

We Are Now Adults

By Debi Crane

Since this is the first issue of *The Clarion* it seems fitting that someone should write an article dealing with beginnings. After all, these last few weeks have been ones filled with beginnings. For many of us this has been our first chance to be away from home and somehow it doesn't seem as glamorous as it sounded only weeks ago.

Just as the last couple of weeks have been filled with beginnings, so have they been filled with endings. The endings of a time which will never be ours again. Suddenly it seems so definite. Our childhood days are finished. We are adults. Funny thing, this feeling of adulthood. It is more than just being able to vote or walk into a store and buy beer. It isn't just the feeling you get when someone addresses you as "M'am" or "Mr."

No. It is something much more than that. It is a sudden, overwhelming feeling of responsibility. Because now you know that you are liable for whatever happens. No longer can you stand by and wait for life to overtake you. Instead, you must overtake life.



New student, accompanied by family arrives at Brevard College

A New Year, A Lot of New Faces

When Brevard got a new course in ballet, Brevard also got a new ballet teacher - Ann Vorus. Ms. Vorus teaches a class in ballet on Mondays and Thursdays, and has been teaching since 1968.

Ann is originally from Charlotte, N. C., but moved to Atlanta, where she began her studies. Her professional dance career includes working with the Atlanta Ballet and she has studied under such famous and renowned people in ballet as Robert Burnett, Dorothy Alexander and Madame Vera Volkova.

Ann doesn't wish to return to dancing on the stage. Instead, she finds teaching more rewarding and creative. Her ultimate goal is to own her own ballet company.

Mr. Kenneth Chamlee, a new addition to the English Department at Brevard, comes from Greenville. This year at Brevard, Mr. Chamlee will teach freshmen English plus the journalism class. He also serves as sponsor to *The Clarion*.

In 1974, he received a B.A. in English from Mars Hill College, and in 1976, he received his

Master's Degree in English from Colorado State University.

After his first few weeks in Brevard, Mr. Chamlee said, "I am pleased to be here and am looking forward to teaching at a two-year, church-related school."

Mr. Lee Bratton has been appointed Instructor of Music at Brevard College. Mr. Bratton will be conducting the Collegiate Singers and the Chamber Choir, teaching sight-singing and dictation, as well as instructing private students. Mr. Bratton is very pleased with the Choral program at Brevard College and is looking forward to an enjoyable and creative year.

The Collegiate Singers have been invited as guests of the First Methodist Church to sing on Sunday, September 24, at 11:00 a.m. The Chamber Choir and the Collegiate Singers are planning on a great deal of Public Relations singing. A combination of the two groups will be giving a winter concert November 20 at 8:00 p.m. in the First Methodist Church.

Dr. Bill Brower from Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, is one of the newest additions to our Science Department. Dr. Brower attended Bowling Green State University in Ohio, and finished his graduate work in Botany at the University of Florida.

Dr. Brower is married, and his wife, Sharon, is a part of our college Math Department. They are residing here on the campus, and they enjoy the atmosphere here greatly.

There are those of us who have dreamed of owning our own horse. Maureen Robinson has done more than that.

A new addition to the faculty at Brevard College, Mrs. Robinson, teaches two classes of trail course aimed at pleasure riding on Mondays and Tuesdays.

Mrs. Robinson has been riding for 18 years. Before coming to Brevard College as a student, she received her formal equestrian education in England under the British Horse Society. After finishing her education at Brevard College she received a degree from Lynchburg College.

Her first teaching assignment was at Graystone Camp in Hendersonville and she has had many others since 1970. She is now teaching at Camp Keystone, where she teaches different riding programs in public instruction. She is a member of the N.C. State Horse Advisory Board.

Wes Goodman is the manager of Brevard's new food service program. Wes began his career in food preparation with ARA food services while in his last year at Clemson University in 1973. He soon progressed to their management training program.

His experience includes working as an assistant manager at Gardner Webb College, and then as food service director at UNC-Asheville, where he stayed until coming here in August 1978. Wes is living in Brevard with his wife and two children. He is very enthusiastic about his job and encourages students and faculty to have an "open line of communication" with him in order to give the best possible service.

If you happen to see a lady five feet, two inches tall with red hair dancing her heart away in Boshamer Gymnasium...you have probably seen Mrs. Elisa Fine. Mrs. Fine teaches two night classes in slimnastics on Monday and Thursday. The classes are held from seven until nine p.m.

Mrs. Fine has a Bachelor of Science degree in Recreation from Western Carolina University. She has been married for four years, and she and her husband Richard now live in Flat Rock, North Carolina. The Fines have no children.

Along with part time teaching, Mrs. Fine also works at the Hendersonville Y. Mrs. Fine gives us this word of advice, "Be happy! - Life is short."

Bob Hayes is new Director of Financial Affairs. prior to coming to Brevard College, he was the finance officer of Transylvania County Schools.

Mr. Hayes has lived in Brevard for the past 4 years, and enjoys playing golf and softball. He enjoys working at Brevard College.

Bob Hall is the new Director of Physical Operations at Brevard College. Mr. Hall comes to Brevard from Mobile, Alabama.

Mr. Hall is not a stranger to the North Carolina mountains, since he has been camping in the mountains for the past 20 years. Mr. Hall also enjoys jogging, playing tennis, rock hounding, and reading in his spare time.

You are invited to attend High Holy Day Services October 1 & 2 and October 10 & 11 at Congregation Beth ha-Tephila (Reform) in Asheville, North Carolina. If interested, call the Temple now at (704) 253-4911 between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

If you are a Jewish College student interested in exploring his Jewish heritage in an informal atmosphere with like-minded people, call Rabbi Kaplan at Temple Beth ha-Tephila, in Asheville, N.C. (704) 253-4911.

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