

Zeller Gives Candid View Of First Year At SCC

Gary Zeller, Humanities instructor at SCC will be leaving in June of this year. Here are some of his comments and opinions concerning the year he has spent here.

Q. Why have you decided to leave SCC?

A. There comes a time in everyone's life for a change or a chance to better himself. I feel that this time has come for me. After a few weeks vacation with friends in Arkansas and a short visit at home in Pennsylvania, I plan to work on a Ph.D. in Systemic Muciscology at the University of Wisconsin. After this, I plan to teach.

Q. Do you feel that you have benefitted from your year here.

A. Yes, I do. Anyone who has an opportunity to get in on the ground floor of a new institution is very lucky. This is a once in a lifetime chance. You start with nothing and watch growth and improvements take place. Sometimes they are so slow that you can't see them.

Q. What do you feel is important in a student if he wants to really get ahead in school?

A. Students should get excited about something... a book, an idea, or almost anything. That's what is most lacking here.

Q. What is your overall attitude concerning the students at SCC?

A. They are terribly unsophisticated. Most of them don't have any sense of what it means to be a responsible college student. They think they're still in high school where they got through each grade by merely occupying a seat for twelve years.

Q. And your attitude toward the faculty?

A. The faculty here is the finest group I've ever worked with in my life. I respect them all for their intellectual capabilities and for the way they've responded to trying situations that are always numerous in a first year school.

Q. Let's not leave out the administration. Do you have anything to say here?

A. The administration has been as cooperative as possible. Some of the problems that we blame on them are really problems that



Gary Zeller, professor of humanities, has resigned from the faculty in order to work on a Ph.D. at the University of Wisconsin.

must be worked out with time. As with all new schools, we are experiencing "growing pains".

Q. How about a short statement concerning your philosophy of life?

A. Well... I guess that I'd say - don't ever do anything that you don't want to do, or that you don't enjoy doing.

Q. Is there anything else you'd like to say that we haven't covered?

A. I have great faith in the college. It already has made a great influence in the area. I very much hate to leave because of friends I've made. Climate-wise, it's great here. The nearness of the beaches adds to its charm.

The music in this part of the state could stand a great deal of improvement. Already there is a hard-working core of workers in Whiteville who make up the Fine Arts Committee. They are working to improve all of the cultural fields. I feel that public schools, grade 1-6, will soon have a comprehensive music program with music in the classroom daily.

Ross Exhibits 9 Paintings At Show In Jacksonville

Mrs. Carla Ross, former SCC student, had nine paintings on exhibit April 30 - May 1 at the Home Federal Savings Art Show, in Jacksonville, North Carolina. They were originals, consisting of still life and abstracts.

Carla said that if all her paintings were sold, they would bring about \$500.00. She also did portrait work while at the showing.

She has had over eight years of art instruction. Her last year of study was spent at ECC. "I am planning to return to SCC in the fall to continue my studies," said Carla.

She will major in art.

Student Lounge Becomes Library

In order to better accommodate next year's increased student enrollment, Southeastern's library is being moved into the building presently used as the student lounge.

There are now five thousand volumes and a great number of magazines in the library. An additional ten thousand books are also on order for use next year.

"These books will allow the students the opportunity to read the preserved knowledge of man," said Ray Dunmire, librarian.

SCC Enrollment To Double In '66'

"The estimated enrollment for Southeastern next year is five hundred full-time students and two hundred part-time students," said Dr. Warren Land, President of the College. "In order to accommodate this increase, the faculty will have to be doubled."

Because we are in a temporary location and the room here is limited, many problems are arising and will continue to do so, until we move to the new campus. Already changes are being made so that a few of the problems can be avoided. The library will be moved over to the student lounge and the PML will be moved to where the present library is now located. The PML building will be used for part of the nursing program beginning here next year.

Other difficulties are parking and the arrangement of class schedules. Dr. Land said that there are three possible solutions concerning class scheduling.

First, and most advantageous, would be an extension of the school day. Classes would begin at 8:30 and continue until 5:30. Second, is to have more night classes and last is to have a third campus. He also mentioned that there may be Saturday classes if conflicts develop.

There is no solution, as of yet, for the parking situation at the college. Any one with a workable answer is asked to voice his opinion through the SGA.

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will be allowed to take it only once. He must score 70 or better for the test score to be considered for draft deferment. If he scores less than 70 he is considered as eligible for the draft. A freshman in the upper half of his class and a sophomore in the upper 2/3 of his class may be deferred regardless of the test score. For a freshman in the lower half of his class and a sophomore in the lower 1/3 of his class, however, the test score is what will determine whether or not he will be deferred.

Grigsby Receives NSF Math Award

Charles E. Grigsby, math professor at Southeastern has received a National Science Foundation award to study at the University of Georgia this summer. He, along with twenty-five other professors in the nation, was selected for this study.

Mr. Grigsby will receive fifteen quarter hours graduate credit upon completion of this course. The study will include several maths which will be centered around calculus.

Opportunity To Form Clubs

At present, Southeastern Community College has only one active organization, the student Government Association, but the student body now has an opportunity to expand its interests through the formation of clubs.

In an interview with David Coleman, Vice President of the SGA, the following information was given for club organization.

In order to organize a club, students must present a petition signed by fifteen interested persons and one faculty adviser who will accept responsibility and provide leadership for the club. All petitions for proposed clubs must be in accordance with the constitution of SCC's Student Government Association.

"Interference with any regularly scheduled college functions or classes will not be allowed," said Coleman. He also indicated that clubs will be under the guidance of the SGA and must conform to the standards set up in Article I, Section 7 of the student government constitution. Suggested clubs are photography, literary, dramatics, debating, Young Christians, science, business, and political.

Don't Waste Your Summer,

Later You May Wish You

Had Started Sooner.

By August of 1967, the library will again be moved into its permanent location on the new campus. By this time it will have acquired 25,000 books. The new library will be larger and have more space for tables and new equipment such as film projectors, records, and closed TV service.

The library is now in the process of changing from the Dewey Decimal system to the Library of Congress system. Mr. Dunmire feels that this new system will enable the students to find the books they wish without any trouble.

"Finding material is one of the greatest difficulties of college students," said Mr. Dunmire. He feels that students should do a great deal of research on their own, and that a library should be able to furnish them with their needed materials. "The library is an important asset to education, and education is the greatest gift for achieving a fulfilling life," he added.



Physical science professor Sid Smith will study next year at the University of Georgia.

Smith To Earn Phd At Ga.

Sidney P. Smith, Physical Science instructor, has resigned from Southeastern Community College, effective June 1, in order that he may help compile data on the evaluation of teachers within the state of Georgia.

Mr. Smith, with a team of ten professors, will be working on this program sponsored by the Federal Government. The program will be headed by Joseph C. Bledsoe, Professor of Education at the University of Georgia. In return for the research done on this program, Mr. Smith will receive his Ph. D. plus a grant of \$4,400.

Mr. Smith expressed that he had enjoyed working with the

administration and the students at S.C.C. and that he would miss his friends. He feels that a Ph. D. is needed in order that he may be a better instructor. His wife, Patty Smith, plans to continue teaching business at S.C.C. next year.

Many of Mr. Smith's students have expressed that he has been an encouragement to them. Steve Fonvielle summarized their ideas when he said, "By being under Mr. Smith's instruction, I have been able to grasp rays of hope, and have come to know, to feel, and to see in action, those high and lasting qualities that best represent a person of integrity and a heart of gold."

Exam Schedule

THURSDAY, MAY 19

9:00-11:00 EH 103 (Gym) Pearson
EH 103 (201) McCraw
T-BUS 371 (Aud) Dunmire
ELN 124V (MB) Musick
AUTO 123V (MB) Mercer

1:00- 3:00 T-BUS 315 (205) P. Smith
ELN 125V (MB) Musick
WELD 112V (MB) Bog-
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4:00- 6:00 SP 103 (201) Cuthrell
HS 202 (Aud) Zeller

MONDAY, MAY 23

9:00-11:00 BY 101 (Gym) King
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PS 103 (201) Smith
SOC 101V (MB) Mercer
CY 103 (201) Smith
T-BUS 383 (205) P. Smith

1:00-3:00 SY 201 (201) Jordan
BU 222 (Aud) Eddins
PH 106V (MB) Mercer
WELD 114V (MB) Bog-
GESS

4:00-6:00 HS 203 (Gym) Zeller
PP 201 (Gym) Zeller

FRIDAY, MAY 20

HY 101 (Gym) Clifton
HY 103 (Gym) Clifton
HY 102 (204) Jordan
ELN 126V (MB) Musick
WELD 113V (MB) Boggess

EH 101 (202) McCraw
EH 102 (201) Pearson
BU 110 (205) P. Smith
AHR 101V (MB) Mercer

HY 111 (201) Clifton
BU 103 (205) P. Smith

TUESDAY, MAY 24

MS 102 (Gym) Grigsby
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MS 250 (Gym) Grigsby
T-BUS 310 (201) Smith

BU 113 (205)
P. Smith

BU 107 (201)
Dunmire

Final exams for night classes will be held on the last class meeting during the week beginning Monday, May 23.

Adult Education Open To Students

Did you know that any student at Southeastern is eligible to enroll in an Adult Education class?

As students of SCC you meet all the eligibility requirements to enroll in any General Adult Education class. "That's nice," you say, "but what can I get out of such a class?" Well, that's up to you. You may enroll in any of the courses now in session or any that will be started -- or, and this is perhaps more important to us as students -- if we could get ten people interested in attending a course either at night or during the day, in almost any subject area, we can have an organized class or a nine hour seminar.

For example, suppose you could get ten people interested in attending a course in philosophy or psychology or just plain discussion groups, or maybe graphology, or maybe Great Books discussion, or speech -- the subjects may be of your own choosing and are unlimited.

The rules that apply to organizing a General Adult class for the public in general also apply to us. Think about it. Perhaps we can enter into some general information type or enrichment classes in General Adult Education. Tom Barrett, Director of Adult Education at SCC, is your contact for information in this area.