

I have heard many discussions in the hall and cafeteria about thefts and academic matters that relate to the Honor Code since the beginning of the semester. Many people seem to have very strong feelings about the Honor Code, and I have heard some very good praises and criticisms of it.

Defying Gravity

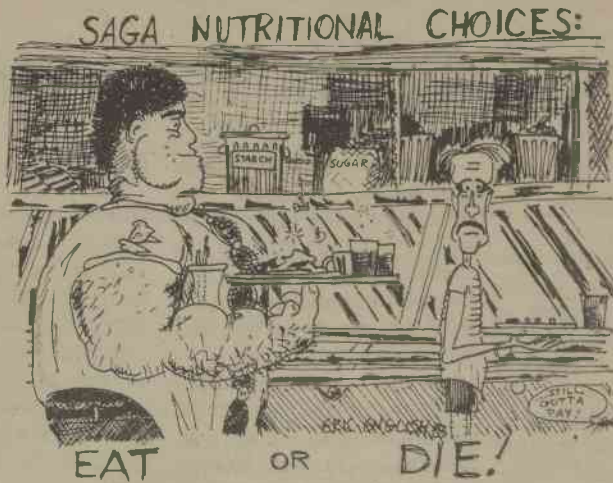


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In the light of this it is puzzling to me as to why so few people attended the Symposium on the Honor Code last Tuesday night in the Belk Center. This discussion, sponsored by the Special Events Committee, was hoped to be a useful and relevant discussion about the Honor Code and its role in our community. However, only three faculty members and approximately fifteen students chose to attend the event. This very poor showing at the symposium is unfortunately characteristic for such an event on our campus. Lots of people like to complain about things that effect their lives here at St. Andrews, but there seems to be considerable apathy when the chance to do something publicly arises.

The Honor Code needs to be widely discussed and understood by the students, faculty, and administration here at St. Andrews. A very good chance to do this was missed. Think about that the next time you hear someone complain.

The Honor Code should be an integral part of the St. Andrews community, and I believe that for the most part it is. However, it is apparent to me that the Honor Code is not respected as nearly as much as it should be at St. Andrews. Since the beginning of the year thefts on both sides of the lake have been much too common. The best example of this for me was the disappearance of my Organic Chemistry textbooks from the library last week. How well does the Honor Code work when one has to worry about leaving their books in the library for a few hours or whether or not they should lock their door when they go to the shower?



Scenes of Fall Break at SAGA

CCU Sponsors Volleyball Josh Brooks Fund Supported

By Paul Verpillot

On Tuesday, October 11th, Gill Street work began. Leslie Palmer of the Pastoral Committee leads the work to help disadvantaged children of Laurinburg. On Wednesday, October 12th, the C.C.U. sponsored a student-faculty volleyball game. All the proceeds went to the Josh Brooks Fund.

The Mental Health Committee of the Pastoral Committee sponsored a "Get Together" at the Group

Home on October 13th.

Literacy Council Workshop will begin tutor training from 7-10 p.m. on Wednesdays. The C.C.U. car will leave Belk at 6:45 p.m.

Coming up on October 26th, the Pastoral Committee will have a Halloween party with various group homes in the area. It will be held at the Mental Health Center. There will also be a Big Brother/Sister Halloween party the next day.

In November, Literacy

Council tutor training will be at St. Andrews from the 4th through the 6th. A retreat will be held November 10th through 12th. For more information see Tom Wilson.

Don't forget the Vespers will be held at the Belk Center every Sunday night at 7 p.m. Their purpose is to unite all Christians in the St. Andrews community. They are interdenominational services for all people. Also, Bible study will be a weekly event.

St. Andrews Forum

Dear Editor,

I would like to comment about the lack of attendance at the Honor Code Symposium Tuesday night. Other than a group of freshman that were "required" to be

there, only four students and three faculty members chose to attend the discussion. As a member of the St. Andrews' community, I find this disturbing. The Honor Code and events pertaining to it have been a much discussed topic on campus this semester, but when it comes to doing something to improve it, no one takes the initiative. In order for the Honor Code to succeed in its purpose it takes the devotion and effort of all involved, including students, faculty,

and administration. I feel the Honor Code can provide a great service to this community by promoting a sense of trust, responsibility, and freedom among the participants, but only if everyone is willing to do their part. Everyone is committed to upholding the Honor Code, but it is only through fulfilling these commitments that St. Andrews can live up to its potential.

Thank you,
Debbie Drane

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