

"Learn In Order To Do Good...." Religious Groups Welcome Freshmen

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ic honesty and social integrity. This must rest on a foundation of faith which is truth and a corresponding belief in oneself and others. In order to do good, one must render service to his community which is the assumption of a personal honor to live the college motto. It is this sense of personal honor which makes you distinct as a Brevard coed.

In your dormitory there will be a housemother, several students assistants, and the House Council officers and members. To each of them is delegated some phase in the responsibility for the women students within the individual residence unit.

Your House Council officers and members have been elected. The Housemother, the student assistants, and the House President serve as members of the Women's Dormitory Administration Committee headed by the Dean of Women.

Your elected dormitory officers act as a liaison between the women in their dormitory and the housemother, the Dean of Women, and other administrative officials. The purpose of these officers is to coordinate and formulate dormitory policies and programs for activities within the dormitory and on the campus. Regular hall meetings will be held bi-monthly, preferably after closing hours on the day of the Women's House Council meeting. Good dormitory government must be recognized as an important foundation for high standards in campus government.

The housemother is directly responsible to the Dean of Women. She is responsible for the smooth running of her dormitory, giving as much attention to the students as possible. She is concerned about your health, scholarship, and social adjustment, as well as household management. She will require you to maintain orderly rooms. When problems arise, she will discuss them with the students concerned and with the House President. In case of serious difficulty the Dean of Women advises as to further procedures.

Emergencies affecting students, such as failure of a student to return to a dormitory or health emergencies, are first of all the responsibility of the housemother. She should be notified immediately. It is her responsibility to make the decisions about calling the Infirmary, police, and the Dean of Women. Dormitory maintenance is further the responsibility of the housemother. Emergency maintenance needs, such as out-of-order telephones, room fires, etc. should be reported to the housemother.

The Dean of Women works closely with the housemother, the dormitory officers, and other students to assume pleasant living conditions for women students. She is a personal friend and counselor to the students, and helps in any way possible with social and academic problems which might arise. In working with the dormitory house councils, she is used in an advisory capacity. Because her

Many changes are planned within the religious societies this coming year. This year, Kappa Chi will be composed of the preministerial students and the Director of Christian Education. Their president will be chosen early this fall.

Harry Byers, president of the Baptist Student Union, is quoted as saying, "We plan to have more fun than anybody else." Speakers from surrounding Baptist churches will be invited to the meetings which are held twice a month.

The Canterbury Club serves to bring the Episcopal students closer together in Christian understanding through group fellowship. Page Kelly, this year's president, says that they plan to have a spring retreat at Black Mountain this coming year.

All Presbyterian students are invited to attend Westminster Fellowship for the purpose of studying and discussing Christianity today. . . . President Kathy Kanipe says that a coke party is planned for the purpose of meeting the students.

Jim Reeves, president of the Methodist Youth Fellowship, is quoted as saying, "We work to establish unity among all students and to make the atmosphere of Brevard College acceptable and enjoyable for all."

The Christian Council, which is composed of the presidents of the various campus denominational groups, coordinates all religious functions on campus. Under its sponsorship is Religious Emphasis Week, the lighting of the Christmas tree, and the annual Easter Sunrise Service. . . . President Carol Crouch encourages participation in these clubs since they do play such an active part in the campus life.

All the presidents would like to extend a sincere welcome to the incoming freshmen and hope that their first year will prove enjoyable as well as beneficial.

ROY HEADS ASSOCIATION

Rev. C. Edward Roy has been elected chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Transylvania Youth Association for the ensuing school year.

Previous experience with young people included work youth groups in the Methodist Church and as a summer camp administrator. His interest is presently focused on the recreational and social needs of teenage youth.

duties entail counseling and advising, it is difficult to enumerate them specifically.

We are proud that you students have chosen to come to Brevard. Your housemother, dormitory officers, and I will serve you in accepting your responsibilities as a Brevard College student.

Willoughby Jarrell
Dean of Women

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Brevard Continues Expansion

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attaining their education, from the early years when the College operated a dairy farm until the present day scholarship and work-grant program. High educational standards have been set and maintained, so that today Brevard is fully accredited by the N. C. Dept. of Education, the University Senate of The Methodist Church, and the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. The reputation of the College is unparalleled in the South, and the fact that nearly one-half of Brevard's students come from outside N. C. is testimony to the widespread appeal of the kind of education which it offers.

Yet the history of the College has not ended. Today it is in the midst of a development program which will provide new facilities within which the academic program and community life of the College can be continued and improved.

Louis Miles

Phi Theta Kappa Looks Ahead

The 1965-66 President of Phi Theta Kappa is John Brookshire of Hendersonville, N. C.

Phi Theta Kappa is, according to Mrs. Celia Tauscher, the faculty advisor, "A scholastic group oriented to the academic. Its purpose is to maintain a scholarly atmosphere and to work within that atmosphere."

Mrs. Tauscher continued, "We intend to meet every month. We hope also to be the student sponsoring group for Friday at Four. Our members will serve the refreshments, make introductions, and promote attendance."

Further plans for the group include meetings organized to discuss topics of interest and, possibly, selected books that the members have read.

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Campus Clubs Foresee Activity

New projects are being planned by the newly elected presidents of the four social clubs on campus.

The purpose of the Nemos is to promote social activity and raise social standards on the campus of Brevard College. Jackie Howie, president of the Mnemosynean Society, hopes not only to promote more social activities between Nemos and Delphians, but also to secure more study hours for boys and girls to study together. There is also in the planning a special social event which has never been held at Brevard College.

President of the Delphians, Charles Teague, is planning to set up a study room specifically for Delphian club members. The Delphians will stress unity and organization in the club. The Delphians will also try to acquire a "good" band, not an orchestra to play for the dance that they sponsor during the year.

Claude Garrett, president of the Cliosopic Society, plans to make the society more limited and selective by only accepting the best of freshman pledges. The constitution will be revised and brought up to date. Regularly scheduled meetings will be organized by the club. In addition to this, one social activity a month will be sponsored by the Clios.

The Euterps, sister society of the Clios, is guided by Louise Causey. This year they hope to create more interest in campus activities and provide more social outlets for the students. The society will provide an opportunity to develop friendships among the girls of the society. Miss Causey also plans a number of surprises for the new members which cannot be disclosed at this time.

The Nemos, Delphians, Clios, and Euterps are definitely planning a vigorous social program for the 65-66 year. Under the leadership of these four capable students, the year should prove to be one of the most beneficial to the clubs and to the students at Brevard College.

Is That A Cry Of Help From The Luggage Room?

As opening day bursts upon Jones Hall with its unconfined chaos, the sole shining lights in the confusion are the Big Sisters, who are on the scene to welcome the new girls.

Each Big Sister has at least nine Little Sisters. She greets them, sees that they get to their rooms, and makes sure that they meet other girls and are not left out.

When everyone has arrived, a Big Sister meets with all her Little Sisters and discusses the rules of the college. One of the rewards of being a Big Sister, as stated by a former Sister, is "Watching their horror at learning the rules and regulations. Their expressions are hilarious."

Life for a Big Sister is never dull. In the space of a few minutes, three Little Sisters may arrive at once, another one may be lost somewhere in the depths of the girls' dormitory, and still another may be crying. As one Big Sis grimly put it, "You have to be prepared for anything and everything."

Big Sisters are chosen by the teachers from a list of those girls whose C-average makes them eligible. Qualities looked for in a prospective Sister are dependability, a willingness to be helpful, an outgoing personality, an interest in the college, and an iron nerve. Faced with a sometimes semi-hysterical fledgling who has just been boot-ed out of the nest, a Big Sister may be inclined to say, "Forget it!" Instead, she must bolster her courage and plunge gamely onward. Motherhood will never be the same for these mothers-away-from-home.

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