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Dean of Academic Affairs resigns post

By Kim Brady

Dr. Thomas Musial, Dean of Academic Affairs, regretfully submitted his resignation last week. After three years of service at Christopher Newport. Dean Musial, who has worked towards the improvement of academic programs and institutional organization, at CNC, made his decision for personal reasons. He hopes to be able to continue in his present position as Dean until June 30, 1977.

Governor cuts CNC budget

In a memorandum from President Windsor to the faculty of CNC, a report was given on the budget cut implemented by Governor Mills Godwin for the 1976-77 fiscal year. The 5% reversion of general fund revenue requested by Godwin has left Christopher Newport with \$114,810 for the coming year.

President Windsor says this cut "comes at an especially difficult time, for we had already reduced substantially various items in our budget in order to provide salary increases. In order to comply it will be necessary to reduce further, and drastically, funds for books, travel, educational equipment and other items.

In addition, the new VEPCO rate increase will cost the college an additional \$9,937 this year. I urge you to assist in reducing the amount of electricity consumed whenever possible."

Dr. Windsor cautioned that, "only emergency supplies and equipment shall be ordered until further noticed." He said that all orders will require the approval of the president. He concluded in saying that departmental budgets will be revised in approximately four weeks and the normal decision making process resumed.

Since coming to CNC, Dean Musial has been involved in various programs and projects for the benefit of the college and surrounding academic community. Included in these

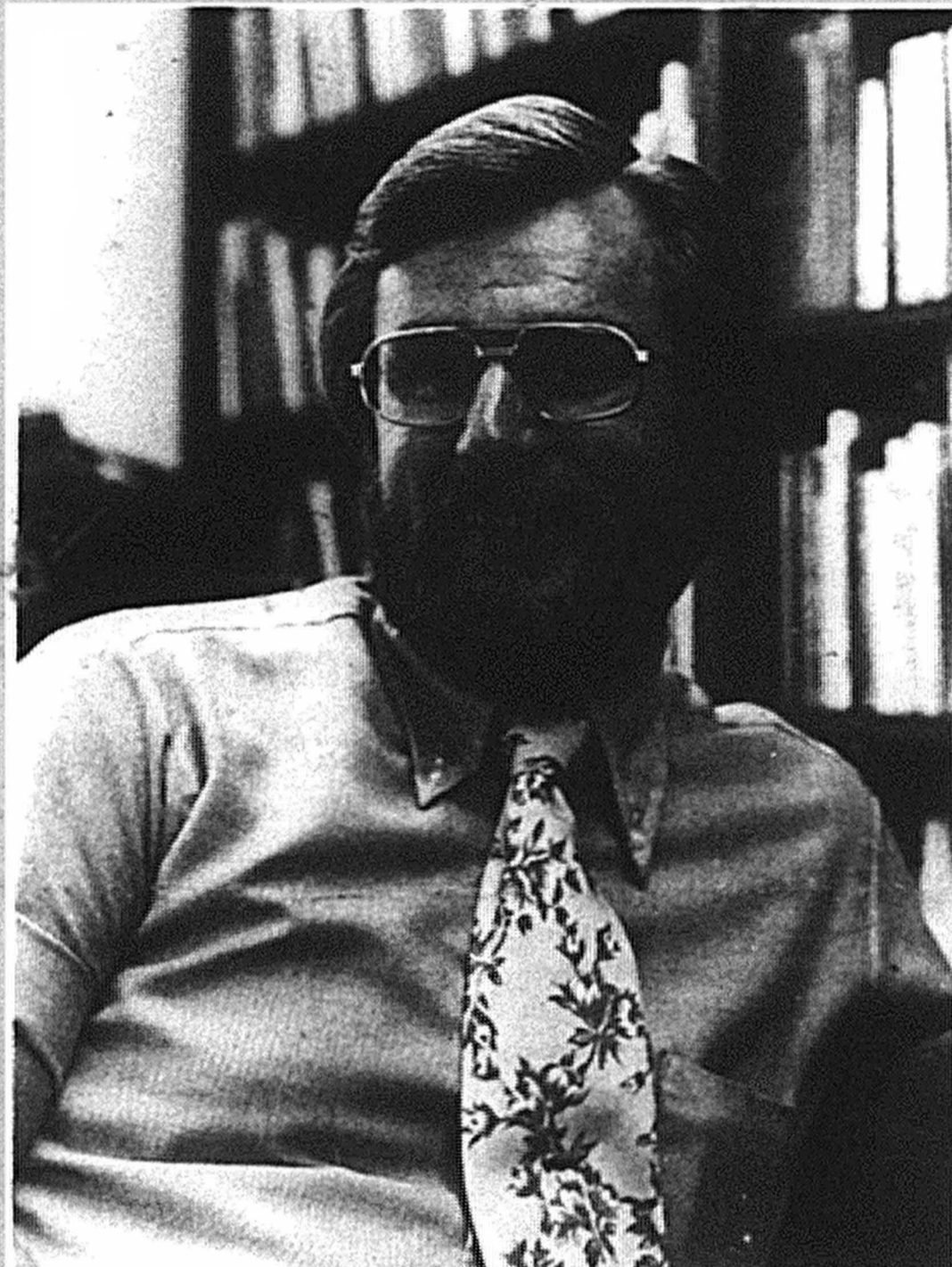


Photo by Kim Brady

Dr. Thomas Musial resigns as Dean of Academic Affairs.

projects are: Clarifying institutional aims and objectives; Developing curricular programs in areas of several traditional interdisciplinaries, a new interdisciplinary B.A. and B.S. degree and a variety of professional programs, especially in areas relating to the health fields; defining the academic organization to provide for more effective faculty self governance; Clarifying academic policies and writing a new faculty handbook on successful self study for the renewal of our accreditation; and the development of two Consortia programs involving eleven other colleges, universities and a medical school in Tidewater.

Other programs includes; the more extensive use of the office of institutional studies; An annual academic planning procedure on major committee assignments for the State Council for Higher Education; The development of College publications; and, the implementation of a strong affirmative action plan.

Dean Musial has no definite plans for the future as yet. For the remainder of this year he will begin to delegate some of his regular responsibilities to Associate Dean Edwards, "to assure an orderly transition in the Dean's office until a new dean is appointed".

What follows in Dean Musial's professional career is still uncertain. In the letter he sent to President Windsor announcing his resignation, he expressed his feelings about leaving CNC: "In many ways this is a difficult decision. For I enjoy the work of the Dean's office and I have a considerable fondness for Christopher Newport College and the many people who make up its corporate life."

President Windsor declares divisional structure ineffective

Last week President Windsor announced to the faculty that the present divisional structure, as implemented through division coordinators, and approved on a trial basis, was reviewed by the administration and faculty members and found to be ineffective.

Effective August 26, the position of Division Coordinator, as a released time, administrative position, will be considered non-functional.

The President said that Department Chairpersons will report directly to Dean Edwards.

President Windsor stated that during the first semester a more effective structure will be devised and discussed with the Board for implementation at the beginning of the second semester.

National immunization program undertaken

The National Influenza Immunization Program of 1976 presents a challenge of new proportions to the people of the United States.

The magnitude of this project in preventive medicine -- providing vaccine for more than 200 million Americans within a six-month period of time -- will take the talents and initiative of people everywhere.

What led to this effort? Essentially, these facts: In February 1976, a strain of human influenza, called "swine flu" and scientifically designated A/New Jersey/76 (HswNI), was isolated during an outbreak of respiratory disease among recruits at Ft. Dix, N.J. Twelve cases were confirmed, with one death. Blood testing of recruits indicated that several hundred more were infected. Since this was a major change from viruses currently circulat-

ing in the human population, and since such major changes have historically triggered world-wide epidemics (pandemics) of influenza, the potential for another pandemic was apparent to influenza experts.

The Public Health Service; the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; President Ford and the Congress, on the advice of panels of independent scientists, decided there was need for extraordinary measures.

As a result, the decision was made to prepare for a mass immunization program, gambling with the cost of such a program, rather than with the lives of people who might be facing a serious flu pandemic.

It will take the combined strength of governmental and private services, supported

by essential voluntary resources, to successfully complete this program.

Specifically, what can you do?

The first responsibility is to keep informed. Information on influenza is available through many offices of HEW, the Public Health Service and the Center for Disease Control in Atlanta.

You can volunteer assistance to local health departments in your communities. You can help inform the public by preparation and distribution of educational materials and other necessary papers for the administration of vaccine. You can assist in public information campaigns and in organization and coordination of volunteer committees.

Those with medical or public health experience can assist in actual administration of

the vaccine when immunization begins in early fall.

In short, there is a volunteer job to be done by anybody who wants to take part in this national public health effort. Literally hundreds of professional, voluntary and civic organizations are pledging their participation -- to spread the word and to take part in community immunization activities. Check with your local Public Health Authority which has the responsibility of coordinating the effort in your area.

To sum it up, the national influenza immunization program of 1976 is solidly based on scientific evidence and past experience with the disease. It is designed to protect every individual against a potentially serious health threat.

CNC Notices

Office of Veterans Affairs Moves To New Offices

Effective Friday, September 3, the Office of Veterans' Affairs will be situated in Trailer 4, occupying offices C, D, and E. The office, formerly in Room 111, Christopher Newport Hall, will also be extending its hours of operation, effective September 1, 1976. The new hours will be: 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Monday - Thursday and 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday.

The V.A. Representative has also changed his office hours, as a result of being assigned three extra schools. He will be available in the Office of Veterans' Affairs from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday and, at irregular intervals on Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Veterans are reminded to submit a course schedule card covering the Fall Semester. Certification to the Veterans Administration are based in part, on these course schedule cards.

For information concerning veterans and veteran-related legislation in Washington, please see the "Veterans Bulletin Board" in the main lobby of the Campus Center.

Outing Club to Hold Planning Meeting

The first meeting of the CNC Outing club will be held on Tuesday, August 31st, in room 229 of the Campus Center at 12:15. All interested students and previous members are invited. Plans will be discussed for the upcoming canoe trip in the fall and for a special get acquainted party for old and new members.

This year's faculty sponsor is Dr. Harold Cones, Assistant Professor of Biology.

Intramural Information

Flag Football is starting right away this year. We need to have your team's roster by noon Sept. 13. If you would like to play, but are not involved in clubs or other groups, get some friends together or come by the office & sign up on the Independent's team.

Karen Gleaton is Intramural Director this year & Eddie McSweeney is Assistant Director. Office hours will be posted on the bulletin board on our office door - room 201 upstairs in the Campus Center.

Volleyball Club

There will be a meeting in the Intramural Office at 12 noon on Wednesday September 1. All girls interested in playing volleyball please come to this organizational meeting. The Intramural Office is located upstairs in the Campus Center in room 201.

Veterans

Are you tired of having no organization to promote and represent your causes and views? Well, now you can do something about it!

A meeting has been set for September 3 at 12 noon in CC-233. the purpose of this meeting is to organize the Veterans Association of Christopher Newport College. Every veteran on the campus is urged to attend this important first meeting.

For further information or if you have any question, contact Mickey Mesic through the Dean of Student Affairs Office in the Campus Center.

SGA Club Fair Meeting

All SGA chartered organizations are requested to have a representative attend a meeting to be held on Wednesday, September 1st at 2:00 p.m. in the Board Room at the Campus Center. The meeting will pertain to the annual club fair, which is to be held on the 2nd and 3rd of September.

Bicentennial Designation

The American Revolution Bicentennial Administration has officially recognized Christopher Newport College for its participation in the bicentennial college and universities campus program. Our official bicentennial flag and certificate have been received. Bill Parks deserves our gratitude for providing effective leadership for this program on campus, and as Chairman of the Newport News Bicentennial Commission.

Faculty-Staff Parking Stickers

Because the 1975-76 vehicle registration stickers are undated, all faculty and staff who have registered their vehicles during the 1975-76 school year do not need to obtain new bumper stickers.



Students prepare for fall classes

Photo by Bruce Laubach
Jackie Martin (kneeling) and Pearl Whitaker purchase books in the Campus Bookstore during registration period.

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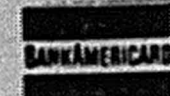
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Soccer team to meet Langley AFB in season's opening match

Christopher Newport's soccer team will begin the season's schedule against Langley AFB on Saturday, September 4, at 2:00 p.m. at the school. The opening game against Langley has become somewhat traditional for CNC. Both teams know and respect each other and it has always resulted in a very hard and even match.

CNC's season has seven home games to go along with seven away games. In addition to the well balanced Dixie Conference, including the newly appointed Averette College, the team will participate in the always tough Virginia Conference. For the first time this year CNC will meet Liberty Baptist College and a big power in soccer, Randolph Macon College. The skill level of soccer, as it has become more popular, is rising quickly and CNC's team is no exception. The new season promises to be more interesting as the

Captains will make the supreme effort to capture the Dixie Conference crown for the first time.

All home games will be played at the school campus directly behind Ratcliffe Gym.

If you are interested in becoming a member of the CNC Soccer team, see Coach Sneddon in Ratcliffe Gym Monday thru Thursday from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.



Editor's Note: Due to space limitations, Part II of The Honorable Ramsey Clarks' Commencement Speech could not be published in this issue. Please watch for the conclusion of this interesting address in our next issue.

People who have nothing to say are never at a loss in talking. - Shaw.

Classifieds

FREE ADS FOR CNC STUDENTS
(For three issues)

The non-student rate for classified ads is \$1.00 for four lines in four issues. Bring your ads to *The Captain's Log*, CC 225, or phone 599-7196.

Help Wanted

The following part-time and full-time jobs are available through the College Placement Office located in CC-205.

Part-Time Jobs - Babysitter, Teller, Stock Clerk, Companion, Doorman, Yardwork, Housework, Mail & Supply Clerk, Sales, Waitress, Instructor, Interviewer, Telephone Solicitor, Typist, Cashier, and Maintenance.

Full-Time Jobs - Sales Representative, Manager Trainee, Superintendent, Accountant, Price Clerk, Programmers,

Director of Adult Services (Special Education), Psychology Instructor, and English Instructor.

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Fall Orientation - An informative experience, relaxed, informal

By Brian Quass

The fall orientation for incoming CNC students proved to be very informative, and successful for all participants. Faculty humor and campus highlights which opened orienta-



Photo by Kim Brady
Outside luncheon highlighted Orientation.

tion were far from the steady stream of specifics I had expected from overzealous staffers. My surprise at the brevity of S.G.A. Vice-President Mike Coburn's remarks was exceeded only by that for Biology Professor Pugh's recitation of a decidedly original poetical work entitled "Speaking Academically".

The pleasing informality developed by the opening speeches was perpetuated by a passe' projector and a film which more than earned its billing as introductory. Dr. Windsor's welcomes, both filmed and live, were well taken and sincere.

Unconvinced, however, I went to group sessions, yet, I found no formal flow of campus life facts; discovering instead that the earlier spirit was now reversed. The introductory work was ours and the orientation was student to student. To the bewilderment of my grade school cynicism, this task was followed by a general discussion of student goals and purposes; a meaningful and/or enjoyable discussion for all participants.

Luncheon served by the S.G.A. Vice-President, and shared in the company of a school counselor, served to certify the morning's casual character. The afternoon's information fair and self guided campus tour provided successful self-orientation toward campus facilities, faculty and friend finding.

Orientation was a proven success when I consider the relaxed attitudes which made self-service an informative experience. The day was valuable as an orientation to an admirable atmosphere.

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