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BC adding new dorm rooms

Returning BC students will notice a couple of changes on campus, in addition to the new faces (approx. 40-50 new students) on campus this semester.

During Christmas Break, the campus maintenance department has been busy converting the old study lounge in East Beam into a suite of residence hall rooms.

The construction is in response to last fall's record enrollment and in anticipation of next fall's increased numbers, according to BC President Billy Greer, who says, "Brevard College is getting ready for another record class."

The new suite in Beam will house seven to eight honor students and will be open for the fall of 1989.

Also, on demand, Stamey has been covered into a men's Scholar's Hall. Matthew French will serve as the Resident Assistant for Stamey.

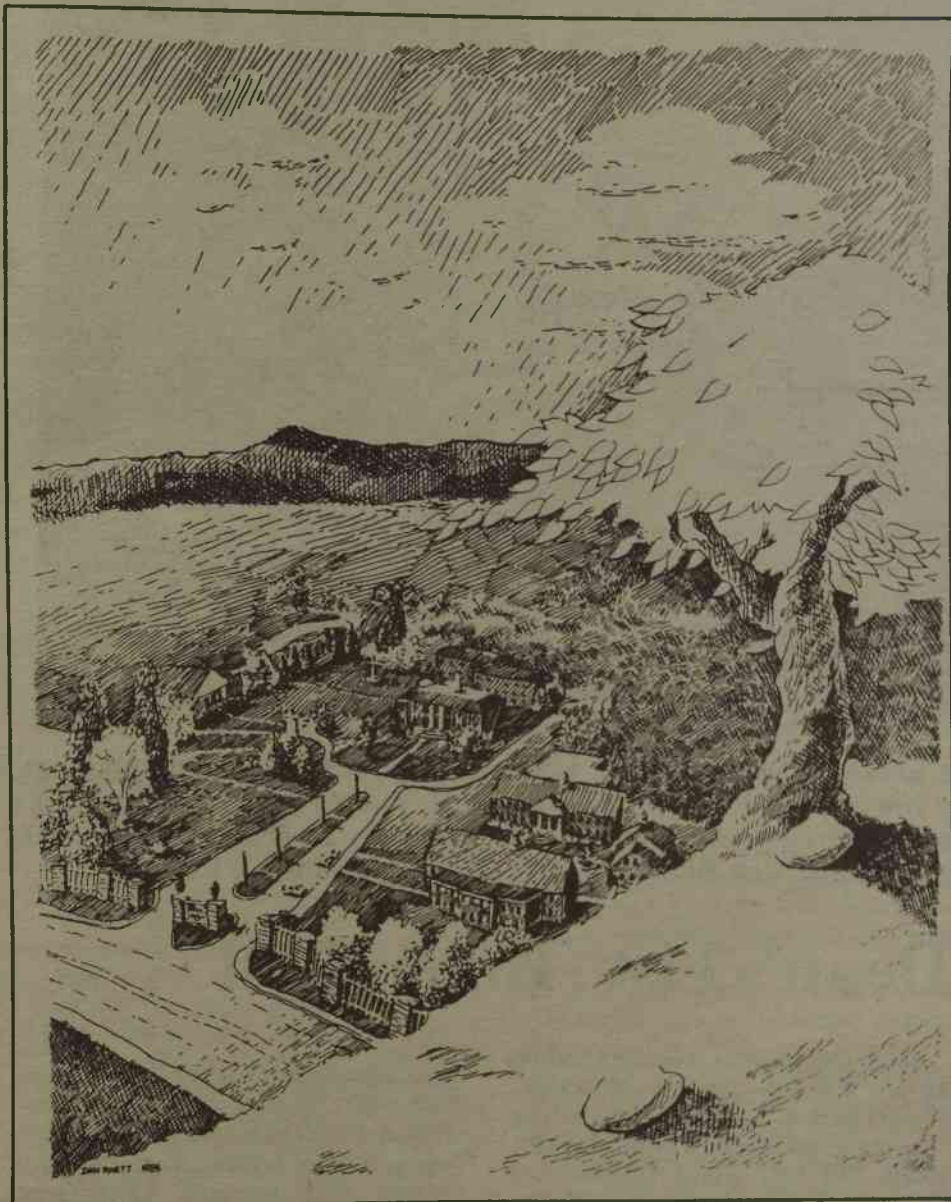
King's birthday to be observed

In observance of the birthday of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., the college will host guest speakers and gospel singing.

The evening programs titled "In Memory of Martin Luther King Jr." will be held 7-8 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 15, and Monday, Jan. 16, in Dunham Auditorium.

Providing the special music for the celebration on Monday will be Brevard's popular Johnnie L. Mills Memorial Choir.

The special programs are free to students, and the public is invited.



(Artwork by Dan Rhett BC '85)

Welcome back!

by Kenny Monteith
Clarion Editor

Helloooo, Brevard College!

I hope everyone had a great Christmas and an even better New Year's.

First, I would like to welcome the new students to Brevard College. I'm really glad you can experience the fun and friendship that I have experienced during my years here.

BC can be fun and BC can be boring, but it all boils down to one thing: Brevard College will be what you want it to be. You can celebrate the wonderful times with friends or you can sit around and complain. It's all up to you.

As editor of The Clarion, I would like to invite you to express yourself through the newspaper. We have an excellent newspaper, and it is well-respected by the students, faculty and administration.

Welcome back also goes to those students who attended BC last year and were unable to attend Brevard this past semester. I hope you enjoy this semester as much as I'm going to.

Last but not least, welcome back to the faculty and administration, and the ever-important student body from last semester. I would really like to see us make this semester the best ever. Sure, we are going to have horrible days, but that's all a part of life. The memories of friends and good times will overshadow the bad times.

Hats off to the whole Brevard College campus, and let's go full-steam ahead into the new year.

BC work team picked for spring break trip to Mexico

A dozen BC students have been selected to embark on Brevard College's first international work mission over Spring Break.

The trip to Durango, Mexico, is the first venture of BC's new Community Service Program under the direction of Program Coordinator Sybil Dodson who has named the mission "Project Inside-Out."

Dodson has been working on designing the College's Community Service Program since she joined the staff as Resident Director this summer.

The project's name, she says, comes from extending education "from inside the classroom to outside to the real world."

BC President Greer originated the program out of his desire to bridge the gap between the classroom and reality. Dr. Greer says, "This represents a major new thrust in the direction of Brevard College."

The work team will help with repairs on a 100-year-old mission school as well as area homes. Students will also be working with elementary school children, according to Dodson, who has served on such work teams in the past.

After extensive screening and interviewing, 12 students were selected to participate on the work trip. The six men and six women are Daniel Miller, Bobby Ortiz, Anthony West, Robin Wicker, Ted Fort, James Fredere, Penni Todd, Joan Gregory, Ann Whitmire, Debra Lucenti, Jennifer Wells and Alicia Andrews.

Four members of the BC faculty-administration-staff are also going: Project Coordinator Sybil Dodson, Resident Director Sharon Waggy, Director of Public Information Jock Lauterer, and Maintenance "Wizard" Mike Dodson.

To raise money for the trip, Sybil Dodson coordinated a highly-successful exam "survival kit" project that generated about \$1,200 during December.

Parents and friends bought approximately 260 of the "care packages" which were filled with food, toys and muchies—all designed to surprise and encourage the exam-weary BC students.

"You should have been there to see the looks on the faces of the students when they received their kits," Dodson said.



Some of the students on the BC work team going to Mexico over spring break. The team includes Ann Whitmire, Alicia Andrews, Debra Lucenti, Jennifer Wells, Joan Gregory, Penni Todd, Daniel Miller, Anthony West, Bobby Ortiz, Ted Fort, Robin Wicker and James Fredere.