

CHRONICLE

February 19, 1993

CENTRAL STORES CLOSING -- CNU Central Stores will be closed on Monday, March 1, and Tuesday, March 2, due to physical inventory. No Central Stores requisitions will be processed until Wednesday, March 3. We apologize for any inconvenience. Thank you.

POSTERS IN ADMIN. LOBBY -- Bulletin boards have been installed in the lobby of the Administration Building. Boards are at the north and south entrances and one is in the main lobby near the north entrance. Please use these boards for all postings and displays. Posters taped to the glass or at any other location in the lobby area will be removed.

Bill Brauer, VPFA

GRANTS OFFICE ANNOUNCEMENTS -- The grants office announces the availability of the following research grant programs from the National Institutes of Health (NIH). In responding to this notice please refer to the NIH GUIDE for February 5, 1993. Call 4-7266 to receive a copy of the complete program notices. Both of the following research programs are relatively broad in focus. Detail concerning the programs is too lengthy to quote here. It is suggested that interested faculty members read the program announcement(s) and then contact the appropriate institute directly.

DRUG USE AND ABUSE IN MINORITY AND UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS. PA Number: PA-93-46. National Institute on Drug Abuse.

PREVENTING ALCOHOL-RELATED PROBLEMS AMONG ETHNIC MINORITIES. PA Number: PA-93-47. National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism.

CALLING ALL ODK MEMBERS ON THE FACULTY -- We are in the preliminary phases of forming The Captain's Leadership Society as the first step in petitioning Omicron Delta Kappa, The National Leadership Honor Society, for a circle at Christopher Newport University. We need assistance from faculty who were formerly ODK members to serve as founding members of the local society. If you were a member, please let Douglas Gordon in English or Tisa Mason in Student Life know your name and ODK Circle affiliation as soon as possible.

Douglas Gordon, Dept. of English, 594-7370

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INSTRUCTIONAL EVALUATION SURVEYS -- This is a reminder that, consistent with the recommendation of the Faculty Senate, Instruction Evaluation Surveys (IES) will be administered this semester during the weeks of April 12 and April 19. Instructors should expect their IES packets to be delivered during the afternoon of April 9. Please discuss any exceptions well in advance with the appropriate dean(s).

When you receive the memorandum and labeled envelopes contained in this packet, please verify the envelope count. With few exceptions, every class being taught is scheduled for evaluation. Please contact me at extension 4-7933 if you have any questions, comments, or problems regarding the classes being evaluated, etc. Thank you.

Pat Harvey, Asst. to the Provost

FACULTY ACTIVITIES --

* Professors Anderson, Park and Colonna attended and participated in a conference entitled "Emerging Issues Forum of 1993" held at North Carolina State University in Raleigh, North Carolina. U. S. Secretary of Labor Robert B. Reich was the forum's keynote speaker. Secretary Reich's address was entitled "Strengthening America: New Economic Strategies."

* Dr. Jane M. Bailey, Assistant Professor of Education, served as a panelist for a discussion with Dr. Henry Rosovsky (of Harvard University) about his book, The University: An Owner's Manual. The panel discussion was one of a series of activities during the week of February 8, 1993, celebrating the tercentenary of the College of William and Mary.

In January, Dr. Bailey provided a workshop entitled "Nurturing Writing Talent in the Elementary School Classroom" at the Eastern Virginia Writing Project's winter conference.

* Head Track & Field Coach Vince Brown received the 1993 Walt Cormack Award for outstanding contributions to college track and field in Virginia.

The university grants office and

The National Endowment for the Humanities

announce the NEH's **SUMMER STUDY GRANTS FOR COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY TEACHERS.**

This program is ***designed for teachers who already have too much to do because they have too heavy a teaching work load.***

HUH????

The award is for \$3,000 to provide six consecutive weeks of full-time summer study. "The aim is to rekindle, through study of significant text and topics, the teacher's engagement (ed. note: could engagement mean commitment?) with the humanities...Intellectual renewal of the heavily engaged teacher is central to Study Grants."

Projects are self-designed and based on intensive study rather than publication (emphasis mine!). Course preparation or other responses to curricular demands fall outside (!)(emphasis added) the aims of Study Grants.

"Most undergraduate teachers are eligible." (This usually means the program is intensively competitive...and it probably is).

HOWEVER, NEH appears to be serious about their commitment to the humanities and overworked teachers. Application to this program is not hard. What you do need is an idea for research that is meaningful and to which you are committed.

DIRECT contact with the NEH program office is encouraged and authorized. Call or write: Study Grants, NEH, Room 316, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC. 20506 (Area Code: (202) 606-8463). [If you are too bashful come by the grants office and we will help you dial].

And best of all, right now you have LOTS of time. The deadline is August 16, 1993 for programs in the summer of 1994.

In responding, make reference to the NEH Study Grant Program (Summer).

SPRING 1993 ADMISSIONS AND ENROLLMENT REPORT

TOTAL ENROLLMENT: 4734 (UNCHANGED FROM SPRING 1992)

UNDERGRADUATE ENROLLMENT: 4638 (DOWN 1.6% FROM SPRING 1992)

FRESHMEN: 669
SOPHOMORES: 799
JUNIORS: 870
SENIORS: 1305
UNCLASSIFIEDS: 995

GRADUATE ENROLLMENT: 96 (UP 336% FROM 1992)

FULL-TIME STUDENTS: 2758 (UP 5.3%)
PART-TIME STUDENTS: 1976 (DOWN 6.6%)

VIRGINIANS: 4397 (UP 2.4%)
NON-VIRGINIANS: 337 (DOWN 23.4%)

MEN: 1969 (UP 2.2%)
WOMEN: 2765 (DOWN 1.6%)

FULL TIME EQUIVALENT STUDENTS (FTE): 3343 (UP 2.6%)

SPRING 1993 ADMISSIONS

TOTAL APPLICATIONS RECEIVED, EVALUATED AND PROCESSED: 1151 (UP 2.3%)

TOTAL NEW ENROLLEES: 852 (DOWN 2.9%)

NEW FRESHMEN: 54
NEW TRANSFERS: 324
NEW UNCLASSIFIEDS: 422
NEW GRADUATE STUDENTS: 52

TOTAL APPLICATIONS FOR ADMISSION RECEIVED, EVALUATED AND PROCESSED IN THE 1992-93 ACADEMIC YEAR: 4006 (UP 3.2%).

TOTAL NEW ADMITTEES ENROLLED IN CLASSES DURING THIS ACADEMIC YEAR: 2755 (DOWN 1.3%).

-- Keith F. McLoughland
Dean of Enrollment Services
February 1, 1993

Prayer Service

in observance of

ASH WEDNESDAY

February 24, Noon, CC 150



Everyone Invited

**Sponsored by
United Campus Ministries**

**Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of Lent,
a forty-day period Christians observe
to prepare for the celebration of Easter.**

The Service will last approximately 15 minutes.

