



DELPHIAN PLEDGES are shown above during "Rush Week". Dressing up like girls was a major pastime during the initiation period.

Life during the week was a real pain for the pledges; but during the mud fight they could get out all of their frustrations.

Miss Whicker To Preside At Fraternity Meet

Miss Lou Whicker of Brevard College, President of the North and South Carolina Phi Theta Kappa, will preside over a meeting this week here to plan the two-state convention in November.

Schools are elected officers of the state organization rather than individuals and Miss Whicker is state president by virtue of being president of the Brevard chapter.

The college was selected as president this year, according to society officials, because the organization's theme is aesthet-

tics and, Brevard has "the finest art and music programs of any of the North and South Carolina member junior colleges."

The organization's theme last year was government, according to faculty adviser, Mrs. William Beard.

Miss Whicker, 19, a native of High Point, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Whicker. Her father is a former dean of Oxford Masonic Orphanage.

A sophomore with majors in math and chemistry, she hopes

to go to Duke University and pursue a career in forestry or ecological research.

The Brevard chapter's projects include a tutoring program and providing information on voter registration.

Attending the planning session here is Fred Baker of Rhinehart College, Georgia, regional sponsor. The convention program will feature art and music, Miss Whicker said.

Phi Theta Kappa has more than 500 national chapters with 18 in North Carolina and three in South Carolina.

Music Faculty Active During Leaves

There are several members of the music faculty who have been on sabbatical leave who have returned to Brevard College to resume their teaching duties this year.

Mr. Whateley has been on leave for 3 years working on his doctorate at Indiana University. His degree will be earned in Music Composition and Theory. Here at Brevard he is teaching Music Theory and private piano. His wife, during the 3-year leave earned her Masters Degree in Voice also at Indiana University.

Miss Virginia Tillotson has been on leave for 2 years working on her doctorate at UNC-G. Her degree will be earned in Musicology. She is teaching Music Theory, private woodwinds, and Chamber singers. She is playing in the Asheville symphony and is in charge of the

college students also playing in the symphony.

Joan Moser has been on leave for 1 year working on her doctorate at the University of Michigan in Ethnomusicology. Here she teaches Music Literature, is the director of the Instrumental program and teaches private woodwinds and guitar.

Mr. Harvey Miller is presently on sabbatical leave working on a program concerning electronic music studios. He is teaching half-time all year.

Sam Cope is at the University of Tennessee at Knoxville doing graduate study in speech and theatre arts.

Mr. Adams, the head of the Fine Arts Department, is completing his dissertation through the Union Theological Seminary School of Music at New York

City. His degree will be earned in Organ and Musicology.

Our Music Department should be congratulated for their study in these areas and for the high academic standards they bring to our Music department here at Brevard College.

NOTICE

Many students have been using the open area between the infirmary and the Coltrane art building as a play field for such activities as football, soccer, frisbee, etc. Dean Moran has now requested, however, that such activities be reserved for the athletic field.

All sports are now to be limited to the athletic field due to the high risk of personal injury.

Homecoming Dance Theme, Harvest Ball

The theme for this year's homecoming activities is Harvest Ball. The judging will take place from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. by three faculty members and two members of the student body. The dorms will be judged on originality, neatness, and relativity to the theme.

An assembly will be held in Dunham Auditorium, October 4, to announce the candidates for homecoming court. Homecoming court will consist of three sophomore and two freshman representatives. The sophomore queen will be announced at the dance.

The weekend begins Friday night with open dorms from 8 p. m. to 11 p. m.

Saturday is the judging of the dorms which will be decorated Saturday night.

The homecoming dance is Saturday night from 8 p.m. to midnight. Tickets are \$4 a couple or \$3 stag and may be obtained from any member of the Social Board or at the door the evening of the dance. The band playing will be the Micro polis from Atlanta, Georgia.

The curfew hour for the girls will be extended until 2 a. m. Saturday night.

Betty Neale Appointed Admissions Counselor

Miss Betty Neale of Charlotte is providing a new look to Brevard College's Office of Admissions this year.

A 31-year-old attractive brunette who has discovered she likes working with young people better than working in politics, Miss Neale will begin a 10-week tour this week handling College Day Programs in schools in North and South Carolina and Virginia.

A 1960 Brevard College graduate, she recently said, "In my 12 years since graduating from here, I have realized what a good education I received at Brevard, academically and in my personal development, and I want to tell other young people about the school."

Miss Neale, who was homecoming queen of 1959 at Brevard, also held a number of offices in student organizations and sororities. She graduated from High Point College in 1963 with a B.A. in French and a

Class A North Carolina Teacher Certificate in French and Basic Business.

A legislative secretary for U. S. Rep. William Alexander (D-Ark.) for the past three years, she also has worked as legal secretary for a Washington, D. C. law firm, taught French at West Henderson High School in Henderson County and was that county's traveling librarian for grammar schools. She was recreation director at the Methodist Retirement Home in Durham from 1963-1965.

In Washington, she attended John Robert Powers Fashion and Finishing School and was organist at St. Elizabeth's Hospital.

As admissions counselor for Brevard College, she will be visiting Marshville, Pfeiffer College, Albermarle, Rockingham, Southern Pines, Sanford and Robbins this week. Next week, she begins a tour of Virginia.

Coffeehouse Now Open

"The Thing", a coffeehouse entertainment aspect, which is sponsored by Christian Council, made its debut Wednesday night, Sept. 27. It was held at the lily pond in front of Beam Dorm. The music was presented by the students of Brevard College. It was emceed by Rick Auten and Melvin Scales.

In the future, "The Thing" will be held on the second floor of the old barn behind the college. Renovations are presently underway, and the first of the weekly presentation will be October 11, beginning at 9:30

P.M. Musicians from many colleges and universities, and various speakers from across the country will highlight the format of "The Thing".

"The Thing" was developed in hopes of giving the students at Brevard entertainment, while relaxing from their assignments. In order for "The Thing" to be a successful venture, it must be supported in entirety by the student body. Anyone who has any suggestions concerning "The Thing" or who wishes to perform is urged to contact Mr. Roy or Connie Laws.