

EDITORIALS

Graduate from college but not from your friends

Spring has sprung, and we all know what that means. Summer is only a short distance away. What a great time summer is. Sunshine, shorts, baseball and beach trips. But summer also brings about an occurrence that's not always pleasant. This occurrence sneaks up on you and can cause great pain in the future - especially for seniors. This phenomenon is called "loss of touch with your college friends."

Can you remember your first day as a freshman, and you met your roommate for the first time? Your first impression may not have been so good, but as the

weeks with her turned to months you found yourself growing closer.

I'll never forget when I first met my roommate. I was nailing up my wall-size preppy towel and hit the wall instead of the nail one too many times and caused her night light to fall off the wall and break. I was approached by a girl who was at least four inches taller than I, and she was not wearing a humored face.

"I'm so sorry," I said, trying to disguise my embarrassment and slight fear.

"Forget it," she said. "It's nothing. My name is Sue." Not only did Sue be-

come the best roommate anyone could ask for, but she's my closest friend.

Sure, all of us have roommate stories like that, but the rarity of these situations is that you continue to add more stories like that after graduation.

True friends are like treasures - something precious that should be kept for a lifetime. As young educated women ready to embark on that career, don't get so lost in your new life that you cease to remember your past and the friends that were such a big part of it.

You may recall, or if you're like

most, you may not recall your high school friends. How many of them did you actually keep in touch with?

When you're older, you'll want to talk over old times with your college buddies. You know, like the reach out and touch someone commercials.

After you finish reading this article, turn to your roommate and make a vow to always communicate with one another. Stay in touch and share what's happening with your life.

Beth Blankenship
Co-editor, 1985-86

Academic Awards

Academic Awards Recipients, Meredith College, for the Academic Year 1984-1985

Ida Poteat Scholarship (Rising junior), Laura Litchfield; Ida Poteat Scholarship (Rising senior), Susan Skinner; Elizabeth Avery Colton Award (for best work submitted to college literary magazine *The Acorn*), Chrissy Murphey; Ruth Ann Hubbell Award for Poetry and Creative Writing, Chrissy Murphey; Marion Fiske Welch Scholarship, Anne Burke; Perry Harris Scholarship, Debbie Sauls; Carolyn Poole Scholarship, Carol Swain; Martha Nell Tucker Freshman Biology Award, Jenny Beavers.

John Yarborough Biology Award, Michele Cherry; CRC Press Freshman Chemistry Award, Terri D. Lewellen; Vallie Tillotson Nelson Freshman Mathematics Award, Patricia Hall; Outstanding Senior in Home Economics Award, Natalie Priest; Outstanding Senior in Home Economics Award, Lisa Drake; Achievement Award in Business and Economics, Lori Lewis; Lois E. Frazier Award, Jane Phillips; Outstanding Senior in Business & Economics, Beth Andrews; Ellen Amanda Rumley Scholarship Award, Susan Currie; Business and Economics

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Sunday, April 28, 1985

12:45 PM

STARTING AND FINISHING AT THE TOP OF THE HILL BY JONES AUDITORIUM. The Spring Fling Campus Run is a 2 mile run designed for all joggers, runners, and FUN people. Each runner shall receive a t-shirt and the opportunity to receive a prize.

Entry Fee:

\$5.00 if received by Thursday, April 18. Entry forms and fee may be turned in at the Cate Center Box Office or room 112 Barefoot. Late entry fee will be \$5.00 and will not include t-shirt.

Packet Pick-up:

April 29, 12:15 to 12:45 at the START/Finish Line.

SPECIAL THANKS to Butch Robertson and SECOND SOLE, CCA, MRA, and all those who will help on race day.

For more information call Lee Hertzberg or Cindy Eskins at 829-8687.

Awards:

First Place, student and first place, faculty / staff: Gift certificate from SECOND SOLE. Second and third place, student: Gifts from SECOND SOLE. There will also be a random drawing for prizes offered by SECOND SOLE, so everyone will be eligible to win something.

Divisions:

Two divisions: Students and faculty / staff.

1st Annual Winners:

Last year's winners were Cindy Eskins and Clyde Frazier for first-place. Also awarded were Ginger Ratcliff, Susan Currie and Karen "Buzz" Mann.

"Resort Wear, 1985": Success!

On Tuesday evening, April 2, 1985, the Fashion Display class conducted a fashion show for Meredith students. The theme of the show was "Resort Wear, 1985." The fashion show was held in the dining hall where a runway and spotlights were used as a stage for the models. Fifteen Meredith students modeled the latest fashions in lingerie, swimwear, active sportswear, spectafo sportswear, day dresses, and eveningwear.

The emcees were Lori Dowdy and Kim McQuaig. They took the audience on a vacation in the Caribbean. Each of the garments shown would have been ideal for vacation or other summer activities.

The clothes were contributed by Boylan Pearce, JoAnn's, Nowell's, Panache, Tyler House, and Virginia Crabtree.

Refreshments were served after the show.

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