



Autumn comes to the Brevard College Campus. The Barn is shown above in a picturesque setting.

### Annual Retreat To Be Held

Christian Council and Kappa Chi will hold their annual retreat, Saturday November 18 from 3:00 until 10:00. It will be held at English Chapel, which is the only organized church within the boundaries of Pisgah National Forest.

A discussion concerning the purposes and objectives of Christian Council and Kappa Chi will highlight the program. It will be led by Bob Crump, Kathy Forbes, and Debra Hinson. It will be complemented by several recreational activities.

### Brevard Students Attend Meet

Two Brevard College students attended the state Baptist Student Convention held at the Ridgecrest Baptist Conference Center in Ridgecrest, North Carolina, November 3 - 5

Also attending the convention were 400 Baptist Student Union members and advisors from colleges and universities throughout North Carolina.

The theme of the three day event was "Responding to His Love." This theme was developed through speakers, small informal group sessions, and an impressive Sunday morning communion service.

The speakers included Dr. Charles Bodie, President of the American Baptist Seminary in Nashville, Tennessee; Ken Bragg, a Baptist missionary to Japan, currently on furlough and living at Campbell College near Raleigh; and Ed Christman, University Chaplain at Wake Forest University.

Those attending the convention reported feeling a strong bond of Christian love and brotherhood for their fellow Christians and convention goers. This sentiment was especially expressed by Debbie Frye and Mary Helen Huggins who attended from the Brevard College Baptist Student Union. They were accompanied by Mrs. Jo Ann Bryson, the local B.S.U. sponsor, and her husband.

### Notice

Thanksgiving holidays will begin on November 22 at 1:00 p. m. Students are requested to vacate the residence hall by 7:00 p. m. Please clear exceptions to this departure time with Dean Hawk or Dean Moran.

Residence halls will re-open on Sunday, November 26 at 2:00 p. m.

Anyone who wishes to remain on campus during the holidays must check with Dean Moran no later than Friday, November 17.

Lock all doors and windows in residence halls. Have a nice vacation.

## '73 ACUIIS Plans To Be Announced

The fourth annual Graz Center, the 1972 version of the international study program sponsored by 36 colleges and universities, attracted some 150 students, faculty members, and affiliates this summer in Graz, Austria.

The program is open to students from non-member colleges who have completed one year of studies, and to selected students from all member colleges. Plans for the 1973 Graz Center will be announced within a short time to give students and faculty members an opportunity to plan for next summer.

This year's program featured three week-long field trips into Eastern Europe, the focus of studies for the program. One

of the field trips went to Moscow and Leningrad in Russia; the second, to Vienna, Prague, and Budapest, and he third traveled throughout Yugoslavia.

The courses are designed to add to the curriculum of the local campus without duplicating courses already offered on courses already offered on these campuses. Executive Director Dr. Richard Bender pointed out. ACUIIS also sponsors several on-campus international programs, regional institutes on international studies, and several other programs.

This year's Graz Center was directed by Dean Fred Blumer, provost of Nebraska Wesleyan University. Dean of Students was Bill Gibson, chaplain at Randolph - Macon College in Virginia. The faculty each year includes persons from both Europe and the United States, with European faculty members coming from England, Germany, and Austria.

Students attend classes four days per week at the University of Graz, living in a modern student residence hall nearby. Graz, Austria's second largest city with 250,000 residents, is a unique combination of a location convenient to Eastern Europe and a way of life typical of Austria. The city is located some 40 miles from Yugoslavia and 60 miles from the Hungarian border.

Course work, as mentioned,

centers on Eastern Europe to provide perspectives not available on the individual campuses. Courses include Sociology of the Balkans Christianity and Marxism, History of East Central Europe, the Hapsburg Monarchy, Comparative European Educational Systems, International Ecology, Austrian Psychoanalysts, and four courses in the "Russian block" — Soviet Economy, Soviet International Law, Russian Art, and Russian Literature.

Students are free to choose their way to Europe, either through individual travel or by joining the charter arranged through the ACUIIS office. For the past two seasons, the American Institute of Musical Studies of Dallas, Texas, an operationally-oriented music program with many unique features, has shared the residence hall facility with the Graz Center.

Group and individual sightseeing is also available, with group trips to Salzburg and to several local areas near Graz. Individual sightseeing trips to Venice and Vienna, as well as to other points in eastern and central Europe, are taken each year by the students on their free weekends.

Generally speaking, six hours credit is the normal load taken during the summer months, although some students have been admitted for nine hours. Credit is arranged directly for

students who are members of ACUIIS colleges and through ACUIIS colleges for those students who are not members.

An additional plus factor is that each year a number of European students attend the program, the majority from Austria and Germany, but with others coming from Turkey and Israel in recent years as well.

Students desiring further information about the program can see their Dean or campus representative, or write to Dr. Richard N. Bender, Executive Director, ACUIIS, Box 871, Nashville, Tennessee 37202, for further details.

In the 1972 program the following students were enrolled from Brevard: Pamela K. Boyce, Robert B. Hill, Solomon B. Kennedy and Marjorie Lynn Pickelsimer.

### Chapman's Prints Now On Display

A show is now on exhibit in the Coltrane Art Building featuring serigraphs (silkscreens) by Mr. Curtis Chapman. Mr. Chapman is a professor of art at Rinehart College in Weleska, Georgia. All are invited to come and see these colorful prints, many of which are artist's proofs. All of them are on sale upon request.

### Lyric Quartet Performs At BC

THE NEW YORK LYRIC QUARTET performed at Brevard College on Tuesday, November 14, 1972, with musical arrangements and direction by the famed Robert De Cormier. The quartet included Cynthia Clarey, soprano, Phyllis Bash, mezzo-soprano, Arthur Williams, tenor, and Cortez Franklin, baritone.