

Where am I? Group helps transfers

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Moving into the mainstream of campus life could be a problem for the approximately 900 transfer students here this fall, so the Transfer Orientation Commission works to ease the adjustment.

"We provide some social orientation," said Joe Albright, co-chairperson of the Transfer Orientation Commission, "but most of our activities are aimed at making sure that transfers don't make crucial mistakes in academics."

Albright said transfer students face problems that freshmen and upperclassmen do not experience. Unlike freshmen, for example, transfer students are not guaranteed University housing.

"Approximately 700 transfer students live in apartment complexes," Albright said. There are 188 spaces on campus, and 100 in Granville."

In response to this problem, the commission has launched the "Need a Home" program to help place transfer students who are unable to find housing. "We've canvassed Chapel Hill and Durham to find out what's available," Albright said.

Academically, transfer students also encounter special problems. "In four semesters, they have to meet some General College requirements as well as complete courses for their major," said Thomas Mayo, assistant chairperson of the Transfer Student Orientation Commission. "The academic emphasis of our program is designed to make them know, and know early, exactly what is required."

"Our counselors are there to give advice as well as act as resource people to send them in the right direction," Albright said. All counselors underwent an academic training session to familiarize themselves with requirements and procedures.

"In the past, before there was an orientation program for transfers, it often took these students a semester to get straight academically," Albright said. "This often caused them to take extra semesters or summer sessions."

Upcoming activities sponsored by the commission include a flea market Saturday at the Baptist Student Union. "We're asking townspeople and students to come and sell items which could be of use to transfers, such as appliances," Albright said.

Enrollment up, increase of 271 over last year

As classes begin today, regular, on-campus students are expected to number approximately 19,000, an increase of 271 over last year's enrollment of 18,729.

Fifty-three per cent of the freshman class of 3,050 are women. Junior transfers will total 900.

All figures are estimates, emphasized registrar Lillian Lehman. More accurate figures will be available after all registration is completed, probably by the third week of the semester.

Academic affairs enrollment totals 15,915 this year. Of this figure, 12,110 are undergraduates, 3,150 are graduate student and 655 are attending the School of Law.

A total of 3,090 are enrolled in the health affairs division, 1,150 of which are undergraduates. Graduate students in health affairs total 1,020, and there are 920 M.D. or D.D.S. candidates in the schools of dentistry and medicine.

Evening college enrollment is expected to be 1,280, plus 250 students who will probably register in off-campus graduate extension programs across the state.

The total for these three groups — undergraduates, graduates and evening college — representing a slight increase over last year's total of 20,293.

Full-time faculty members number approximately 1,800, a figure which is about evenly divided between academic and health affairs.

patrol

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years earlier, the average speed was 56.3 mph.

Excessive speed was involved in 36 per cent of all traffic deaths in the state last year.

up from 34.3 per cent in 1974.

Carlton said he believes the crackdown has been a success so far, but wouldn't say if it has been as effective as he had hoped.

"I've avoided stating statistical goals," Carlton said. "That's a good way to get disappointed."

Many troopers have issued warnings instead of speeding tickets, McKinney said.

"A warning is issued when the case is a borderline situation," McKinney said. "If there is a clear-cut violation of the law, the trooper will issue a citation."

Warnings are given when the question arises as to whether the trooper has a case against the motorists," McKinney said.

"Discretion is the name of the game," he added.

Carlton said the patrol is enforcing the 55 mph limit on most highways in the state, including interstates, state highways and heavily-traveled primary roads.

"We haven't tried to emphasize it any more on one kind of road than another," Carlton said.

The secretary acknowledged that some gray areas exist within the law, such as

trucks blocking both lanes of an interstate highway but moving at 55 mph or if a motorist's speedometer is not tuned the same way as a trooper's.

A spokesperson said the governor has received several dozen letters and telephone calls about the crackdown.

"It's been running about 50-50 in favor of it," press aide Gary Pearce said.

BARGAINS AT FOOD TOWN ACCORDING TO UNC STUDENTS IN Charlotte

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Survey of Food Store Prices

Food Item	Big Star	A&P	Big M/ Harris Teeter	Winn Dixie	Park n Shop	Food * Town
Duncan Hines Cake Mix 18.5 oz	.69	.59	.58	.69	.59	.58
Duncan Hine Brownie Mix 23 oz	1.09	1.25	.84	.99	1.19	.94
Pillsbury Self-Rising Flour 5 lb	.69	.69	.69	.69	.69	.69
Morton Iodized Salt 26 oz	.21	2/39	.19	2/43	.23	.19
Crisco Oil 24 oz	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09	1.09
Quaker Grits box 24 oz	.51	.49	.45	2/1.00	.39	.39
bag 32 oz	.56	.51	.51	.53	.56	.46
Cheerios 10 oz	.65	.69	.59	.73	.69	.59
Kellogg's Corn Flakes 12 oz	.49	.49	.47	.53	.49	.47
Special K 11 oz	.83	.89	.75	.87	.83	.73
Handi Wrap 100 sq ft	.53	.59	.49	.59	.58	.49
Nabisco Oreo 15 oz	.95	.95	.89	.99	.99	.89
Pepperidge Farm Cakes 17 oz	1.49	1.49	1.39	1.39	1.45	1.29
Breyers Ice Cream 1/2 gal 64 oz	2.19	2.19	2.19	2.19	2.19	1.59
Minute Maid Orange Juice 6 fl oz	.39	.39	.39	2/69	.33	3/99
12 fl oz	.69	.75	.77	.79	.73	.71
Sara Lee Pecan Coffee Cake 1 1/4 oz	1.59	1.55	1.59	1.49	1.49	1.39
Merita Old Fash. 24 oz	.51	.52	.51	.52	.53	.49
Boots Old Health 24 oz	.51	.52	.51	.52	.53	.49
Boots Country Grain 24 oz	.59	.59	.59	.59	.59	.56
Grade A Eggs Large doz	.63	.69	.49	.59	.59	.61
Mazola (sticks) 16 oz	.77	.73	.71	.75	.79	.74
Blue Bonnet 16 oz	.67	.63	.49	.61	.69	.62
Clorox 64 oz	.59	.53	.53	.59	.59	.53
Tide 49 oz	1.39	1.35	1.34	1.45	1.43	1.34
Cheer 49 oz	1.45	1.39	1.34	1.45	1.43	1.34
Ajax Cleanser 14 oz	.25	.27	.25	.37	.25	.23
TOTALS	\$70.26	\$69.61	\$69.62	\$72.61	\$70.44	\$63.91

*Food Town Prices June 7, 1977

Food Town tops survey

See where the bargains are at Charlotte supermarkets

You can use the charts below to figure where you will save the most according to your grocery needs. The prices are as of June 7th. Happy shopping!

With such a large percentage of college students in Charlotte commuting from home, rooming with friends or renting their own apartments, we thought it relevant to include a special survey that would help save you money. We all know that every little bit saved really does count, and buying groceries is something most of us do so frequently that little bits add up to quite a lot after a short while.

With that in mind, The First Amendment decided to find out if it really makes any difference what supermarket you patronize. As it turns out, it does. You can refer to the food charts on this page to see that depending on where you shop it is possible to save quite a lot of money.

As advertised, Food Town did have the lowest food prices around. Figuring from our sample list of 53 different items, shopping at Food Town meant a clear savings of \$8.70 over the supermarket surveyed with the highest prices around — Winn-Dixie. To give you a better idea of how this works, Food Town had 30 of the lowest prices in Charlotte while Winn-Dixie only beat the other supermarkets six times in price.

Harris-Teeter also deserves some recognition of the fact that they had 26 of the lowest food prices, although their overall "Park 'n' Shop" (see chart).

Of course, your total grocery bill depends on types of food you usually purchase. In fact, the supermarkets surveyed had some good prices overall. For example, a 16 oz. jar of Maxwell House coffee that sold for \$4.19 at Harris-Teeter went for only \$3.59 and A&P, a savings of 50 cents. Likewise, you would pay only \$1.49 at Park 'n' Shop for the same 16 oz. package of Oscar Mayer bacon that would cost you \$1.99 at Food Town.

So it pays to shop store specials, when you can.

How they fared!

The Lowest Food Prices

The number beside each store is the number of times that store had the lowest food prices, according to the Survey Chart

Big Star	11
A & P	8
Big M/Harris Teeter	26
Winn Dixie	6
Park n Shop	8
<u>Food Town</u>	<u>30</u>



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