



Co-Editors of the VOICE, Joseph Holden and Judy Moore, take a break from their busy schedules.

Co-Editors of the Voice

Joseph Holden is from Louisburg, N.C. and a junior History major from Warsaw, N.C. will head Fayetteville State University's student newspaper, THE VOICE.

Joseph Holden and Judy Moore were chosen by members of the VOICE staff to head the student paper for the 1972-73 academic year.

"I accept this honor with Judy as a great challenge to make our newspaper the best paper in college circles," Holden said.

Judy Moore said, "I believe that we can have a quality paper if we work hard and put our hearts into the success of having a professional student newspaper."

According to VOICE advisor, John Henderson, the two student editors have shown journalistic ability and have tremendous enthusiasm regarding the quality production of a campus newspaper.

WINNERS OF SURVEY

McGOVERN-BOWLES

Recently, the VOICE staff conducted a political survey to determine how the student population of Fayetteville State University would vote in the upcoming Presidential election.

The survey included the main candidates on the national and state ticket. The interviewees were asked to indicate their classification and their voting status.

Of the 383 students questioned, 127 or 33 percent were not registered to vote. Carolyn Dowdy, senior from Goldston said many students are not registered because of inconvenience. Students are required to register in their home precinct.

George McGovern, U.S. Senator from South Dakota, was the favorite candidate for President. McGovern polled 75 percent of the vote.

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Editor's Note

All letters to the editor for publication must be submitted to the VOICE office by the 12th of each month. The letters must be signed and include the writer's address. Names will be withheld upon request.

USE RESOURCES

Fayetteville State University is an educational institution. The task you have undertaken as an FSU student is not easy. In order to gain all of these benefits of education at this institution of higher learning, students must seize the educational resources with zest. For example, some of these resources include the Chestnut Library, the Learning Lab, the Audio-Visual Lab, Communications Center, and Tutorial Program.

It is really bad that FSU students are not taking advantage of the above facilities.

To truly educate is sometimes difficult. A student is not totally educated if he thinks only academically, for Fayetteville State University offers more than academic opportunities.

Students must participate in extracurricular activities if they are to become a total individual. Some of these activities are right at your fingertips and some of the students are taking advantage of them. But not nearly enough are involved.

Students, we must become acquainted with reality. Although there are tremendous resources on this campus to be absorbed by FSU students, it is extremely imperative that students transcend the boundaries of our campus.

In order to accomplish a meaningful and profitable experience from the real world, a student must utilize the immediate community and its vast resources.

Fayetteville State University is growing fast. Are you moving too slow?

By Judy K. Moore

TIME OFF FOR GOOD BEHAVIOR

Homecoming is a marvelous and dynamic week. And why not, it serves its purpose, at least for us. It's sort of a home away from home, giving all of us a relief. I am sure that we are in need of some type of (time-off for good behavior) after the task of surviving mid-term week.

The great events to be blamed for our pleasure starts October 23, with the Coronation of Miss Patricia Spinks, Miss Homecoming, in Lilly Gymnasium featuring the "Soulful Strutters". October 24, there is a marvelous dance at the Utopia Lounge, starring "The Majors". Next, October 25, the freshmen will do their thing, an event that is looked forward to every year. October 26 is another spectacular dance at the Utopia Lounge featuring the "Soul Serenaders". October 27 is a very special night, because of the special events that are going to take place, first it's the Bonfire, and then the Pre-dawn dance.

October 28 is the finishing touch. The Mighty Broncos host the Vikings of Elizabeth City. I hope very much that this day will begin with the end of the Vikings.

However, one might say, are all these activities really necessary? There is no doubt in my mind. We need something to take us from the daily routine of classes. I suppose it could be argued that Homecoming is too time consuming, there won't be any studying, or skipping of classes. This may be true and it may not. I am not arguing against Homecoming week, are you?

You and I both know we need a change in the routine. As it is said, "All work and no play....."

Homecoming is an inspiring time for everyone. A time for a little fun, and believe it or not, it can also be educational. A part of your education is to learn to work together and to organize. Something that takes a lot of organization, planning, and co-operation is our parade.

Broncos, let's get together and have a good time!!!

Joseph N. Holden
Co-Editor

Vote Nov. 7

Diane Moore, a freshman from Warsaw said, "I'm voting for McGovern because he's a Democrat."

Rocky Mount freshman, Glenda Parker, said, "Nixon is probably a better man for the position, but I'm a traditional Democrat."

William F. Moore, a Junior from Winston-Salem questions both candidates' position on blacks. "The lesser of the two evils is probably McGovern," he said.

Mavis Smith, Sophomore from Murfreesboro feels that, "Nixon has had his chance, I'm voting for McGovern."

Macklyn McDonald, a junior English major from St. Pauls, said she was undecided on how she would vote. "I don't agree with all of McGovern's radical policies, especially the military cutbacks. They would leave our country defenseless."

Senior Robert Williams, a native of Fayetteville, is also undecided on how he is going to vote. "McGovern is constantly changing his views. Nixon is doing the same thing. Nixon's inconsistent views can be seen in his about-face policies," Williams said.

President Nixon polled only 7% of the vote, while 78 of the 461 students polled were undecided as to how they would vote in November.

In the gubernatorial race, Bowles polled 79% of the vote, while 13% of those polled were undecided. Holshouser received only 9% of the vote.

Marsha Drake, freshman from Bethel, said, "I'm voting for Bowles. He seems to really care about the people of North Carolina."

Most students who were questioned, however, expressed little interest in the governor's race. Sophomore Mavis Smith said, "the national election overshadows the state election."

Jacklyn McDonald said, "The governor's race is a personality race, not a political platform race."

Robert Williams said, "Holshouser is probably a better candidate for governor of North Carolina, but I'm voting for Bowles because he is on the Democratic ticket."

SGA COMMENTS

The social life for FSU students seems to have greater potentials this year, although the SGA's budget isn't much larger than it was in the past.

FSU students have finally realized that the social life on campus is very limited and have, thus, begun to "make the best" of what we have instead of complaining and wishing for things that are virtually impossible. Nevertheless, let's find out if we all have the same concept of "social life" before we start commending ourselves. We as a student body can get involved much more than we are at the present. I see a need to get acquainted with our community, after all, our futures will be determined by whether they accept us or not.

Unfortunately, it will be the responsibility of the majority of the student body to carry out this act. The only way we can do this is by first getting ourselves on basically the same common interest, which is UNITY.

For those who have constructive criticism and helpful suggestions towards the improvement of campus and community social aspects, please feel free to come by the SGA office and relate them to me.

George Strater

Bryant Hall has New Dorm Director

On September 20, 1972, Mrs. Reatha Lindsay became Dormitory Supervisor of Bryant Hall. Bryant Hall is the largest dormitory on campus for girls.

Mrs. Lindsay attended A&T State University as a Freshman. Later she transferred to Fayetteville State University where she completed her education. Mrs. Lindsay received a B. A. degree in Sociology in 1971.

A native of Laurinburg, N. C., Mrs. Lindsay has six children. She has a daughter teaching in Scotland County, a son attending A & T State University, a son serving in the U.S. Marines and three boys at home.

Mrs. Lindsay stated that her new job wasn't exactly new because she worked as a student assistant in Harris and Smith Hall while seeking her education at FSU.

"So far, I like the work just fine."