

GOV'T GOSSIP

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SGA EXECUTIVE MEETING 1/16/88

The Student Government Association (Executive Members) met on January 16, 1988 and discussed many old and new topics. Among the old topics discussed were the Christmas party at Dogwood Manor, and phones in the BCC (these should be in this week).

Among the new business discussed was the appointing of a Constitution Revision Committee. Mindy Clinard will head this committee and Dr. King has corrected all of the grammatical errors in the constitution. A handbook revision committee was appointed. Also discussed were Teacher Appreciation Day, the next Blood Drive, and the Spring Formal. The need for a food committee and health committee was also mentioned. A slave auction was discussed as an upcoming event using Student Leaders. There was also

a proposal concerning the pre-registration process. For the Seniors, it was decided that there will be a Senior Banquet, sponsored by the Junior class.

Perhaps the most significant event that was discussed was the appointment of the new Vice President (yes, that's right, we have a new Vice President-- AGAIN!). Carol Fox was appointed, pending acceptance.

If you have any needs concerning life on campus, please tell one of the SGA members so it can be brought up at a meeting. If you don't know who these people are, just ask around. Better yet, come to the meetings! They are Monday nights at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference room of the BCC. Make your opinion heard.

Intramurals: A Time of Fun and Fellowship

RENEE JENKINS

"It's a time to get together for fun and fellowship, not to be competitive," stated an energetic Lou Johnson. Lou is the Resident Director of MA-Hall and along with her many other duties, she finds time to coordinate the M-AC intramurals. "It's a lot of fun and that's the whole purpose."

M-AC's intramurals started at the beginning of the school year. They consist of basketball, volleyball, football, and softball. The athletic department is hoping to start badminton intramurals soon. Basketball

will be starting by the first of February. The intramurals have girls, guys, and co-ed teams along with faculty teams, who, by-the-way, are undefeated in volleyball three years running. Intramurals will be over in April.

The games are good for meeting new people and letting off steam after a hard days work. "They're designed to meet everyone's needs, not just athletes," said Lou. She encourages everyone to join a team of their choice for a relaxing and fun time.

Martin Luther King: Let Freedom Ring

ALICE HARDING

Just recently we were blessed to have a great speaker, R. B. Wilkins, come and remind us of one of America's great leaders, Martin Luther King Jr.

R. B. graduated from Montreat with an A.S. degree and then received his B.A. degree from Lenoir Rhyne College. He then attended Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary where he became the first black to become Student Body President. He is currently the minister at East Grimes Avenue Baptist Church in High Point, North Carolina.

R. B. Wilkins gave us a very dramatic reading of Martin Luther King's "I Have a Dream". It was very powerful and intense with emotion.

King held on to his dream and it has eventually led to greater peace between all races. There will always be racial tension but there is so much we have accomplished and we've done so much in letting freedom ring.

If King were alive now he would probably be amazed at how far we have come. His dream has come true and we do walk hand in hand. King had a dream, that dream lives on in many hearts today. I pray that we too will carry that dream in our hearts and do our best to

fulfill it in our lives.

"Free at last! Free at last! Thank God Almighty we are free at last!"

CAVALIERS SCORE BIG

JOHN STILES

On Jan. 19, Montreat hosted Central Piedmont from Charlotte. The Cavs jumped out to a 41-12 lead before taking a 49-26 halftime advantage. Everyone on the squad not only played, but scored also. The final score was 103-75 with Chris Alexander (Columbus, Ohio) leading the Cavs in scoring with 16 pts.

Playing without leading scorer and rebounder, Wayne Marshall and Captain Thurston Fanney, the Cavaliers opened the 1988 season against Maryville College. Maryville trailed at the half 44-39. Montreat was led in scoring by Chris Johnson (Danville, VA), 23 pts. and Johnny Wilson (Alcoa, TN), 21 pts. Head coach Rick Hughes said, "The 1988 year is going to be very challenging for our team. With academic casualties and the loss of some good players our work is cut out for us."

Montreat played very hard and with lots of intensity against the knights from Tennessee. The Cavs trailed at the half by only 4. Morristown defeated Montreat early in the season 105-88. As the second half started the visitors pulled ahead by 12 pts. before Montreat rallied to cut the lead to 2. With the Cavs trailing by 6 and less than 30 seconds remaining in the game, Eddie Inge came up with a steal and Chris Johnson converted on a 3 point shot.

M-AC later came up with another steal but failed to convert. The Cavaliers were led in scoring by Eddie Inge (Danville, VA), 26, Johnny Wilson 18, and Chris Johnson, 16 points. Trent Horne (Charlotte, NC) added 13 points and 12 rebounds. Inge also pulled down 11 boards. "The intensity was good but we did not control the boards on their offensive end of the floor," said coach Rick Hughes.

Montreat traveled to Brevard the following evening hoping to avenge an earlier loss. The Cavs opened slowly, and trailed at the half 42-28. "We started the second half in our press and cut the lead to six but could not withstand their fire power," said Coach Hughes. Brevard slammed the door on the Cavs 89-71.

The Cavaliers were again on the road the next night making a long trip to St. Andrews College in Laurinburg. St. Andrews, who were undefeated entering the game, led at the half 46-40 before the Cavs fought back for a victory 83-79. Montreat was led in scoring by Trent "Bruiser" Horne (Charlotte, NC) with 23 points.

Playing their fourth game in five days, the Cavs hit the road once again to play Clinton College in Rock Hill, SC. The Cavaliers led at the half 34-32. M-AC suffered from the charity stripe hitting only 14-26. Clinton College defeated Montreat 84-83. Trent Horne led in scoring for the 2nd consecutive game with 26 pts.

The Cavaliers play most of their remaining games at home where their record is 10-1.

Montreat-Anderson Among American Universities and Colleges

MINDY CLINARD

As co-ed dorms, a no-curfew policy and two-hour seminar classes become reality, M-AC is gradually taking its place as a four-year institution. A few

years ago, the thought that a dorm would be locked through a combination known to its residents, who could enter or leave under their own discretion, was far from conceivable here at Montreat. Well, times change and people and places must grow to meet the changes.

As Montreat-Anderson develops into a four-year institution, many requirements must be met by the faculty and staff and many privileges are gained by the students. One such privilege granted to Seniors is the possibility of inclusion into Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

The 1987-88 school year marked the beginning of this award at

Montreat-Anderson for upperclassmen. (Who's Who Among Students in American Junior Colleges has been granted annually to deserving Sophomores earning their Associates degree.) This year three Bachelors degree candidates were included into this honors program. They were; Clay Tucker, Pam Taylor, and Mindy Clinard.

Who's Who is an annual honors program which was established in 1934 to honor the nation's leading college students. It is conferred by more than 1400 schools in all fifty states and the District of Columbia. A committee composed of representatives from the faculty, administration, and student body select the recipients to meet their assigned quota of nominees. These elections are made based on above average academic standing, community service, leadership ability, and potential for continued success. The Montreat-Anderson representatives will be recognized in the 54th annual edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.