

CNC CHRONICLE

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ON CAMPUS THIS WEEK

- Tuesday - Free Business Seminar, with WAVY TV's Andy Fox, call 4-7158 for information
- Friday - Spring Daze, Noon - 7 p.m., CNC Lawn
- Friday/Sat - Spring Theatre Production, Prime of Miss Jean Brodie, 8:00 pm., Gaines Theater
- Sunday - Student Leadership Institute - Graduation, 1:00 p.m., campus center

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Alumni Telethon The Alumni Telethon will be held April 16-19 in the Registrar's Office. Training is from 6:15-7:00 p.m.; calling from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

All faculty, staff and administration are invited to participate and we need your support. Call Liz Bryant at 4-7712 to sign up.

Dance Concert Students of the Dance 395A class will present the Second Annual Dance Concert on Sunday April 29, 1990 at 8:00 p.m. in the John W. Gaines Theater. The presentation will be open to the public, and the admission will be free. There will also be a group of guest artists **Music in Motion** also dancing.

Have some information you'd like to share with the CNC community? Please submit your information in memo form to the Office of Public Relations before noon on Wednesday. Need information, call 594-7039.

Spring
Production

The CNC Theatre opened its spring production of The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie by Jap Allen (from the novel by Muriel Spark) on Friday, April 13, in the John W. Gaines Theater. Additional performances are scheduled for Friday, April 20 and Saturday, April 21 with curtain time at 8:00 p.m.

The play revolves around Jean Brodie, a vibrant and eccentric spinster-schoolmarm who blows gusts of fresh air into the stuffy atmosphere of a conservative finishing school for girls. Her influence on her "gels" (the play takes place in the early thirties in Edinburgh, Scotland) is lasting and profound though not necessarily always benign.

For information and reservations, call 594-7089.

--Submitted by Bruno Koch

CWSS

The Financial Aid Office has sent memos and request forms to department heads asking them to submit their requests for 1990-91 College Work Study Student workers.

If you have not received a memo yet, or if you have any questions, please contact Susan Glaude At 4-7151. Requests should be submitted to the Financial Aid Office by April 23. Late requests may not receive consideration.

--Submitted by Susan Glaude

Grants

For faculty interested in Canadian-U.S. research projects, the Canadian Studies Grant Program offer a variety of programs (with deadlines 6/15/90, 9/30/90 and 10/31/90).

The National Endowment for the Humanities have a program to support travel to consult research materials pertinent to scholarly work in the humanities. Application deadline is July 15, 1990 and funding limit is \$750.

The National Science Foundation's "Young Scholars Program" is again available. It funds projects to provide summer program in science, engineering and mathematics for high school students.

The National Science Foundation offers funding in the areas of Biological, Behavioral and Social Science; Computer and Information Science, Engineering; Geoscience; Mathematical and Physical Sciences; and Sciences and Engineering Education under their "Small Grants For Exploratory Research" program. Awards of

up to \$50,000 are made for preliminary work, new applications, multi-disciplinary work, etc.

For information, guidelines and applications, contact the Grants Office, 4-7266.

--Submitted by Julie Norman, Grants Director

Dean's
Colloquia
Presentation

The Dean William Parks Memorial Colloquia Committee is pleased to announce its final program of the academic year.

On Monday, April 23, at noon in A-105, Dr. Charles Wilson of the English Department will present a paper entitled "The Ante-Bellum Slave Narrative: Redefining the American Literary Canon."

Following his presentation, Dr. Wilson will be honored at a luncheon in the Banquet Room of the campus center. Members of the faculty and administration who wish to join the committee at this luncheon should forward \$5.00 to Jim Morris by Thursday, April 19 at the latest.

--Jim Morris, Chairmen
Dean's Colloquia Committee

FACULTY, STAFF, STUDENT NEWS

Faculty
News

Professor Elizabeth Jones gave a lecture tour on Saturday, March 31, on the subject of "Mythology in the National Gallery in Washington, D.C." The focal point of the tour was the newly cleaned and restored masterpiece of Giovanni Bellini, "The Feast of the Gods."

Guzin Armagan and Martin Buoncristiani delivered a paper titled "Spectroscopic Characterization of Dynamical Processes for Tm,Ho:YAG Lasers" at the Advanced Solid State Laser Conference in Utah. A co-author was Chris Edwards who received his BS degree from CNC in 1989.

Bruno Koch was interviewed Tuesday, April 10, by Sherri Brennen on WVEC-TV (Ch. 13) and by Dwight Davis on WHRO-FM. The subject of the interview was the spring theatre production of The Prime of Miss Jean Brodie.

Betty Anglin had a painting selected for the 30th Irene Leache Memorial Exhibition to be held May 13 through July 8 at the Chrysler Museum. The show was selected from work submitted by artists in Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina and the District of Columbia. Charles

Millard, former Chief Curator of the Hirshhorn Museum was the juror.

The January/February issue of CT News (Vol. 8, No. 3) has an article by John Hoaglund, "What Is an Argument for Informal Logic?" pp. 1, 5-8.

On April 2, John lectured on "A Concept of Argument for Critical Thinking" at the Center for the Reasoning Arts at the California State University, Sacramento. He led a colloquium on "The Role of Argument in Critical Thinking" on April 4 at San Jose State University.

On April 5, John read a paper "One View of Art Forgery: The Aesthetic Consequences" at the Annual Conference of the American Society for Aesthetics, Pacific Division, in the Asilomar Conference Center, Pacific Grove, California.

Jelane A. Kennedy made two presentations at the annual conference for the National Association of Women Deans, Administrators and Counselors (NAWDAC) in Nashville, Tennessee, March 21-24, 1990. The presentations were entitled "Piecing the Puzzle Together: Perspectives on Student Decision Making", and "From Awareness to Action: Lesbian/Gay Support Groups On-Campus".

Harold Cones, of the Dept. of Biology, Chemistry and Environmental Science has been selected as "Dr. Earth" by the 2WD radio station as their ambassador for Earth Day. He will continue to make appearances through April 22 to shed light on the most pressing environmental concerns in Hampton Roads.

Agenda for the Faculty Senate Meeting

2 p.m. April 20, 1990
CC-214 (USRY Board Room)

- I. Approval of Senate minutes of 3/30/90
- II. Officer's Reports
- III. Old Business
 - A. Committee Reports
 - B. Other
- IV. New Business
 - A. Committee Reports
 - B. Consideration of a motion in regard to the general education requirements of the curriculum
 - C. Consideration of a motion commending CNC's athletic program for its excellence
 - D. Consideration of an appropriate response to the VPAA's memo of March 18, 1990. (Previously distributed to faculty senators)
 - E. Consideration of the "3 Resolutions" contained in this Chronicle
 - F. Consideration of the motion regarding establishing a committee to examine the subject of tuition relief for family members of faculty (see this Chronicle)
 - G. Consideration of altering the faculty senate constitution to allow representation for the professional library faculty.
 - H. Other
 - I. Announcements
 - J. Adjourn

FACULTY SENATE
MINUTES
MARCH 30, 1990

PRESENT: Bartelt, Bauer, Cones, Dawson, Fellowes, Lopater, Mills, Pendergrass, Reppen, St. Onge, Saunders, Weber, Winter

I. Minutes of 2/23/90 approved.

II. Officers' Reports

A. Graduate Faculty role

1. President Fellowes reported that VPAA Summerville wants to discuss role of graduate faculty.
2. Bauer expressed concern about the implications of a separate graduate faculty
3. Fellowes appointed a committee consisting of Bartelt, Cones and Friedman to study and report back on the matter.

B. Communication between Senate and Faculty

1. Bauer indicated a need to improve.
2. It was noted that the Senate meetings are open to all faculty but that a perception existed that the meetings were closed.

III. Old Business

A. Committee Reports

1. Weber for the Nominations committee noted few faculty volunteered but he urged faculty to submit any requests for committee assignments.
2. Bartelt for the Senate Review Committee pointed out that a problem existed with the By Laws due to the fact that two Senators on the Review Committee were going off the Senate. A motion was passed to elect two new Senators to the Review Committee after the Faculty Meeting on April 27th.

IV. New Business

A. Committee Reports

1. Degrees Committee
 - a. It was moved and seconded that the report of the Degrees Committee in the Chronicle for March 26, 1990 be accepted. The motion passed.
2. Curriculum Committee
 - a. Lopater indicated that the report of the committee was in the campus mail.
 - b. It was decided to meet on April 6th to develop an agenda for the curriculum proposal.

B. Faculty Development Grant Committee

1. Bauer presented the committee's recommendations.
2. A motion was made and seconded to accept the report. The motion passed. (See the attached report.)

C. Motion on Restricted Appointments

1. It was moved and seconded that the following changes be made in paragraph B 2 b 5 Restricted Appointments of the College Handbook: In the first sentence substitute "five" for "two" and "six" for "three". The motion failed with a vote of 4 for, 9 against.

D. The following motion was made and seconded: "that the President of the Senate or as an alternate the Vice President of the Senate be authorized to sit as a non-voting member of meetings of the President - Vice Presidents as appropriate and on any committee dealing with the long and short range institutional academic and fiscal planning of the College." The motion passed unanimously.

E. Curriculum Committee proposal will be addressed at the April 6th meeting.

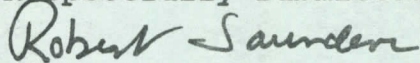
F. A motion to include Library staff on the Senate was tabled with the understanding that the proposal will be reconsidered at the regular April meeting of the Senate.

G. The VPAA's memo of March 18, 1990 will be discussed at the next Executive Committee meeting.

H. The President of the Senate will request from President Santoro a written statement of the College's Affirmative Action policy.

The meeting adjourned at 5:15.

Respectfully submitted,



Robert M. Saunders, secretary

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR DISTRIBUTION OF

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT FUNDS

SPRING 1990

The following recommendations for distribution of the remaining \$10,000 of the 1989-1990 academic year's faculty development funds appears below. Please note that the original total of \$25,000 was reduced to \$22,500 due to budget reversions. The information below simply summarizes requestor, purpose, amount requested and amount recommended by the sub-committee. If any members of the senate have specific questions the chairman of the sub-committee will be happy to explain the thinking of the sub-committee. Members of the sub-committee are Pendergrass, Weber and Bauer (Chairman).

Name	Purpose	\$Req.	\$Rec
Naka	give paper in Tucson	851.50	850
Colonna	board of eds. mtg	350.00	350
Booker	panelist - Costa Rica	700.00	500
Rowell	paper - Costa Rica	700.00	700
R. Hubbard	paper -Toronto	726.00	500
Healey	joint paper - Costa Rica	700.00	500
Pellet	joint paper - Costa Rica	700.00	500
Pellet	paper - Peru	750.00	0
Jenkins	in state presentation	322.00	325
Friedman	ICCE mtg - is officer	356.00	350
Brockett	Summer program	625.00	600
Stringfield	Graduate study	1668.00	0
Keeton	present paper	1176.00	0
Anglin	take class	653.00	0
Bartelt	paper in Hungary	1745.00	1000
Hibler *	paper presentation	985.00	985
Wilson	paper presentation	405.00	405
Sacks	presentation at convention	750.00	500
Smith	paper presentation	158.40	160
McCubbin *	paper presentation	1075.00	1000
McCubbin	course reduction	1600.00	0
Gailey	presentation at Salt Lake	810.00	400
Buoncristiani	travel to Soviet Union	1630.00	500
Earl	presentation in Belgium	1312.00	0

TOTAL RECOMMENDATION

\$ 10,125

* Award pendant on acceptance of paper

THREE RESOLUTIONS FOR CONSIDERATION

The Faculty Senate recommends that when the available funds for faculty salary increases fall below one percentage point above the national inflation rate, the evaluation for and award of merit salary increases be suspended, so that all possible funds, after the usual allowances for promotion, inequities etc., be included in the across-the-board component. This will have the effect of reducing the burden of inflationary pressures on salaries for the largest number of faculty members.

The Faculty Senate recommends, on the basis of the experience of administering the Instruction Evaluation Survey during the eleventh and twelfth week of the semester, that the Survey be administered as originally done, during the thirteenth and fourteenth week of instruction.

The Faculty Senate hereby requests that the President of the College provide the Senate with the following written statements of policies:

Policy on the recruitment of minority faculty members that represents an addendum or modification of the published Affirmative Action or EEO guidelines.

Policy or policies regarding the hiring of secretarial support personnel.

Policy regarding the privilege of secretaries and other college employees to take courses, either as free fringe benefits, or as paid courses. Hopefully such policy will address the issue of when such courses may be taken, and associated issues.

There seems to be much confusion as to the official positions of the College on these issues, and written clarification of these issues seems appropriate.

F. Samuel Bauer

The following changes in wording (new wording underlined) of the Faculty Senate Constitution would allow for representation of library faculty on the Faculty Senate without requiring handbook changes:

c. Membership

1) All members of the Instructional faculty having full-time contractual teaching appointments on probationary or tenured contracts and all professional library faculty are eligible to serve in the Faculty Senate.

2) The Faculty Senate shall consist of five at-large members from each school of the College, and one at-large member from the library.

faculty shall constitute a quorum at any meeting.

- f. No motion or resolution concerning the educational policies of the College shall be voted upon in a meeting unless it shall have been submitted in writing to the Chairman of the Instructional faculty and copies thereof sent by him to all members of the Instructional faculty in sufficient time to be included on the agenda. In emergency situations, this provision may be waived only by the unanimous consent of the members present.
- g. Except as otherwise provided for in this section, meetings shall be conducted in accordance with Robert's Rules of Order. At the request of any member of the Instructional faculty, a secret paper ballot shall be taken on any motion before the body. The Chairman of the Instructional faculty shall appoint a parliamentarian to advise him/her on matters dealing with the conduct of the business of the Instructional faculty. Questions of interpretation will be decided by the Chairman of the Instructional faculty in consultation with the Parliamentarian.

5. The Faculty Senate: Constitution

a. Name

The name of this body shall be the Faculty Senate of Christopher Newport College.

b. Purpose

The faculty of the College, by virtue of their particular competence and the principle of collegiality, are essential participants in the development and implementation of academic policy. The Faculty Senate is a representative body of the faculty, deriving its authority from the Instructional faculty. As such, it shall exercise the authority of the Instructional faculty with respect to policy on academic matters and the professional affairs of the faculty, and perform such other functions as are delegated to it by the Instructional faculty of the College. Specifically, the Faculty Senate shall represent the Instructional faculty in recommending policies to the President and to other appropriate individuals and bodies on: academic requirements; academic standards for admission and retention; curriculum; grades and academic credit; faculty development; personnel policies, standards for retention, promotion, tenure, and merit; institutional planning, and all other concerns which affect the welfare of the college.

c. Membership

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- 2) The Faculty Senate shall consist of five at-large members from each school of the College. Members shall be nominated

Whereas, many State and private institutions in this and other states provide tuition relief for spouses and children of their school faculty, and

Whereas, the number of benefits available to the Christopher Newport College faculty are limited, and

Whereas, many faculty display their confidence in the educational experiences to be had at CNC by sending their spouses and children to CNC,

Be it therefore resolved that a committee composed of the VPFA, the VPAA, the Comptroller, and two faculty senators be established to determine the feasibility of offering a 50% tuition reduction to the spouses and children of CNC faculty, and

Be it further resolved that this committee report to the Faculty Senate no later than 1 July 1990.