

Faculty Happenings

Annual Horizons in Business Meeting Held at Chowan

The fourteenth annual Horizons in Business seminar was held on the Chowan campus Friday, October 30. Over 300 business and marketing teachers and their students from 12 area high schools were invited to participate.

Admission was free, and the seminar consisted of a general session followed by concurrent group sessions conducted by the Chowan College business faculty. Session topics covered a wide range of subjects including "Spreadsheet Basics," "Money Management," "Making America No. 1 in a Global Economy," "You and the Bill of Rights," "Fonts and Graphics in WordPerfect," "Why Interest Rates are What They Are" and "Those Critical First Impressions."

Faculty participating in the Horizons in Business included: Dorothy A. Wallace, chairperson, department of business, Dr. Joyce Elliott, professor of speech, Bob Lee, attorney, Andrea Eason, associate professor of computer information systems, L.M. Wallace, associate professor of business, John Virkler, assistant professor of business, Hattie Jones, professor of computer information systems and Patsy Taylor, instructor of merchandise management.

Right: Dr. Rogers directs the band as they prepare for the Dec. 1 chorus and band concert. The music was a mixture of Christmas and tunes for all occasions.



Chowan College's chorus and band presented their annual fall concert Dec. 1 in Turner Auditorium. The music varied, including songs for the Christmas season as well as music for all occasions. The chorus opened the concert with "Lord for Thy Tender Mercies' Sake," by English composer Richard Farrant and a familiar hymn, "Rock of Ages," by the late 19th century composer, Dudley Buck.

The band, having the middle section of the three-part program, celebrated 1992 with their instruments enhanced by the members of the Potecasi Philharmonic. They closed their section with a segment of Christmas selections.

The chorus completed the program with several selections of beautiful Christmas carols, including one French song, "Allon, Gay Bergeres," by composer Guillaume Costeley. A special treat was "Hosanna" for double chorus by the Moravian composer, E.W. Leinbach. In the presentation, one of the choruses was sung by a solo quartet consisting of Candice Taylor, Leigh Ann Heimbach, Jonathan Rose and Thornton Jordan. "Santa Claus is Coming to Town" ended the program in finger-snapping jazzy rhythm.

Development News

Third Annual Day for Chowan is Successful

The third annual Day for Chowan, November 19, encompassed five counties this year, allowing Chowan to exceed the set goal of \$125,000. In addition to the counties of the Roanoke-Chowan area, Southampton County and the city of Franklin were included.

Over \$150,000 was raised with 631 gifts and pledges.

This year's co-chairmen were Elaine Myers and Jimmy Eason. Myers, of Ahoskie, is on the board of trustees at the College. Eason, of Murfreesboro, is vice-president of Southern Bank and Trust Company and is on the board of visitors at the college.

Seventy-five citizens volunteered to serve on the steering committee for Day for Chowan, up from 39 last year. Steering committee members direct activities and enlist volunteers. County chairmen are elected to encourage people in their counties to get involved in Day for Chowan.

County chairmen for this year's Day for Chowan were as follows—Hertford: Elaine E. Myers and J.M. Eason; Gates: B.H. Brown, Mack Eason and Daisy G. Perry; Northampton: Joe D. McLean and C.J. Watson; Southampton: Texie C. Marks and A. Richard Britt.

Last year's Day for Chowan helped to raise \$114,000 for the college which returned to four-year status this fall semester.

Unrestricted gifts received during Day for Chowan go to the Annual Fund and are used to help offset costs involved in the four-year transition. Gifts may also be designated to specific programs and needs.

Beginning with a breakfast on November 19, Day for Chowan included a total of 401 volunteers making calls throughout the day to raise money on behalf of the college.

Day for Chowan is a way to help the five communities become aware of the good things happening at the school and to further inform those who have an interest in attending the school.

E. Vincent Tilson, vice president for development estimates the financial impact the college has on the five counties to be approximately \$10 million annually. As Chowan continues to attract students from these counties, graduates will return as professionals to further impact the future of these areas.

RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION FOR THE SERVICES OF MARIE LANDING

WHEREAS, Marie Vincent Landing, a loyal and trusted employee of Chowan College, retired from her position with the college on June 30, 1992; and,

WHEREAS, She served with distinction as the secretary and administrative assistant to two Presidents of the College, Dr. Bruce E. Whitaker and Dr. Jerry F. Jackson, for a period of twenty-seven and one-half years; and

WHEREAS, She demonstrated unstinting loyalty to both Presidents, consistently displayed a professional attitude with all those with whom she came in contact in the course of her duties, and performed her duties efficiently and with dispatch, was always willing to go beyond the call of duty; and

WHEREAS, She was committed to Chowan College and its mission, and displayed a genuine love for the institution; and

WHEREAS, She served faithfully and diligently as secretary to the Board of Trustees and its Executive Committee;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF CHOWAN COLLEGE, IN SESSION THIS TWENTY FIFTH DAY OF AUGUST, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND NINETY-TWO;

1. That we express our gratitude to Marie Vincent Landing for her life and service, especially as these were related to the interests and welfare of Chowan College.
2. That we applaud those qualities of industry and integrity which she demonstrated through her labors as an employee of this institution of Christian higher education.
3. That we register our appreciation for the dedication, devotion, and diligence that she brought to her tasks among us.
4. That a copy of these resolutions be placed in the permanent records of the Board of Trustees of Chowan College, a copy be forwarded to her, and a copy submitted to THE NEWS-HERALD, Ahoskie, North Carolina, for publication to the general public.

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