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Sir Toby Belch (John Lee Lowrimore) reads a forged letter, the key to a plot also involving Fabian (Kathy Gelbach) and Sir Andrew Aguecheek (Keith Hill), in a scene from "Twelfth Night, or What You Will". Related article, page 10.

## New Venture Program now on campus

There will be an organizational meeting of the Venture Program on Thursday, April 24th at 12:30 behind the information desk at the Cone University Center in John Griffin's office for commuters and at 9:30 that same evening in the lobby of Moore Dorm for the resident students.

Students do not need to have had any previous experience in any of the Venture activities to participate. The organizational meeting will be for all person interested in the Venture course to be taught this summer, but attending the meeting does not obligate you to take the course.

Venture is a two-week experiential learning process which attempts to meet several fundamental needs complementary to the student's education. It utilizes a western North Carolina wilderness setting and small group dynamics in order to increase the student's understanding of self, interpersonal relationships, and the environment. The program is action-oriented with one experience building upon another. Venture is life in its simplest form. Day-to-day living rhythms and patterns are dictated by the sun and the weather, instead of the clock. Your day begins when the sun rises and may end long after dark. It is a unique educational

experience.

The program provides an opportunity to climb sheer rock cliffs, prepare a meal over an open fire, hike in the wilderness, rappel down the side of a rock face, learn first aid and emergency care in a wilderness setting, negotiate white water rapids in an open canoe, and exist by yourself for three days and three nights with a minimum of survival equipment. More importantly, it will give you a chance to acquire a sense of yourself through confronting the challenges of a wilderness setting and to better understand small group dynamics, leadership development, and interpersonal relationships. Each person contributes the best of his personal talents and experience to the group, be it physical strength, sense of humor, intelligence, cooking, or other abilities, and each person is free to seek his own challenge. No previous experience or training is necessary. Your instructor will help you through personal example and close individual attention.

Because enrollment is limited, all applicants will be interviewed by a Screening Committee. Participants will be notified on their acceptance by the end of April.

There will be a \$150 special fee and tuition cost.

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## Media redistributes monies

by michael evans

In two meetings held by the Student Media Board during the past week, the Board was informed of the commission to investigate the Media Board and decided how the extra money, if any should be received, would be allotted. The Board, in their second meeting of the week, ruled almost every motion in the meeting out of order.

Doug Lerner, proxy for Beth Griffith, moved "that the Media Board adopt the following, more stringent minimum qualifications for the approval of a prospective candidate for the office of radio station manager because of the evident, larger responsibilities that he/she will undertake in the scope of fulfilling the duties of operating a 'community' oriented FM station:

1. That the prospective candidate must be a member of the Student Broadcasting Association.

2. That (a) such membership must have been for a period not less than one calendar year or (b) such membership must have been for a period not less than one-half a calendar year if in the remainder of that calendar year the prospective candidate was directly involved with the operations of some professional or student radio station or involved in other professional or student radio experience."

After much discussion, the motion passed 5-0 with two abstentions. However, the motion was ruled out of order at the second meeting because the motion had not originally gone through the Student Broadcasting Association.

Michael Evans moved "that during Student Media Board voting concerning 1975-76 academic year budgets the constitutional article concerning majority votes and 2/3 votes be waived and the official Student Media Board budgets may only

be approved with unanimous approval of the entire membership of the Student Media Board." The motion was tabled at the first meeting of the week, but was ruled out of order because of an ineligible second. When brought back up at the next meeting, the motion to table passed.

In the Media reports at the second meeting of the week, Griffith provided the Sanskrit report saying the two magazines which will be published this semester are now at the printer and it will now be at the printer's discretion as to when the issues will come out before the student body. Evans said the Journal would conclude publication for this semester with the April 22nd issue and

that two new typesetters had been hired to aid in the Journal's hopeful growth next year. Ted Cannaday, giving the WVFN report, said the Executive Board of the SBA was presently assigning various responsibilities for the FM station. There was no report from Rogues & Rascals.

The committee to investigate the need for money for the remainder of the year gave their report at the second meeting. Evans gave the report and moved that the money be divided as follows: (1) WVFN-45%; (2) Carolina Journal-40%; (3) Sanskrit-10%; and (4) Rogues & Rascals-5%. This percentage basis is to cover any further money which the

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## Student Legislature

### approves appointees

by terry fulbright

Student Legislature chartered several new organizations, confirmed four presidential appointments, and chose the recipient of the Outstanding Clubs and Organizations Award.

The History Club and Pi Beta Tau were granted primary charters. Pi Beta Tau is an honorary academic society for engineering students.

Student Legislature approved three presidential appointments for next school year for the following offices: Student Body Treasurer -- DeeDee McKee, Student Legal Council -- Dennis Hall, Attorney General -- Bob Verdenick. Approved to fill a temporary seat on the Student Superior Court was Tom Leindecker.

Sigma Phi Epsilon was

chosen from three nominees for the Outstanding Clubs and Organizations Award. This award recognizes the organization on campus which the Student Legislature feels has contributed most to the university and community through its activities.

In other actions, Student Legislature allocated \$50.00 to the Attorney General's office for supplies, released the Elections and Publicity Staff of certain responsibilities for the recall election and referendum scheduled for April 23 & 24, and authorized Student Body President Jamie Stemple to fill present vacancies on Student Legislature by appointment, with the appointments expiring next fall.

