

# Campus Extras

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## Softball team comes back from losses

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On Tuesday, Mar. 28, Meredith's softball team lost both games in a double header against Averett College, bringing their record to 10-3.

"Even though we lost we're not really discouraged because we'll play them again," said junior Leigh Akers, who plays first base for the Angels.

Freshman third baseman Adrienne Lafone agrees. "We didn't hit well in either game," she admitted.

The team currently has three players out because of injury. Jack Huber, an assistant coach, believes that the rest of the team will step up to finish out the rest of the season.

"We're facing the toughest part of the season with the lowest number of players," said

Huber.

Despite the injuries and recent losses, the team has stayed focused.

"The past two practices we've really been cheering each other on," Lafone said. "We lift each other up no matter what."

Huber concurs. "This has been a team that has bounced back from adversity well," he said.

In the last three weeks of the season, the Angels will face tough competition in their games against NC Wesleyan, Averett and Campbell's junior varsity team.

"Those are probably the only tough competition we have left that have been hard in the past," Akers said.

Huber remains optimistic that the Angels are ready for

the rest of the season.

"This team has had more depth than years past. Everyone is experienced and a good

ball player," he said. "There's not anyone that's not a good ball player."



Meredith's softball team plays at home earlier this week. They are preparing for the end of the season.

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## Symposium committee offers contests

SYMPOSIUM COMMITTEE  
Press Release

The Symposium Committee for President Hartford's Inauguration encourages all students to attend a presentation by six women leaders of area colleges.

The symposium, Public Lives, Personal Choices, will offer the Meredith College community a rare opportunity to hear and interact with these six great leaders in North Carolina as they discuss the critical choices and decisions that lead each to her current position.

The committee hopes that students will take the opportunity to enrich their perspectives on the participants: Marye Ann Fox, chancellor of N.C. State; Laura Bingham, president of Peace College; Rosemary Gillett-Karam, president of Louisburg College; Gloria Scott, president of Bennett College; Julianne Thrift, president of Salem College and Maureen Hartford.

### How much do you know about Dr. Hartford?

In celebration of Hartford's inauguration, the committee is

announcing a contest for students, Who Knows Dr. Hartford? Complete and cut out the quiz, and drop it in the box on the counter outside the student supply store in Cate Center. Entries will be collected every day by 5:15 p.m.

The winner of the contest will be drawn from all correct entries and will be announced at the end of the symposium, Friday, Apr. 14 at 2 p.m. in Jones Auditorium.

Only one entry per student will be accepted, and the winner must be present at the symposium to collect the prize. All entries must be in by Wednesday, Apr. 12 at 5:15 p.m. Contact Dr. Toni Parker (760-8305) or Natalie Murray with questions.

### Residents vs. Commuter competition

As an incentive for students, the Symposium committee is sponsoring a residence life versus commuter life competition. Individual residence halls will compete with commuter life students for the greatest percentage of attendees at the symposium. The group with the greatest per-

centage will win an ice cream social with Hartford. All of Meredith College will complete an attendance slip upon each student's arrival at the symposium to denote residence hall name or commuter affiliation.

The winners will be announced in the *Meredith Herald* on Wednesday, Apr. 19.

### WHO KNOWS DR. HARTFORD?

- Dr. Hartford served as Vice President of Student Affairs since 1992 at what university, prior to her arrival at Meredith College?
  - University of Arkansas
  - University of Michigan
  - UNC-Chapel Hill
  - Washington State University
- Dr. Hartford earned her bachelor's degree from UNC-Chapel Hill in what areas?
  - French and Spanish
  - Biology
  - English
  - French and History
- Dr. Hartford believes that her maternal grandmother can still name all the kings of England in order. This is extraordinary because her grandmother is how old?
  - 92
  - 82
  - 85
  - 72
- From Dr. Hartford's convocation address at the Opening Convocation on August 30, 1999, entitled *Moving to He*, she spoke of six principles of academic community, by Ernest Boser in the Carnegie Council report. She stated that these six principles would serve "as a guide for the transformation of Meredith into a model campus community." Which one is not one of the principles?
  - Chaotic
  - Just
  - Caring
  - Purposelul
- Recently, Dr. Hartford aggravated an old injury, and she is "hobbling" around campus. How did she receive the first injury?
  - Tae-Bo
  - Running
  - Playing soccer on the front lawn
  - Kicking the copy machine
- Dr. Hartford celebrated the birth of her first grandchild on July 1, 1999, the day she began her administration at Meredith. What is the name of her grandchild?
  - Maureen
  - Meredith
  - Jay
  - Katherine
- Dr. Hartford has been involved in a program that "focuses on ethical leadership development in young people." This is part of her commitment to community service and community outreach. The national program that she has helped develop is called
  - Habitat for Humanity
  - Save the Whales
  - LeaderShape
  - GreenPeace
- The Massey House is home not only to Dr. Hartford and her husband, Jay, but also two furry felines. In fact, one stayed missing for five days when the Hartfords moved into the house. What are the names of their two cats?
  - Peebles and Bam-Bam
  - Bucky and Boomer
  - Dharma and Greg
  - Rosie and Oprah
- A little known fact about Dr. Hartford is that during her college days, she engaged in a rather rigorous and challenging sport. What was the sport that Dr. Hartford participated in throughout her undergraduate and graduate days?
  - Kickboxing
  - Water-skiing
  - Roller derby
  - Motorcross

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NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12, 5:15 PM. YOU MUST BE IN ATTENDANCE AT THE SYMPOSIUM ON FRIDAY, APRIL 14, TO WIN THE CONTEST.

## Campus Briefs

### Book encourages women to attend Meredith

OFFICE OF MARKETING AND COMMUNICATIONS

In her new book, *Traditional Degrees for Nontraditional Students*, author Carole S. Fungaroli listed Meredith College as one of the two colleges in North Carolina recommended for nontraditional-aged college students. Fungaroli's book provides advice for nontraditional-aged students who wish to obtain bachelor's degrees, including information about choosing the right program, obtaining financial aid and conquering the fear of entering the classroom for the first time in years.

"I think it is an excellent guide for adults who wish to continue their education at a college or university which has high standards and requires students of all ages to meet the same requirements for a degree," said Sandra Close, director of the Meredith College Undergraduate Degree Program for Women Age 23+ Program.

### Students win scholarships

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Meredith Legal Assistant Program students Jennifer Jones, of Middlesex, and Marilee Patton, of Raleigh, recently won scholarships in the North Carolina Paralegal Association's annual scholarship essay competition. Jones won a \$300 second-place scholarship.

Patton won third place and will receive a \$200 scholarship.

The scholarship recipients were recognized at the North Carolina Paralegal Association's annual meeting and seminar where they received congratulations from NCPA President Marsha Johnson and keynote speaker N.C. Supreme Court Chief Justice Henry Frye. Their essays will be published in NCPA's magazine, the *Forum*.

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