

David Wikle Wins February Contest



Open Category
Next Deadline: March 25

Photo Rules

1. The contest is open to all students at Chowan College.
2. Prints should be at least 5 x 7.
3. Name and address should be printed on the back of all prints.
4. Prints should be designated "for Contest" on the back of the print.
5. Prints and other information should be brought to the Graphic Arts Building and left for the Smoke Signals staff.

Results from The Elections Committee

Members of the Elections Committee (DeLeon Turnage, Chet Hill, Kelly Bates, Marc Wright, Jack Quinn and Stuart Dixon) met with Dean Lewis Tuesday afternoon, February 25, 1975, and formulated the following policies for electing SGA officers and twelve members of the Men's Council.

A. Executive officers, at the time of their election and during their term of office, shall have and maintain the following standards:

1. They shall have and maintain an overall average of "C" on all work attempted in an institution of higher education.

2. They shall have and maintain a good conduct record.

3. They shall be full-time students.

4. They shall not assume any other office without having submitted a letter of resignation in triplicate to the faculty sponsor of the Student Government Association, the Dean of Students, and the President of the Student Government Association or the Vice President of the Student Government Association when the president resigns.

B. Candidates are self-appointed and must file in the office of the Dean of Students from Monday, March 10, 1975, until Friday, March 28, 1975, at 5:00 p.m.

C. The SGA Elections committee will sponsor a Campaign Rally in Squirrel Park at 6:00 p.m. Monday, March 31, 1975.

D. The election will be held from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. in front of Marks Hall or in the lobby of Marks Hall on Wednesday, April 9, 1975.



Room Selection Begins for the Fall of 1975

Boarding Students

Boarding students who plan on returning for the fall semester 1975, must make their room selection in accordance with the following schedule:

A. February 24 thru March 14 — Men who desire to apply for Private Rooms in Mixon Hall (See Par. 3 below).

B. February 24 thru February 28 — All students who wish to retain the room they presently occupy. If there is a roommate preference, the roommate should apply at the same time.

C. March 3 thru March 7 — All students who wish to apply for a room in their present dormitory, but a different room from the one presently occupied. If there is a roommate preference, the roommate should apply at the same time.

D. March 10 thru March 14 — All returning students not included in the above categories. If there is a roommate preference, the roommate should apply at the same time.

E. Room selection does not become permanent until the advance (\$50.00) on the fall tuition is paid. Your \$50.00 advance is due prior to April 1, 1975.

Instructions concerning this payment will be given each student at the time room selection is made.

F. No student will be allowed to select a room for another student.

Day Students

Day students who plan on returning for the fall semester 1975, must pick up their Day Student Reservation Card from this office and make their advance payment (\$50.00) prior to April 1, 1975. Instructions concerning this payment will be given each student when card is picked up.

Would a Computer Work at Chowan?

Opinions of Campbell Students On New Computerized Registration System

By AMY ATKINSON
 Campbell College Student
 Campbell College students have mixed emotions over the new method of computer registration as opposed to the old method.

Creek Pebbles recently conducted a survey of 95 Campbell College students ranging from freshmen to senior classifications who expressed their own reactions to the new computerized system of registration.

The survey reveals that a majority prefer the computer method. Surprisingly enough, in this recent survey, 70 males responded to the registration questionnaire put out by the Creek Pebbles, while only 25 females responded.

Creek Pebbles received more responses from senior class members than any other classifications. Some of the senior responses were as follows: William Bowen III said that he preferred the computerized method over the previous method because the new method was faster. He also stated, "The courses I asked for and the times I asked for them were just as I

had planned them. Some of the problems I saw were where the student failed to make contact with his advisor and sit down and plan his time. Some of the other problems were caused by students not pre-paying so that their classes and program sheets were held up, even though the lines were not as long as previous semesters."

In voicing her opinion and ideas, Jane Mauldin said, "I personally prefer to set up my own schedule, courses and teachers rather than having a computer do it. Sometimes a person can do things better than a computer, and I think this is one of those times."

Another senior, James G. Pulley stated that there was an incredible difference in the time required to register. He added that prepayment of fees prevents having to have your credit searched in the registration line.

Barry Whitaker said that he did not prefer the new registration method because too many mistakes are made. "Many people have to work so they need to set up a schedule so they can work. I would rather set up my own schedule because I have my own favorite professors which I feel I learn more under. I have feelings that a computer doesn't. I would rather express my own than have a computer do it," Barry stressed.

Another senior, Orlando Riveria commented, "There was some turmoil as to whether or not a student could drop chapel. A list of students which need to take chapel would make this aspect of registration a little easier on the registrar's office. Also a standard form could be adopted so that the advisor could indicate what course was to be added or dropped and the registrar's office wouldn't have to decipher the contents of the notes during drop-add. Some teachers write like doctors and reading their handwriting is almost impossible."

Lil Smith said, "I was also one of the studious ones who prepayed during the Christmas holidays. Unfortunately, when I attended classes, my name was not on any roll."

Another senior, Maurine Potts, voiced her opinion of registration because she did not have a long wait in the registration line.

Jimmy Hobbs said that one of his problems with registration being computerized was that the computer gave him too many alternate courses and not the ones that he wanted to take. He stated that some priority should be given to the higher classes.

These are only some of the comments revealing the varied attitudes of Campbell students, there were many, many more.

In my opinion the new way of Registering is very impersonal and could result in unnecessary mistakes, I believe the student should be allowed to select the professor in all cases. Humans are tending to pull away from an important factor that should be included in all learning, that factor being personal. Students need more individual attention. One cares more if he knows that others care.

Editor

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