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THURSDAY, SEPT. 26, 1968



NEW TO ST. ANDREWS this year is the Sailing Club. The newly organized club is headed by Mr. George R. Wells. The club plans to sponsor a beginners class along with several sailing trips for those who are accomplished sailors.

Parents' Day—October 5

The Shape of Things to Come

Plans are rapidly shaping up for Parents' Day, October 5. The development office and the IDC have set up a schedule which offers a view of all aspects of St. Andrews life.

During the day, various campus clubs and organizations will sponsor displays in the Student Center representing extracurricular activities. Official activities begin at 10:00 a.m. with registration for parents in the P. E. building. At 10:30 a general session for parents and students will be held in the gymnasium.

Parents will have a chance to see what our classes are like

at 11:30 when they will be invited to sit in on a class taught by faculty members relating to contemporary topics. Classes offered for observation are "Politics '68", "Our Biological Future" and "Theology Today".

Dorms will be open in the afternoon beginning at noon. At 12:45 lunch will be served, and will be followed by the Dean's Cup boat races. There will be an interdorm race, separate competitions for men and women, and a co-ed race.

Another general session followed by an explanation of St. Andrews' Forward Program is

scheduled for 2:30 in the P. E. building.

At 3:45 Mr. Dady Mehta, faculty member and outstanding pianist, will present a recital in the music building, after which the DeTamble Library will have open house.

Dinner, an informal discussion of "Generation Gaposis" and folk-music entertainment will end the official day; during the evening the Student Center Board will present its second film, "A Raisin in the Sun", in the L. A. A.

Hopefully this Parents' Day will impart some idea of what life on campus is really like.

BY SARA LEE

Budget Plagues Student Assn.

The Senate met last night to discuss the 1968 Student Association budget, and discovered that there was much disagreement as to the amount of money the Student Association had. After lengthy discussion, it decided to invite Mr. Silas Vaughn, St. Andrews Business Manager, to present the Senate with a breakdown of the general service fee.

The budget was introduced in the Senate by Todd Davis, Student Association Treasurer, after having been approved by the Senate Budget Committee, the Cabinet, and the Student Life Committee. He explained that a total of \$19,580.00 had been appropriated by the business office to cover the costs of running all the Student Association organizations and

publishing The Lance and The Lamp and Shield.

"The Senate refused to consider the budget," said Mike Ferrell, Student Association Vice President last night following a Cabinet meeting. "The Senate is requesting a breakdown of the general service fee," he continued, "no one seems to know exactly what percentage of the general service fee is allocated for the Student Association".

"Part of the problem stems from the inclusion of publications under the Student Association budget," said Todd Davis, Student Association Treasurer, who, along with several other Cabinet members had lingered in the Student Association office after the meeting to discuss the problem at hand.

"Last spring the Student Life Committee approved and endorsed separate budgets. Publications would deal directly with the business office for its money, and the Student Association money would be completely separate and under the control of the Senate," Davis stated.

"This would have given the Student Association a total of approximately \$15,525.00 Out of this would come the money for the Student Christian Council, the Student Center Board, the Cabinet--in short, all of the Student Association organizations. The Lance, The Cairn and the Lamp and Shield would not draw from this money," he continued.

The amount that has been allotted to the Student Association this year was found by the Senate to be insufficient to support both student government and student publications. The Senate, according to Ferrell, would have no constitutional means for appropriating money for publications, even if there were enough money to finance both.

"The Senators are concerned about where the fees go," explained Ferrell. "Especially they are concerned with who decides where the money is to be spent. The Senate, therefore is

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College Students Aid Voter Registration

BY CHARLES PRATT
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Interest in the local school bond issue, which will come before Scotland County voters on October 1, brought together 25 students, faculty, and townspeople to organize a voter registration drive last weekend. Supported by the Democratic Coalition, three St. Andrews students, as well as four students from Scotland High, participated in a door-to-door campaign to inform the public on registration procedures and pressing issues. The group drive was concentrated in the

Lincoln Heights area. Campaigners offered interested persons transportation to and from the registration if needed.

The Democratic Coalition in Scotland County, headed by St. Andrews senior Bill Wilson, sponsors this drive as part of its continuing efforts to stress pertinent local issues in the community. Comprised of McCarthy, Kennedy and McGovern forces, it maintains that "democracy can be restored only at the grass roots, and since it cannot conscientiously support any national candidate for President, it is primarily interested in public referendums, such as the bond issue".

As the school bond issue stands, it will seek 1 million dollars to construct an extension to Scotland High School. This new addition will allow consolidation of the various high schools in the area. Not only will this play comply with Federal integration standards, but it will also be economically and organizationally superior to the present system of dividing funds between the various schools.

Bill Wilson said the drive was generally successful, considering the limited participation. But he was much impressed with the receptiveness of the people he contacted, and encouraged by the enthusiasm of his campaigners. Anyone interested in joining this drive, contact Bill Wilson, 216 Vance Street, Laurinburg, 276-7557.

An Open Letter

Lamp & Shield Editor Speaks on Budget

Dear Editor:

There shall not be a yearbook this year. The '69 "Lamp And Shield" - the has been - is bankrupt and therefore financially nonexistent.

How? Why? Is this final? Let's look at this MOST CRUCIAL dilemma facing this supposedly most radical yearbook.

Last Spring the Editor and the Business Manager were beseeched to render a proposed financial budget for the '69 "Lamp And Shield" (reprinted in full below) to the Student Life Committee. This was done and the budgetary allocations discussed in full: 1) the rise in paper costs, 2) union pay increases at the publishers, 3) lengthening the contract page allocations to 260 pages when 200 was

the contract amount in the past and the past two yearbooks have run 240 and 244 pages in length, and 4) the enlargement of and possibly the attainment of a total color introduction. On the above grounds we requested the Student Life Committee to grant us a total allocation of \$10 per student from the Student Activity Fee. At that meeting our budget was seen as being adequate and referred to the Business Office for final approval.

The next week a contract, totalling \$7,800 was granted KEYS Publishing Company of Greenville. (This total is \$800 below the amount we requested so as to GUARANTEE a TOTAL color intro.)

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RAY RIDDLE

Evaluation Program Set For Next Year

BY GINNY DWYER
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As a member of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, St. Andrews, in the coming year, will engage in a program of "comprehensive self-study", to be evaluated by a visiting committee in the 1969-1970 academic year. The Self-Study Program, undertaken by a college at the end of each ten-year period, is essential to the Southern Association as a means of reaffirming accreditation. It is valuable to the college itself, in that it permits a reexamination of purposes (Continued to page 3)