the Hotel Sterling during the fall and spring semesters, and in Pickering Hall during the summer sessions. IDC members who live at the Hotel expressed no dissatisfaction with this arrangement, and those who had lived in Pickering Hall during the summer felt that it had worked out well. A Co-Ed Housing Committee will be formed in the near future to deal with the question.

The first party in the new Student Center, held Friday night was considered a success. One IDC member who had attended the party felt that "the people there handled themselves well" and that the building was not too crowded. However, it was noted that security was inadequate, especially around the bar, where two cases of mugs which the Sophomore Class was selling were stolen.

Mike Stapleton stressed that, at future parties in the Student

Center, rules would be more strictly enforced. Each organization sponsoring a party will have to pay for three security guards, who will work in addition to two white card workers and a campus guard who will patrol the outside of the building. A limit of three hundred people will be allowed at a party with the capacity for the basement set at 200 people and the limit for the first floor at 50. The organization sponsoring the party will also be required to clean the Student Center by noon the next day or forfeit their fifty dollar damage deposit. Several members also wondered why the price of tickets was so high for the Friday night party. Stapleton saw no purpose for charging so much since an organization will only be allowed to keep thirty dollars from the profit they make on a party, with the rest going to a fund for the Student Center.

In other business, IDC voted to donate five hundred dollars towards the purchase of a stereo and television for the Student Center. Commuter Council had already voted to donate the same amount for the stereo and T.V.

Mary Kay Poger

Accounting Internship Revised

The accounting internship program under the direction of Mrs. Carlin, has been revised in order to provide seniors with a program of counseling and job experience. Although Wilkes has had a successful internship program in accounting for the past twenty years the program has been revamped with the addition of this counseling service by the accounting faculty. Carlin, the new administrator of the program, feels that this innovation will make the prospective accountant more aware of the demands of his profession.

The internship program is comprised of two distinct segments. The first part is the accounting counseling provided by the Wilkes faculty. The other part of the program is actual internship with a local to national accounting firm. This process begins in the month of October with the firms interviewing interested accounting majors. Over 25 firms come to the college during October for this interviewing process. If accepted into the program, the internship would last 10 weeks, usually running during the tax season when accounting is the busiest. The program is actually a course in the accounting cur-

riculum, and the intern received a grade as well as a salary. After the internship is over, the student then comes back on campus and takes accelerated courses during the remaining four weeks of the semester.

Mrs. Carlin feels that this balanced program of counseling school and work experience benefits the students in many ways. "By giving you the chance to apply your classroom theory to real-life working situations," she says, "you begin to realize what the environment you will be working in will be like." The program also gives you the chances for future employment as the firm which you intern with

Leach Resigns Position

Effective last June 1, Dr. David Leach resigned the position as Chairman of the History Department, at which time Dr. James Rodechko was appointed.

Dr. Rodechko said that he is very optimistic about the future of the department. He noted that there are thirty students majoring in History and that the department serves a large number of non-history majors.

He sees the biggest problem which the department has as being "the view that people have of history, that you can't get a job, when in fact you can." He adds, "The key is to get the right electives."

Rodechko noted that there will be a career day on October 17 for those interested in history.

Because of his duties as department chairman and his involvement in the Freshman Studies program, Dr. Rodechko was required to give up a class. That section is now being taught by Dr. Leach.

Dr. Leach had been chairman of the Department of History and Political Science at Alfred University before he came to Wilkes. He has held the position of chairman here for the last ten years and he said he "grew weary of it."

Leach noted that the position required a lot of attention to detail. It

is a kind of busy work that had to be done that isn't necessarily exciting.

He sees excitement in a department that is building and he states, "The last several years the academic world has been in a holding operation. It has been faced with economic difficulty. Attitudes have changed toward education. There has been cutting back on staff and programs. Academic institutions are trying to fill the gaps. Efforts are made to secure grants to run programs."

Leach sees a "misdirection of effort, a diversion of energies from things that ought to be done. Its not what education in its highest scene is all about."

He views education as a civilizing enterprise Leach said, "All the grants, programs, and flowing rhetoric are in large measure destructive for what we're here to do. I grew weary of the endless routine and detail."

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Leach feels that his happiest days were his days as an instructor. Now he wants to return to being an instructor and doing more reading and writing.

He sees his career coming to an end. He is no longer climbing the ladder and he is not concerned with promotions.

He finds students exciting and working with them is worthwhile.

Leach wants more contact with students. He notes, "One should do what one enjoys."

Louis Czachor

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Theater Arts Major Established Through Language Department

Beginning this semester a major in theater arts is being offered through the Department of Language and Literature. During the past several years, theater arts was concentration offered through the English Department. The department had only two faculty members and a declining enrollment. The administration of the college felt that our theater facilities were not being used to their full potential. As a result, last Spring President Robert S. Capin appointed a committee to examine alternative organizational modes for the department.

The committee members were Dr. Thomas Kelly, Dr. William Sterling, Dr. Michael Barone, and Mrs. Edward Darling of the Board of Trustees.

Organizational possibilities included: forming a joint theater department with King's College; allowing the department to remain on its own; or combining the department with another department such as the Department of Language and Literature, the Music Department, or a new department of communications and theater arts.

The committee interviewed faculty members, students, Mr. Alfred Groh and Mr. Klaus Holm from the theater department, Dr. Thomas Kaska, chairman of the Dept. of Languages and Literature, theater faculty from other schools, and community members who are active in the theater.

A list of recommendations was submitted by the committee at the end of its investigation. The recommendations included: Place the theater arts department into the department of Language and Literature, hire an additional faculty member with expertise in acting and directing, appoint a faculty member as theater coordinator, allow for one joint production per

year with King's, hire a person with knowledge of technical matters if the budget permits, re-evaluate the theater within two years with the hope that eventually the theater can be a separate department, give Mr. Groh the responsibility for the scheduling of events for the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts, with first preference going to Wilkes College Theater productions.

President Capin asked the committee to review the recommendations with the curriculum committee of the faculty. The curriculum committee supported the recommendations and President Capin directed their implementation.

Dr. Kaska met with Dr. Leonard Powlick, Mr. Groh and a department committee to write a curriculum for the theater arts major. The results was a major combining work in the liberal arts and forty-five credit hours in dramatic history, literature, and studio courses.

The dramatic history and literature series includes courses on Fundamentals of Play Structure and Criticism, Theater History, Shakespeare, and Early English Drama, Restoration and Eighteenth Century Drama, Modern Drama, or American Drama.

The studio series includes Speech for the Stage, Production, Acting, Lighting for the Stage, Scene Design, Directing, and Theater Workshop.

At present there are at least four students majoring in theater arts which is viewed as a good start. Dr. Kaska noted that there are a lot of students on campus interested in double majoring and that theater arts may be what they are looking for.

It is hoped that in the future a professional playwright can be brought in as a writer in residence, and a world premier of one of his plays

would be produced on campus.

Theater director Jay Siegfried noted that four major shows will continue to be done each year and the possibilities of a summer theater are being explored.

The major productions will be done in the Center for the Performing Arts but it is hoped that by using Church Hall for smaller productions it will become familiar as a place associated with the theater.

Dr. Kelly noted that the C.P.A. can also be used by community groups and any groups on campus.

Finally, Siegfried stressed that a student does not have to be a theater major to be involved with the theater. The main concern is not how many theater majors there are, but how many people are involved in the theater.

Louis Czachor

NOTICE

The class of 1981 will have a caramel apple sale on Parent's Day, Sept. 29 before the football game.

NOTICE

The Senior Class will sponsor its first Conyngham Student Center party this Saturday night from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. All students are reminded to bring their ID cards. Tickets are on sale now.

Teacher Evaluation Tabled

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Much discussion followed as to just what were the goals of the evaluation. Some felt that it should be used for promotion and tenure of faculty, while others felt it should be used to maintain the level of quality education at the college. It was also argued that the evaluation should be used for students to decide which teacher to register under for a certain course. It was pointed out, however, that due to the size of the college this does not leave much room for choice.

Slabinsky noted that the administration has set up a Task Force to determine what should be the guidelines for tenure and promotion of faculty. TREC is mainly concerned with the teacher evaluations in determining teacher effectiveness.

For the last three years SG has been trying to conduct teacher evaluations, each year coming closer to success, but as one SG member put it, "They are a pain in the neck." There have been many technical problems involved in each evaluation.

Under committee reports, the Publicity and Elections committee reported the results of the Class of 1981 SG representatives replacement elections. Diane Seech and Tim Palmer were elected over a field of five to fill the vacant spots.

For the Class of 1980 the entire results were void. It was originally thought that there were three open

seats for the senior class on SG, but it was later discovered that two were only needed. Nominations for the two spots will be held today at noon in SLC 101. The election will be October 4th in the Student Center from 11-1 and in the cafeteria from 4:30-6:30.

Arnie Joseph was elected vice-president of the Class of 1981, which was vacant at the beginning of the semester. Joseph's class and academic standings, however, must be verified before he can assume office.

Under new business, Joe Galli has made plans for the SG sponsored trip to Florida over the spring break. The trip allows 120 Wilkes students to participate, and the cost will range somewhere between \$269 and \$289. All interested students should see Galli. (More information will be available in next week's Beacon.)

Dave Blumfield, SG president, noted during the meeting that the Wilkes College posters that SG owns are being distributed at a very fast rate. He stated that only club presidents can sign for posters from the SG office located in Weckesser Hall.

Jim Edwards

NOTICE

There will be a class of '81 meeting at noon today in SLC 101 to discuss plans for the float, Jr. Weekend and the T-shirt sale and design contest.

Stealing a phone call isn't a game.

Most students play by the rules when placing a long distance call. They take advantage of bargain rates and make their calls during the discount periods. If you're not sure when you can call at discount rates, check your phone book.

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Alcohol & Policies

Due to the recent happenings of the reported violation in the party policy, we feel we must speak out on this issue and not allow it to simply pass unnoticed.

We are not condemning the administration or making a hero out of any violator. This matter is too serious to go without comment, however.

As it is written, the current alcohol/party policy only allows one quarter keg in a dorm. That party must be registered with the Housing Office and the resident assistant of that dorm. No more than 15 people at one time are allowed for a gathering. The beer must stay in the room of the person sponsoring the party or where otherwise designated. The person holding the gathering or someone associated with it must be 21 years and assume full responsibility.

This policy was written as a revision after last year's action by the Dean's Council to remove all parties from the dorms. Alcoholic beverages are restricted to the Student Center for parties.

We understand the administration's point of view that due to the state's 21 year old drinking age, the college does not want to be held responsible for condoning under-age drinking. They must, however, recognize that no matter what the law says, students who are under-age will continue to drink. The happy medium between the two seems to be the above alcohol/party policy or is it?

It is common knowledge that many parties are held, registered and unregistered, that are in severe violation of this policy. No action is taken, however, because they are never reported or brought to light. Most would feel that this is fine as long as these parties are held in a constructive manner and no damage is done to any dorms or as long as no one gets hurt. We can see the logic behind this, but is it also fair to those whose parties are in violation, but held in a constructive manner and are then reported to the Dean's Council for action.

Obviously there is an inconsistency involved here which doesn't appear to make any sense. We have no solutions to the problem but can only predict that similar situations will arise in the future.

\$\$\$GIVE\$\$\$

With the first party officially held in the new Conyngham Student Center now is as good a time as any to start the fund drive to raise money for a stereo system and television for the facility. Student Government, Inter-Dormitory Council, Commuter Council and the Student Center Board have all donated \$500 with smaller contributions from Dean Arthur Hoover and Mrs. Doris Barker, Registrar.

We commend all of them for their generosity and hope that others will follow their example. Money is tight everywhere. The administration remodeled the building and turned it into a student center. The expense of the stereo system and television have been passed on but this should not be looked upon negatively.

It has been estimated that the cost of these extras will be between \$8-\$10,000. To fully appreciate them we must pay for them.

In the weeks to come SG will be looking for your spare change or whatever you would like to donate. Collection containers will be set up all over campus. So far \$2,075 has been collected, but there is still a long way to go. Every little bit counts, and we are asking everyone to donate as much as they can. GIVE!

Party Ticket Sales Questioned

To the Editor:

On Friday night, Sept. 21st, the first SUB party of the year was held, sponsored by the Sophomore Class. During that week, signs had been posted stating the date and time of the party and also the ticket prices. No ticket-selling times were included on these signs. Therefore, many students assumed that tickets would not be sold until the night of the party. Unfortunately, it was learned that the sponsors had been selling tickets since the Tuesday before the party but had never posted signs informing students when these tickets would be sold. By Friday, all available tickets had

been purchased; none would be sold at the door. Those who had assumed that no pre-party ticket-selling would take place were not able to attend the party. Where were these tickets sold? Why did the sponsors not post selling times? In the past, SUB party sponsors always included ticket-selling times on their advertisements. What happened this time, Sophomore Class Officers?

When trying to gain admittance to the party on Friday, some students who had no tickets were told that they had been sold at "dinner". Were tickets, then, only sold at dinner in the cafeteria? Did the

Sophomore Class Officers make provisions for ticket-selling to commuters. If so, where was this done?

Also, since the party had been sold out, admittance was supposedly only to be gained if one had a ticket. But it was seen that certain people without tickets were allowed in despite this. Is this fair?

It is hoped that sponsors of future SUB parties will, as in the past, inform all students of ticket-selling procedures. Then, everyone can have a chance to enjoy these parties.

Sincerely,
Karen Krischunis

To the Editor:

This issue is one of the HOTTEST items concerning Wilkes College at this point. Most of us have heard the consequences that one party violator received. His honesty of admitting to having an excess amount of beer labeled him — expelled!

The Dirksen party (a week ago Friday) had music, people, and TWO quarter kegs of beer. No violence or destruction occurred at the party. The RA was actively aware and kept everything to an enjoyable level. The consequences — the sponsoring student removed from the dorms by the Dean's decision. He had nowhere to stay for Friday's classes.

Several issues are at stake here. First, the ever-changing alcohol-party policy—it's obvious excess beer doesn't cause the destruction and damage in the dorms. Remember when there was no limit on the amount of beer in the dorm? And do you remember the amount of damage as the result from it? Wasn't this a priority in changing to the present policy? A person was seldom expelled back then for damages. Now, a student is being held on probation for having a good,

non-destructive party. Where's the logic?

Second, how many parties were registered that same night and how many other sponsors were confronted with the same question of 'how much beer?' Answer here, several — & — none. An answer from the administrative point of view could be "whatever we don't hear about, we aren't concerned with." From the disciplinary aspect, one kid was made an example of — unfairly and unjustly.

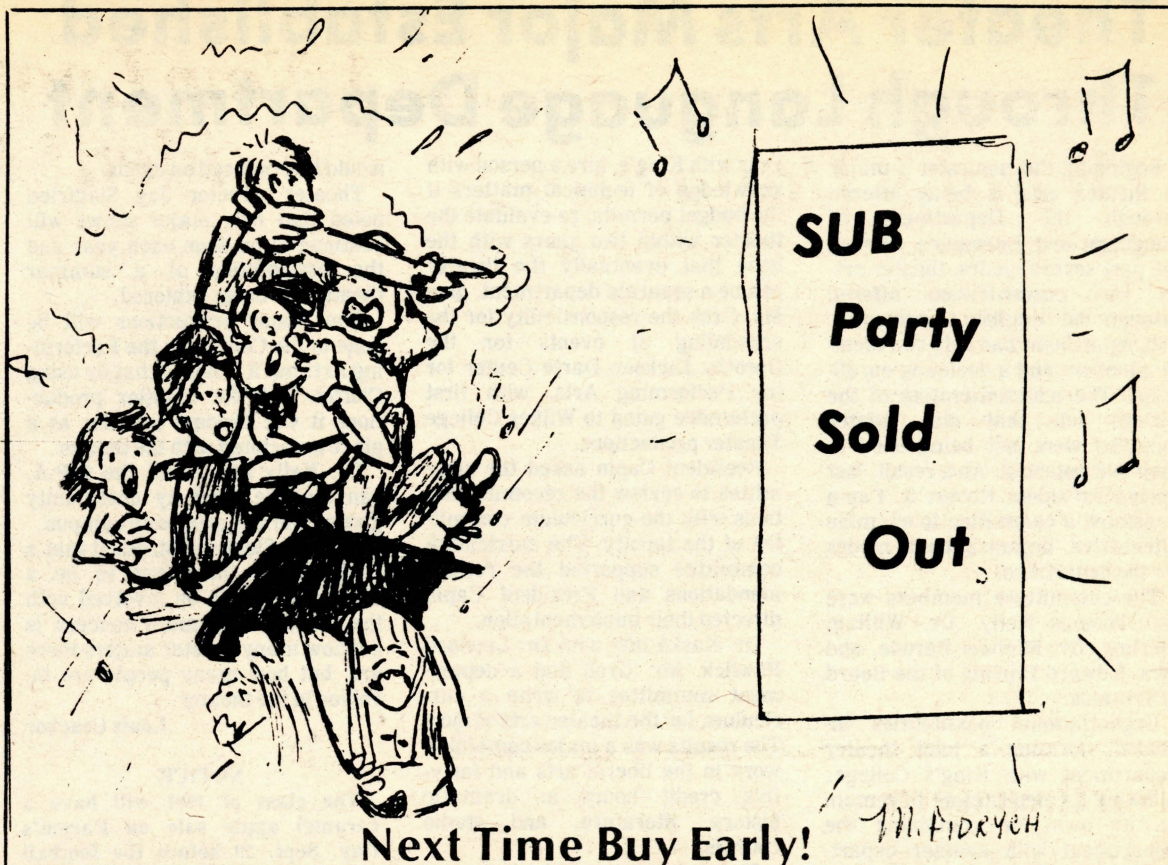
I sincerely hope that this student

continues to have faith and respect for Wilkes College and for the Dean. In all truthful essence, I doubt he will ever want to be "stabbed in the back" again.

Sincerely
A Concerned Student

NOTICE

The class of 1981 will have a special meeting to discuss plans for the Junior Weekend today at 11:30 in SLC 101. Anyone with ideas or who wants to help is urged to attend.



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Maggie Says What's Happening

"The Goodbye Girl" starring Marsha Mason and Richard Dreyfuss will be the second film in the Student Government Film Series. The film will be shown Fri., Sept. 28, in the Center for the Performing Arts at 7 and 9:30 p.m. Admission is 25 cents with ID and 50 cents without.

The American Ethnic Heritage Center of Wilkes College will present an open dialogue with the former Soviet Major General Petro Grigorenko, on Tues., Oct. 2, at 7:30 p.m. in the Center for the Performing Arts. Petro Grigorenko, a native of the Ukraine, presently resides in New York. He was awarded the Freedom Prize by the N.Y. based Freedom House in 1973.

The Wilkes College Cricle K Club will sponsor a roller skating party at Skataway, Wilkes-Barre, on Wednesday, Oct. 3, from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. The Ticket price is \$1 and the proceeds will benefit Multiple Sclerosis. Skate rental is 75 cents in addition to the ticket price. Tickets may be obtained from any Circle K member or in the Student Center, Tues., Oct. 2, from 11-1 p.m. No tickets will be sold at the door.

Currently on display in the Sordani Art Gallery is the Wilkes College Art Alumni Exhibition. The show will continue through Oct. 21. Gallery hours for the show are 1-5 p.m. daily and Thurs. evening 6-9 p.m.

Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic Opens Season

One of the leading keyboard artists of this century, Jorge Bolet, will perform with maestro Thomas Michalak and the Northeastern Pennsylvania Philharmonic when the regional orchestra debuts its new season Sept. 28 through 30. Performances are scheduled for Friday, Sept. 28, at Wilkes-Barre's Irem Temple; Saturday, Sept. 29, at the Masonic Temple in Scranton; and Sunday, Sept. 30 at Haas Center for the Performing Arts on the Bloomsburg State College campus.

Concert times are 8:30 p.m. in Scranton and Wilkes-Barre and 8 p.m. in Bloomsburg, where the regional Philharmonic will open the college artists' series for 1979-80.

A best-selling recording artist for RCA, London, Vox, and Columbia, Mr. Bolent's career has been marked by one extraordinary artistic triumph after another. As a recitalist and soloist with the world's finest symphonies, he has won critical acclaim unprecedented in the world of music. New York Times critic Harold Schonberg has called him a "superpianist" who is an "idol of connoisseurs of romantic piano playing." He has been credited with taste that is "impeccable ... technique ... command of the repertory masterful" — a dazzling performer who is a "poet at the keyboard" recalling the "great days of romanticism."

Tickets for the September concerts, which will be followed by receptions for concert-goers at the Scranton Club, Paul Rosen's Cafe Continental in Kingston, and in Haas Center's gallery, are available through the Philharmonic ticket hotline, 654-4788. Also available are subscriptions for the regional orchestra's entire 1979-80 series of four evenings of classics and three of pops — all featuring outstanding professional artists and challenging programs appealing to every musical preference. Tickets for the Bloomsburg concert are available through the campus Office of Cultural Affairs.

A New Look For Theta Delta Rho; President Institutes Changes

"What I'd like to see for the members of Theta Delta Rho sorority is a lot of unity and fun," states the new president Marta Baker.

Theta Delta Rho is the only sorority on the Wilkes campus and was established in 1945 when Wilkes was Bucknell Junior College. The sorority, whose name ties into "That which dwells by a river," is the oldest service organization on campus.

Recently a new member meeting was held to welcome the new members and to give them an opportunity to meet old members. There are approximately 30 new members in addition to 35 old members. Marta feels that this is a good showing and as the semester progresses membership should rise.

The new president has many plans for the sorority. Over the summer, Marta did in-depth research into other sororities and fraternities searching for a way to put new life into Theta Delta Rho.

Marta explains, "I want the sorority to attain a certain unity from the activities that they choose." The junior psychology major feels that she is in her position to guide the members, but that they must make decisions concerning the activities of their interest.

In another attempt to breath more life into the sorority a new advisor has been added along with Dr. Joseph Bellucci. The new co-advisor is Tanya Hallez, associate director of alumni relations.

The biggest event that TDR sponsors and participated in is their traditional dinner-dance in February. Plans are already in motion for this event. The setting will be the Treadway Inn. This formal is open to any Wilkes students.

The sorority also holds various

service projects including the annual "Golden Ager" Christmas party and this year the sorority will be visiting patients in hospitals.

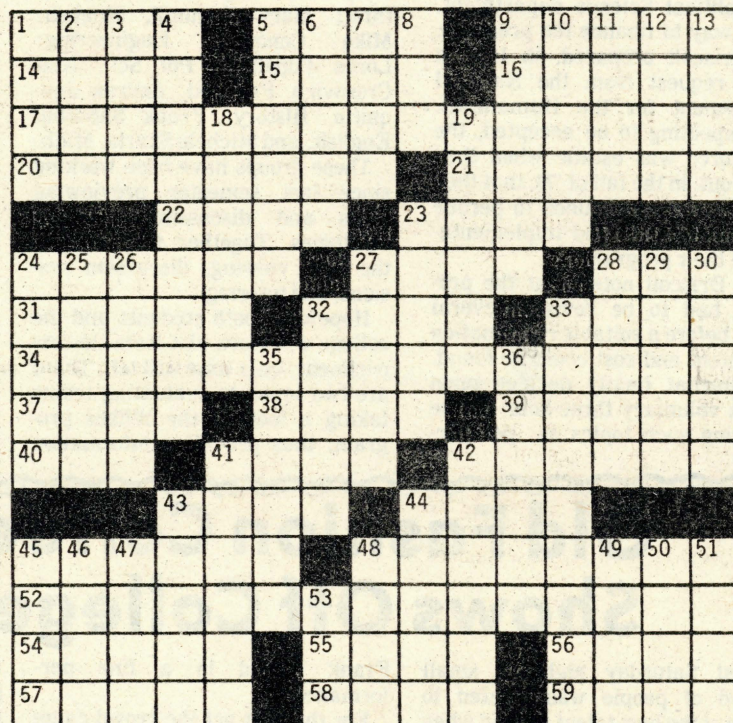
This year TDR will sponsor their traditional wine and cheese party and will embark on new events such as an all-college fashion show in cooperation with a department store. Any students, female or male are welcome to participate.

The members of Theta Delta Rho will also be participating in a makeup demonstration entitled "Sheer Artistry". Throughout the year the members conduct various fund-raisers, such as candy apple sales, bake sales, hoagie sales and fudge and brownie sales.

Marta Baker is keeping many old traditions of the sorority plus adding new ideas and activities. With the help of the new members combined with the support of the old, this year should be the one for the Theta Delta Rho Sorority to shine.

Margaret Scholl

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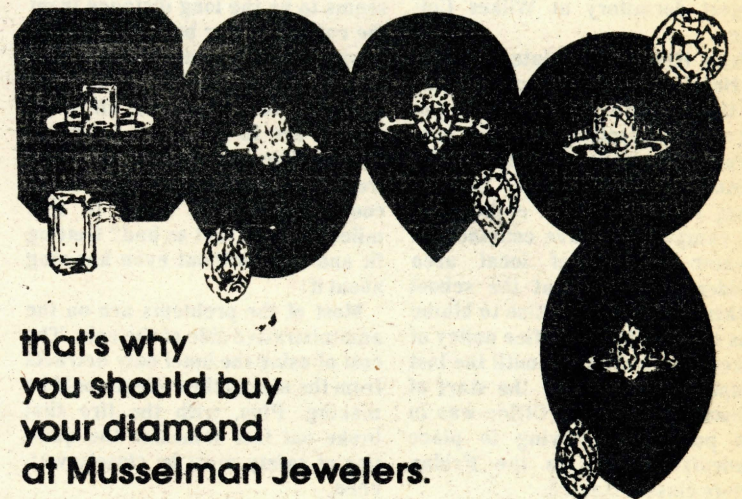
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Hotel Life No Problem Freshmen Adjust Well

Despite appearances Wilkes College did not buy the Sterling Hotel for use as a college dormitory. What happened was that there was an increase in the number of students wanting to live on campus; this combined with an already existing shortage of housing and, presto, there are almost two hundred students assigned to the hotel.

The housing office has managed to relocate a good number of students back into campus dormitories, but there are still one hundred and fifty students residing in the hotel. Odd as it may seem, this makes the Sterling Hotel the largest dormitory at Wilkes College.

Jean Reiter, Associate Director of Housing, gave several reasons for the overload. The first is the rising cost of gasoline and fears concerning its availability during the winter months. These factors, along with a renewed enthusiasm for campus life, have convinced a greater number of local area residents to reside at the school rather than at home. Also to blame was the Admissions office policy of accepting students up until the last couple of days before the start of school. The Housing Office was in the position of having to place students as late as the Friday before classes started.

The biggest problem at first was to find beds and furniture for every room. It seems the Sterling Hotel has managed to get by without having furniture for all its rooms. Why this is so is beyond me. Wilkes had ordered what was needed, but typically it wasn't delivered on time.

The next issue to be dealt with was the number of Resident Assistants needed to cover the Hotel's large student population. Originally, Paul Adams, Director of Housing, had four RA's stationed there, but then decided to hire an additional one on a semester basis.

The RA's duties at the hotel area the same as on campus, but those RA's in the hotel must deal with many more problems due to the hotel's unique characteristics. For example, in none of the dorms on campus will you find someone who has made seven or eight room

changes just since the semester started; in the hotel you'll find at least one. In the dorms you don't have the problem of army men recruiting college girls for parties; in the hotel you do. These are only a few, but you get the idea.

From the students' point of view there are mixed reactions. The housing office has already a long list of those wanting to get out and move to a room on campus. Then again, there are some who like living in the hotel, some upperclassmen even went as far as to request a room there, if possible.

The major complaint by students seems to be the long distance from the cafeteria. For business majors it isn't so bad because Parrish Hall is just across the street, but for many of the freshmen all their classes are in the Stark Learning Center. Since it's about a half mile from the cafe, in a day's travel one could easily walk close to five miles. Now, is that so bad? Getting fit and trim without even knowing about it!

Most of the problems are on the administrative side of the coin. The cost of using the hotel only detracts from the money the college could be making. Plus, with the fire that broke out last semester the question of safety must be closely watched.

The freshmen in the hotel have reacted well to the situation. They are now in the process of developing the ties and friendships they will carry throughout their college days and hopefully through out their lives. It is our hope that despite the inconveniences these students have to put up with in this, their first year, they will have a rewarding and enjoyable college career.

Perry Lichtinger

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Freshmen Studies Program Undergoing Evaluation

In 1976, the President of Wilkes College commissioned a committee to research college goals. One recommendation was to develop a freshmen college that offered additional attention for individuals and instruction for all freshmen as a whole. The results from this action have been widely talked about, and the final product was unveiled this year, titled the Freshmen Studies Program.

The basic objective of the program is to teach the freshmen to learn, how to study, and how to do research work on their own. The extra individual attention the students get is aimed at sharpening the students study skills while, at the same time, broadening the students awareness of the world around them.

Directing the Freshmen Studies Program is Dr. Jean Driscoll, who also serves as the chairperson for the Political Science department. As a way to finance the program, Dr. Driscoll prepared, in 1977, a grant request from the National Endowment for the Humanities. Not expecting to be accepted, the task force was ecstatic when they found out, in the fall of '78, that they had been granted funds to perdue the development and implementation of their program.

Dr. Driscoll noted that the program had to be revised several times before a suitable combination of content and cost could be found. The format finally decided upon was a voluntary three-hour course covering such topics as; perspec-

tive, culture, history, and scientific methods. Films, discussion, and written assignments are used to fulfill the stated objectives.

The format of the program is such that the eight professors involved are not trying to teach their specialties, but rather the skills involved in doing individual research. In this respect, the Freshmen Studies Program is interdisciplinary.

The teachers involved and their respective departments are: Dr. Richard Aston, Engineering; Robert Freysinger, Political Science; Dr. Patricia Heamen, Language and Literature; Dr. Joseph Parker, Mathematics; Ms. Judy Rasson, Anthropology and Sociology; and Dr. James Rodechko, History.

Eight upperclass students were contracted as student fellows to help and assist with the program. They are: Mary Ann Bennet, Anthro.; Mary Bogumil, English; Mike Cononico, Engineering; Loren Copeland, Pol Sci.; Kim Cresovich, Pre-med; Andrew Janquitto, History; Frank Sabatini, English; and Michele Skurla, Math.

These groups have been working since last semester previewing films and discussing teaching strategies. Together they control the film viewing, discussion sessions, and tutoring.

Hopefully, both students and the college will learn alot from this experiment; only time will tell. There are two separate evaluating teams taking a look at the Wilkes program, thus providing information

to those who will later decide if the program merits continuation.

So far, reactions to the program from students is good. Nearly everyone I talked to liked the program and think it is worthwhile. There is some complaint over the amount of work, but the general feeling is that the extra work is well worth it.

The instructors have made similar comments, stating that the program has so far worked out pretty much the way they had it planned. Also, as one professor put it, it is a great chance to sit down and talk about the situation the world is in today. During the discussion sessions many excellent comments have been brought up concerning not only basic causes for our problems, but also some pretty good suggestions too.

The program seems to be giving the freshmen a chance to look talk about issues they might not have had the chance to without it. One good point that was made was that the freshmen aren't scared to speak out about our problems, and this is a good sign.

The second semester opens a new section of the program. The instructors and student fellows will each teach a class and discuss whatever topic they feel will be most relevant.

Since the subject matter discussed in the program is so varied, later in the coming issues I will bring up some of the more interesting topics raised. The program is a good one and some things they bring up are worth a closer look, for us all to see.

Perry Lichtinger

Old Fashion Coffee House Shows Off College Talent

Last Saturday night, a small crowd of people was treated to some of the best talent around when Cue-n-Curtain sponsored "An Old Fashion Coffee House" held in Church Hall. For those who weren't there, I can only say it's a shame you missed it. Eleven acts were put together for the evening and free coffee and cake were offered, but the real treat was in watching and listening to the artists perform.

The show, put together by Tricia Lupi, offered a wide variety of entertainment. A guy named Chaz opened with some guitar and vocals, then was joined by Adelle Tavella who provided harmony for a couple songs. Paul Kerrigan followed with a few Billy Joel songs on the piano. Adelle once again joined in and sang a Joan Beaz number called "Hello." Paul then gave the crowd an excellent dramatic monologue from the play "1776."

Lori Pritchard, a very talented freshman, shook the audience with an original dramatic monologue about a girl whose parents died. The realism of her performance made me want to call home and check to see that my folks were ok. Frank Forte brought the crowd back to earth with some songs and laughter on his guitar and kazoo. For someone who claims to have learned to sing only a week ago

Frank turned in a fine performance.

For the next act the crowd came alive and for good reason. A fellow by the name of Pat Goodwin took the stage and carried the next twenty minutes or so with his version of many popular songs. Pat in the past has played the area in many bars and nightclubs, but will take some time off to develop his own material. When he returns I'm sure he'll be as good as ever if not better.

The first half was closed by Seamus McGraw who, with his convincing style of speech, took the crowd down to the subways of New York and described the sad goodbye scene between a cosmopolitan girl and her wino father. Tricia Lupi accompanied on the piano.

The second half started on a funny note with Chris Lonstrup reading a very good story about a boy working in an A&P and his adventures following three bathing suit clad females through the aisles. Mark Bell, another freshman, sang three or four numbers, some of which were original.

Darlene Shafer, who along with Chris Lonstrup compete for the very successful debate team, gave the audience a very touching story titled, "Blue Rose." It wasn't the story itself that moved me, but

rather the way Darlene told it. I can see very clearly now why our debate team is doing so well.

Maria Smigel, with back-up vocals and guitar work by Tricia Lupi, presented us with a couple songs from the play Godspell. The two worked well together and this portion of the show was very enjoyable.

In the final act of the night, Tricia Lupi let us in on a little secret. It's nice when she accompanies other performers, but it's a real treat when she goes it alone. Don't take my word for it. She starts playing tonight at Emersons at 10 p.m. Stop by and listen, then you'll know what I mean.

In all the evening of entertainment went very well, and I'm going to make it a point not to miss the next Coffee House they put on. Many thanks must go out to Bill Stusnik, John Salwitz, Bill Turcan, Curt Schrawder, and Michael Flamini for their help in putting the show on. Thanks also to Seamus McGraw who was the mc for the evening, and to Pat Goodwin for the use of his sound equipment.

Perry Lichtinger



Election Of Freshmen Officers Discussed At Class Meeting

Student Government and the elections of class officers were the major topics discussed at the freshman class meeting, Tuesday, September 18. The Student Government, Inter-Dormitory Council, and Commuter Council were explained in detail to the class. The election of officers was next on the agenda. The nominations for class officers will take place on October 16. In order to be nominated, the student must be present at the meeting. Elections will be held on October 23.

Marla Brodsky, the freshman class adviser also explained the events of homecoming to the students present. October 11 kicks off the homecoming celebration with the annual bonfire. The homecoming dinner-dance is the evening of October 12, and

homecoming will end after the Wilkes vs. F.D.U. Madison football game. Also discussed was the homecoming parade and float contest which is to take place during the weekend. The Age of Light and/or F.D.U. Madison's football team, the Blue Devil's are this year's homecoming themes. They are to be incorporated in the assembly of all floats. There will be a twenty-five dollar subsidy from the student government to those entering the contest. The winner will be awarded a prize from the alumni.

The Freshman-Sophomore Dinner-Dance and intramural sports were also briefly mentioned by Brodsky. It was also stated by Brodsky that the Class of '83 is the largest class to enter Wilkes College.

Mary Ann Fedor

Wilkes' American Ethnic Heritage Center Announces Grigorenko As Speaker

The American Ethnic Heritage Center of Wilkes College in cooperation with the Ukrainian Fraternal Association will present an open dialogue with former Soviet Major-General Petro Grigorenko, Tuesday, October 2, at 7:30 p.m. at the Dorothy Dickson Darte Center for the Performing Arts.

It will be the first major program to be sponsored by the college organization which was established earlier this year to communicate and appreciate the cultural heritage of the many ethnic groups that have settled in Wyoming Valley.

Grigorenko, who was featured as a Soviet dissident in a recent issue of "Time" magazine, was born 1907 in the Zaporizhe region of the

Ukraine. As a former major-general in the Red Army and department head at Frunze Military Academy, he received several decorations including the prestigious "Order of Lenin."

His tribulations as an open critic of the Soviet government began in World War II when he criticized Stalin's military policies for failing to prepare the country for war. He was dismissed from his post as head of the Frunze Academy in 1961 for criticizing the Krushchev personality cult. Grigorenko was later arrested in 1964 for continued dissidence and was stripped of his rank and placed in an institution.

After his release in 1965, he protested against the 1965-66 trials of writers and the 1968 Russian invasion of Czechoslovakia. He was ar-

rested in 1969 and tried in absentia for anti-Soviet agitation and propaganda and deflation of the Soviet state.

Grigorenko was awarded the Freedom Prize by the New York based Freedom House in 1973 and joined the Moscow Helsinki monitoring group in May 1976. He was granted a six month visa to the United States for medical treatment in Fall 1977 then stripped of his Soviet citizenship and denied permission to return to Russia.

He currently resides in New York City and is head of the Ukrainian Helsinki Group-Abroad.

The open dialogue is presented to the public as a community service free of charge. Prior to the start of the discussion, a film will be presented on the life of the former Soviet military leader.

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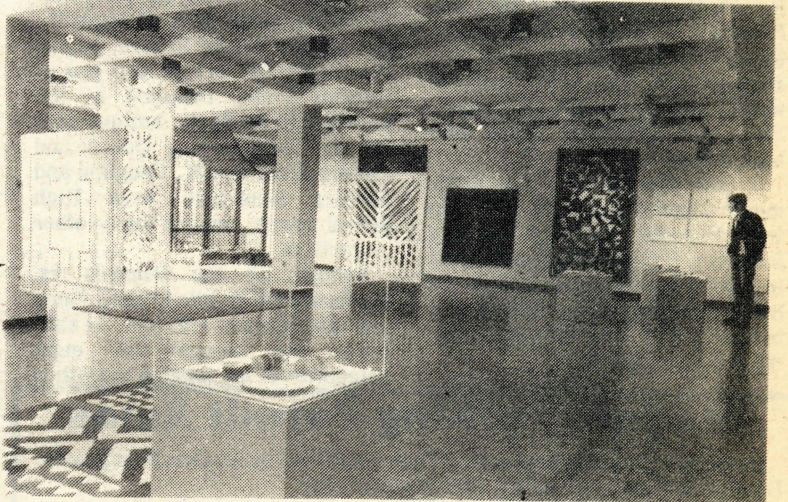
Within the last year, members of the Gallery have enjoyed lectures by Joseph Domjan, printmaker; Frederick Mitchell; Franz Kline; and Dr. William Homer, on "The Eight". Members have also participated in bus trips including exhibits such as, Treasures of Tutankhamon, Pompeii AD 79, and

Michelangelo and his world.

Special membership privileges include discounts on bus trips, annual print sales, art works for sale and Gallery exhibition catalogues. Among other privileges are a subscription to a bimonthly newsletter, "GALLERY BRIEFS," a calendar of events and invitations to special previews, lectures, and films.

Anyone desiring more information should contact Cara Berryman at the Sordoni Art Gallery.

Margaret Scholl



"PRESENTING"—Pictured above is the Sordoni Art Gallery located on the first floor of Stark Learning Center.

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Commuters Join National Club

On the campus of Wilkes College the influence of commuter students is growing. By a unanimous decision, Commuter Council passed a motion to affiliate themselves with the National Clearinghouse for Commuter Programs. The University of Maryland Commuter Affairs Office currently serves as coordinator of the Clearinghouse which focuses itself on the characteristics, attitudes, needs and behaviors of commuter students. The Clearinghouse is also designed to obtain and exchange information about established and experimental programs affecting commuting students. With the acceptance of their membership, Commuter Council will receive the Clearinghouse quarterly newsletter, "The Commuter," plus many other additional material including synopses of current research bulletins and referral services and an annotated bibliography of relevant literature on commuter students and commuter institutions. Commuter Council will also serve as a communication network for the Commuter Task Force.

In other unfinished business, it was pointed out that there will be a meeting of both, the Homecoming Float Committee and the Halloween Committee this Thursday at 12 o'clock on the second floor of Weckesser Hall.

In newer business, C.C. is still sponsoring a t-shirt sale. T-shirts are \$4 and can be ordered through any C.C. representative. Also Committee Chairpersons were set up as follows: Social - Bill Miller and Ken Rogers, Commons - Dan Patronick, Publicity - Maurita Gries, and Transportation - Bill Stusnick and John Moffatt. Two new members were added to Commuter Council. They are: Margaret Scholl and Matt Evans.

It was also decided that Commuter Council members will help with Parents' Day this coming Saturday. C.C. members are asked to work from 9 to 12 o'clock in the Stark Learning Center and from 4 to 6 o'clock at the Post Game Huddle at the Sterling Hotel.

Darlene Schaffer

Student Parking Permit Rules

Below is a list of parking permit rules submitted by Eugene Manganello, Director of Personnel, for the 1979-80 school year:

- Permit must be placed on the inside, top center of windshield.
- If permit is issued to a car pool, the permit must be prominently displayed on the dash, visible to the parking guard.
- All vehicles must be registered with the personnel office. If license numbers or vehicles change during the semester, notify the personnel office immediately.
- If the designated lots to which you have been assigned are filled, you may not park in any other lot. Illegal parking in an unauthorized lot may result in the loss of your parking permit.
- Anyone possessing unauthorized parking stickers or parking magnetic cards is subject to a \$50 fine. Unauthorized parking in college lots results in a fine and may precipitate towing at the owners expense.
- Cars parked in Handicapped Zones will be ticketed.

Dormitory Parking Lots

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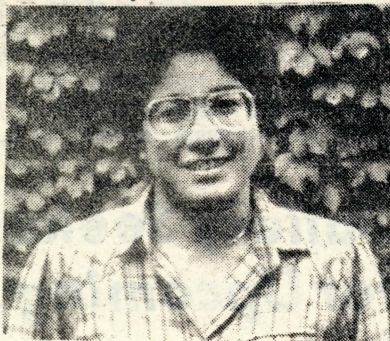
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South River Street	16 South River Street

Homecoming Weekend Features Floats And Parade On Public Square

In 1879, Thomas Edison discovered the incandescent lamp, and thus the Age of Light began. This is the theme of Homecoming Weekend, October 11-14, celebrating the 100th anniversary of this invention, according to Ana Nunez, Homecoming Committee Chairperson.

Kicking off the weekend will be a Bonfire, Thursday, Oct. 10 at 10 p.m. at Ralston Field. At this time, the Homecoming Queen and Court will be announced.

On Friday, Oct. 12, the dorm and



Ana Nunez

club displays will be judged by the alumni. Later the Homecoming Dinner-Dance will be held at the Treadway Inn, Wilkes-Barre. Music will be provided by "Fantasy."

Saturday morning, the Wilkes soccer team will meet Scranton at Ralston Field. The game will begin at 10:30 a.m.

Beginning at 12:00, the newest event of Homecoming will take place. A parade will start at the Center for the Performing Arts, proceed down River St., turn onto Northampton St., to South Main St., and around Public Square, across the Market St. Bridge and end at Ralston Field. Included in the parade will be floats, antique cars for the Homecoming Queen and Court and the G.A.R., Coughlin and Greater Nanticoke Area High School bands, among many other attractions.

Kickoff for the Colonels vs. Madison FDU Devils football game will take place at 1:30 p.m. At half-time, the winners in eight categories of the jogging marathon

will be announced and the three high school bands will give a performance.

Saturday night there will be a SUB party featuring "St. Jamesgate", a country rock group.

Sunday, Oct. 14, at 2 p.m. there will be a field party at Ralston Field. This is when the prizes for dorm and club displays and float awards will be distributed.

Chairperson Nunez stated that no real problems have arisen yet. The only fear the committee has is that the dorm and club displays may suffer because of the work required on the floats.

The committee hopes, however, that the floats will be an opportunity for more students to participate. It is also hoped the parade will spark enthusiasm for the college in the community and create spirit in the student body.

Anyone interested in entering a float in the Homecoming Parade must have their entry in the Student Government Office, in care of Ana Nunez by Friday, Sept. 28. Information such as guidelines on how to build a float, is available at the SG Office.

Parties entering a float are responsible for providing their own locomotion, materials and location to build the float. They are also responsible for cleaning up after-

Sophomore Class Party A Success

The SUB party, held September twenty-first which was sponsored by the Sophomore class, was a success. The response to the first SUB party during the 79-80 school year was excellent. Two-hundred and forty persons attended the party and many more persons were turned away because the building was filled to capacity. Admission was two dollars. The sophomore class sold mugs at the price of two dollars and fifty cents, however if a mug and a ticket were purchased the total price was only three dollars and fifty cents.

The first floor of the student union building served as a disco with disc jockey J.J. hosting the evening. A party was held in the basement. Available for the enjoyment of those attending were beer and snacks. The discovery that two cases of mugs were stolen was the only disappointment of the evening.

The plans for the SUB party were finalized at the meeting of the sophomore class on September 18. Plans for the class float were also discussed and are currently underway.

Another major topic of inquiry was the Freshman-Sophomore Dinner-Dance. Danny Glunk, president of the sophomore class, stated that the date of the dance is March 15 and the dance will be held at the Treadway Inn. The six piece band, "Whirlwind," will perform from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. that evening. Disc jockey, Charlie Sotolongo will host the dinner-dance.

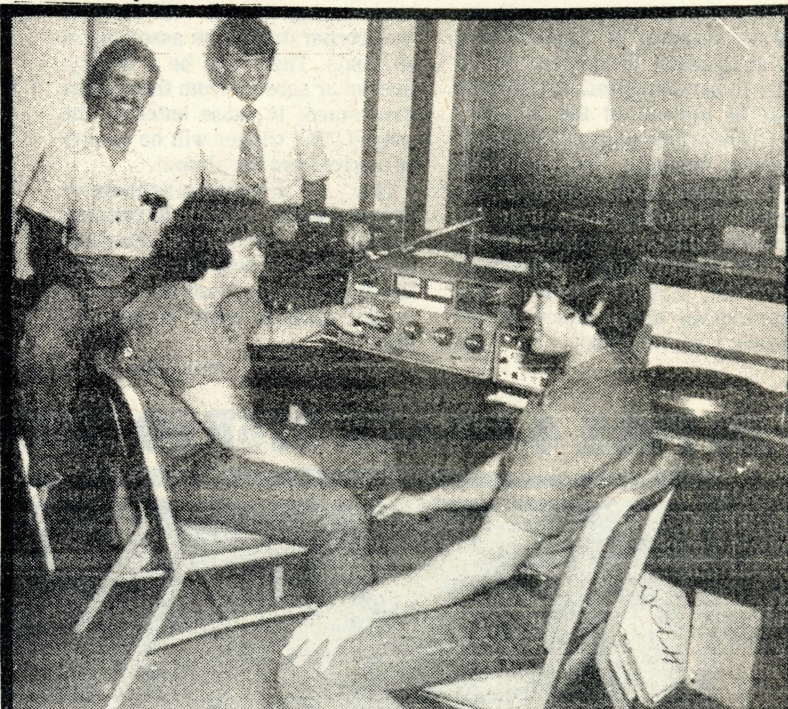
Mary Ann Fedor

wards. There will probably be subsidies for those building floats, but the exact amount has yet to be determined.

Entries for dorm and club displays must be submitted to the SG Office by Oct. 4th.

Classes, dorms, clubs, organizations, and EVERYONE — it is the Age of Light. Sponsor a float, build a display, get involved, and enjoy, enjoy, enjoy!

Patti Sparlow



YES/WILKES SET SHOW — WCLH FM and the Youth Employment Service of Luzerne County have joined to produce a weekly 15 minute program dealing with youth attitudes on employment. The show will air every Saturday, twice a day at 8 a.m. and 6 p.m.

David S. Yonki, Community Relations Coordinator for YES will host the show, Ann Kopec, YES staffer will co-produce and write for the program.

Pictured in the background are Wilkes personnel, Fred Pierantoni and Dr. Brad Kinney. In the foreground are YES staffer Ann Kopec and WCLH program director Rich Nordheim.

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BAVITZ QUIZ

1. Who was the first black quarterback in the NFL?
2. Only one man has pitched a no-hitter in his first major league start, name him.
3. Who holds the highest career scoring average in NBA playoff history? And what was his average?
4. Who was the first NBA player to average over thirty points a game?
5. In the history of the ABA, only one guard led the league in scoring, who was he?
6. Name the Chicago Cubs pitcher who struckout 14 times in a row in 1968?
7. Who holds the record for most homeruns in a five-game World Series? Hint: It's not over-rated and over-paid Reggie.
8. Carlton Fisk's dramatic game-winning homer against the Reds in the World Series in extra innings a few years back will be recalled as one of the most exciting hits in major league history. The question is, who gave up the homer?

ANSWERS:

1. Willie Thrower, Chicago Bears, 1953
2. Bobo Holoman, St. Louis Browns, 1951
3. Jerry West, L.A. Lakers, 29.1
4. Wilt Chamberlain, San Francisco Warriors, 34.7
5. Charlie Scott, Virginia Squires, 71-72 season
6. Bill Hands
7. Donn Clendenon, New York Mets, 1969
8. Pat Darcy

SOCCER MANAGER — A soccer manager is needed for this year's Wilkes College team. Anyone interested is asked to call the athletic department at ext. 354, or stop by in the Weckesser Annex and see John Reese.

between the

WHITE

lines

by Eddie White

You know, something came across my mind recently after attending the all-college assembly a few weeks back and I thought I would share it with you. It came during Dean Ralston's presentation and it had to deal with school "spirit."

The dean expressed a joy over the fact that so many students attended the assembly, which showed that spirit does exist here at Wilkes, contrary to popular belief. Everyone in that gym that day even got "pumped up" over the dean's dramatic cheer — "Goooooooooooo, WILKES!"

It was really refreshing to see that "spirit" alive at Wilkes and to experience it at first-hand. The last three years around here have been as exciting as a run-away checker tournament.

We have the spirit, that's a fact. But we have to find new avenues to let us express our feelings and let it all hang out. After a week of racking your brain with math problems or finding out why Hitler did this or that, you can unwind.

What I'm trying to say is this. Is it possible to have more of the assemblies. We could even focus them on athletics. You remember them from your "old" high school days — pep rallies. Don't say you've outgrown them, because many of the major colleges and universities still have pep rallies for most of their sports.

Now, a pep rally every week is absurd. But, what if they could be set up where, every sport that season is present and cheered on for its next victory. We do have a rally during Homecoming festivities, but we must get the winter and spring sports involved.

Many of the athletes around the school have expressed a positive attitude about possible rallies and fixing them up together with some parties on weekends. There are many ways of going about getting the spirit to flow. But the first is a very easy one — go to the game.

Attendance at most Wilkes sporting events is awful. Most of the people there are parents and friends. But where are the students. Come on, you can't study all your life.

Last year, many of the students did come out during the winter season and the Wilkes Gymnasium was packed for some key wrestling matches and the Wilkes-King's basketball games (both here and at King's).

Using the winter teams of wrestling and men's basketball as examples, we could possibly have pep rallies before an important wrestling match (Oregon State?) or an important basketball game (vs. King's, Scranton?).

How about it? Would you go for it? There would have to be a lot of work done by the student body, especially for the leaders to get to all the students and get them interested in the athletic teams. Led by SG president Dave Blumfield, who could turn out to be one of the finest presidents in history at Wilkes, we could do it.

So, get out to a game, cheer your fellow students on and maybe, just maybe, your contribution to the team could turn a losing season into a winning and profitable experience.

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Getting Their Kicks!



The Wilkes College soccer team went into yesterday's game with Muhlenberg College looking for its first victory of the 1979 campaign. This past Saturday, the Colonels of Coach Ernesto Lopez dropped a 9-1 decision to a Division II Bloomsburg State College squad in Bloomsburg.

Senior Nick Golowich had the only goal for Wilkes against the Huskies. It was the first goal allowed this year by Bloomsburg State, who earlier in the week shutout a very good Scranton University team.

Having good games for the Colonels were: Warren

Bush, Dave Reynolds, Charlie Issacs, John Brill, Zumi, Chip Boyer, Mike Karns, Carlos Riebero, John Hart, and Bob Bineworth.

This Saturday the Colonels will host Lycoming College and then meet Baptist Bible on Oct. 3 at Ralston Field. King's College is organizing a soccer team, and Lopez feels this will add greatly to local soccer interest.

"When King's gets into the league, there will be a great rivalry, and it will help the area's soccer interest and get new fans," stated Lopez.

Bad Call Leaves Wilkes 1-1

He blew it! The official in last week's Wilkes - Lycoming football game, could have just as well been wearing a Warrior jersey, when he signaled that Lycoming had scored in the fourth quarter.

If you don't know by now, Wilkes was leading 7-3 with about eight

minutes left to play, and Lycoming had a fourth and goal situation from the two-yard line. They went for it, and Mike Santoleri was credited with a touchdown on a run of one and three quarters yard.

Films clearly show that Santoleri was stopped short of the goal line

by a ferocious Wilkes defensive line, which grew more ferocious after the TD call was made. Initially, Santoleri landed about a foot shy of the goal line and then he jumped over the line after he had already been down.

In a hesitation move, which constitutes some unsureness on part of one referee, the official signaled a score. The other officials did not do anything. Those on the sidelines witnessed the other officials "just shaking their heads" after the call was made.

Was it a bad call? Your damn right it was, and it could possibly cost Wilkes a MAC title. It seems like only yesterday when an umpire blew a call in the Wilkes - Elizabethtown baseball game last spring, and turn a Wilkes romp of the Blue Jays into a Colonel defeat. That loss almost cost Wilkes a MAC North-West title, but the Blue and Gold rebounded to beat E-town in a playoff.

Now, back to the game. With the loss, Wilkes is now 1-1 in the MAC and will host a tough Upsala College team in a crucial MAC game this Saturday at home at 1:30. Upsala is undefeated in the MAC, and Wilkes followers must hope that the Colonels come out on top this week and Upsala can knock off Lycoming.

The Colonels only score came on a three-yard run by junior Carmen LoPresto, who had 82 yards on 18 carries for the Wilkesmen. LoPresto is now only 30 yards shy of the coveted 1,000 career mark and should get it Saturday in front of the home crowd.

Mike Wilson started for Wilkes and finished the day hitting on only

five of 20 for 121 yards and two interceptions. Coach Rollie Schmidt went with Tom Cywinski for the Colonels last desperate drive and he was 1-4 with an interception. Only the shadow knows who will start at QB this week. Another possibility is Wayne "Call me Matt Robinson" Lonstein, a sophomore from New York. Soph lefty Tony Vlahovic is injured and it's not known when he will come back.

The Colonel defense on Saturday was again, as always, super. Steve Croghan played a super game except for one play, and Glenn Colvin was in on almost every play coming from the linebacker's position. Ed Mollahan also played extremely well in leading the line charge.

Soph Bob Luby had two interceptions for the Colonels and is now tied for team lead in that department with senior Dave Korba. Both have three interceptions on the year.

This week's game with Upsala could be the turning point in the season. The Vikings will probably be a slight favorite in Saturday's match-up.

GRID-BITS: ... veteran Joe Gries, WBRE's play-by-play announcer who does the Wilkes football games, had a clear view of the controversial TD, and said the runner did not get in ... two others with "birds-eye" view of the play were asst. coaches Dan Distasio and Jonah Goobc, who saw the play from the coaches booth up in the pressbox. Both almost threw the coaches phones out the window in protest of the call ... Sean O'Dea and Paul Kotulak looked good on Saturday ... John Frappolli was sensational in blocking a Lyco field goal attempt ... Mark Hmelak got the Wilkes crowd on hand excited with a 49-yard kickoff return to start the game, but the drive stalled ... the Warriors game-winning

scoring drive was aided by a roughing the kicker penalty against Wilkes ... the majorettes, cheerleaders and strutters put on a 3.0 performance in Williamsport ... the band was, as always, a 4.0.

Eddie White

CPR CARDS READY — Sandy Rupert, athletic secretary has announced that the CPR cards for last year's spring semester candidates can be picked up at her office in Weckesser Annex.

SPORTS WRITERS — Anyone interested in being a sports writer for THE BEACON is asked to call ext. 473.

BEACON SPORTS

NOTICE

The first meeting of the History Club will be held on Thursday, October 4th at 11:00 a.m. in SLC 215. Events and election of officers will be discussed. All are welcomed.

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GOING FOR A 1,000 — Shown above is junior tailback Carmen "Homer" LoPresto, who needs only 30 yards to reach the coveted 1,000-yard career mark. LoPresto, from Pittston, should reach the mark this Saturday when the Colonels (1-1) host undefeated Upsala College. (PHOTO BY GAETANO)



MAC CHAMPS — The Wilkes College golf team last spring captured the championship of the Middle Atlantic Conference. Shown above accepting the MAC's title trophy are left to right, Coach Rollie Schmidt, Mark Alansky, captain Joe Skladany, Mark LePore, and Francis Hayes. (PHOTO BY MILLER)

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Runners Upend Bible, Prepare for Scranton

The Wilkes College cross-country team raised its season record to 3-0 by defeating Baptist Bible 19-41 last week at Kirby Park.

The Colonels dominated the meet by having seven of the top ten finishers. Leading the way for Wilkes was Ken Pascoe with a winning time of 28:37. Dave Boehn of Baptist Bible followed at 29:53. Wilkes gathered the next four places; 3rd Danny Thomas 29:59; John Supinski 4th at 30:16; 5th Ed Eppler 30:26; and 6th Lou Muccilio, 30:28; Mark Janhke of Baptist Bible was 7th at 34:47.

Other Wilkes finishers were Roger Davis 8th, Don Patrick 10th, Vince D'Amato 11th, Ed Cunningham 12th, Ken Waters 15th, Kevin Cavanagh 18th, and Bob Feldman 20th.

Wilkes was expected to take on arch-rival Scranton and Muhlenberg yesterday at Scranton. Coach Righter feels, "These meets

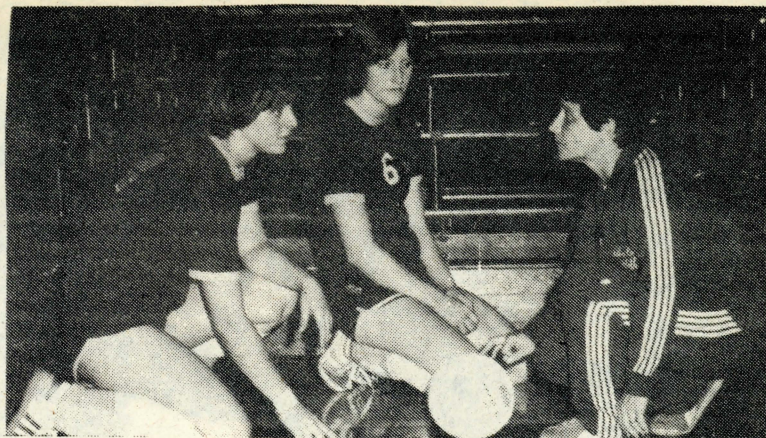
will test our kids. It will show how good we really are." Righter added, "I feel we are ready and our kids are picturing beating Scranton."

After that key triangular, Wilkes will have another key triangular on Saturday September 29 with Philadelphia Textile and Albright at Kirby Park.

Rich Nordheim

CROSS COUNTRY Head Coach: Ron Righter

Sept. 15	King's/Delaware Valley	(h)	1:30
	19 Baptist Bible	(h)	4:00
	26 Scranton/Muhlenberg	(a)	4:00
	29 Phila. Textile/Albright	(h)	1:30
Oct. 3	Lebanon Valley	(h)	4:00
	6 Moravian	(a)	1:00
	10 Albright	(h)	4:00
	13 Mansfield State	(a)	
	16 Susquehanna	(a)	4:15
	20 Baptist Bible	(a)	2:00
Nov. 3	MAC Championship		



TAKING CARE OF BUSINESS — Going over game plans for their upcoming games are women's volleyball captains (left to right) senior Karen Burkley, junior Mary Kay Price and head coach Doris Saracino. (PHOTO BY MILLER)

Ladies Whip L.C.C. For First 1979 Win

The Wilkes College women's volleyball team had a rough time this past week, suffering defeats at the hands of Scranton University and Upsala College, but the ladies came back to score their first win of the year over neighbor L.C.C.C. in Nanticoke.

At the Wilkes Gym, the Colonelettes suffered a shutout loss to the Royalettes, losing 15-5, 15-8, and 15-0. The high scorers for the game were junior Sarah Farley and freshman Ellen Van Riper, with three points apiece.

On September 20, Coach Doris Saracino's team dropped another loss to Upsala College, losing 0-15, 4-15, and 6-15. Ellen Van Riper and Mary Kay Price led the way with three points each.

This past Saturday, the ladies earned their first victory of the season over the Minutemaids of L.C.C.C., using a strong comeback to take the win. Wilkes won by

scores of: 15-4, 15-12, 15-5, and 15-12.

The high scorer for the game were sophomore Cathy Dudick out of G.A.R., who did a fantastic job as server, pulling off sixteen points for the Colonelettes. Other top players on Saturday included: Cheryl Frystack with 11 points, Lisa Cobb with five points, and Mary LKay Price with three spikes.

On September 28, the ladies will travel to meet Moravian College before returning home on Sept. 30 to host Misericordia.

Mary Kutz

Stickwomen Open Year: Battle To Tie With SU

Rumor had it that Scranton University had recruited some top field hockey girls for this season. Well, that rumor proved to be true as the Wilkes girls and the girls from "Duh U" fought to a 0-0 tie in the Colonelettes season opener last Thursday.

This past week's scheduled game with Albright College was rained out and no date has been set for a make-up as yet.

Coach Gay Meyers told us to expect new faces in the lineup this year, and we saw them as no less than five freshmen started against Scranton.

The yearlings included Diane Hall, Ephrata, Pa., left wing; Michele Weiss, Lebanon, N.J., inside; Linda Dayer, Stanhope, N.J., halfback; Nancy Cole, Morristown, N.J., fullback; and Rose Shanahan, Wilkes-Barre, goalie.

The Wilkes girls contrlled the first half offensively and created the fast break but could not capitalize on it to score. They continuously attacked the Scranton goal but good efforts by the Royalette defense held.

"We have the people on offense, but we need time to gell," stated Meyers.

The second half was directly the

opposite of the first period as Scranton had the Colonelettes with their backs against the wall. But the Wilkes defense stiffened and held. Scranton outshot Wilkes by a large margin, but 13 saves by Shanahan helped keep the Royalettes from scoring.

"I liked a lot of the things I saw for a first game, but we have a long way to go," explained Coach Meyers. She went on, "Starting as many new people as we did, it will take time to put things together. But, we don't have time!"

"We are the team to beat in our MAC division and the local league and we better be up to that challenge."

In the first-ever Wilkes College junior varsity field hockey game with Scranton, the ladies dropped a 1-0 decision, but Meyers was pleased by the performance of her future "big-leaguers."

This past week the ladies were expected to meet Drew University in New Jersey on Monday, and Keystone at home yesterday. The ladies will next meet Lafayette on the road on Saturday.

Gary Mack

FIELD HOCKEY Head Coach: Gay Meyers

Sept. 8	Elizabethtown	(a)	
	20 Scranton	(a)	4:00
	22 Albright	(a)	11:00
	24 Drew University	(a)	4:00
	26 Keystone	(h)	4:00
	29 Lafayette	(a)	11:00
Oct. 2	Delaware Valley	(h)	4:00
	4 Bloomsburg State	(h)	4:00
	9 Lycoming	(a)	4:00
	11 Marywood	(h)	4:00
	16 Misericordia	(h)	4:00
	18 Susquehanna	(h)	3:00
	20 Kutztown State	(h)	11:00
	24 Bucknell	(h)	3:00
	27 Madison FDU	(a)	11:00

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