

# Interview with Don McNemar, part 3

*Editor's Note: This is the concluding third segment of an interview with Don McNemar. The first section was in the April 9th edition of The Guilfordian and raised questions about future outsourcing at Guilford. Again, answers are summarized.*

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Me: Are there any specific plans at present for possible part-

nerships as we discussed earlier?

McNemar: We are working all the time on that. We have contracts with software companies and there are lots of ways in which we are already working with groups outside the school. If the question is 'Are we going to outsource the buildings and ground staff?' we are not currently considering that at present.

We are looking at options in working with other colleges,

things that would be mutually beneficial. The library is already in collaboration with four other colleges with a common network and server.

We are looking at possibilities in making mutually beneficial relationships. We are not going to create a partnership that is not to our benefit.

Me: I understand that we are talking about speculation and possibilities, but are there any specific possibilities that are solid enough to discuss?

McNemar: We will study the bookstore further and I will make a decision on that in the future.

I have talked with the manager of the bookstore. I look forward to working on this decision and making a choice that is best for the students, the community, and the people in the bookstore so we can balance our goals appropriately.

Me: Are there any specific goals in the future?

McNemar: There are three projects that come to mind, in addition to the regular work on improving dorms and classrooms.

The Frank Family Science Center is coming online next year. It will have state of the art class-

rooms and laboratories, not just for the sciences but for all subjects, with the latest computer technology built in. It will also have a 150-seat auditorium, available for lectures or concerts.

We will then look at the fitness center that we are develop-

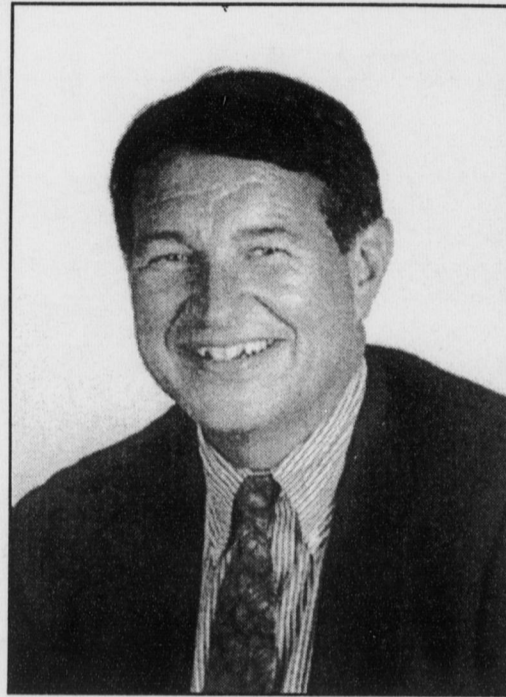
ing jointly with the YMCA. We will likely plan and build it connected to the present gymnasium in addition to updating and remodeling the older facilities. This fitness center will provide facilities for student athletes and will create new fitness equipment and social space for all students and YMCA members.

We are also looking at remodeling Founders hall and meeting the needs of the theatre program. That is pretty much

what we are looking at in terms of construction over the next five years. We are now raising funds for these projects. We are looking at launching a major capital campaign next

year to support current operations through the annual fund, to increase endowments for scholarships and faculty support and the three construction projects I

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Don McNemar

*One encouraging thing is how much we value outstanding teaching and the faculty member-student relationship.*  
—Don McNemar

## Corrections

In the April 9th issue of *The Guilfordian*, a headline misstated that the Multicultural Resource Center budget was approved by Senate. It was the MCRC Student Advisory Board budget that was approved. *The Guilfordian* regrets this error.

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## THE WEEK AT GUILFORD

### Friday, April 23

- ★ "Green Campus Initiative" gathering and ceremonial events for environmental studies in Boren Lounge at 12:30 p.m.
- ★ WQFS presents bands "Sweep the Leg Johnny", "The Ladderback", and "Ben" in the Commons at 7:00 p.m.
- ★ Union presents "Sankofa" in concert in the Danas at 10:30 p.m.

### Saturday, April 24

- ★ Music Department presents a Student Showcase in Dana Auditorium at 4:00 p.m.
- ★ Music Department presents Matt Smith's Senior Recital in the Choir Room at 6:30
- ★ Union Yard Sale on the Dana Lawn from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

### Sunday, April 25

- ★ College Meeting for Worship in the Moon Room at 9:15 a.m.
- ★ QLSP presents a lecture by Candace Putter in the Moon Room at 8:00 p.m.
- ★ SCA (Society of Creative Anachronism) Meeting in the Commons at 1:00 p.m.
- ★ "Promoting Equality in Riffed Societies" a lecture by Jonathan Malino in the Leak Room at 7:00 p.m.

### Monday, April 26

- ★ Colin McFadden- Roan Thesis Presentation "The Woman is Dead" in Boren Lounge at 10:00 a.m.
- ★ GCOTSBPS presents three films by John Cohen in the Leak Room at 8:30 p.m.
- ★ Union Meeting in Boren Lounge at 7:30 p.m.
- ★ Guilfordian Meeting in the Commons at 7:15 p.m.

### Tuesday, April 27

- ★ German Club presents "Aprilfest" on Founders Lawn at 5:00 p.m. (in case of rain will be moved to Wednesday, April 28, same time same place)
- ★ NGM Meeting in Boren Lounge at 8:30 p.m.
- ★ Community Time Meeting in the Commons at 6:30 p.m.
- ★ Episcopal Eucharist in the Moon Room at 5:15 p.m.
- ★ Art Show in Dana Lounge from 4:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.

### Wednesday, April 28

- ★ IVCF Meeting in Boren Lounge at 7:30 p.m.

### Thursday, April 29

- ★ Forevergreen Meeting in the Hut at 7:00 p.m.
- ★ Scrabble Club Meeting in the Commons at 7:00 p.m.

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