

# Planners Cite Rain, Cancel Granville Events

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A candlelight walk will go on as planned tonight, but other Bicentennial events scheduled to be held at Granville Towers tonight had to be canceled because of the chance of rain, Bicentennial officials said Sunday night.

The off-campus residence halls were to host "Bicentennial Countdown 200" from 7 to 11 p.m.

But organizers said Sunday that the company responsible for setting up the events would not set them up in the rain. Forecasters have put the chance of rain at 75 percent, organizers said.

The event was to include games and a slide show.

Students still plan to walk to campus for

a candlelight flag-raising ceremony, said Kevin Moran, chairman of the Student Bicentennial Committee. The walk is scheduled to begin at 11 p.m.

"Of course, if it's pouring rain at 11, then we won't walk," Moran said.

He said the group still would meet at three pre-set locations.

"There are three locations where the campus march participants can meet—in the Granville courtyard, outside Hinton James, or in the Lower Quad," he said.

"At 11:15, we will begin processing to



Polk Place and will meet at the flagpole at midnight to raise the Bicentennial flag for the first time."

But, the Bicentennial Observance Committee also has planned several last-minute events which will not be affected by the weather.

Judy Richardson, a civil rights speaker, is scheduled to discuss issues such as multiculturalism on Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Gerrard Hall.

"(Judy) had heard of the BCC controversy and how students were taking stances on campus issues and she changed her schedule to speak and be a part of the Bicentennial action," said Michelle LeGrand, co-president of the Campus Y, which is sponsoring the event.

"She wanted to get to know the students here."

Richardson has been active in the civil rights movement for about 30 years. During the early 1960s, she helped to organize special projects for the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee in the South.

In spite of the recent additions to the Bicentennial activities, Moran said some students still weren't sure how they could become an active part in the celebrations.

"We have planned tons of activities," he said. "But one thing is still apparent, and that is that some students don't feel like they are a part of the opening ceremonies."

"But this shouldn't be the case. We've geared these programs to all students and designed them so that students can easily get involved."

Michael Workman contributed to this article.

## Bicentennial Schedule of Events

### MONDAY, OCT. 11

**2 - 3 p.m. Opening Lecture.** "A Tribute to Freedom." Li Lu, deputy leader of the Tiananmen Square demonstrations. Great Hall.

**3 - 4:15 p.m. Faculty/Alumni Exchanges, Round One:**

■ "Care, Cure, Cost: The University and the Health of the Public." Alumni Hall, Section I, Hill Alumni Center.

■ "Environment, Development and Democracy." Wilson Library Assembly Room.

■ "Media Made America?" Alumni Hall, Section II, Hill Alumni Center.

■ "Freedom, Free Expression and Debate." Alumni Hall, Section III, Hill Alumni Center.

**4:30 - 5:30 p.m. Performing and Cultural Arts Events**

■ "A Salute to American Musical Theatre" Terry Rhodes and Stafford Win, professors of music. Person Recital Hall.

■ "Carolina Songs" Clef Hangers, student a cappella group. Hanes Art Center Auditorium.

■ "Step Show" Black Greek Council. Great Hall.

**8 - 10 p.m. A Bicentennial Concert**

Premiere. "The University of North Carolina Bicentennial Commemorative Suite," written by Richard Adler (Class of 1943). Performed by the N.C. Symphony and the Carolina Choir and Chamber Singers. Memorial Hall.

### UNIVERSITY DAY TUESDAY, OCT. 12

**10-11:15 a.m. Old East Rededication.** McCorkle Place. (Rain site: Memorial Hall.)

**11:30 a.m. - Noon Bicentennial Speakers for North Carolina Debate**

■ Elizabeth Gibson, "Don't We Already Have Too Many Lawyers?" 105 Gardner.

■ Sue Estroff, "The Human Faces and Voices of Medicine: Teaching Humanities and Social Sciences to Tomorrow's Doctors." 101 Greenlaw.

■ Frank Wilson, "Thomas Wolfe's Chapel Hill." 431 Greenlaw.

■ Kenneth Reckford, "The Trial of Socrates: Do Professors Corrupt

Students?" 111 Murphy.

■ Soyini Madison, "The Woman That I Am: The Literature and Culture of Contemporary Women of Color." 103 Bingham.

■ Thad Boyle, "From Yellow Dogs to Jessecrats: A Review of North Carolina Politics." 08 Gardner.

■ Rollie Tillman, "From Rags to Riches: Secrets of the Great American Entrepreneurs." 02 Carroll.

■ William Powell, "The History of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill." Wilson Library Assembly Room.

■ James Ketch, "The Joy of Jazz." Person Recital Hall.

**11:30 a.m. Special Meeting of the N.C. General Assembly.** Gerrard Hall.

**Noon - 2 p.m. Picnic in Polk Place.** Polk Place. (Rain site: Fetzter Gym.)

**1-1:45 p.m. Anniversary Lecture.** "The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and the U.S. Presidency." William Leuchtenburg. Kenan professor of history. Gerrard Hall.

**2 - 3 p.m. Davie Poplar Ceremony.** McCorkle Place. (Rain site: Memorial Hall.)

**3:30 - 4:45 p.m. Faculty/Alumni Exchanges, Round Two:**

■ "Growing Apart or Growing Together?" Great Hall.

■ "Science, Technology and Cultural Change." Wilson Library Assembly Room.

■ "Faith, Reason and American Values." Gerrard Hall.

■ "Forging New Global Alliances: Competition, Cooperation, Survival." Carroll Hall.

■ "Education: Preparing for the 21st Century." Union Film Auditorium.

**5 p.m. Kenan Stadium gates open.** All spectators must enter through Gates 2 and 6.

**6 p.m. Pre-convocation concert by the N.C. Symphony.** Kenan Stadium.

**7 - 8:30 p.m. Kenan Stadium Convocation - Presidential Address.** Bill Clinton.

## PREPARATIONS

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said the company spent several months designing and creating the banners. He is confident Realizations will finish its work successfully, he said.

"Even if we have to set up in the rain, we'll be fine," he said.

Bicentennial Observance staff members also were organizing materials Sunday for the Welcome Center in Woollen Gym.

Brock Winslow, associate director of the Bicentennial Observance Office, said the Welcome Center would be the "command post" for this week's Bicentennial activities. Over 100 volunteers will register and give information to visitors.

Winslow said he had enjoyed preparing for the Bicentennial despite the time and work involved in planning such a major event.

"It's very challenging — 29 events in two days," Winslow said.

Although many events are being run by paid staff members, both Tepper and Chancellor Paul Hardin emphasized the importance of student volunteer involvement in the observance during a Sunday news conference at Kenan Stadium.

"This is going to be very much a student-organized celebration," Hardin said.

Tepper said he was pleased with the diversity of students who had volunteered. He said the large number of volunteers represented the strong feelings of ownership that students had for UNC.

"It hasn't just been from one segment of students — it's been all kinds of students from different classes, backgrounds and races working on this," he said. "I think it's the largest volunteer effort ever put together on this campus — it's over 600 people."

Students working in the Bicentennial Office said the uniqueness and excitement of the event motivated them to volunteer.

Mike Crisp, a junior from Gastonia, said, "I decided to volunteer because I thought this would be a great experience—something that would happen only once in a lifetime."

Clinton's visit also has increased University Day anticipation. Many organizers expressed hope that his speech would be remembered years later just as people still remember President John F. Kennedy's visit to UNC in 1961.

"People still talk about John F. Kennedy's address in 1961, and the same thing will be true here," Hardin said. "I hope all the students come — I think it's the kind of thing they would look back at and regret that they weren't actually in the stands."

Bicentennial officials announced Sunday that Kenan Stadium gates 2 and 6 would open at 5 p.m. Tuesday. Seating is available on a first-come, first-seated basis.

Faculty, staff and students marching in the Kenan Stadium Convocation should arrive in the Bell Tower parking lot by 4:30 p.m. instead of 5:30 p.m., as previously announced.

## LI

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political prisoners. Li's strike ended Aug. 31 after the Chinese government admitted that political prisoners existed and promised the safety of Wang and Chen.

Kevin Moran, chairman of the Student Bicentennial Planning Committee, said Li's position as the first speaker of the events was significant to students.

"From the very beginning (of the celebration) students are involved. I think that's important to students," he said. "It's a nice way to be starting out."

The process to choose a speaker began almost two years ago, Moran said.

"We generated close to 100 names from a variety of students and organizations across campus," Moran said. "We had names from Desmond Tutu and Mikhail Gorbachev to Paul Simon. It was a wide variety of people who represent a wide

## Campus Calendar

### MONDAY

**2:30 p.m. University Career Services** will sponsor an introduction to internships for undergraduates in 210 Hanes Hall.

**6 p.m. UCS** will sponsor a presentation by Northern Telecom in the Carolina Inn.

**7 p.m. Leadership Development** will present "Delegation: A Leadership Tool."

**7:30 p.m. Amnesty International** will discuss human-rights abuses against indigenous peoples in Union 206.

**Green Games/Power Team** will meet in the Campus Y.

**8 p.m. The James Bond Fan Club** will hold an organizational meeting in Union 208.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST

UCS will sponsor the Job Hunters' Network at 3 p.m. Wednesdays in 307 Hanes Hall.

The Yackety Yack will be taking yearbook portraits until Oct. 15 in Union 213.

The Elections Board will have petitions available for Student Congress Dist. 19 in Suite C. They are due at 5 p.m. today.

Student Psychological Services will start a confidential group for gay, lesbian and bisexual students at 1 p.m. Mondays starting today.

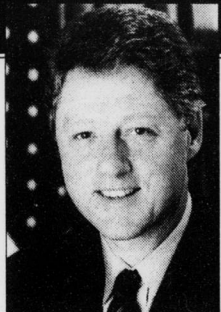
The Campus Y Human Rights Committee would like committees interested in participating in Human Rights Week to contact Kiran Pohurit (914-5358).

Campus Y Volunteer Action Committee will accept applications for a co-chairman. Applications, available in the Campus Y, are due Oct. 18.

Office of the Student Body President will hold voter registration in the Pit.

Study Abroad will accept applications for Spring Semester Study Abroad until Wednesday in 12 Caldwell Hall.

# YOU HAVE A MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT ON TUESDAY.



**President Clinton will make a Bicentennial Address in Kenan Stadium on the UNC-Chapel Hill campus at 7 p.m. Tuesday, October 12. You are invited.**



October 12 on the campus of The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill will be filled with fun, pageantry, and ceremony. A special highlight will be President Clinton's address commemorating the Bicentennial of the University and public higher education in America. Don't miss the activities of this special day!

### Events

**10:00 a.m. Rededication of Old East, UNC's oldest building.** McCorkle Place.

**11:30 a.m. North Carolina General Assembly Special Session.** Gerrard Hall.

**Noon. Dedication ceremony for Chapel Hill**

**town mural "Auctioning in Village Lots."** Old Post Office on Franklin Street.

**1:00 p.m. Lecture by William Leuchtenburg,** William Rand Kenan Professor of history, on

UNC and the U.S. Presidency. Gerrard Hall.

**2:00 p.m. Davie Poplar Ceremony** with Dean Smith. McCorkle Place.

**3:30 p.m. Faculty/Alumni exchanges** on communication, science, American values, global alliances and education.

### Kenan Stadium Events

**5:30 p.m. Gates open.** Concessions available. Seating is on first-come, first-served basis.  
**6:00 p.m. North Carolina Symphony performance.**  
**7:00 p.m. Convocation ceremony featuring President Clinton.**

### Parking Information

On-campus parking is not available. Park-and-ride locations are: University Mall, Carrboro Plaza, Friday Center lot off Highway 54. Parking is free. Roundtrip shuttle is \$3.00 per person.

For additional information call 962-1993 or 1-800-UNC-1793.

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