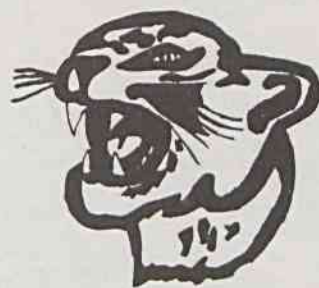




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## Student Body Elections

By: Cathy Walton

It is once again the time of the year for banners and posters to start sprouting up across our campus. You guessed it. It is time for the student government elections. SGA officers, Sophomore class officers and senators are the offices open for elections. Any student who is in good standing and has a 2.25 grade point average, and maintains a 2.00 grade point average once in office, is eligible to hold office. Students may become candidates by filing a petition of 25 student signatures with Student Services. Petitions should be in by 4:00 p.m. April 15. The week of actual campaigning will be held from Monday, April 18, through Friday, April 22. On Tuesday, April 19, everyone can meet the candidates at 1:00 p.m. in room 209. The election polls will be open on Monday, April 25, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and Tuesday, April 26, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. and from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The winners will be announced on Wednesday, April 27, at 8:00 a.m. We encourage everyone who is interested in student government to fill out a petition and run for an office. We would like to wish the best of luck to all candidates.

The following are candidates:

SGA President — Mark Ball, Nancy Huffman, Cathy Walton, Susan White  
Vice President — John Anderson  
Secretary — Denise Burkes  
Treasurer — Steve Williams  
Sophomore President — Tony Witherspoon  
Vice President — Brenda Collins  
Secretary —  
Treasurer —  
Sophomore Senators — Clifford Harrold, Loretta Blevins.

## SPRING FLING April 21, 1983

By: Wesley Hobbs

The Spring Fling is WCC's annual celebration of the coming of the Spring season. The six hour event, containing activities sponsored by the SGA and school clubs, will be enhanced by the natural excitement this time of the year brings. Most of the activities for the spring fling will take place on the front lawn of campus, along with performances which will be held in the auditorium.

The event will be held on Thursday, April 21, with a possibility of two bands, depending on finances. Negotiations are still being made concerning who will be playing. Local and campus talent will also be performing in the auditorium at different times during the day.

All classes will end at 11:00 on the 21st, marking the beginning of the festivities. Night classes will be

held after the event ends at 5:00.

The WCC Art Club will be sponsoring two activities. They will have a dunking booth and will present a recreation of Renaissance era fortune telling with tarot cards and palm reading. Circle K, along with the Math club, plan to have an arcade in the new computer room on the second floor of Hayes Hall. All fourteen computers, plus one to be brought in for the day, will be set up with game oriented software. The BSU will be selling drinks and popcorn. Other WCC clubs will be represented at the Spring Fling, but have not yet finalized plans for their activities. The Nursing Club has announced that since the nursing students work at the hospital on Thursdays and Fridays, they will not be represented at the event.

In case of bad weather, which is

## South Pacific

April 29, 30, May 4, 5, 6 and 7 at 8:00 p.m. in the College Auditorium.

Admission — \$4 nonstudent; \$3 student.

Tale of an American GI and a nurse in the South Pacific in World War II.

### Cast

Nellie Forbush . . . . . Rebecca Jo Triplett  
Emile de Becaque . . . Barry Canter  
Bloody Mary . . . . . Sharon Henry  
Luther Billis . . . . . David Briggs  
Lt. Joseph Cable . . . . . Ricky Huie  
Capt. Brackett . . . . . Terry Johnson  
Commander Harbison . . . LaMar Creasman  
Liat . . . . . Linda McNeil  
Lt. Bugg Adams . . . . . Ted Nichols  
Stew Pot . . . . . Scott Burton  
Professor . . . . . Jug Shumate  
O'Brien . . . . . Scott Smith  
Others - Sailors . . . . . Joe Church  
David Johnson

### Nurses and Natives

Suzy Kerley Elizabeth Brinegar

all we seem to be getting lately, the festivities will be held in the gym.



Donna Moore Cathy Cowhig  
Melissa Pena Carol Cushwa  
Melanie Pennell Jessie Cushwa  
Patty Underwood

Brandon Baughtry  
Cathy Walton Linda Gorich  
Leigh Ann Wyatt  
Nancy Huffman  
Children Charlie Huffman

## From the Dean of Curriculum Programs

Recently, students were given evaluation forms in some of their classes. The purpose was to give students the opportunity to evaluate their instructors, course content, and other facets of their school.

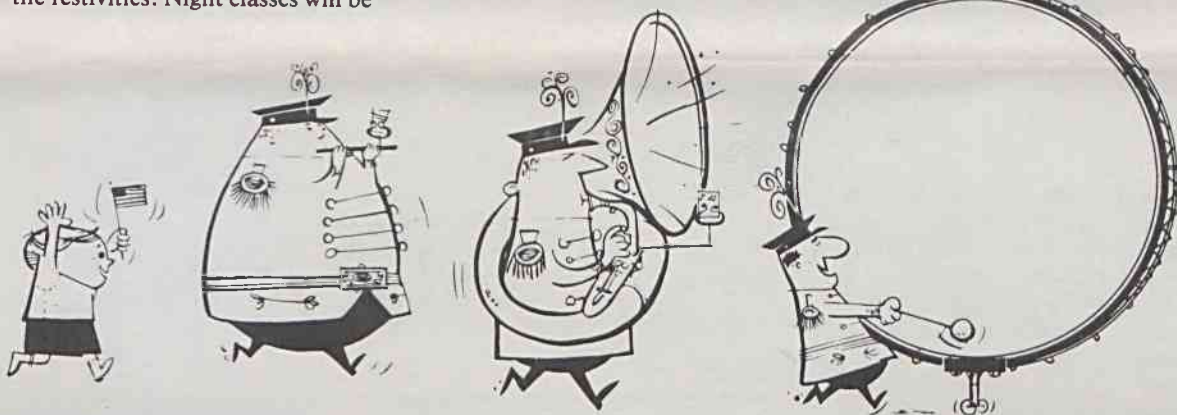
With the opportunity comes a measure of responsibility to objectively evaluate the college and individual members of the faculty and staff.

At this time of year, the college undertakes a comprehensive evaluation process which touches every activity and responsibility in the school.

The sole objective of this effort is to improve what we are doing. Individuals should look upon the process as an opportunity to self correct, and with departments as a way to improve their services.

We believe this is a necessary activity which does result in an improved quality of instruction and services for our students.

Tony Randall



## Up Coming Events

### Up-Coming Activities

By: Jimita Rhoades

Intramural softball games will start Monday, April 25th. There will be both boys and girls teams. Students have been picking up the rules in Student Services since April 5th. Rosters must be returned to Student Services no later than Wednesday, April 20th. For more information see Alan Whittington.

On Wednesday, April 20th there will be a Pre-Spring Fling Easter Egg Hunt. Everyone is invited to participate in the fun. Prizes will be awarded: one \$15 prize and ten \$1 prizes.

On Thursday, April 21, the Wilkes Community College Student Government Association will be sponsoring the Spring Fling. It will be held on the front lawn, weather permitting, between 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. There will be plenty of food, fun, and activities. A band will be present for entertainment. Everyone please come and enjoy the Spring Fling. (If the weather doesn't permit it to be outside it will be held in the gymnasium.)

### Upcoming Events

By: Earl Burgess

April 29, 30, May 4, 5, 6, and 7 — 8:00 p.m. South Pacific — Reservations only: Can be made in College Bookstore

May 12 — Visiting Pianist

### We're Having An Egg Hunt

On Wednesday, April 20, 1983 we will be having the 2nd Annual Pre-Spring Fling Easter Egg Hunt. Several colored "aigs" will be hidden outdoors at accessible areas (not in flower beds or other areas which should not be disturbed). Rules and assorted clues for the hunt will be posted on the main bulletin board in Thompson Hall. \$1 goes to those who find a colored egg with an official note inside and a \$15 prize goes to the one locating a light blue egg. Found eggs are redeemable through Alan G. Whittington in the Student Services Office. Say — How many "aigs" can you find?

Vince Phillips — 8:00 p.m. Free to Public

May 15 — North Wilkes High School Chorus in Concert — Shows at 2:30 and 5:30 p.m. — Admission is Free.

### Spring Conference

By: Denise Burks

The North Carolina Comprehensive Community College Student Government Association will be having its Spring Conference from May 4 to May 8. The conference is being held in Asheville at the Great Smokie Mountains Hilton. Wilkes Community College is one of four host schools for the conference. The delegation from this community college will be eight to ten people. The student government is now in the process of discussing getting entertainment for one night at the conference. Plans for which members that will attend and the conference itself are still being made.

### The Decameron

By: Missy Walton

The Decameron is the Wilkes Community College Literary magazine. It will be coming out in May of this year. Copies will be available in the Bookstore. Anyone wishing to contribute poetry (rhymed or free verse), short stories, or essays for publication should get *readable* copies of your material to Dr. Essie Hayes in the Technical Arts

Building or to any member of the Decameron staff by the first week in May.

Decameron staff members - Missy Walton, Jan Elliott, Ann Gorciak, Debbie Berrong, David Bentley, Gary Eldreth and Marilyn Horton.



### Attention Sophomores!

Graduation exercises will be held on Thursday, May 26, 1983. Further information will be given in the next issue.