

CNC Community CHRONICLE

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SUNDAY - February 22



MONDAY - February 23

2:30 - Dean's Academic Council



Women's Basketball
Chowan College (away) 6:15 P.M.

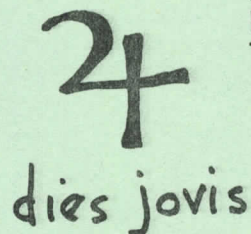
TUESDAY - February 24



WEDNESDAY - February 25



THURSDAY - February 26



Women's Basketball
Feb. 26-28 - V.F.I.S.W.
Tournament - Eastern Mennonite
College
Bridgewater
College

FRIDAY - February 27

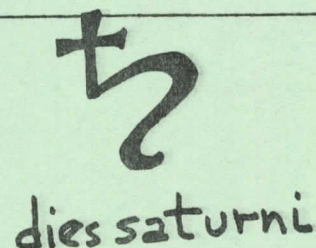
Noon - FEC - Conference Room

Noon - Division of Business &
Economics



8:00 P.M. - Concert -
Guitarist Oscar Ghiglia
CC Theatre

SATURDAY - February 28



NOTICES

A Technique To Aid Search Committees

I have developed a sequence of computer programs designed to remove much of the clerical effort required in the administration of search committee work and would be pleased to share the system with members of the College faculty and staff. In addition to the removal of the clerical effort, additional data is provided which aids in the selection of the semi-finalists and/or finalists. Essentially the system produces the following three reports:

1. A composite ranking of all candidates who have applied for the position along with the means and standard deviations of the scores.
2. The result of the individual ranking given by each member of the search committee, so that the members may compare the results of their preception with the composite results at the end of the rating process. This is particularly useful at the meeting where you select the semi-finalists.
3. A report designed to aid in the administration of the committee by helping you to guarantee that all credentials have been circulated to all the members on the committee. This report sorts the candidates alphabetically and provides a relatively detailed summary of the perceptions of the committee, including all the scores assigned by the members of the committee.

All that is needed to utilize the system is a set of criteria which can be quantified and the assignment of a sequence number to each of the candidates. The system provides for up to nineteen criteria and permits the weighting of each of the criteria according to its relative importance to the College. In addition the committee members may rate their perception of the candidate's ability to meet the criteria on either a yes-no scale or on an interval scale. The system provides an appropriate level of flexibility so that the committee may choose to utilize any portion of the rating and weighting structure described above. Currently the maximum committee size provided for is ten.

I estimate that it would take approximately fifteen minutes to initially train an individual to utilize the system, and another fifteen minute session prior to the actual distribution of the results to the committee. Please contact me if you are interested in using the system. If there is enough interest, I would be willing to conduct a brief seminar on its utilization.

Mike Staman

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Chemistry Seminar Series

You are invited to attend our Chemistry Seminar every Friday this semester from 1:00-2:00 P.M. in G205. Speakers will be chemistry majors, invited speakers, and the members of the Chemistry Department. To our delight, Dr. Casimir J. Jachimowski of NASA Langley Research Center has accepted our invitation and will speak to us on February 27, 1976. His topic is "Some Aspects of Combustion Chemistry and Mechanism for Nitric Oxide Formation."

Hope to see you there.

C. K. Chang

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Italian Guitarist to Perform at CNC

Guitarist Oscar Ghiglia, "a cultured musician, whose interpretive point of view is distinguished and cultivated," in the words of Elliot Galkin of the Baltimore Sun, will appear in concert at Christopher Newport College at 8:00 P.M., on Friday, February 27, in the Campus Center Theatre. In addition to his recital, Mr. Ghiglia will conduct a master class on Thursday, February 26, at 2:00 P.M. in the Campus Center Theatre.

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Time Sheets for Student Assistants

The Business Manager requests that all department chairmen, or whomever they designate, be responsible for submitting the time sheets for the students employed by their department. These time sheets must be in the Business Office no later than the last working day of the month (February 27, 1976, at 5:00 P.M.)

Prompt submission by one person in each department is necessary to insure timely receipt of payroll checks.

Business Manager

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Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect

The Peninsula Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect sponsored by the Peninsula Child Abuse Services, Inc., Junior League of Hampton Roads, Hampton Roads Section-National Council of Jewish Women, Newport News Department of Social Services and the Hampton Department of Social Services and conducted by the Psychology Department of Christopher Newport College will be held at the CNC Campus Center tomorrow (February 21) from 8:15 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

The keynote address will be given by Douglas J. Besharov, Director of the National Center on Child Abuse and Neglect. Ordinarily, Mr. Besharov practices law in New York City. In the past, he has served as Counsel to the New York State Assembly Subcommittee on the Family Court and Executive Director of the New York State Assembly Select Committee on Child Abuse.

Mr. Besharov was one of the prime drafters of Article 10 of the New York Family Court Act and of the Child Protective Services Act of 1973. He is the author of Juvenile Justice Advocacy (1974) and numerous articles. He is also the co-author, with Surrogate Millard L. Midonick, of Children, Parents, and the Courts (1972).

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Tax Guide

The Division of Business and Economics has in its library The Tax Guide for College Teachers. Any member of the faculty who would like to borrow it may come by the Division of Business and Economics Offices.

Don Riley

FACULTY NEWS

DR. CHIN WANG of the Computer Science Department was invited to serve as a panelist in the workshop on Data Structure and Pattern Recognition sponsored by IEEE. The workshop was held in Albuquerque, New Mexico, February 11-13, 1976. Dr. Wang gave a 30-minute talk on "A Solution to a Geometric Data Base Problem."

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MARVIN BROWN has been serving as consultant to Dr. Juanita Strawn, Hampton Institute, in the development of Learning Activity Packages in the area of Consumer Information for the elderly.

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PRESIDENT WINDSOR appeared on the "Dick Lamb Show," WTAR-TV (Channel 3), this morning, February 20.

Mr. Lamb's interview was on the topic "Living Well - Dying Well." Dr. Windsor also appeared on the "Midday" Show, WVEC-TV (Channel 13) on Tuesday, February 10, and spoke on the same topic.

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JEAN PUGH and HAROLD CONES appeared on the "Eyewitness News" Show, WAVY-TV (Channel 10) on Monday, February 16. Rhonda Glenn interviewed Jean and Hal on the topic of "Environmental Crisis."

