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## \$240,000 Grant to Pay College Bills For 100 Disadvantaged Youth to A&T

The A&T State University and the High Point Model City Commission today announced a joint project that will provide access to a college education for 100 low income and physically handicapped students from the area.

The entire project, which will get underway at A&T on Aug. 23, will be financed at a cost of \$240,000.

In announcing the new program, Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of A&T said:

"We are extremely pleased to participate in this unique community project with the High Point Model City Commission. By providing an educational opportunity for these deserving youngsters, we hope to equip them with the skills, which are mandatory for a life of dignity and success."

According to Don Forney, director of the High Point Model City Commission, the 100 students will be secured from the Model City area.

Funds from the project will cover the cost of tuition and other fees for one year for the

students. The Model City Commission will provide \$165,000 for the project and \$75,000 will be provided under a grant from the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Forney said that the project will furnish guidance counselors and other resource personnel to counsel the students.

Dowdy said that the students will be housed on the A&T campus and involved in all of the University's regular activities.

The students will also benefit from innovative approaches to teaching, which are currently being used by A&T's Upward Bound project and Thirteen-College Curriculum.

"This project is not a substitute for any other previous program," said Forney. "It is the result of close coordination and planning between A&T, the Model City Commission, and the Education Task Force."

The Education Task Force is composed of residents of the Model City area and other citizens. They will also serve on an advisory board for the project.

## Annual Worship Service

The Immanuel Alumni Annual Worship Service will be held at Providence Baptist Church on Sunday, August 22 at 11:00 A.M. All members of the Greensboro and High Point Chapter of the Immanuel Lutheran College Alumni Association are urged to be present.

A Fellowship Hour will follow in the late afternoon, 6:00 P.M. at the home of Mrs. Grace F. Bruce, 1419 Avalon Road. Mrs. Annie F. Baker will serve as co-hostess.

Arrangements for the day were made by The Planning Committee, Mrs. Catherine McGibbony, Chairman, Mrs. Louise F. Cummings and Miss Norma Joan Crawford.

Paul E. Leacraft, President.

## Local Girl Competes In Teenager Pageant



MISS VANESSA SNIPES

Vanessa Snipes, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Snipes of 1507 South Benbow Road, was named second runner-up in the Miss North Carolina Teenager Pageant, held at the Raleigh Memorial Auditorium on August 7. This award was accompanied by a \$250.00 scholarship to Professional Academies in Atlanta, Ga. The Most Photogenic Trophy was also given to Vanessa, who was one of 62 contestants.

Contestants in the pageant were judged on beauty of face and figure, charm, poise, and scholarship.

Each contestant was required to write and recite a 100 word essay titled — "What's Right About America". Vanessa's talent was a piano selection — "Theme From Love Story". She was sponsored by Kriegsman's Furriers of Greensboro.



## 100 Scholarships Awarded At A&T State

Don Forney, left, director of the High Point (N. C.) Model City Commission, and Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of A&T State University, sign agreement for unique project which will pay college expenses for 100 disadvantaged youngsters in the area. The \$240,000 project is being funded by the Model City Commission and the U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

## ADVANCE PAYMENTS SIGNAL RECORD 1,300 FRESHMEN AT A&T

A record freshman class of more than 1,300 students is expected to enroll at A&T State University when orientation activities are held at the University Aug. 23-29.

Official at A&T said the enrollment projection for 1971-72 is quite encouraging. "We expect nearly 500 more new students than we enrolled last year," said William H. Gamble, director of admissions and registration at A&T. "We have more students who have committed themselves financially and otherwise to enrolling at A&T. We have actually admitted more than 2,000 students."

The new students are expected to swell A&T's enrollment to nearly 4,300 students, also a record. Around 3,800 were enrolled during the last school term.

A full schedule of orientation activities awaits the freshmen, who are scheduled to arrive on campus Aug. 23. At a general assembly on Aug. 24, the freshmen will be introduced to the University's administrative staff.

Most of Tuesday afternoon will be spent taking placement tests.

On Wednesday morning, the new students will meet with

their deans to prepare for registration which begins the next day and continues through Saturday.

Other highlights of the week will be an assembly sponsored by the Student Government Association on Thursday, Aug. 26 at 7:30 p.m. in the Harrison Auditorium; the annual Freshman Talent Show and Dance on Friday at 8 p.m. in the Memorial Union; and the University president's annual reception on Sunday at 6 p.m. in the Memorial Union Ballroom.

Upperclassmen are scheduled to begin arriving on campus on Aug. 25 and to begin registering on Aug. 26. Classes for all students will begin on Monday Aug. 30.

## FIVE COMPANIES TO PROVIDE MANPOWER IN UNITED CAMPAIGN

Five large companies have taken on major responsibilities for providing manpower for the 1972 United Campaign for the Greater Greensboro Area.

The five firms will handle the solicitation of more than 2,100 business firms making up Division III of the fall campaign, according to Leonard Guyes, chairman of the division.

Guyes named the five companies as Jefferson Standard Life Insurance Company, Cone Mills Corporation, Western Electric Company, Pilot Life Insurance Company and Burlington Industries, Inc.

In past campaigns, Guyes explained, this division required the recruiting of more than 600 volunteer workers from throughout the community.

"Under this year's plan," Guyes said, "the five companies taking part will provide the solicitors from among their own employees."

The campaign solicitation area

(all of Guilford County except High Point and Jamestown) excluding communities in the county has been divided into five areas, and each company will be responsible for one of the areas.

Jefferson will solicit the downtown Greensboro area, Cone the northeast, Western Electric the southeast, Pilot the southwest and Burlington the northwest.

A chairman has been appointed to handle the project within each company. These five chairmen will serve as part of the regular campaign leadership team and will be part of the general chairman's campaign cabinet.

The five chairmen are: Richard Herbin, assistant secretary for corporate planning and budgets at Jefferson Standard; Robert R. Scruggs, manager of employment and benefits for Cone Mills; Douglas T. Watts, personnel administration and

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