

# Editorial

As a word of opening to the Guilford College Community, we would like to announce our plans for giving to the *Gullfordian* a face-lift. What we have in mind is to broaden the scope of the newspaper as a sounding board for the issues, concerns, and interests of our community. We would like to encourage students, faculty, administrators, staff and everyone else to express their opinions and ideas through the paper. This can be done through articles, columns, reviews, features, letters to the editors, and any other way you wish to add to your newspaper. One need not be a full-time staff member or

professional writer to contribute. We welcome all articles, etc. They may be submitted, preferably before the weekend, but at the latest Sunday at 5, to us through the campus mail to Pat Townsend or Leslie Zeldin, put in the *Gullfordian* mailbox in New Garden or left in our rooms (Shore 104 and Hobbs 24), respectively. All letters to the editors must be signed, but names may be withheld on request.

We are aiming to make this year's *Gullfordian* a success and with your help it will be possible. We look forward to hearing from everyone!

pat & Leslie



Informal groups gathered to enjoy sparkling weather and Founders' Hall festivities

# Every Freshperson Should Know...

by Mandy O' Briant

There certain facts that a trusting freshperson hopes to be told upon her arrival to school. I, being a freshperson, felt sure that those older and wiser would help me out with any questions that I might have. However, there were a few things that I found out quite by myself. For one reason or another, no one thought to tell us new students some of these little things.

"Just what are 'these little things'?" you might be asking. To begin with, I'm referring to the complete lack of freshperson, or otherwise, orientation to the library. I believe that the majority of students at Guilford utilize the library, but they really don't know how to look for books or check them out until they ask a bunch of dopey questions. If the time was found on August 21 to deliver all of those boring orientation lectures, then the time could have been made to acquaint the students with the library. It still isn't too late for something to be done. I'm used to the Dewey decimal system of classification of books and I think that most of us are since a lot of schools use that system. It's complete-

ly different here and even a basic knowledge of the library would help.

My next gripe is about the mailboxes. I thought that my mailbox was all mine because I hadn't been told otherwise. Then one day I found this fellow's mail in my box. I just knew that it was a mistake and someone had written the wrong box number on the fellow's mail. I promptly took his letters into the mailroom where I was there and then set right on the situation. I found out only then that everyone has at least two people sharing a post office box with them. At least I found out before accusing someone of tampering with my mailbox and making a bigger fool of myself. Up on the wall over the boxes is now a sign stating that they are shared. I suggest that a magnifying glass be put up next to the sign so that others may find it and read it for themselves.

All my life my mother prepared me for college. She said, "Don't worry if you put on a little extra poundage your first year away from home." Well mother, I've lost instead of gained. I thought that this was a college, not a weight camp. At least the food is

Dear Editor:

I'm absolutely amazed that at a "small school", there is still this process of mass herding. The cafeteria has gained the notorious reputation for long lines and no places to sit. The manager of the cafeteria has little or no

need to interrogate everyone, even unfortunate victims who have lost or misplaced their compassion for people; treating many as though they are intruding in their quarters. Students are continually suspected of trying to weasle-in. Thus they feel the

I.D.'s. The small slash they make on our meal tickets are time consuming, ineffective and highly impersonal. Learning faces may be a better solution to stopping students from being unfortunate victims.

Sincerely,

Victim of lost I.D.

(name withheld on request)

# Letter to the Editors

## New Founders Cont. from Page 1

**BASIB:** Pat Thompson - president, Eric Jackson - vice president, Lanita Atkinson - secretary, James Medley - treasurer. Sponsors campus dances, seminars, movies, "Black Children Can" program and Greensboro Christmas basket.

**Biophile:** Bruce Pikaard - president, Tom Hawkins - vice president, Amy McCallister - secretary, Lorraine Broderick - treasurer. An outing and ecology club for those who share an interest and concern for wilderness. Meets Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. in King 104.

**Christian Fellowship:** Jerry Sowers - president. Contact Jerry if interested.

**Craft Center:** contact Barbara or Dave clmes in the chemistry department or Adele Groulx in the art department. Offers pottery and weaving.

**Guilford Gay Alliance:** contact Phillip Pandelton through campus mailbox #17402. An educational group dedicated to improving the status of gays in the college community. Involved in consciousness raising groups, coffee houses and gathering resource materials.

**Gullfordian:** Pat Townsend and Leslie Zeldin -co-editors. College newspaper. Meets Sunday and Monday nights at 7:30 in the office in Founders. Writers, photographers, artists, proofreaders, etc., are needed. All are welcome to express themselves through the paper.

**North Carolina Association of Education, NCAE:** Pam Mullett - president. Discuss problems concerning education. Open house to be held Wednesday, September 10. Contact the education depart-

ment in Cox Hall for details.

**Piper:** Lyn Gladden - editor, Jamie Frye, Judy Whisnant and Jeff Wright - associate editors. Literary magazine. Needs volunteers who know something about layout and design.

**Quaker:** Tom Lo and Cathie Faint -co-editors. Yearbook. All staff positions are open. Meeting Wednesday, September 10, at 9:30 p.m. in office in Founders.

**Senate:** Doug Neill - president, Cindy Martin - vice president and treasurer, Crystal Duval - secretary. The student government. Meets Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. in a conference room in Founders. Meetings are open to all. Will be appointing students to faculty-student committees next week.

**Union:** John Ladd - president, Sherry Balcar - vice president. Student activities organization made up of committees: film, coffee-house, involvement, publicity, recreation, dance and concerts. All committees open to students.

**Woman's Center:** Provides panels, discussions, films, gynecological information, library, speakers, art shows and other activities to the men and women of Guilford. Meets Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in the office in Founders. Contact J.T. Reagan at 855-9156, or Patricia Lenihan in Bryan B213.

**WQFS:** Guilford College radio station, 90.7 FM. Plays progressive music, jazz and soul. A third class radio telephone license is required of those who wish to broadcast. Contact Robbie Millins for further information.

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