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Field Day Gets Off To A Running Start.

## Field Day Is Tiring Fun

By Debbie Barnes News Editor

The girl stuck her head in the bucket, bobbed her head around for a few minutes and pulled out a wet apple. She ran back and tagged her teammate who at once headed for the bucket full of bobbing red apples.

This was just a portion of the action which took place on the Louisbury College campus at the Fourth Annual Field Day. A picnic supper consisting of hamburgers, baked beans, potato salad, soft drinks, and ice cream
preceded the events which was prepared by SAGA Food Service.
The Field Day was planned and sponsored by the school's intramural Department. There were nine different events in which students participated. Along with the apple bobbing contest they had a wheel barrel race, a sack race, a three legged race, a frisbe target throw, a football throw for men, a soft-ball throw for women, a 60 -yard dash for men, and a 60 -yard dash for women. The Intramural Department awarded $\$ 50.00$ to the winners of these races. At press time the names of these

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The current S. G. A. President, David Williams, told the Columns early this semester, that the Student Government Executive Elections were hardly publicized last spring. "I didn't even know the voting date myself," David said calmly. "Angela Williams called me up and asked if I wanted to run for the S. G. A. President this year," he said "I did, and that was it." Angela Williams was last year's Student Government Election Committee Chairman.
David explained that the same went for the other two positions of Vice President and Treasurer. When asked whether such partial elections
were not a deprivation of student's rights to elect their own leaders, David blamed the students for their lack of interest in crucial matters such as the S. G. A. Because students ignore these crucial matters, David said other people have to make decisions that need to be made by the students themselves.
David, a calm, young man who appears to be a little too shy for a Student Government President, has high hopes for this year. He is determined to improve the S. G. A.'s communication with the student body by "publicizing all its meetings and activities." Five thousand dollars have been set aside for the government, and he intends to
winners were not available. It was estimated that approximately 120 students participated in the events. It was a large crowd considering everyone was trying to get unpacked and settled in their newly acquired rooms.
The Field Day was planned for the enjoyment of the entire student body. It was a great opportunity to get out to eat and meet a lot of new people, some of which one would not have met otherwise. And for the sophomores it was a good chance to see their old friends and catch up on all that happened during the summer va-
allocate a major portion of this money to the Entertainment Committee. Then David hinted that this committee intends to have Mike Cross play at Louisburg College for Homecoming. About other future S. G. A. plans, David withheld any comments; "I can't say much more right now until I get my questionnaire in."
The S. G. A. will, if rendered approval by the Senate, give a grant to the Cecil W. Robbins Library, to be used to buy electronic security equipment to prevent book loss. The Library lost a vast number of books last year, he disclosed. But why the S. G. A. is taking this responsibility,
cation. Another reason for holding such an event was to promote the Intramural Department within the school, and to get students interested in participating in the program.
Intramural sports simply means competing against each other within a school. The sports department wants everyone to participate and not just spectate. There are all kinds of games like football, tennis, softball, volleyball, golf, arm wrestling, pool, ping pong, backgammon and they even sponsor á Joggers Day. So get out and participate, but most of all have a great time.


David Williams, S.G.A. President

