

Employees air Dey noise woes

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STAFF WRITER

To the students and faculty members working in Dey Hall, the sound of progress doesn't equal the sound of music.

UNC officials hosted a meeting Monday in Dey to hear complaints about the construction for Phase I of the Science Complex, which is happening outside the building.

More than a dozen faculty members and teaching assistants who work in Dey Hall attended the meeting to complain about the noise disturbances and hear the solutions that were offered.

Tom Smither, an employee in the Department of Romance Languages, was vocal at the meeting about the noise right outside his office on the second floor.

"I literally can't hear my phone," he said. "I can't conduct my work."

During the meeting, acoustical consultant Noral Stewart offered preliminary solutions to the noise problem. "The primary leakage path into the building is almost definitely the windows," he said.

Two solutions, he said, are installing storm windows or boarding up windows.

He said that the latter option is best because it would cost less and that sound-absorbing materials such as fiberglass can be added to cut down on the noise.

Most of the people at the meeting agreed that boarding up windows would be the most effective solution.

Stewart said the next task would

be to measure the decibel levels at different spots around the building, which would take as long as several days depending on the equipment he uses.

Architect Peter Krawchuk said that the group will hold another meeting April 28 to announce the solution and that no preventive action will be taken until that time.

No students attended the meeting despite the fact that many foreign language and linguistics classes are taught in the building.

Krawchuk said students need not worry about the noise during their final exams.

"The contract with the construction companies says that construction must cease during finals," he said. That also includes Saturday and evening finals, he said.

The first phase of construction began in August and is scheduled to finish this fall. Krawchuk said that when planning for the construction began, officials took into consideration how it would inconvenience the campus.

"We started (planning) this program in April 2001," Krawchuk said.

"We knew when we were designing the program we would impair the campus. As part of the process we talked to people in ... all the buildings we considered the neighbors."

But he said that so far, only people in Dey Hall have complained.

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Survivor moves audience

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University students, faculty and community members came together Monday to learn about one of the darkest periods of the 20th century — the Holocaust.

The room was dead silent, and a few audience members cried as more than 100 people listened to Holocaust survivor Gerda Weissmann Klein recall her experiences.

Klein was the keynote speaker of the seventh annual Holocaust Remembrance Week. The event, held in Carroll Hall, was co-sponsored by the Carolina Union Activities Board and N.C. Hillel.

Klein, now 78, was just 18 years old when she first was taken from her home in Bielsko, Poland and sent to a Nazi slave labor camp.

Two years later, Klein, along with thousands of other Jewish women, was forced to march 200 miles from Poland to Czechoslovakia. Of the 2,000 women who went on this death march, Klein was one of only 150 who survived.

When she was 21, Klein was freed when U.S. soldiers found her group after their Nazi guards had deserted them.

Among those soldiers, Klein met the young man she eventually would marry.

Monday's event was organized by sophomore Julie Wald, a CUAB and N.C. Hillel member. Wald said her groups were elated to get Klein to come and speak on campus. "We were very excited to get her," she said. "I thought she had a lot to share."

Klein's appearance was made even more special because she has been hesitant to speak of her experiences since the death of her husband more than a year ago.



DTH/KRISTEN ASHTON

Holocaust survivor Gerda Weissmann Klein chats with students Monday before kicking off the seventh annual Holocaust Remembrance Week. Other events planned include a reading of the names of Holocaust victims.

"My husband's love has been worth my pain," she said, referring to the fact that she never would have met him if she never had been sent to a labor camp or forced to go on the death march.

Klein's speech was preceded by a showing of the film "One Survivor Remembers," the Oscar-winning documentary about her.

In addition to describing her experiences, Klein also discussed how amazed she was at the freedoms present in the United States compared with other parts of the

world. "It's extraordinary to know that I stand here tonight without fear," she said.

Klein said that when she saw news of the war with Iraq, she was confronted with many memories of her own suffering. "The horror of war, the hatred, the pain and all the things I lived through came vividly to the surface," she said.

Many of the students were affected deeply by Klein's words.

"I was absolutely touched by her story," said sophomore Ruthie Warshenbrot, who helped organize

Holocaust Remembrance Week. "I'm so happy she was willing to share her story with us."

Klein emphasized compassion and love in her speech, saying the college-aged generation can make a positive difference in the world. "It's my dream to go to bed one night and know that no child is hungry," she said. "Something can be done about it, and you are the ones to do it."

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CALENDAR

Today

noon — The Holocaust Remembrance Week's vigil of the Reading of the Names will take place in the Pit until noon Wednesday.

4:30 p.m. — American University constitutional law scholar Jamin B. Raskin, author of "Overruling Democracy: The Supreme Court Versus the American People," will be speaking at the UNC School of Law Rotunda.

5:30 p.m. — Episcopal Campus Ministry meets in the Campus Center of the Chapel of the Cross. Visit <http://www.unc.edu/ecm> for more information.

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Students can give DTH feedback Wednesday

STAFF REPORT

The final meeting of The Daily Tar Heel Association of Student Leaders for the spring 2003 semester will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday in 33 Carroll Hall.

ASL is a forum hosted by the DTH that allows students — and specifically students in leadership

roles on campus — to share their views of the DTH and to give DTH editors feedback on the paper's coverage.

The forum also is an opportunity for student leaders to provide DTH editors with information about events and issues they think should receive coverage in the paper.

All students are welcome and encouraged to attend.

This is the last chance this year for students to voice their opinions on the DTH's coverage of campus issues.

Students are also welcome to bring any ideas about what changes they would like to see

made to the DTH next year.

For those students who can't make it to the meeting, any comments about the DTH's coverage this year or suggestions on how to either improve the DTH or ASL for next year can be sent to Managing Editor Alex Kaplun at kaplun@email.unc.edu.



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