

## A sturdy student foundation

By Beth Hall

In 1974 Meredith's Student Foundation was created to unite students and alumnae in benefiting Meredith College. Twenty-two years later, Student Foundation is as sturdy as ever. The 1996-1997 organization consists of nineteen members. This year's foundation is fairly represented by sophomores, juniors, and seniors who were nominated, interviewed and approved by a committee within last year's Student Foundation. And it is the members who make the foundation productive.


The foundation's advisor is Mary Kate Keith, who has already been the advisor for two years. Keith said, "Student Foundation as a great way to meet new friends and serve Meredith, not only the students here now but the greater community of alumnae and others who would like to help support Meredith."

The other part of the foundation is the executive council. This year's president is Liane Jolly, a senior, who has been in Student Foundation for two years. The vice-president of admissions is Caroline Brookes, and the vice-president of alumnae and parents is Randi Ligon. There is also a vice-president of giving, Kelley McLawhorn. She is in charge of donations and fund-raising projects like the "Vote-a-thon" held every year. Finishing up the executive board is Cheryl Taylor, the secretary.

Sponsoring various campus-wide activities is how the foundation involves the entire Meredith community. Recently, Student Foundation was responsible for the annual Family Day. In the spring, the foundation will sponsor the "Fast Aid Kit" program. This program takes place during the spring exams and allows parents the opportunity to purchase a bucket with energy-inducing candy and an encouraging personal note to help the students survive the exams. After parents have purchased the "Fast Aid Kit", Student Foundation members are responsible for distributing the buckets to the students. The group also sends representatives to high schools to speak about Meredith and to different alumnae receptions throughout the year.


On October 7 at 6 p. m., the foundation will hold an ice cream social for freshmen at the Mae Grimmer Alumnae House. Sundaes will be served along with information on Student Foundation. This information will be important to freshmen interested in being involved in the foundation next year.

Like a sturdy house, the Meredith community needs a solid foundation, and Student Foundation is just that.



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## Freshmen Frolic

When is it?  
Wednesday, October 2, from 4:00pm to 7:00pm in the Courtyard.

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as a freshman. "I told why I choose Meredith, and I talked about orientation and the adjustments I had to make during that time," Flood said. "I told about the good qualities Meredith has to offer.

Necessary concentrated on students' junior year. "I discussed how students become more settled during their junior year because they have declared a major and are settled into leadership. I told how I tried different leadership positions as a freshman and a sophomore and found the one that was best for me. I also talked about internships and study abroad programs," she said.

Necessary added, "The students were very inquisitive. They asked a lot of questions and were very interested and attentive."

Vanessa Barnes, Assistant Director of Admissions, stated, "The day was very successful. Everyone seemed to have a good time. All of the students, and faculty really came together. We could not have done it by ourselves. The admissions office truly appreciates everyone's help."

According to visiting high school seniors the day was indeed successful.

High school senior Rena Horton from Washington DC enjoyed Open Day. "I enjoyed the friendliness of the students. I felt as if I were treated as an individual."

Open Day had a great influence over high school senior Brooke Banson of Greenville. "I had thought about Meredith last year, but friends at school changed my mind. Coming back today has made me reconsider. I enjoyed talking to students and finding out what Meredith is really like."

## Lost and Found

COME AND  
GET IT!



### CLOTHING

Blue striped Steeplechase long-sleeved shirt, 2X  
Black & white "Catch Me" plaid rayon shorts  
Black linen "The Limited" dress, size 4  
Blue rugby shirt "Resillo Sport", small  
Laura Ashley woman's top, white with flower print, size 8  
Peninsula gray sweatshirt, EPN monogram, XL  
Blue class of '97 Comhuskin' sweatshirt, XL  
Blue Gitano swimsuit w/ white polka dots, size 9/10  
Child's red/blue/green London Fog jacket  
White socks w/ red hearts  
Khaki collarless jacket, large  
Black/red/blue/yellow Coca-Cola sweatshirt, large  
White sweatshirt w/ bear cartoons, "Angela", large  
Green sweater, "Esprit", small  
Irish tweed brown sports car cap, small  
Hooded Woolrich jacket w/ wool plaid lining, small  
Reversible black and floral design jacket, brand name: "Be in the Current Scene"  
Green Kinston volleyball sweatshirt, "Rayner", XL  
Purple TAM cap

### ACCESSORIES

Child's brown leather purse, "Venezia", pink Barbie suitcase inside  
Diaper bag, "Sarah" on side  
Clear plastic carrying bag, white handles  
Large white leather pocketbook  
Brown/purple/green wool scarf (muffler)  
Pair of blue knit gloves  
Pair of small black gloves  
1 black suede glove  
1 child's green and white glove  
Purple and gray wool scarf  
Alligator leather headband  
Red silk paisley scarf  
Small nylon zip pouch with red trim  
Caboodles plastic makeup box  
Brown leather headband  
Khaki small zip pouch  
Blue canvas bag "Pam Tanner"  
Brown leather zip purse  
Green backpack "Elizabeth Spence"  
Gray & black Concourse gloves  
Small blue knit gloves  
Small black leather gloves, purple on inside of cuffs

### MISCELLANEOUS

Sunpack RB66HS Camcorder battery  
Cassette tape "Melissa McConnell cheerleading"  
AT&T 1230 answering machine  
Silhouette book, Barbara Faith, Lion of the Desert  
Ricoh leather camera cover, black  
2 VHS tapes marked "Lee full"  
VHS tape "Lee's basketball 1989"  
Large gray Cambridge address book  
Harlequin book, Prince of Darkness  
Baby's Snapshot book, rabbit on front  
White baby photo book, 15 pictures  
"Earth Sense" blue drinking mug  
Red and blue binder with Bach notes  
Arriva 88 computer disks  
Accuspec II type gauge  
Baby picture "My name is Will Bates"  
Electric cable left on lake island  
One-gallon red water jug

### KEYS

GM, Ford, 5 other keys on "E collection", fob with mirror  
Toyota, 6 other keys, Cape Fear Theater fob  
2 GM keys in brown leather Liz Claiborne case  
3 keys with "Fox" 99.1 fob  
GM, 8 other keys on wire ring  
Keyring with Meredith College keyring and  
"I'm just doing this between films" fob  
Keyring w/ Chrysler and 5 other keys  
GM and miscellaneous keys & Neiman door opener  
Mazda and 2 other keys, large leather fob

### SHOES(women's)

Right black suede "White Mountain", size 8 1/2  
Left "Main Woods" cream colored boot, size 8  
Pair black leather "Thoroughgood" shoes, size 5

### EYEGLASSES

Gold/tortoise shell found 214 Harris 3/4/90  
Pink-framed child's glasses 8/2/95, in Heilman  
Gold/tortoise shell "VHA Courtney"  
Gold-framed Opticraft  
Gold/tortoise shell Ralph Lauren  
Burgundy Sophisticated glasses, light blue case  
Brown/Clear-framed  
Gold/tortoise shell Liz Claiborne, black Pearle Vision case  
Sunglasses, black/Gold frames  
Red frames, "Guess" in blue leather case  
Tortoise shell bifocals  
Gold rimmed with pink Lens Crafters case  
Large Oleg Casini sunglasses in green vinyl case  
Taiwan sunglasses  
"Carrie" sunglasses  
Red/black design framed reading glasses  
Kenmark Pegasus glasses w/blue frames in light blue case  
Gold/tortoise shell in "Sterling" blue alligator case  
Gold wire-rimmed "granny" glasses  
Luxotica desert brown/gold framed, light blue case  
Berdel 207 tortoise/gold, tan case  
Brown frames "Suburban"  
"Miami" black eyeglasses in purple Optometric Eyecare case  
Clear-framed reading glasses in black Lenscrafters case

### JEWELRY

Honeycomb digital watch  
Silver serpentine bracelet  
Gold sailboat charm (found in 1993)