

# Press, Review Receive Support

Recently, St. Andrews has received support for its Press and the "St. Andrews Review" through two generous grants—one from the N.C. Arts Council and the other from the poet Ethel Fortner.

The NCAC has acknowledged the "St. Andrews Review" as a highly acclaimed literary work throughout the nation, and therefore has contributed \$2,700 to its funding.

The "Review" publishes works from the arts and humanities areas and often has entries from well known authors such as Patricia de Rachewiltz, granddaughter of the late Ezra Pound, and

St. Andrews' own professor of English, Carl Bennett. This is the twelfth consecutive year that St. Andrews has received this grant from the NCAC.

The St. Andrews Press, from which comes the "St. Andrews Review," has received \$10,000 from distinguished Oregon poet, Ethel Fortner, making her the donor of the largest grant ever awarded to the press.

This money is to be directed to the reconstruction of a classroom into "The Fortner Press and Review Room" where an office for the Press director will be located as well as a room for literary tasks such as editing and reviewing.

Beyond her initial \$10,000 grant, Ms. Fortner has also announced her continuing support of the Press through quarterly cash donations.

On the support received by the college, St. Andrews President A. P. Perkinson says, "We see this as an endorsement of the fine work being done by the editors and contributing writers of the "Review," certainly one of America's finest literary publications."

Director of the St. Andrews Press, Jack Roper states that he is confident that the St. Andrews Press will continue to be a literary outlet for authors even in an age where the small press is struggling.



New Student Life staff members

## Three New Faces

# Student Life Rookies

By Leslie Palmer

Even with students home for the summer, the various departments around St. Andrews have been very busy. The Student Life Office is no exception. There have been three appointments this summer to newly created Student Life Office positions.

The position of administrative assistant has been accepted by Kate Coveny who has been a member of the St. Andrews community since 1980. She has served as coordinator of academic aides for the Burris Center and as a divisional secretary.

The new director of housing is Patsy Webb, another well-known St. Andrews

employee. In addition to this responsibility, Ms. Webb will also assume directorship of Pate Hall Conference Center late in August.

The position of assistant to the Dean of Students has been accepted by a newcomer to the St. Andrews community, Laurey Murphey. Ms. Murphey, an ordained

Presbyterian minister, has had experience in church, hospital, and school internships, and in teaching emotionally disturbed children in Mobile County Schools System in Alabama, Ms. Murphy's home state. Ms. Murphy is currently serving as Interim Supply Pastor of Trinity Presbyterian Church in Laurinburg.



Oregon Poet Ethel Fortner has given the St. Andrews Press and "St. Andrews Review" a \$10,000 gift.

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