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## Possible residence hall switch in the works

by Kevin Walter  
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For the last three years we have had over crowding in the male residence halls.

This has been a growing concern for the school. Residence Life is now trying to come up with some proposals to fix this problem.

One of the considerations is to switch Royster with one of the women's halls, possibly Decker. This would exclude Nanney since their sizes are very similar.

If this was done it would give the school more room for male students. There should not be a reversed problem since there has always been empty rooms in Decker.

Decker has approximately 40 more rooms

than Royster. Last semester, private rooms were canceled in male residence halls and male RA's had to give up private rooms until space was found for the overflow.

Since the Brazilian students arrived on campus this semester, currently there is not as much empty space in Decker though. It is not known at this date if the Phil Young school will continue to be held at Gardner-Webb in future years.

The school is "... very interested that the students have a voice, that's why RHA is involved with making proposals," stated Wayne Johnson, director of ResidenceLife.

RHA Should be turning in their proposals with in 30 days from the day Mr. Johnson was interviewed. His interview took place on

1/26/94.

Nothing is definite right now; everything will be reviewed later. The final decision "... might be to not change anything," said Mr. Johnson.

The school just wants to do what is in the student's interest; that is why the RHA was requested to help in the proposals.

As of this writing, the RHA has not met to discuss any proposal, according to Ginger Pate, the national communications coordinator for the RHA.

To all those interested, the RHA meetings are open and anyone may attend them.

On a historical note, Decker served as a male residence hall for many years in the 50's and 60's.

## Resident Assistants attend "workshop"

by Jason Farr  
staff writer

Many of you may have noticed that there was not an RA to be found on the G-W campus last Saturday.

One tends to ponder what really went on while the Resident Assistants, Area Directors, and Graduate Resident Directors attended an R.A. Revival on the campus of Lenoir-Rhyne College.

The schools attending the revival were Gardner-Webb, Davidson, Lees-McRae, and Lenoir-Rhyne.

The purpose of the revival was for the Residence Life staff to gain information from other schools concerning their policies and procedures, to give the resident assistants an opportunity to associate with RA's from other campuses and gain an insight on how they live and work.

The main focus of the revival was for the Resident Assistants to realize that individuality is the key to being successful. Exerpts from Robert Fulghums *All I Really Needed to Know I Learned in Kindergarten* were used to give insight on how this can be done.

"I wanted my RA's to get a better understanding of what residence life is all about," said Arvle Dunn, Area Director for Lutz-



Members of the Residence Life staff, doubling as the RHA council, ham it up for the camera.

Yelton and Mauney dormitories.

Some positive aspects of the workshop was the interaction with other resident assistants and area directors.

"In some aspects, the revival was productive," said RA John Edwards. "I feel that it would have been better if we had our own revival for our RA's."

This was the consensus from many of the RA's that attended. The problem was that G-W took approximately 25 RA's and this group made up well over half of the total group. So when the RA's would go to the workshops, they found themselves interacting with each other, instead of those from other schools.

"We have always had more attendees than any other school," said Wayne Johnson, Director of Residence Life. "That is something that I am very proud of."

## Senate discusses financial aid, cafeteria

by Telesa Wilson  
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A Senate meeting was held Tuesday, January 25 at 6:30 in the DCC Board Room during which two new Senators were appointed positions in the Student Government Association.

Senators Mick Ayala and Casondra Elton transferred last semester, leaving unfilled spaces for junior and freshman class senators respectively. Also, Thomas Garrett, a senator for the senior class, resigned.

Representatives from the senior class nominated Stuart Herbert and Todd Wimberly for the position of senior class senator.

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Jason Whitehead was elected freshman class senator with three votes. None of the senators voted against the nomination. Twelve senators abstained.

New business dealt with by the senate was introduced by Heather Barnes.

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## Career guidance offered at Gardner-Webb

For students interested in part-time, or even full-time jobs after graduation, you should consider visiting the Career Planning and Placement offices.

The coordinator is Hope Toney, a graduate of the University of North Carolina at

Charlotte, and her office is located in the DCC, room 214.

If you are interested in finding a job, you should contact Toney and get a placement file started.

Possible employers will contact Toney

and she will have your file on hand so interviews and be arranged, most of which will take place on campus.

Her office also sponsors job fairs and a job bulletin board in the DCC. Also she has resources to help you find an internship.

Contact her office for more information. Watch *The Pilot* Campus Calendar for job fairs.