

151 Graduates Leave May 8

By Genie Glover

Sunday, May 8 is definitely a date marked on every sophomore's calendar as the entire school anxiously prepares for this year's Commencement exercises, just under two weeks away. Many activities have been planned around the actual Commencement ceremony, which

will take place at 2 p.m. in Boshamer Gymnasium that Sunday.

Rehearsal for graduation will take place Saturday in the gym following an Alumni brunch which will be held in the Myer's Dining Hall.

That night there's going to be a candlelight Dinner with buffet

(semi-formal dress), again in the cafeteria. Following the dinner, students, faculty, and parents will be treated to a Big Band Sound dance which will be performed by the BC Stage Band in the cafeteria.

A Baccalaureate service will take place on Sunday at 11 a.m. at the First United Methodist

Church. Dr. John McWhorter, District Superintendent of Greensboro for the United Methodist church will preside as speaker. Sophomores Susan Traynor and Susan Eastwood will be providing music for the service.

North Carolina Representative James McClure Clark will be the

speaker at the graduation ceremony.

Following the presentation of the Citizenship and Scholarship awards, President Martinson will present the diplomas.

"Students are almost always surprised by how nice the graduation experience is," said Dean Wray.



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Above is the "Brevard Wall" currently nearing completion.

PTK Inducts 24 New Members

Twenty-four provisional members were inducted into Phi Theta Kappa April 5 in Dunham Auditorium as faculty members, parents and friends looked on.

Michelle Ebner, secretary of the Delta Phi Chapter, presided over the candlelight ceremony as a fraternity member lit the candle of each inductee and offered a personal word of welcome.

College President Martinson, himself a member of PTK, expressed his congratulations to the new members. The main thrust of his brief message was as

follows:

"If you don't remember anything else I have said tonight, I want you to remember this one thing: you are here to obtain knowledge and wisdom, but when you leave here, you have a responsibility to serve. The gift of knowledge and wisdom, if not used to serve those around us, is useless."

A reception for the new members was held in the lobby afterwards.

New PTK members include Susan Bridges, Pam Caldemeyer, Natalie Carie,

Cheryl Chester, Janet Clark (Secretary-elect), Shari Eakes, and Greg Guillebeau (Vice-President-elect).

Also Ron Hendrix, Diana Howard, Kim Johnson, Tomoko Kitagawa, Lai Nar Leung, Judy McDonald, Madeline Madden, and Brian Merusi.

Also, Scott Merusi, Jeff Moore, Margaret Nifong, Stuart Noell (Treasurer-elect), Christine Pellicio, Richard Pitts, Terry Lee Robinson, George Sweet, Cheryl Vickers, and Nancy Wheatley (President-elect).

Clarion Wins ASPA First Place Award

The Brevard College Clarion has been awarded First Place honors in the 1982 American Scholastic Press Association annual newspaper competition. The Clarion scored an even 900 points out of a possible 1000 on a rating system which judges papers on content, general plan, page design, editing, art, and creativity.

The Clarion received perfect marks for general plan and editing, and near perfect marks for page design.

First Place is the highest rating category given by the ASPA. The award letter accompanying the certificate stated "articles are well written and are laid out in a professional manner that makes

the format quite attractive." The judges' letter also said "your devotion of the last page to sports coverage is a professional technique."

1982-1983 Clarion editor Jon Zillioux was pleased with the announcement. Said Zillioux, "It's very satisfying to win this kind of award. It makes all the hard work seem worthwhile."

Mr. Ken Chamlee, Clarion advisor since 1978, said, "I'm very happy for Jon and the staff. It has not been the easiest of years, but this recognition makes you forget the headaches."

The Clarion competed against other junior and community colleges across the United States. The ASPA serves over 800 schools nationwide.

Concert Band Tours May 2-7

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While most students will be gone by then, Brevard College's Concert Band is going to stay in the area for a little longer as they are scheduled to tour area high schools May 4-8.

The band is scheduled to play at Asheville High, Enka, Tuscola, Pisgah, East Henderson, Roberson, and West Henderson high schools.

According to Director Dr. Upchurch, this tour has a two-fold purpose: firstly for practice, and

secondly for publicity.

Dr. Upchurch explained that he felt the need of performance outlet because professional groups rehearse an equal amount of time for their performances. He is attempting to do the same with the students here.

"There's a need to play pieces as many times as you can," he explained.

Dr. Upchurch indicated that the programs for this tour would not widely differ as they trek from school to school.

News Briefs

Honors And Awards Day Set Tomorrow

Tomorrow is a big day at Brevard College as the entire student body and faculty, along with many parents and friends, will gather in Boshamer Gymnasium at 10:30 a.m. for this year's Honors Day.

Honors Day is the one day a year that the College sets aside to recognize those students, both freshmen and sophomores, who have excelled in any of a variety of areas.

Awards to be given away tomorrow include several Student Organizational Awards, Special Recognition Awards,

Divisional Awards (math, science, social science, Fine Arts, etc.), and the distinguished Brevard College Awards.

Recipients of these honors were chosen by the College faculty and administrators.

Mr. Ed Cunningham will preside as Master of Ceremonies. Honors Day has been organized by the Ceremonies Committee.

FACULTY CHANGES

Faculty changes for next year at Brevard College are expected to be minimal, says Dean Morris

Wray.

Dr. Wray said that only three of the present faculty have officially announced leaving Brevard, including Catherine Arroe, Charlotte Breed, and Carr Bullock.

The college expects to hire three new resident tutors for the women's residence halls and one resident tutor for one of the male halls.

Dean Wray expects Dr. and Mrs. Chris Marsh to become the resident tutors at Ross Hall, in the event Ross is opened next fall.

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