

Mural Program For Fall Announced

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That Winning Spirit

A few days back, we got hold of several large sheets of paper containing what are known to the trade as "fillers." These "fillers" are usually used to fill out columns or to serve as miscellaneous information, however, there were several in this particular collection that we thought might bare passing on in full.

About half a dozen of these fillers point up the fact that in addition to the "Carolina Spirit," we also have a "winning spirit" here in Tar Heelia. In fact, so much of a winning spirit that Tar Heel teams have won more Southern Conference championships than any other institution—more than 100.

Supporting a 12 sport intercollegiate program, Carolina has produced quite a number outstanding national champions, and sired teams that have taken their share of national championships.

A Few of the Boys... And a Girl

Here are a few of the champions, most of whom are still fresh in our memories for the outstanding performances they gave. There was Harvie Ward, national intercollegiate golf champion in 1949; Sara Wakefield, National AAU platform diving champion last year; Norm Sper, Jr., who, in addition to being one heck of a fine cheerleader, was National AAU platform diving champion three summers ago; Jimmy Thomas, who recently graduated, won three National AAU championships; Jack Milne, NCAA cross country champion in 1947; Ralston Legore, national javelin throw titleholder in 1934; Bill Albans, who won the NCAA low hurdles crown in 1950; and the Tar Heels' shuttle hurdle team, winner of the "Championship of America" held at the Penn Relays in 1949 and 1950.

That's an impressive record for any institution, and consider that all but one of these champions made their fine record since 1947. To this aggregation of great stars we have to add the names of two Tar Heel trackmen, Harry Williamson and Chunk Simmons, who were members of U. S. Olympic teams.

Cheaper By The Dozen

Three basketball and nine football players have been selected to the mythical All-America teams while students at Carolina, and the list of Tar Heel greats who almost made the grade is beyond count. Hardwood aces George Glamack, 1940-41; Jim Jordan, 1946; and John (Hook) Dillon, 1946, stand in Carolina's hall of fame along with gridiron standouts Paul Severin, 1939-40; Ken Powell, 1949; Art Weiner, 1948-49; Don Jackson, 1935; Andy Bershak, 1937; Steve Maronic, 1938; George Barclay, 1934; Charlie (Choo Choo) Justice, 1948-49; and Irvin (Huck) Holdash, 1950.

And let's not forget our tennis greats. A group that boasts the names of such stars as Bitsy Grant, Wilmer Hines, Archie Henderson, Zan Carver, Harris Everett and the current Davis Cup ace Vic Sexias.

Team Records Pretty Good

Tar Heel teams have given a good account of themselves as one would expect from the record of over 100 Southern Conference championships. The tennis team has been the one that carried the Carolina Blue and White to its greatest heights, by collecting a string of undefeated seasons from 1930 to 1941, with the exception of 1934-35 and 1938. Carolina netmen compiled a new national record of 67 straight wins which stood until 1949.

Carolina's basketball teams have gained their share of titles. In 1924 the Tar Heels were national champions, and in 1946 the team won the Eastern NCAA championship, and lost to Oklahoma A&M in the National championship game, 43-40.

The rich years for the football team have been since the war, during which time they have played in three post season games—twice in the Sugar Bowl and once in the Cotton Bowl. But it was in 1892 that the Tar Heels were really tough. Compiling a five-one record, the team made only one substitution during the entire season.

High School Star Goes To Duke

Carolina's loss is Duke's gain, pigskin-wise, of course. David Niven, sensational tailback from Wilmington, was refused admittance to Carolina because of academic deficiencies, and according to reports has enrolled at Duke.

Niven will be remembered for his outstanding play in the recent

high school All-Star game at Greensboro, when he led the East squad to a 20-19 victory over the West.

Niven scored one touchdown and set up two more as he sparked the East to a third period comeback after a scoreless first half. The West was leading, 7-0, when Niven took the second half kickoff deep into West territory, scoring later after an exchange of punts.

This transfer breaks Carolina's near monopoly on the outstanding state backs, however, the Tar Heel squad still boasts such stand-out freshmen as Connie Gravitte, Sonny Ridenhour, and Larry Parker.

Mixed Sports To Be Offered Students

With summer school nearly over, the thought farthest from the student's mind is the fall quarter. But that's not the case with the Intramural Department whose duty it is to see that Mr. Carolina Student gets a well balanced education. Already plans have been released for the fall quarter program.

This fall, the same sports as last fall will offer organizational points. These sports will be tag football, volleyball and wrestling. In addition to the "point" sports, there will be the fencing, badminton and dancing clubs, golf and track.

This fall, special emphasis will be placed on co-recreation, according to Walt Rabb, Intramural director. If enough interest is shown in the co-recreational sports, leagues will be formed as in the regular Mural sports.

This past year, attempts at co-recreational nights and mixed sports proved very satisfactory. In the mixed sports, the coeds and men students are on the same team, and slightly different rules are observed. In baseball, for example, men play first and third and the outfield, while the girls play the other positions. In basketball, the girls of the team stay at one end of the court and play under girls rules, while the men stay at the other end using regular rules.

It has been suggested that mixed cook-outs and outings be held, and according to Rabb, these functions are under consideration and will be held if there is enough interest.

The formation of organizational teams will take place after the first Intramural manager's meeting early in the quarter. Rabb has asked that students be thinking of the men they would like to represent them as managers so that these men will be selected in time for the meeting. The time of the meeting will be announced in The Daily Tar Heel.

HELP WANTED

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