

SGA has active year



Photo: Yvonne Crespo

Harrison ignites SGA

by Martha O'Neal

In May 1987, the Executive Board of the Student Government Association elected Holly Allan Harrison as President of the student body of Wayne Community College.

In the past the SGA was run by advisors because of a lack of student participation. Harrison's persistent efforts to rejuvenate the SGA convinced advisors that students were ready to take care of their own SGA.

Whether he had to dress like a she-wolf stripper at an SGA conference or clank around in mouse attire adorned with metallic buttons (for the Send a Mouse to College fund raiser), he managed to attract attention as well as many smiles.

At the 1988 spring quarter conference in Raleigh, Harrison was the respectable, suit-clad, State Parliamentarian by day and the white-wigged, sun-glassed, loudly dressed party-goer by the night's dance.

Through his enthusiasm Harrison involved many students, faculty and staff in events and activities SGA offered.

Jerry Kornegay states, "Holly has led the SGA from a five- or six-person organization to full campus participation. He set examples by not being just an organizer but a participant."

During the past few quarters the Student Government has reconstructed its constitution to allow students flexibility and growth.

Holly Harrison took a non-prospering organization and turned it into an organization that students can truly benefit from.



Photo: Renee Hill

Golf team members load their gear for competitive play at Greenville (l to r) Tom Kaglic, Alfred Stibsky, Gary Brown, Cale Cooke, Mike Suggs.

Softball team wins second in conference, tournament

by Renee Hill

The newly-formed Wayne Community College softball team had a rough beginning but still came in second place in conference and tournament play.

At its first tournament in Burlington, the WCC softball team came in fifth in competition with 15 other teams. According to coach Joseph Hackett, student in the Aviation program, the team "learned from its mistakes" made at this tournament.

Other teams in the Eastern Community College-Atlantic Coast Conference include these community colleges: Cape Fear, James

Sprunt, and Coastal Carolina, first place winner in the conference. The WCC team played two games each with these opponents.

Members of the softball team are Scott Adams, Jimmy Boyd, Cale Cook, Greg Crocker, Kevin Dube, Ronald Dunlap, Adrian Graham, Danny Horumny, Mike Howell, Chad Kearney, Jay Polk, Dennis Quinn, Willie Sawyer, and Paul Thomas. Recruitment officer Jerry Kornegay serves as coach along with Hackett.

In recognition of their efforts, the SGA presented each team member with a

trophy at the Graduation Night Banquet held May 19.

Hackett especially praised Chad Kearney, whose pitching led the team to victory; Cale Cook, whose batting average was .450; Adrian Graham, most valuable player; and Willie Sawyer, who broke his arm during a game. Sawyer could not play in the last 2 games of the tournament because of his injury.

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SGA elects new officers

by Angie Ballard

For the first time, the student body has elected its SGA officers. Formerly, they were elected by the Executive Board of the SGA.

On May 3 during Spring Fling, student vote determined these officers for 1988-1989: president, Barbara Goodridge; vice president, Beth Jones; secretary, Lynne Johnson; and parliamentarian, Joseph Hackett.

At the North Carolina Community College Conference of SGAs, Barbara Goodridge was recently voted treasurer of the state organization. She also served as SGA secretary during 1987-88.



New-elected SGA president Barbara Goodridge discusses budget with 1987-88 president Holly Harrison.