

On Campus

Student Admissions Committee Honored at Banquet



Eileen Wiles, Vice-President; and Leigh Allen, President of MHC Student Admissions Committee, 1988-89

The Mars Hill College Student Admissions Committee (SAC) was honored at a banquet hosted by the Admissions Office on April 14 at the Western Steer restaurant. Formed in 1987, this group of over 30 members works directly with the Admissions Office. The main functions SAC performs include daily campus tours, office mailings, phoning to prospective students, and working directly with Campus Visitation Days.

SAC members earn points for work done for the Admissions Office. During the evening's festivities, members were presented service awards and certificates documenting their participation in SAC. Rhonda Moss was the highest contributor and will have her textbook costs covered by the Admissions Office. Jill Epley conducted the most campus tours (15) and received a special "super guide" award.

SAC was headed by the excellent leadership of President Leigh Allen and Vice-President Eileen Wiles. Both received a plaque honoring their dedicated service. Eileen was re-elected as President and Pam Graham was elected Vice-President for the 1989-90 school year.

The Admissions Office received over 35 applications for membership and selecting new members for the upcoming year.

1988-89 SAC Members

Leigh Allen (Pres.), Debbie Chandler, Ronnette Chapman, Melanie Childers, Jeff Davis, Julie Davis, Jill Epley, Sue Evans, Celita Gilmer, Pam Graham, Michelle Harrison, Janine Lankford, D.J. Lourcey, Tammy Madden, Jonathan McCoy, Tim McCoy, Vickie Millis, Rhonda Moss, Tina Moss, Donna Parrott, Linda Plants, Caroline Powell, Jackie Radford, Lisa Roland, Angela Ryker, Brenda Smith, Emily Thomas, Chip Thompson, Leslie Weathers, Eileen Wiles (VP), Amanda Williams, James Williams, Steve Yost.



Members of the Ladies of Distinction and Minorities on the Hill examine their recent handiwork to clean off their burial site of Joe Anderson, the former slave who was held as a pledge against final payment on the first building at MHC. The two groups plan further projects on the site. Pictured above (left to right) Ingram Sumter, Sonya Smith, Pam Graham, Namura Simmons and, back row, Desirey Brooks and Jonathan McCoy.

Chapel Completion Slated for Early August

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The Broyhill Chapel, which has been under construction since early 1988, will be completed in late July or early August, according to college president, Dr. Fred Bentley.

Groundbreaking for the chapel was in October 1987, and the majority of the construction has been completed by volunteer work crews from all over the South. Recently, in order to speed up the final stages of the project, five full-time carpenters were hired. These men work from Monday to Friday, and the volunteers come in on the weekends to do additional work.

A large stained-glass window entitled "Pilgrimage" was donated by Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Alexander, Jr. and installed last week in the chapel. Of the window, campus minister Marie Bean comments, "The double helix suggests the soul's yearning for God. Augustine wrote, 'Our souls are restless till they find their rest, O God in Thee.' But

the yearning of the soul is in response to the prior movement of God toward us."

Work on the chapel and fellowship hall has been progressing visibly during the past few weeks, and will continue to do so until both buildings are completed. The interiors of the buildings should be finished by graduation, and the outside work, including the paving of the new parking lot, done by June. The organ will be stalled in the end of July, and the landscaping work will be done as weather permits.

The dedication of the chapel for the campus community will occur on Tuesday, Sept. 12, at the President's Convocation. Special activities and concerts will be held in the new chapel during the remainder of the week, and on Saturday, Sept. 16, a special dedication ceremony will be held for the volunteers who have worked on the chapel.

