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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The return to classes highlights the month of January at Morehead State University.

Orientation for freshmen and transfer students and registration for students who have not pre-registered for the spring semester is scheduled Jan. 12.

Registration for pre-registered students is scheduled in the Laughlin Health Building Jan. 13 and 14. Classes begin on Thursday, Jan. 15.

A "Best of '80" art exhibit opens Jan. 12 in the Claypool-Young Art Gallery. The exhibit is open during regular hours until Jan. 30.

Concerts and recitals during the month include Diana Duffin's piano recital Jan. 15; MSU Percussion Ensemble Concert, Jan. 21; Sarah Damron Brown piano recital, Jan. 21; and Rebecca Shockley piano recital, Jan. 29. All programs, free and open to the public, begin at 8:15 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall.

The Rev. Arthur Langford, Jr., will present "Martin Luther King, Jr. A Portrait" as part of MSU's Concert and Lecture Series. The 8 p.m. program in Button Auditorium is free and open to the public. The program is scheduled Jan. 22.

Sports scheduled during January include basketball with the Eagles hosting Akron, Jan. 15; Middle Tennessee, Jan. 29; and Western Kentucky, Jan. 31. The Lady Eagles host Bellarmine, Jan. 28; Ohio University, Jan. 29; and Western Kentucky, Jan. 31.

Indoor track competition begins Jan. 17 with the Men's MSU Invitational and continues with the Spanky Classic Jan. 31 and the women host West Virginia, Louisville and East Tennessee, Jan. 24. All meets are in the Richardson Arena.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- A special exhibition and sale of original oriental art is scheduled at Morehead State University on Wednesday, Jan. 14.

The exhibit and sale featuring pieces from Japan, China, India, Tibet, Nepal and Thailand, is scheduled in MSU's Claypool-Young Art Building from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m.

The oldest prints date back to the 18th and 19th Century and include Chinese woodcuts, Indian miniature paintings and manuscripts. Modern pieces include a large group of original woodcuts, etchings, lithographs, serigraphs and mezzotints.

A representative of Marson Ltd. of Baltimore, Md. will be present to answer questions about the works, artists and the various graphic techniques employed.

Prints are shown in open portfolios in an informal atmosphere.

Marson Ltd. specializes in arranging exhibitions and sales of original oriental art at colleges, universities and museums throughout the United States.

Additional information concerning the public exhibition and sale is available from Dr. Bill Booth, Head, Department of Art, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606-783-3232.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University has established a memorial scholarship fund in honor of the late Dr. Ottis Murphy of Wellington, Menifee County.

A member of the MSU faculty from 1968 until his retirement in 1978, Dr. Murphy also taught in the Morgan County Schools and at the University of Kentucky. He died in late December.

Gifts to the Dr. Ottis Murphy Memorial Scholarship Fund should be made payable to the MSU Foundation, Inc., and forwarded to the MSU Office of Development, UPO Box 1000, Morehead, KY 40351.

The scholarship fund will provide aid to deserving students from Eastern Kentucky who attend MSU, as requested by the Murphy family.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University will present three guest musicians' recitals beginning on Thursday, Jan. 15.

The three piano programs begin at 8:15 p.m. each evening in Duncan Recital Hall and are free and open to the public.

Recitals scheduled include:

* Thursday, Jan. 15 --- Diana Duffin, member of the Pikeville College faculty.

* Wednesday, Jan. 21 --- Sarah Brown Damron, doctoral student at Boston University and MSU graduate.

* Thursday, Jan. 29 --- Rebecca Shockley, member of the Eastern Kentucky University faculty.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University President Morris L. Norfleet was authorized by the MSU Board of Regents Friday to seek emergency state funds to repair the University's electrical system which was damaged by an explosion and fire on Dec. 21.

The incident also temporarily interrupted heat to most campus buildings, resulting in damage to water pipes.

Norfleet told the Regents that approximately one-fourth of the electrical capacity had been restored but final repair would be delayed until new switching equipment is installed.

The facility which was the scene of the explosion, a switchgear house, was to be replaced in March.

He added that the University's insurance did not cover the loss and, coupled with the current financial squeeze in state government, the University was forced to seek funds from the state's emergency repair, maintenance and replacement fund.

Detailed damage figures will not be available until next week.

In other action, the Regents:

- * Approved a five-year plan for computing services.
- * Reorganized the School of Education from six departments to five.
- * Accepted a three-year plan for educational fund raising from private sources.

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* Okayed a revised budget for 1980-81 reflecting a state-mandated \$1.4 million reduction in expenditures.

* Adopted a revised academic calendar for 1981, including elimination of the two-week May intersession from the summer schedule.

* Approved a cooperative agreement between MSU and the Warsaw Agricultural University of Poland.

* Received notice of accreditation from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Elimination of the two-week Intersession in May has been approved by Morehead State University's Board of Regents.

Other changes in MSU's academic calendar include:

* Opening of Summer I on May 26 instead of June 1 and closing the term on June 30 instead of July 3.

* Scheduling of summer commencement on Aug. 7 instead of Aug. 14.

* Opening of the fall semester on Aug. 24 instead of Aug. 17 and closing of the term on Dec. 19 instead of Dec. 12.

* Adoption of a four-day instructional week for each summer term with Fridays reserved for library and field assignments.

Intersession was recommended for elimination because of declining popularity over the last three years, the Regents were told.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Temporary repairs to electrical switching equipment and a program of conserving electricity have enabled Morehead State University to begin spring semester classes Thursday morning on schedule.

MSU President Morris L. Norfleet said Wednesday that the University intends to maintain its original academic calendar which calls for the spring term to end May 9.

"Our students and faculty and staff have demonstrated a splendid spirit of cooperation in handling this inconvenient situation and, as a result, we anticipate little impact on normal operations," Dr. Norfleet stated.

The University's electrical system was damaged by an explosion and fire on Dec. 21 which also interrupted heat to most classroom and office buildings and three of MSU's 15 dormitories. All utilities were restored within five days of the incident.

Dr. Norfleet also announced Wednesday that State Finance Secretary George L. Atkins has approved emergency purchase authority for the University to proceed with permanent repairs.

Damage has been estimated at \$95,000 and the University's Board of Regents authorized Norfleet last Friday to seek emergency funds from the state to cover the loss. The University's formal request for the money is expected to be presented to Atkins this week.

"We hope to have everything completely back to normal by the end of February," Dr. Norfleet added. "Meanwhile, I wish to emphasize that there is no danger to anyone as a result of these electrical problems and we are proceeding with the spring semester as scheduled."

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is getting ready for the 1981 spring semester with the arrival of students to begin Saturday, Jan. 10.

Men and women residence halls will open at 1 p.m. on Saturday.

Registration for the spring semester is scheduled Jan. 12-14. beginning at 8 a.m. each day in the Laughlin Health Building.

Seniors and pre-registered graduate students will register from 8 a.m. until 11 a.m. with pre-registered juniors and sophomores registering from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 12.

Pre-registered freshmen will register from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 13 and all students that have not registered will enroll from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 14.

Classes will begin at 8 a.m. on Thursday, Jan. 15. The last day to register for a full class load is Monday, Jan. 19 and the last day to register for credit is Monday, Jan. 26.

Part-time students wishing to enroll in evening classes at MSU will register from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. at the Laughlin Health Building Jan. 12 and 13.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Belly dancing classes are now being taught at Morehead State University each Wednesday night.

Interested persons can still register through the Morehead Rowan County Community Education Program by calling 784-8929.

Classes for beginners will be held from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. and classes for intermediates will be from 7:15 p.m. until 8:15 p.m.

The 10-week program is being held in the Mirror Room of the Laughlin Health Building.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. -2- Three Morehead State University faculty members have been selected to appear on the program of the College Reading Improvement Special Interest Group of the International Reading Association during its 1981 conference April 28 in New Orleans.

A panel discussion presentation by Randy Overbeck, adjunct professor in MSU's elementary education developmental reading program, is entitled "Toward an Exemplary College Reading Program: Building It, Operating It, Selling It."

During the presentation, Overbeck will speak on "Individual Student Based Instruction System: Assisting Students' Needs and Providing Strategies to Remediate Them."

Overbeck is currently a doctoral student in the MSU-University of Kentucky joint doctoral program.

Also appearing will be Dr. William Hampton, professor of education at MSU. The panel will be chaired by Albert Kingston of the University of Georgia.

Hampton will address "The Practical Operation of the Developmental Reading Center at the College Level: From Past Trial and Error to Present Success" and "Selling Developmental Education Programs to Administration, Faculty and Students."

Dr. Katherine Herzog, assistant professor of education at MSU, will take part in a symposium at the conference. She will be holding a seminar for the Migratory Children and Reading Committee.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University will host a reception for Louisville area high school students and their parents at the Executive Inn East in Louisville on Wednesday, Feb. 11.

MSU representatives from various academic programs and extracurricular activities will be on hand to answer questions and discuss the University's programs.

The reception is scheduled from 7 p.m. until 10 p.m.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Sports, music and a visit by Vincent Price highlight the month of February at Morehead State University.

Basketball will be plentiful on the MSU campus with the Eagles and Lady Eagles hosting league contenders and non-conference foes at Wetherby Gym.

The Lady Eagles will host Campbellsville, Feb. 7, 7:30 p.m.; University of Louisville, Feb. 10, 7:30 p.m.; Marshall, Feb. 12, 5 p.m.; Northern Kentucky University, Feb. 14, 7:30 p.m.; Eastern Kentucky University, Feb. 19, 5 p.m.; and the University of Kentucky for the final MSU home appearance of the season Feb. 21, 5 p.m.

The Eagles will host Tennessee Tech, Feb. 12; Eastern Kentucky, Feb. 19; and close the home season against East Tennessee State, Feb. 21. All men's games begin at 7:30 p.m.

Other sporting events scheduled during the month include a men's indoor track meet Feb. 14 and a women's indoor track meet Feb. 28. Both meets begin at 11 a.m. at Richardson Arena.

Musical programs scheduled include Bel Canto Trio Concert, Feb. 5; Larry Keenan and Karl Payne, faculty piano recital, Feb. 24; "Musikspaznacht" Concert, Feb. 26. All programs begin at 8:15 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall and are free and open to the public.

There will also be competition in the 1981 Kentucky Music Educators Association instrumental solos and ensembles; Feb. 6; Band Clinic, Feb. 19-22; MSU Symphony Band Concert, Feb. 20, 8:30 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall; regional drama festival, Feb. 21; regional junior high speech festival, Feb. 27; and a Country Dance Musicians Weekend, Feb. 27 and 28.

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Vincent Price, the famous villain in movies and on radio and television, will present a free public program entitled "The Villain Still Pursues Me" as part of MSU's Concert and Lecture Series. The Feb. 19 program begins at 10:20 a.m. in Button Auditorium and is free and open to the public.

"Ondine" will open the spring theatre season at MSU with performances Feb. 20, 21, 26, 27, 28 in Kibbey Theatre beginning at 8 p.m. each evening.

The Birmingham Childrens Theatre will present "Alice's Adventures in Wonderland" at 11 a.m. in Reed Auditorium. The Feb. 21 program is part of the Arts in Morehead series.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Itemize, short form, deductions and amount refunded are all part of income tax time that Eastern Kentuckians are now facing.

To better understand the income tax process, Morehead State University is offering a program entitled "Your Federal Income Tax" for interested groups and individuals beginning Feb. 3.

The program, one of five scheduled Professional Development Programs, will meet at MSU's Appalachian Development Center on four consecutive Tuesdays from 6:45 p.m. until 9 p.m. each evening.

Instructor will be John Osborne, associate professor of accounting at MSU.

Additional information on the program, sponsored by MSU's Department of Communications and Appalachian Development Center, is available from Dr. Stacy Myers, Department of Communications, MSU, 606/783-5165 or from the ADC at 606/783-4731.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. -- Dr. John R. Duncan, professor of education at Morehead State University, has been elected to a three-year term on the MSU Board of Regents.

A former administrator who returned to full-time classroom duties in 1978, Dr. Duncan defeated five other persons to gain the faculty seat on the board. He succeeds Dr. Charles J. Pelfrey, professor of English.

Dr. Duncan, 42, holds bachelor's and master's degrees from Morehead State and a doctorate from Indiana University. He has additional graduate study at Miami University and Purdue University.

A former high school teacher, Dr. Duncan joined MSU's sociology faculty in 1964 and became director of admissions in 1967. He advanced to dean of graduate programs in 1968 and served from 1975 to 1978 as MSU's vice president for academic affairs.

The new Regent will assume his seat at the board's next meeting. He becomes the fourth faculty member to serve on the MSU board since the faculty representative's position was established by the General Assembly in 1968.

Dr. Duncan is married to the former Gretta Brown of Sandy Hook, an assistant professor of education at MSU. They have a daughter, Laura Lee.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University, in conjunction with the Kentucky Council on Economic Education, has presented 13 Eastern Kentucky public school teachers with tuition scholarships.

The scholarships awarded are for a course in economic education for teachers offered at MSU this spring.

Participants in the weekly course receive graduate credit toward Rank I.

Scholarship recipients include:

Marvin Burton, West Liberty; Betty A. Crawford, Clearfield; Sandra Gilliam, Sandy Hook; Michael R. Lacy, White Oak; Jean Roe, Grahn; and Gayle W. Kiger, Penny Nolen, Patty Carroll, Malinda Fitch, Janice Harris, Larry McKenzie, Nancy McKenzie and Kathleen Mullins, all of Olive Hill.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- "Academically sound" is how Morehead State University's academic vice president describes the outcome of recent national accreditation evaluations of MSU.

As a result of positive reports from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) and the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE), the total academic program at MSU is sound, according to Dr. William F. White, vice president for academic affairs.

The reports are the culmination of more than two years of work by MSU faculty and administrators who made a complete self-study of the University as part of the periodic accreditation process.

"These reports are valuable to the faculty," said Dr. Dan Thomas, associate professor of education and co-chairman of the MSU NCATE study team. "This type of study allows our faculty to get involved and take an in-depth look at what they are doing. It then gives the University something to go by in making positive changes necessary in our programs."

The NCATE study focused on teacher training, including the preparation of faculty in relation to courses taught, faculty with terminal degrees, faculty teaching in their field of expertise, consistency in course objectives, input from faculty, students and the community as well as whether the curriculum information is relevant to different cultures.

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"Most of our shortcomings as defined by the NCATE study team had already been discovered during our own study and were in the process of being improved by the time the visitation team arrived on campus," said Dr. Leonard Burkett, professor of education and co-chairman of MSU's NCATE study team. "All of our programs at MSU were accredited or re-accredited and we are very pleased with the results of the NCATE study."

The entire University was under self-study in the SACS accreditation and Dr. Steve Taylor, co-chairman of MSU's SACS study team, stated that the University is in healthy condition, according to the SACS standards.

The SACS study team outlined several strengths at the University, noting the physical plant, library facilities, physical resources and ^{ou}the number of faculty holding terminal degrees.

"The set of standards outlined by our colleagues and peers in higher education for universities and colleges to meet in accreditation studies serve as a yardstick for institutions to measure themselves by," said Dr. Thomas.

"The study never really ends," added Dr. Taylor, referring to the continuous study, change and revision of the University's curriculum and operations.

The SACS and NCATE accreditations are good for 10 years with a review after five years.

In addition to the two major evaluations, MSU also has been successful this year in obtaining SACS reaccreditation of University Breckinridge School.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- In an effort to help Eastern Kentuckians know more about their history and heritage, Dr. James Gifford, coordinator of Appalachian Studies at Morehead State University, recently submitted a proposal to the Ethnic Heritage Studies Program which would provide material for Appalachian studies programs throughout Eastern Kentucky.

The Ethnic Heritage Studies Program is a federal agency that provides funds for educational projects designed to give students opportunities to learn about their own heritage and culture.

The proposed project, constructed around the production and distribution of a book entitled "Mountain People: Biographical Sketches of the Men and Women of Appalachian Kentucky, 1767--1981" will, according to Gifford, "focus on the unique culture of Appalachian Kentucky and the contributions that Kentucky's mountain people have made to their region, state and nation."

MSU President Morris Norfleet said if the project is funded, "copies of 'Mountain People' will be distributed to every secondary and post-secondary school in Appalachian Kentucky."

The book will consist of 50 biographical sketches to be written by MSU faculty and staff and other regional writers. Recommendations from the people of Eastern Kentucky concerning mountain people who have made significant contributions and who appear worthy of consideration for inclusion in the book will provide the primary basis for the selection process.

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Very little work, according to Gifford, has been done to record the major contributions that Eastern Kentuckians have made to society in the fields of education, medicine, science, industry, art and politics.

Additional information is available from Dr. James Gifford, coordinator, Appalachian Studies Program, Appalachian Development Center, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351, or by calling 606/783-4731.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University classes will be dismissed and offices closed for Washington's Birthday on Monday, Feb. 16.

Offices will reopen and classes resume at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 17.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Two Morehead State University faculty members and a student will be featured in a pair of musical programs scheduled in Duncan Recital Hall on Feb. 24 and 25.

Larry Keenan and Karl Payne, associate professors of music at MSU, will present a faculty piano recital on Tuesday at 8:15 p.m.

The program will include Shostakovich's "Concerto No. 2," Ravel's "Left Hand Concerto" and Saint-Saens' two piano composition "Carnival of the Animals."

Paul Walton, Louisville senior at MSU, will present a guitar program on Wednesday at 8:15 p.m.

The performance will feature the works of Charlie Parker, Keith Jarrett, Wes Montgomery, Bill Evans, Johnny Mandel and Bach. Walton will be accompanied by Ron Hartman, Eric Middleton and Dave Kazee of MSU.

Both programs are free and open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University has initiated several programs in recent years to become a leader in coal industry training, education, service and research.

Located between Lexington and Ashland on Interstate 64, MSU is the regional university for most of the great Eastern Kentucky coalfield.

The University's commitment to coal began in the early 1970's when Dr. David Hylbert, a geologist and professor of geoscience, in conjunction with the U.S. Bureau of Mines, began a research project on coal mine roof conditions. As a result of Dr. Hylbert's efforts, MSU has expanded its coal-related efforts into training, education, and service, as well as research.

The training and education component includes an associate degree in mining technology. This academic program currently enrolls more than 100 students. The program recently expanded to Ashland and plans are underway to include other centers in Eastern Kentucky. Many of the mining technology students are involved in cooperative education programs with various coal companies. More than 70 persons have graduated from the program.

The University also offers an associate degree in reclamation technology. This program is housed in the Department of Agriculture which presently is conducting research into use of fruit trees and other agricultural products on reclaimed sites.

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MSU's School of Sciences and Mathematics offers a pre-engineering program which enables future mining engineering students to transfer to a mining engineering school. Morehead State also has a mining engineering cooperative agreement program with the University of Kentucky.

The Appalachian Development Center, MSU's service agency, has held two coal conferences on campus this year and also has produced two coal films that are available to the public. The ADC is presently studying use of surface mined land.

Industry has supported the efforts of the University. For instance, a gift from Ashland Oil, Inc., was used to finance MSU's new Energy Research Laboratory, located on campus. The lab is used by mining technology students to perform coal analysis tests and also will be used for various energy research projects.

Eastover Mining Co. of Brookside donated a Lee-Norse 265 continuous miner that is used by MSU's mining technology students in mine equipment classes. Mineral Laboratories, Inc. of Salyersville donated geoscience laboratory equipment to MSU's Department of Physical Sciences.

The School of Business and Economics has performed studies in coal mine productivity and works closely with the mining technology program. Many MSU graduates eventually will become managers in various aspects of the coal industry.

The mining technology program also offers several seminars throughout the year as part of the "Seminar-Six for the Coal Industry, 1980-81."

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Morehead State University is interested in expanding its service to the region. A company or school or other organization desiring training, lectures, research projects or seminars is invited to contact Forrest Cameron, Coordinator, Mining Technology Program, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY 40351.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The Morehead Art Students League will present four art films on Wednesday, Feb. 11, in the Claypool-Young Art Building.

The films include "Christo's Running Fence," "Wayne Thieband-Painter," "Peter Voulker-Sculptor," and "Ben Shahn-Painter."

Additional information is available from Robert Franzini, assistant professor of art at MSU, at 606/783-3209.

The program is free and open to the public.

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KEEPING IT STRAIGHT --- Herb Gibbs, Olive Hill senior at Morehead State University, keeps a steady hand and a watchful eye on his cutting during a recent industrial arts lab at MSU. The students learn the operation and use of various industrial arts equipment with safety in the use and operation emphasized.

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KEEPING SHARP --- Mike Sexton, Ezel sophomore, takes his time and keeps a keen eye on his work of sharpening a saw blade during a recent industrial arts lab at MSU. The students are taught the operation and use of various industrial arts equipment with safety in the operation and use of the equipment emphasized.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Phil Woods and his quartet will be guest performers at Morehead State University's "Jazz Clinic '81" March 2 and 3.

The Phil Woods Quartet, which emphasizes jazz with a mellow un-amplified, acoustical sound, will perform at 8 p.m. in Button Auditorium on Monday, March 2.

Members of the Quartet will also be conducting instrumental clinics on Monday including: saxophone with Phil Woods; bass with Steve Gilmore; and drums with Bill Goodwin.

"Jazz Clinic '81" will also feature performances by MSU's own Jazz Ensembles I and II, Jazz Vocal Ensemble and the Jazz Faculty Sextet, as well as presentations by regional high school jazz ensembles.

The Phil Woods concert is open to the public with tickets at \$5 per person. MSU students with a valid ID will be admitted free.

Registration for the clinic begins at 8 a.m. March 2 in the Baird Music Hall.

Additional information is available from Dave Anderson, assistant professor of music at MSU and clinic coordinator, MSU, UPO 719, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606/783-3244.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Individual Events Speech Team has become a force to be reckoned with on the individual events circuit.

MSU's team captured second place in the recent 14-team Ohio University Individual Events Tournament and increased the total number of awards won this year to 108, the highest number of awards ever won by MSU teams.

MSU's individual results include Rachel Holloway, Morehead sophomore, 1st Informative Speaking, 3rd Persuasion, 3rd Extemporaneous Speaking, 5th Salesmanship and 4th in Pentathlon; Todd Hensley, Independence junior, 1st Rhetorical Criticism, 3rd Poetry Interpretation, 5th Pentathlon; Belinda Stamboug, Salyersville junior, 4th After Dinner Speaking, 5th Informative Speaking; Nanci Gabbard, Ft. Thomas junior, 4th Rhetorical Criticism, 5th Poetry Interpretation; Shari Stephens, Amelia, Ohio senior, 5th Rhetorical Criticism; Donna Totich, Morehead junior, 3rd Salesmanship; and Sally Ray, Frankfort senior, 6th Poetry Interpretation.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Appalachian Development Center and the Small Business Administration are jointly sponsoring a workshop entitled "Advertising: A Key to Increased Sales" on Tuesday, March 3.

Designed to aid individuals and businesses in coping with the ever-changing world of advertising, the workshop will present information on technical procedures necessary to the development of a basic advertising program.

The workshop, scheduled in the Adron Doran University Center from 6:30 p.m. until 9 p.m., will also provide participants direct access to the expertise of individuals experienced in the advertising field. A question and answer session will allow participants to have specific questions answered by the professionals.

There is a \$10 registration fee for all workshop materials, instructor's fees and refreshments with enrollment limited to 30 participants chosen on a first-come, first-served basis.

Advanced reservations and additional information is available from Robert Justice, small business coordinator at the ADC, at 606/783-4731.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Seven Morehead State University faculty members have received faculty fellowships for the 1981 spring semester.

The educators, their fields and the projects they are undertaking include:

*Dr. Richard L. Hunt, associate professor of chemistry, "Improving Instruction in the Beginning Chemistry Courses."

*Dr. Rodger Hammons, associate professor of mathematics, "Development for an Interactive Computer Assisted Instruction Program for Assessment and Remediation of Basic Math Skills for Students in Math 160."

*Dr. Fran Helphinstine, associate professor of english, "Development of Alternative Language Vocabulary Units."

*Drs. Judy and Glenn Rogers, professors of english, "Resources for Writing: A Basic English Reader."

*Dr. Sharon Wolf, assistant professor of psychology, "Efforts of Active Participation in Psychological Research on Students' Attitudes, Motivation, and Mastery of Subject Matter."

*Dr. Frank Osborné, professor of psychology, "Student Involvement in Psychological Research as a Means of Improving Academic Achievement."

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Tips on saving money and conserving energy for Eastern Kentucky businesses are the primary aims of the Energy Management Assistance Program at Morehead State University.

Various types of energy audits are available to industrial and commercial businesses upon request and at no cost.

According to Suzanne Theis, coordinator of the program, more than 300 energy audits of businesses in the 22-county area being served by the program have already been made with the audits resulting in savings of 30 to 40 percent of electrical cost alone for the businesses.

Theis explained the audits may range from a simple self-help or assistance-type energy audit consisting of a check-list energy survey, to a walk-through audit, or to a more detailed audit which may require engineering personnel to make a thorough six-week study.

Theis pointed out that energy saving recommendations have been made to various businesses including pharmacies, banks, clothiers, motels, warehouses and other retailers and wholesalers. She added that follow-up audits are also available.

The program, sponsored by MSU's School of Applied Sciences and Technology and the Kentucky Department of Energy, is being brought to the attention of business people through civic group talks, workshops and seminars. Theis said the presentations used for encouraging energy efficiency usage may be determined by similar interests of a community's businesses.

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"Energy and cost consciousness is important for the future as well as for the present," Theis said, stressing the need for more business participation.

Counties served by the MSU energy program include Bath, Boyd, Breathitt, Carter, Elliott, Fleming, Floyd, Greenup, Johnson, Knott, Lawrence, Letcher, Lewis, Magoffin, Martín, Mason, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan, Pike, Rowan and Wolfe.

Additional information is available from Suzanne Theis, program coordinator, Energy Management Assistance Program, MSU, UPO 1205, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606/783-3829 or 606/783-3231.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Scott Pittsenbarger, Versailles senior at Morehead State University, has been elected president of the University Chorus for 1981.

Other officers include, Keith Cordle, Ashland freshman, vice-president; Stephanie Rice, Hawesville senior, secretary; and Todd Spangler, Middlesboro sophomore, treasurer.

The University Chorus is directed by Vasile Venettozzi, associate professor of music at MSU, and will present a spring concert on April 23.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Seven Morehead State University coeds will be vying for the 1981 Army ROTC Military Ball Queen crown at MSU's 13th Annual Military Ball on Friday, Feb. 27.

The queen coronation will highlight the traditional formal event scheduled in the Adron Doran University Center beginning at 8 p.m.

Queen candidates include:

- * Paula R. Lewis, Sciotoville, Ohio freshman office management major.
- * Pam Harris, Würtland freshman para-legal research major and journalism minor.
- * Robin Hamm, Vanceburg freshman biology major and chemistry minor.
- * Tammy Griffith, Somerset senior history major and recreation minor.
- * Linda Thacker, Mouthcard sophomore art major.
- * Jacqui Williams, Edgewood sophomore mathematics major and integrated science minor.
- * Diane Adcock, Carrollton sophomore mathematics major and data processing minor.

Additional details and ticket information is available from Capt. Jay Troy, assistant professor of military science at MSU, at 606-783-3251.

The Military Ball is open to all MSU military science students and the general public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University and Rowan County residents are gearing up for the "1981 Great Clean-Up" with a kick-off meeting on Thursday, Feb. 26.

The cooperative effort, sponsored by MSU's Appalachian Development Center and Environmental Studies Club, will wage war against roadside litter, illegal dump sites and unsightly surroundings in Rowan County.

"We encourage everyone to participate in this year's clean-up," says Shirley Hamilton, coordinator of community services at MSU's ADC. "After all, the county's residents will benefit from the beautification and litter-free maintenance that will result from this project."

The kick-off meeting is scheduled in the Adron Doran University Center beginning at 2 p.m. with the "Great Clean-Up" scheduled for Saturday, March 28.

Cathi Kise, president of MSU's Environmental Studies Club added that "citizens who participate in the project develop pride in their community."

Additional information on the "Great Clean-Up" project is available from Shirley Hamilton, MSU, ADC, at 783-4731.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Sylvia D. Gallagher, Stanford senior at Morehead State University, has been elected president of the MSU Geology Club, Mu Gamma Sigma, for the 1981 spring semester.

The new president is a geology major.

Other officers elected include:

* Rebecca Stamper, Campton senior and environmental science major, vice president.

* Pamela J. Jibb, Cynthiana freshman and geology major, treasurer.

* Shane Gallagher, Farmington, N.M. junior and music education major, secretary.

* Larry Howard, Morehead senior geology major, field trip coordinator.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- "I feel very good. I like it!"

This is how Dr. William W. S. Chen, assistant professor of mathematics at Morehead State University, expressed himself recently upon becoming a citizen of the United States following swearing-in ceremonies at the Federal Courthouse in Frankfort.

The 36-year old Fukien Province, China native spent his early life in Taiwan where his parents and five brothers and sisters relocated in the late 1940s.

He was educated in Taipei schools, received his undergraduate degree in mathematics at the National Normal University in Taipei in 1968 and came to the U.S. shortly thereafter where he received his master's degree from Ohio University in 1971 and his doctorate from the University of Georgia in 1977.

With his new citizenship, Dr. Chen joins his parents and brothers and sisters who are naturalized citizens. His father, now deceased, was a pilot with Gen. Claire Lee Chenault's famed "Flying Tigers" during World War II.

Dr. Chen's wife, Chang Heng Chen, has yet to become a citizen. However, her application has been filed and the couple's 13-month-old son, David, is a native American, having been born at Morehead's St. Claire Medical Center.

Dr. Chen stated that with his new citizenship status he thinks he will "find that there are more conveniences and opportunities available."

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Breaking records has become a habit for Morehead State University's Individual Events Speech Team.

As a result of the recent Julep Invitational Speech Tournament at Georgetown College, the MSU team increased the number of trophies won this year to 128, breaking their own all-time record.

MSU took second place to Ohio State University's seven-man team and broke another record in team sweepstakes by capturing more second place trophies than any other team at the tournament.

Individual MSU results include:

Rachel Holloway, Morehead sophomore, 1st Pentathlon, Salesmanship, Extemporaneous Speaking; 3rd Rhetorical Criticism, Impromptu Speaking; 4th Novice Prose Interpretation.

Sally Ray, Frankfort sophomore, 1st Dramatic Interpretation, Poetry Interpretation; 2nd Pentathlon Competition, Prose Interpretation; 4th After Dinner Speaking.

Nanci Gabbard, Fort Thomas junior, 1st Rhetorical Criticism; 4th Salesmanship, Prose Interpretation; 5th Pentathlon Competition.

Keith Murphy, Grayson freshman, 7th Impromptu Speaking.

Team awards went to Holloway and Ray, first place in Dramatic Duo Interpretation, and Gabbard and Holloway, fifth place. Also, Gabbard and Ray took fourth in Improvisational Pairs.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is hosting the 8th Annual Meeting of the Kentucky Philological Association on Feb. 27 and 28.

This will be the first time the organization has met on the Eastern Kentucky campus and 19 institutions of higher education are expected to be represented.

According to Dr. Frances Helphinstine, associate professor of English at MSU and chairperson for the meeting, forums and readings on a variety of topics for study in the humanities and social studies will be presented during the two-day event at the Adron Doran University Center.

Individuals will also participate in forums focusing on original creative writings. Activities begin at 8:30 a.m. each day.

Dr. Helphinstine noted that the forums and readings are open to the public and added that any individual is welcome to participate.

Additional information on the meeting is available from Dr. Helphinstine, MSU, at 606-783-2171.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The Morehead State University Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa has scheduled an awards night on Thursday, April 2.

The event is scheduled in MSU's Adron Doran University Center beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Reservations may be made by contacting Patty Watts, MSU, 201 Ginger Hall, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606-783-2210. Deadline for reservations is noon on Wednesday, April 1.

Nominations for Phi Delta Kappa awards are now being accepted from all PDK members for an Outstanding Graduate Student, Outstanding Public School Teacher and Outstanding School Administrator.

All nominations should be mailed to Dr. Kent Freeland, associate professor of education, MSU, UPO 795, Morehead, KY 40351. Deadline for receipt of all nominations is Wednesday, March 18.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Fine arts, Founders Day, spring vacation and the start of spring sports highlight the month of March at Morehead State University.

Art exhibits scheduled include drawings and paintings by Dr. Neil Peterie throughout the entire month. Beginning March 16, ceramics by Les Miley and drawings by Clifford Amyx will be on exhibit through April 15. All exhibits are in the Claypool-Young Art Building and are free and open to the public.

Jazz program scheduled include a jazz clinic March 1-3; MSU jazz combo concert, March 1, 8 p.m. as well as March 2, and 3, all day. All concerts will be in Duncan Recital Hall and are free and open to the public.

The Phil Woods Jazz Quartet will present a concert on March 2 at 8 p.m. in Button Auditorium. Tickets are available at the door.

Other music programs scheduled during the month include recitals featuring Marietta Dean, March 18, voice program; Bel Canto Trio, March 25; Trombone Choir Concert, March 26. All programs will begin at 8:15 p.m. in the Duncan Recital Hall and are free and open to the public.

A night of one-acts, presented by the MSU Theatre, is scheduled March 25-28 in the Kibbey Theatre beginning at 8 p.m. each evening. Ticket information is available from the Theatre Box Office at 606/783-2170.

MSU will also host several visiting groups including participants in a counseling workshop, March 20; regional high school speech tournament, March 20; national spring events forensics tournament, March. 27

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Two coal seminars are scheduled including "Introduction to the Coal Industry for New Coal People," March 5 and "Techniques of Coal Analysis and Preparation for the Non-Laboratory Coal Person," March 26. Both seminars will be in Reed Auditorium.

The Southern Grassroots Music Tour is scheduled as part of the Arts in Morehead Series, March 19 at 8 p.m. in Button Auditorium.

Founders Day is scheduled March 19 with a fellowship breakfast beginning at 7 a.m.

The MSU Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi and Pi Gamma Mu will have the 1981 spring initiation banquet in the Adron Doran University Center beginning at 6 p.m. on March 20.

Sports scheduled include tennis with MSU's Eagles hosting Kentucky March 23 at 3:30 p.m. and the Lady Eagles hosting Ball State and Cincinnati March 28.

MSU baseball season opens in March with seven dates scheduled including March 14, Anderson College (doubleheader), 1:30 p.m.; March 19, Davis and Elkins (doubleheader), 2:30 p.m.; March 20, Northern Kentucky (doubleheader), 1 p.m.; March 21, Cincinnati (doubleheader), 1 p.m.; March 27, Purdue (doubleheader), 1 p.m.; March 28, Purdue (doubleheader), 1 p.m.; and March 30, Marshall, 3 p.m. All games are at Allen Field.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University students, faculty and staff will take a break from daily activities at the University for Spring Vacation March 9-13.

All MSU offices will be closed and classes dismissed for the week-long break.

Offices will reopen and classes will resume at 8 a.m. on Monday, March 16.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The 41st session of Kentucky Boys State is coming to Morehead State University after 15 years of annual meetings at Eastern Kentucky University.

More than 275 high school seniors are expected to participate in the week-long convention, learning the basics of state and local government May 31-June 6.

MSU will also host the 1981 Kentucky Girls State with more than 350 high school seniors participating in activities June 7-13.

Boys State, sponsored by the American Legion of Kentucky, and Girls State, sponsored by the Kentucky American Legion Auxiliary, are highlighted by the election of governor and state officials by the participants.

All activities will be conducted in MSU's Baird Music Hall.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Getting a high school diploma is often an exciting time for people who have waited through most of their teen years but when someone waits 78 years everyone around feels the glow.

Mrs. Lucy Butcher Parker, who celebrates her 78th birthday Sunday, passed her GED test at Morehead State University's Test and Evaluation Center with flying colors.

This makes Mrs. Parker one of the oldest, if not the oldest, person in the state to ever receive a high school diploma.

The Johnson County native who spent most of her life in Rowan County held two teaching certificates 61 years ago before beginning her career as a housewife and mother. She became the mother of nine children of which four are still living. She has 25 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

"I just wanted to prove to myself I could do it," she smiled when asked why she was going after her diploma now.

"If it (diploma) looks to suit me, I'll frame it and put it on the wall below my 'Grandmother of the Year' award," she said proudly, referring to a plaque given her a couple of years ago by one of her grandsons.

"I don't plan to go back to work," she said, noting that she already had plenty to do.

Mrs. Parker keeps busy quilting, crocheting, making cushions and other handmade items. She may also do a little gardening this spring, she stated.

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Mrs. Parker
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She even gets called upon for recipes such as apple pickles and "spizzerinktum" (baloney, tomatoes and macaroni).

Mrs. Parker's six-hour battery of tests were coordinated through the Adult Learning Center at MSU with Patty Eldridge serving as the examiner.

The septogenerian said she is going to celebrate her fete by "telling my next door neighbor." She grinned when she said she had been keeping her whereabouts at the testing center a secret from her neighbor and friend.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Retirement doesn't seem to appear in the dictionary of Maurice W. Strider, professor emeritus of Morehead State University.

Strider recently received an art award for his accomplishments, has scheduled a speaking engagement at a Georgia college and teaches art classes two nights weekly at MSU.

Strider, who retired in December 1979 as associate professor of art, was recently presented the Kentucky Art Education Association's Distinguished Service Award by its executive council at the Living Arts and Science Center in Lexington.

The award, the highest recognition given by the KAEA, states:

"In recognition of his 45 years of service, and commitment to art and education, the members of the KAEA proudly and affectionately present this special service award to Maurice W. Strider."

Strider, the present secretary of KAEA, is chairman of the Lexington Citizens for Cultural Development which is working to make the Morton House in Lexington's Duncan Park into a museum and culture center.

The MSU art instructor was the recent guest speaker at Valdosta State College in Georgia for Black History Month where his presentation was on Afro-American Art.

In his "more active" years, Strider was a member of the world famous Fish University (Tenn.) Jubilee Singers. He is presently one of the two surviving members of the third generation of the Singers. The group, which spans more than 100 years, has performed throughout the United States, Europe and the Caribbean.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Soprano Marietta Dean will present a guest recital at Morehead State University on Wednesday, March 18.

The Western Illinois University associate professor of voice will sing selections by Samuel Barber, Jean Eichelberger Ivey, Aaron Copland, Dominick Argento, Yong Sook Won and Charels Ives.

A graduate of the College-Conservatory of Music of the University of Cincinnati, she has studied in Italy, Austria and Germany with an extensive singing repertory including works in seven languages.

She has appeared as soloist in concert and with opera presentations in Italy, Holland, Greece, Finland, the Soviet Union, Yugoslavia, France, Germany and Austria.

In Helsinki, a music critic wrote that her singing "created an electric atmosphere with its intensity and vocal beauty."

The 8:15 p.m. program in MSU's Duncan Recital Hall is free and open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- CBS-TV State Department Correspondent Diane Sawyer, a native of Louisville, will be the featured speaker for Morehead State University's 1981 Founders Day on Thursday, March 19.

She will address a 10:20 a.m. Convocation and Awards Ceremony in Button Auditorium as part of the observance of MSU's 59th anniversary as a state institution of higher education.

The program is free and open to the public. It will include the presentation of the 1981 Founders Day Award for University Service.

A member of the CBS Washington news team since 1978, Ms. Sawyer previously served on former President Richard Nixon's White House staff and as a researcher on his autobiography, "RN".

She was selected in 1963 as America's Junior Miss after winning the Kentucky title. A graduate of Wellesley College, she was a broadcast journalist at WLKY-TV in Louisville from 1967 to 1970.

Ms. Sawyer was commended in the Feb. 28 issue of "TV Guide" for her reporting of the Iranian hostage crisis.

"Founders Day is a special time at Morehead State University and we are looking forward to sharing the observance with our friends," said John (Sonny) Allen, chairman of the 1981 Founders Day Committee.

The other major event in the day-long celebration will be a Fellowship Breakfast at 7 a.m. in the University Center Cafeteria. The breakfast program will recognize the role of the Christian Church in the founding of the institution which became MSU.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- "The Influence of Fiscal Constraints on Higher Education and Academic Quality" will be the topic of discussion at the annual initiation banquet of Morehead State University's Chapters of Phi Kappa Phi and Pi Gamma Mu honor societies.

Roy P. Peterson, deputy executive director for academic and health affairs, Kentucky Council on Higher Education, will be the keynote speaker for the banquet scheduled on Friday, March 20.

In his current position, Peterson's responsibilities include the planning for higher education within Kentucky and the supervision of staff associated with those plans. He reports to and recommends higher education academic matters to Harry M. Snyder, the Council's executive director.

A native of Louisiana, Peterson holds a bachelor's degree from Southern University in Louisiana, master's degree from the University of Oregon and a doctorate from the University of Iowa.

Before joining the Kentucky Council on Higher Education, Peterson served as associate director for academic and health affairs for the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

The banquet is scheduled for 6 p.m. in MSU's Adron Doran University Center with selected students, faculty and alumni to be recognized.

Reservations and ticket information are available from Margaret Patton, MSU, at 783-3240.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The late Dr. Warren C. Lappin, who served Morehead State University longer than any other person, will be honored posthumously with MSU's 1981 Founders Day Award for University Service.

The presentation will be made during the Founders Day Convocation and Awards Ceremony at 10:20 a.m. on Thursday, March 19. Accepting on behalf of her husband will be Mrs. Ruth Lappin of Morehead.

Dr. Lappin, who died in 1975, served 48 years on MSU's faculty, including 31 years as the University's chief academic officer. At the time of his retirement in 1971, he was vice president for academic affairs and dean of the faculty. He was elevated to vice president in 1966, becoming the first person to hold that office. He had been dean of the faculty since 1940.

Dr. Lappin's career at MSU included two stints as acting president. Lappin Hall, which houses the School of Sciences and Mathematics, was named in his honor.

Two members of his family continue to serve MSU today. His daughter, Mary Ella Wells, is the assistant registrar and a grandson, Jim Wells, is the sports information director.

"The University is privileged to recognize the Lappin family for such a distinguished record of service," said MSU President Morris L. Norfleet. "The commitment to academic excellence which marked Dean Lappin's professional life remains a treasured legacy for this institution."

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CBS State Department Correspondent Diane Sawyer will be the featured speaker for the Convocation in Button Auditorium. The other major event of the observance of MSU's 59th birthday will be a 7 a.m. Fellowship Breakfast in the University Center Cafeteria.

All Founders Day activities are open to the public.

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John E. (Sonny) Allen, assistant director of athletics, is the chairman of MSU's 1981 Founders Day Committee. Other members include Dr. Don Miller, Dr. William Whitaker III, Helen Holbrook, William Mack, Tim Wagner, Steve O'Connor, Mary Beth Rice, Keith Kappes and Jack Henson.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- More than \$85 million local income would be generated during construction of oil shale mining and processing plant in Fleming County, but the reality of such a plant is no less than six to eight years away, according to participants of a recent conference on oil shale at Morehead State University's Appalachian Development Center.

The conference was jointly sponsored by the Buffalo Trace Area Development District, the University of Kentucky's Institute of Mining and Minerals Research and MSU's Appalachian Development Center.

Conference participants, including businessmen, judges and political representatives from Fleming and surrounding counties, heard findings of a preliminary report compiled by the IMMR and the BTADD.

The research was directed at Fleming and Lewis Counties and had as its goal the feasibility study of mining and processing oil shale in the two counties. One phase of the study was the preliminary designing of an oil shale mining and processing plant at Plummers Landing in southern Fleming County.

Steve Miller, assistant director of BTADD, said the number employed during the estimated three and one-half year construction phase of the proposed oil shale plant would be nearly 2,700. That number would fall to about 900 employees during the plant's operating phase.

Miller said the number of jobs directly related to the plant was not the only positive factor of mining oil shale but local private businesses would benefit as well.

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"We are probably looking at approximately 35 to 40 new retail establishments to serve the added income," Miller said.

Miller added that the total population change during construction would be about 6,000 while the operational phase of the proposed plant would bring about 3,200 residents to the southern Fleming County area.

Though there are an estimated one billion barrels of shale oil in the Plummers Landing area, the positive aspects of such a project should not hide the facts, according to Dr. Tom Robel, a geologist with IMMR.

"The mining of the oil is now economically feasible," says Robel, "but there is much data still missing. For instance, there is no information on the stability of the shale oil and thus no proven method of transporting the liquid. There is also no information on the environmental impact on mining and processing the shale."

Mining and processing oil shale has been placed under moratorium by the Kentucky Legislature until the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection recommends procedures that are environmentally sound. But, safe procedures are difficult to determine without research money, according to Jim Hummeldorft, representative of the Office of Special Projects at the DNREP.

"It's just now that the (research) money is starting to roll in and it looks like the government is getting out and the private interests are getting in," said Hummeldorft.

Though the Federal government recently refused a \$3.2 million research request by his office, Hummeldorft said he felt that needed allocations will likely start coming in by 1983 or 1984.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Diane Sawyer, CBS-TV news coorespondent at the U.S. State Department, told a Morehead State University Founders Day audience Thursday that it takes a great amount of homework by both groups to provide responsible information to the public.

She cited the news release by President Ronald Reagan's staff concerning evidence that El Salvador guerillas were receiving arms from Communist supporting sources.

She stated that the evidence information was passed on to the news media without thinking about how the U.S. government was to react on the information or in what direction the U.S. would move.

When the questions arose as to what course the U.S. would follow, the government was not getting the "pat on the back" it expected.

She added that the government's reaction was that they had been treated unfairly by the news media and when the reaction to the arms supplying evidence didn't suit the government, then the news media received the blame.

The Louisville native added that she thought what had actually happened was that the Reagan staff had not done its homework and prepared for this type of public relations situation.

The 1981 Founders Day Award for University Service was presented posthumously to Dr. Warren C. Lappin who served the University for 48 years. He died in 1975. Accepting the award on behalf of her husband was Mrs. Ruth Lappin of Morehead.

The day-long event recognized MSU's 59th birthday.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Theata Alpha Phi, Morehead State University's honorary theatre fraternity, will present two original student scripts during a bill of four one-act plays scheduled at MSU March 25-28.

The plays include "Dodging the Alligators," by Bill Callihan, Olive Hill senior; "Demon Rum" by Billy Nichols, Elizabethtown junior.

Also included in the bill are Terrence McNally's modern black comedy "Next" and George Bernard Shaw's classic melodramatic farce, "Passion, Poison and Petrification."

The plays will be presented in the Kibbey Theatre at 8 p.m. each evening. Ticket information and reservations are available by calling the MSU Box Office at 606/783-2170.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Two Eastern Kentuckians have been initiated into Morehead State University's Theta Tau Chapter of Sigma Nu, men's social fraternity.

Initiates include:

* Kelton E. Pennington II, Ashland sophomore. A graduate of Russell High School, he is a theatre major and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Pennington of Ashland.

* Eddie R. Wright, West Liberty sophomore. A graduate of Morgan County High School, he is a radio/television and journalism major and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Wright of West Liberty.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Mike Mincey, coordinator of academic support services at Morehead State University, has announced that the final day for MSU students to drop classes without academic penalty is Wednesday, March 25.

Additional information is available from Mincey at 783-3347.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The Second Annual Great Clean-Up for Morehead and Rowan County is scheduled Saturday, March 28.

The Morehead-Rowan County Community Service Project for county residents and Morehead State University students is sponsored by MSU's Appalachian Development Center and the Environmental Studies Club.

Organizers of the clean-up are seeking neighborhood groups, social organizations, civic groups and other interested individuals for participation in the activities.

Additional information and registration details are available from the ADC at 783-4731.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Representatives from business, industry, government and education will be at Morehead State University for the 1981 Career Day on Wednesday, April 8.

Activities are scheduled in the Crager Room of the Adron Doran University Center from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

MSU students will have an opportunity to visit with the representatives, receive career information concerning opportunities and possibilities in the job market and view various exhibits and displays.

Additional information on Career Day is available from MSU's Placement Office at 783-2233.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Three musical programs are scheduled at Morehead State University during the first week of April.

Programs scheduled include:

* Wednesday, April 1 -- Ransom Holbrook, IV, senior tuba recital. The program will feature the works of Senaille, Bach, Wilder, Kern, Gallaher, Jobim and Mattegson. Holbrook is a graduate of Whitesburg High School. The recital will begin at 8:15 p.m.

* Sunday, April 5 -- MSU Concert Choir. The program will include Pinkham's "Wedding Cantata"; Persichetti's "Celebration" of Walt Whitman poetry; and Bach's "Kyrie." The concert begins at 3 p.m.

* Tuesday, April 7 -- MSU Orchestra Concert. The program will feature the works of Brahms, Haydn and Mozart. A special feature of the concert will be a piano solo by James Bragg, associate professor of music at MSU. Bragg will perform "Piano Concerto, No. 23 in A Major, K. 488" by Mozart. The concert begins at 8:15 p.m.

All programs will be in MSU's Duncan Recital Hall and are free and open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Matt Wakhle, Ponte Vedria Beach, Fla. graduate student at Morehead State University, has been named executive director of the 1981 Miss MSU Scholarship Pageant.

Themed "Mountain Glory," the preliminary to the Miss Kentucky and Miss America pageants is scheduled April 8 and 9 at MSU's Button Auditorium.

Other pageant committee members include:

Susan B. Hudnall, Indianapolis, Ind. senior, executive producer; Leslie C. Boodry, Morehead senior, entries chairman; Rob Niemann, Louisville senior, set committee chairman; June Gregson, Ashland junior, Little Miss MSU chairman; Kim Hall, DeGraff, Ohio senior, special guests chairman; Todd Holdren, Chillicothe, Ohio sophomore, awards committee chairman; Gale Horney, Washington Court House, Ohio senior, judges; Kathryn Chance, Crittenden junior, advertisements chairman; Robin J. Humphrey, Maysville sophomore, ticket committee chairman; Jennifer Whaley, Coal Grove, Ohio junior, publicity chairman; and Debbie Zenk, Swanton, Ohio junior, associate producer.

Twenty-seven MSU coeds will compete in the two-night pageant with the new Miss MSU crowned on Thursday evening.

Special guests for the 1981 pageant include Susan Powell, Miss America 1981; Paige Phillips, Miss Alabama 1980; Daphne Cochran, Miss Kentucky 1980; Julie Dennis, Miss MSU 1980; Susan Whidden, Little Miss MSU 1980; and the Kentucky Chimes, world champion cloggers.

Pageant emcee will be Kathryn Parker, MSU graduate student and Miss Kentucky 1979.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Miss America 1981, Miss Kentucky 1980 and Miss Alabama 1980 plus the world champion Kentucky Chimes cloggers headline the list of special guests for the 1981 Miss MSU Scholarship Pageant at Morehead State University April 8 and 9.

Twenty-seven MSU coeds will be vying for the title of Miss MSU and the right to represent the University in the Miss Kentucky Pageant.

Activities begin at 7:30 p.m. each evening in MSU's Button Auditorium with the crowning of the 1981 Little Miss MSU scheduled Wednesday evening and the crowing of Miss MSU on Thursday.

Half of the contestants will present talent on the first night while the others are judged in swimsuit and on-stage personality. The roles will be reversed for the second night.

Appearances are scheduled by Susan Powell of Oklahoma, Miss America 1981. The 5-4, 110-pound classical vocalist attends Oklahoma City University and serves as Goodwill Ambassador for the Oklahoma Tourism Department. She won the 1980 District Metropolitan Opera Audition, appeared as resident singer with the Oklahoma City Lyric Theatre and has performed at the Ford Theatre in Washington, D.C.

Highlighting the special guest appearances will be Paige Phillips, Miss Alabama 1980 and first alternate to Miss America, who is a double ventriloquist and vocalist. Her ventriloquist act captured the attention of the Miss America audience and has made her one of the most entertaining individuals in national pageants.

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Miss Kentucky 1980, Daphne J. Cochran, will be a special guest both evenings and will present talent. Miss Cochran is a former Miss Fairdale, Miss Louisville, Kentucky Derby Festival Princess and Miss Georgetown College.

Also scheduled for appearances both evenings is the clogging group, the Kentucky Chimes, reigning state, national and world champions; the Dixie Squares, square dance group; Spur of the Moment, bluegrass band composed of MSU students; and fiddler Leo Blair, assistant professor of music at MSU.

Emcee for the pageant will be Kathryn Parker, MSU graduate student and Miss Kentucky 1979.

Tickets are \$3.50 per person for each evening and go on sale on the MSU campus March 30. Ticket information is available from MSU's Bureau of Student Affairs at 606-783-3213.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- A special feature of the 1981 Miss MSU Scholarship Pageant April 8 and 9 at Morehead State University will be the crowning of the 1981 Little Miss MSU.

Entered in this year's pageant are five 3-6-year old daughters of MSU faculty, staff, administrators and married students.

The Little Miss crowning is scheduled for Wednesday, April 8 as part of the first night's activities.

Little Miss MSU contestants include:

* Jennifer Marie Sparks, 4, daughter of Joan Sparks, Rt. 2, Morehead. Jennifer attends the University Breckinridge Head Start program and enjoys drawing, printing, gymnastics, coloring and hitting tennis balls.

* Michelle Shane Sparks, 5, daughter of Joan Sparks of Morehead. Michelle will be vying for the crown against her sister Jennifer. Michelle attends the University Breckinridge kindergarten and enjoys drawing, writing letters and numbers, gymnastics and hitting tennis balls.

* Rebecca (Kristie) Shepherd, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Shepherd, 126 Pettit Ave., Morehead. Rebecca enjoys coloring, music, singing and dancing. She attends the Child Development Program at University Breckinridge.

* Tonya Michelle Mathews, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mathews of MSU. Tonya attends the University Breckinridge Nursery School and enjoys eating, drawing pictures and swimming.

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* Cynthia Louise Conn, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Conn, Rt. 1, Morehead. Cynthia enjoys art, music and dance.

Susan Whidden, 1980 Little Miss MSU, will be among the special guests and will relinquish her crown to the new Little Miss.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Since October, a trio of Morehead State University faculty members have been seen on area rooftops dressed in top hats and tails and carrying musical instruments as well as other paraphernalia.

The threesome could be headed for a concert performance, but not necessarily, as they are most likely on their way to clean a neighbor's chimney.

When Milford Kuhn, Robert Pritchard and Ted Marshall aren't busy in the classrooms, they may be found dressed and working as chimney sweeps, an old and honorable profession in European cities, but as yet, relatively new in this country.

Kuhn's interest in the trade began several years ago when he lived in New York and discovered chimney sweeps working in his neighborhood.

The trio say they are all basically self-trained in the art but have strengthened their knowledge by all the available literature on the topic.

To give their chimney sweeping chore a flair of fun and showmanship, Kuhn and Pritchard take along musical instruments to entertain their clients and especially play with gusto when youngsters gather around to watch the curious rooftop scene.

A specific duty for Marshall, MSU assistant professor of social work and the non-musical member of the threesome, is playing the group's taped music including a recording of the chimney sweep song from "Mary Poppins" which plays during each of their jobs.

Even though they put cheer in their chimney sweeping, they are serious when it comes to this unusual sideline.

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Kuhn says that there is a real need for keeping chimneys clean as accumulations of soot and creosote inside the chimney are hazardous in addition to choking or clogging the chimney. This clogging reduces heat and requires the burning of excess amounts of wood or coal.

With the energy crisis, Kuhn stated that more people are turning to wood-burning stoves for sources of heat which means more jobs for the chimney sweeps.

Kuhn, a member of the Guild of Chimney Sweeps, says there are several signs that tell a chimney owner whether the chimney may need cleaning. The signs include:

*A chimney that is used daily during the cold months.

*A chimney that will allow dust or dirt to fall rather than go upward, a lack of a draft.

*A chimney that shuts off all light.

*A chimney that has excessive amounts of soot and crystalized blackened material, or creosote, in it.

Before the chimney sweeps, known as the Appalachian Chimney Sweepers, begin, they spread white blankets in front of a fireplace to keep things inside the house clean and "add to the theatrics of our work," says Kuhn.

Kuhn says chimney sweeping is a crude job but the top hat, tails and music add just a little class to the work.

Top hats, tails and music are also part of Kuhn and Prichard's other sideline as the duo are members of the Lexington Philharmonic Orchestra.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The Department of Communications at Morehead State University can be a very busy place.

With areas of speech, journalism, theatre and radio-television, complete with a staff of 31 plus 100 internships and 354 students majoring in the communications areas, there is a lot of work to be done and kept in the right place.

Although the plaque on her door says Secretary, Bath Countain, Wanda Jones, has been the receptionist, bookkeeper and paymaster for the entire department as well as the secretary for the head of the Department of Communications for five years and she is looking forward to more.

"It just wasn't in my blood to stay home because the four walls were closing in on me," she says. "I had so much to give of myself in my work."

Wanda didn't always work at Morehead State. She used to work for the Mathematics Department at the University of Kentucky, but after driving 102 miles to and from work everyday, which Wanda says "is enough to make anyone go crazy," she took a part-time job with an Owingsville lawyer before transferring her talents to MSU in 1975.

She began working for Don Holloway in telecommunications but by the next year, she found herself working for Dr. Jack E. Wilson, Head of the Department of Communications, as his secretary.

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"It has been a challenge," she says, "but I have survived five years and hope for at least five more."

About her work, Wilson says that "her personality is her greatest asset" and adds that when "Wanda is in a good mood, which she usually seems to be, everyone in the building seems to be affected by it." He added that she has the type of personality that puts people at ease so they feel more relaxed and open.

Despite such a hectic schedule, Wanda still finds time to take care of her husband Collins and son Marcus at their Wyoming Road home. She also finds time to enjoy her hobbies of cooking, camping-out and rollerskating, with her neighbors, in addition to a Monday night exercise class in Owingsville. She also holds the position as a Worthy Matron of the Salt Lick Chapter of the Eastern Star for 1981.

She says that her philosophy of work is that "in every job I have ever had, I have really tried to get along with everyone. I think this is really important."

She continued:

"If you are going to work in a field where you have to meet people, you have to know how to communicate with them."

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* Claudia J. Asbury, Flemingsburg junior business administration major. A graduate of Fleming County High School, she is sponsored by the Program Council and will perform a jazz dance to "If You Feel Like Dancing" for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a master's degree in business and enter the business profession. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Asbury of Flemingsburg.

* Teresa L. Branham, Ashland junior business administration major. A graduate of Boyd County High School, she is sponsored by Cardinal Key Honor Society and will perform a jazz dance routine for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a career in accounting. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Branham of Ashland.

* Kelly L. Brumagen, Morehead sophomore music major. A graduate of University Breckinridge, she is sponsored by Phi Mu Alpha and will sing "Art Is Calling for Me" for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a career in musical theatre and earn a master's degree. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David Brumagen of Morehead.

* Teresa Conley, Ashland senior elementary education major. A graduate of Paul Blazer High School, she is sponsored by Delta Gamma sorority and will sing "Don't Rain on My Parade" for her talent presentation. She plans to become a special education teacher. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Conley of Ashland.

* Kimberly A. Brown, Berea senior speech/theatre major. A graduate of Berea Community High School, she is sponsored by Theta Alpha Phi and will perform a dance routine to "An American in Paris" for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a theatre career. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Brown of Berea.

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* Jan G. Burge, Olive Hill senior business education major. A graduate of West Carter High School, she is sponsored by Phi Beta Lambda and will sing "I Made It Through The Rain" for her talent presentation. She plans to teach secondary education and eventually higher education. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Burge of Olive Hill.

* Robin Buckland, Flatwoods freshman hospital administration major. A graduate of Russell High School, she is sponsored by Fields Hall and will present a dance-twirl routine for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a hospital administration career. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Buckland of Flatwoods.

* Denise Craig, Greenup sophomore English major. A graduate of Greenup County High School, she is sponsored by Sigma Pi and will present a jazz song and dance routine to "Georgia On My Mind and Sweet Georgia Brown". for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a career in education and obtain a master's degree. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther E. Craig of Greenup.

* Karen Brooks, Wilmore sophomore social work major. A graduate of Jessamine County High School, she will present "Chalk Talk" for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a master's degree and enter the counseling profession.

* Michele Harrod, South Point, Ohio junior marketing major. A graduate of South Point High School, she is sponsored by the MSU chapter of the American Marketing Association and will present a jazz dance routine to "Another One Bites the Dust" for her talent presentation. She plans to enter the marketing or retail business. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrod of South Point, Ohio.

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* Monica R. Harmon, Dayton, Ohio junior music education major. A graduate of Greenville (Ohio) Senior High School, she is sponsored by Sigma Alpha Iota and will perform a song and saxophone presentation of "Tomorrow" for her talent. She plans to pursue a music teaching career in secondary or higher education. She is the daughter of Julie Langdon of Dayton, Ohio.

* Kelly M. Holdren, Chillicothe, Ohio freshman fashion merchandising major. A graduate of Zane Trace High School, she is sponsored by Sigma Phi Epsilon and will perform an interpretative jazz dance routine to "Hot Lunch" for her talent presentation. She plans to enter the fashion merchandising profession. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Holdren of Chillicothe, Ohio.

* Kendra S. Pyle, Xenia, Ohio senior speech/theatre and journalism major. A graduate of Xenia High School, she is sponsored by Cooper Hall and will sing a medley of showtunes in "Broadway Magic" for her talent presentation. She plans to enter the corporate public relations profession. She is the daughter of Jean Pyle of Xenia, Ohio.

* Ruby L. Hyde, Manchester freshman corrections major. A graduate of Clay County High School, she is sponsored by the MSU Karate Club and will present a monologue entitled "My Declaration of Self-Esteem" for her talent presentation. She plans to enter the law profession and has her sights on a position with the U.S. Karate Team. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hyde of Manchester.

* Harriet (Patty) Leidy, Ft. Mitchell senior speech/theatre major. A graduate of Beechwood High School, she is sponsored by Cartmell Hall and will sing "You Made Me Love You" for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a master's degree and teach secondary education. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leidy of Ft. Mitchell.

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Miss MSU Contestants
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* Lynne Harrell, Middlesboro junior communications/journalism major. A graduate of Middlesboro High School, she is sponsored by Lambda Chi Alpha and will sing "It's My Turn" for her talent presentation. She plans to enter the public relations profession. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Edward Harrell of Middlesboro.

* Kerith L. Preston, Maysville junior recreation major. A graduate of Mason County High School, she is sponsored by Delta Gamma sorority and will sing "Mr. Melody" for her talent presentation. She plans to enter the community recreation administration profession. She is the daughter of Barbara J. Preston of Maysville and James R. Preston of Starkville, Miss.

* Rudene Y. Nelson, Maysville junior music education major. A graduate of Maysville High School, she is sponsored by Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority and will sing "Ain't Nobody's Bizness If I Do" for her talent presentation. She plans to teach music on the elementary education level. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby A. Nelson of Maysville.

* Jessica A. Slonkosky, Minster, Ohio senior speech/English major. A graduate of Minster Local High School, she is sponsored by Delta Zeta sorority and will sing "Don't Cry Out Loud" for her talent presentation. She plans to enter the education profession as a religious education coordinator. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Slonkosky of Minster, Ohio.

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Miss MSU Contestants
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* Mary Thom, Anchorage freshman music major. A graduate of Eastern High School, she is sponsored by Tau Kappa Epsilon and will sing "Desperado" for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a music career. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Thom of Anchorage.

* Lisa Sutherland, Simpsonville sophomore theatre major. A graduate of Shelby County High School, she is sponsored by Sigma Nu fraternity and will sing "If You Believe" for her talent presentation. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutherland of Simpsonville.

* Lisa R. Sayble, Huntington, W. Va. senior speech/journalism major. A graduate of Boyd County High School, she is sponsored by East Mignon Hall and will perform a dramatic monologue entitled "Teacher, The Geranium on the Window Sill Died But You Went Right On" for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a corporate and campaign public relations career. She is the daughter of Mrs. Herbert Webb and Albert Sayble.

* Tammy R. Smith, Pikeville sophomore learning behavior disorders major. A graduate of Mullins High School, she is sponsored by Nunn Hall and will present a twirling routine for her talent presentation. She plans to pursue a career in special education. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis E. Smith of Pikeville.

* Darris M. Toney, Russell senior elementary education major. A graduate of Russell High School, she is sponsored by Kappa Delta sorority and will sing "Bluesette" for her talent presentation. She plans to teach elementary education and private music lessons. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darryle Toney of Russell.

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Miss MSU Contestants
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* Tammy Jo Worthington, Greenup senior business administration major. A graduate of Greenup County High School, she is sponsored by Downing Hall and will present a dance and twirl routine for her talent presentation. She plans to own her own business. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Worthington of Greenup.

* Robin Douglas, Flatwoods sophomore English major. A graduate of Russell High School, she will present a piano solo for her talent presentation. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Douglas of Flatwoods.

The Little Miss MSU Pageant will be on Wednesday evening with five daughters of MSU faculty, staff and married students entered.

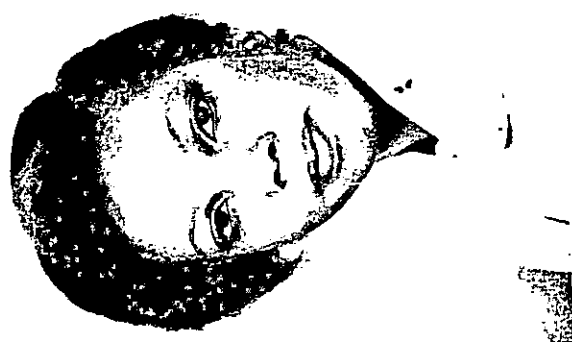
Tickets for the 1981 pageant are priced at \$3. per person for Wednesday evening and \$3.50 per person for Thursday evening. Ticket information is available from the Bureau of Student Affairs at 606-783-3123.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. ----A "Dirty Book Sale" has been scheduled at Morehead State University in the East Room of the Adron Doran University Center from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. April 7 and 8.

Co-sponsored by MSU and the University Press of Kentucky, the sale will feature dirty, dusty and damaged books on Kentucky, Appalachia, folklore, nature, history, other subjects plus overstock and out-of-print titles.

The books will range in price from 25 cents to \$2 plus a limited number of "The Art of Paul Sawyer" and assorted Kentucky bicentennial books.

The sale is open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Kentucky's own internationally renown professional theatre group, Actors Theatre of Louisville, will present "Bus Stop" at Morehead State University on Monday, April 13.

The production by William Inge is a comedy featuring five stranded travelers at a roadside diner as results of a snowstorm. The situations that arise are humorous as well as touching.

"Bus Stop" presented in the Button Auditorium at 8 p.m., is part of MSU's Concert and Lecture Series. The performance is free and open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The crowning of Miss MSU 1981, a concert by the Oak Ridge Boys and Black Awareness Week featuring Dick Gregory highlight the month of April at Morehead State University.

Miss MSU will be crowned from 27 coeds bying for the title on Thursday, April 9. The 1981 winner will represent MSU in the Miss Kentucky Pageant. The pageant begins at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday evenings in Button Auditorium. Tickets are now on sale at \$3 for Wednesday and \$3.50 for Thursday.

The Oak Ridge Boys will be in concert on Wednesday, April 15 at 8 p.m. in Wetherby Gym. The concert is sponsored by MSU's Student Association.

Dick Gregory will be the featured guest for 1981 Black Awareness Week Lecture on Tuesday, April 21. The program is sponsored by MSU's Student Association and is scheduled for the Adron Doran University Center at 7:30 p.m.

Art exhibits are under way on campus in the Claypool-Young Art Gallery and Camden-Carroll Library through April 16.

Other musical events scheduled include a Traditional Music Ensemble Concert, April 8; Band Parents Concert, April 12; MSU Piano Trio, April 15; Guitar Clinic Concert, April 22; Keyboard Workshop, April 24; and Jazz Ensembles I and II Concert, April 28. All concerts will be in Duncan Recital Hall.

Meetings and conferences scheduled include the Kentucky Weekly Newspaper Association, April 8-10; Northeast Kentucky Regional Science Fair, April 11; Management-Marketing 21st Century, April 21; and Agriculture Club Horse Show, April 24 and 25.

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Career Day is scheduled April 8; Academic Awards Breakfast, April 13; President's Prayer Breakfast, April 15; Black Awareness Week, April 20-26; and Scholars Luncheon, April 30.

Theatre productions scheduled include "Bus Stop" by the Actors Theatre of Louisville, April 13; MSU Theatre, "The Sound of Music," April 23-25, 30, May 1 and 2.

Pianist Leon Bates will be in concert as part of the Arts in Morehead series April 24.

Offices will be closed and classes dismissed for Good Friday on April 17.

Baseball action scheduled in April will feature the MSU Eagles hosting Kentucky State, April 7; Western Kentucky, April 9; Akron, April 11; Ohio University, April 13; Kentucky, April 14; Louisville, April 22; and Kentucky, April 27. All games are at Allen Field.

Women's softball will feature MSU hosting Kentucky, April 6; Campbellsville College and Northern Kentucky, April 17. All games at the Morehead City Park.

Men's tennis scheduled include Tennessee Tech, April 6; Louisville, April 7; Eastern Kentucky, April 15; Henry Ford College, April 22; Cincinnati, April 23; and Wright State, April 28. All matches at the MSU Tennis Courts.

Women's tennis scheduled include Eastern Kentucky, April 6; Louisville, April 8; OVC Tournament, April 17 and 18; Marshall, April 24.

The MSU men's track team will host Ohio University April 21.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Registration will be taken at the door for
the 1981 Bass Fishing Institute scheduled at Morehead State
University on April 4 and 5.

Harry Ryan, coordinator of campus events at MSU, said that
individuals who have not pre-registered for the institute will have
an opportunity to register on Saturday morning, beginning at 8 a.m.

Headlining an all-star list of fishing experts scheduled to
appear and offer fishing advice is Bill Dance of Memphis, Tenn. Named
B.A.S.S. Angler of the Year in 1974 and 1977, he qualified number 11
in the 1979 Bassmasters Classic and is host of the weekly televised
fishing show "Bill Dance Outdoors."

Additional information on registration and the institute is
available from Harry Ryan, MSU, at 606-783-5171.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- University of Breckinridge students returned home from the recent Junior Kentucky United Nations Assembly ranked as the number one Junior CO-ED-Y Club in the state.

KUNA is a model of the United Nations General Assembly which gives students experience in the nature and work of the United Nations. Each school represents a different member country, dress in appropriate costumes, present bills and act as if they were actually representatives of that country.

For the second consecutive year, UBS students received the coveted Outstanding Country Award for representations of the countries of Austria by the girls and the United States by the boys.

Other awards include Steve Taylor's Outstanding Proposal Award and Tom Serey's Outstanding Delegate Award. In addition to the awards, eighth-grader Kyle Crager was elected as the 1981 General Assembly president. Also, Jenny Magrane served as the 1981 Chaplain and Brian Boodry served as a committee chairman.

John Lester is the UBS advisor.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University will host the 1981 Eastern Kentucky Student Library Association's Spring Conference on Friday, April 3.

Faye Belcher, associate director of libraries and EKLSA sponsor, said the business meeting at 10 a.m. will include the election of officers and presentation of awards in the Association's art, short story and poetry contests.

"The EKLSA conference is kind of like a career day in that it gives elementary and high school students an opportunity to learn more about the career opportunities and facilities available at Morehead State University," she said. "It also promotes better library services and teaches interested students about library work."

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. in the Adron Doran University Center.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- A workshop on "Federal Civil Rights and Student Records" for teachers, administrators and student personnel is scheduled at Morehead State University on Wednesday, April 15.

The workshop is sponsored by Phi Delta Kappa, the Phi Delta Kappa Education Foundation and the MSU Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa.

Conducted by Dr. Thomas J. Flygare, director of legal affairs for the University System of New Hampshire and author of the regular Phi Delta Kappan feature "Schools and Law," the workshop will consist of two sessions.

The morning session begins at 9:30 a.m. and will be devoted to federal statutes guaranteeing non-discrimination toward students on the basis of race, national origin, color, sex, handicap or age. Topics will include discipline, curriculum, testing, admissions, scholarships, complaints of sex discrimination in athletics and compliance with HEW regulations on age discrimination.

The afternoon session begins at 1 p.m. and will focus on federal requirements governing student records. Dr. Flygare will also identify what a student may challenge and what may be withheld when a student requests disclosure.

Additional information is available from Clyde James, workshop coordinator, MSU, UPO 808, Morehead, Ky. 40351 or by calling 606-783-3213.

Pre-registration deadline is April 6.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Chamber Singers will present a spring concert on Tuesday, April 14.

Under the direction of James Ross Beane, the Singers will perform Brahms' "Alto Rhapsody" with soloist JoAnne Keenan, adjunct professor of music at MSU. Also scheduled are Elizabethan madrigals and contemporary compositions by Phyllis Tate, Rob Newell and Michael Fink.

The concert, scheduled at 8:15 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall, is free and open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Black Gospel Ensemble will recognize its 13th Annual Founders Day on Sunday, April 12.

A special program is scheduled at the First Christian Church in Morehead at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Felix Williams, III of Mount Calvary Baptist Church guest speaker.

All former members of the ensemble and interested individuals are invited to the program.

Ensemble advisor Jerry Gore, academic counselor at MSU, is the founder of the group.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- More than 500 elementary and secondary school students from 41 Eastern Kentucky counties are expected to participate in the 1981 Eastern Kentucky Regional Science Fair at Morehead State University on Saturday, April 11.

Exhibits focusing on a wide range of science, from biological science to mathematics and computers, will be on display in the Laughlin Health Building and judged in three categories including grades K-6, 7-8 and 9-12 representing more than 90 schools.

Public viewing of the exhibits begins at 2:30 p.m.

Exhibits and students qualifying for nationals will travel to Milwaukee, Wis. for the national science fair in May.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- "An Evening in Australia" is scheduled at the Carl D. Perkins Community Center in Morehead on Tuesday, April 7.

The special program, sponsored by American Field Service International and the Rowan County/University Breckinridge Schools Chapter, will feature an audiovisual program on Australia, a brief program on the "International Programs in Rowan County" and be highlighted by a reception featuring Australian desserts.

Australian guests will include David Ward, AFS exchange student at University Breckinridge; Robyn Ramey, Morehead State University employee; and Mary Lazenby, MSU student.

The program, beginning at 7 p.m., is free and open to the public.

Additional information is available from Robyn Ramey at 783-2276.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- "Energy for the '80s" will be the topic for the Delta Gamma Province Leadership School scheduled at Morehead State University April 10-12.

The leadership training program will provide extensive training in the areas of leadership, motivation, decision making, problem solving and rush for collegiate officers of the sorority from Kentucky, West Virginia and Virginia.

Guest speaker for Saturday evening's awards banquet will be Betty Shaw, vice president alumnae Delta Gamma fraternity from Maitland, Fla. She is a graduate of Stephens College and Drake University and is past president of the Central Florida Alumnae Chapter. She is also past province collegiate chairman for Province 10.

PLS chairman is Joyce Crouch, Delta Gamma advisor at MSU. Hostesses will be area Delta Gamma alumnae.

Registration is scheduled April 10. Sessions begin at 8 a.m. each morning.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Duncan Recital Hall on Morehead State University campus will echo with the sounds of music for several days in April as spring concerts and recitals get underway.

The programs will open with a recital by David Wayne Cook with his musical selections on the euphonium and trombone at 8:15 p.m. Saturday, April 4.

The MSU senior, a graduate of Clay County (Fla.) High School, is the son of Chaplain and Mrs. Richard G. Cook of Green Cove Springs, Fla.

The next recital will be for clarinetist Jeffrey Campbell at 8:15 p.m. Friday, April 10.

Campbell, a graduate student at MSU from Beacon (N.Y.) High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell of Beacon, N.Y. He holds a BME degree from the University of Michigan and was a Michigan Student Assembly member, as well as being in the Michigan Marching Band.

Kathy Neu will give her piano recital at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 11.

An MSU senior, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Booze of Loveland, Ohio.

Dave Kazee, a senior pianist, will give his recital at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 12. Kazee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Kazee of Lima, Ohio, is a graduate of Elida High School. Kazee made a tour of Europe as pianist for the Jazz Vocal Ensemble, worked as a musician in Kings Live Shows during the past three years and he is a Jazz and studio program music major in piano performance.

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On Tuesday, April 14, the MSU Chamber Singers, under the direction of James Ross Beane, will present a spring contest.

The program, beginning at 8:15 p.m., will include "Coronation Mass" by Mozart; "New London Street Cries" by Newell; "Alto Rhapsodie" by Brahms; "Witches and Spells" by Tate, and madrigals by Wilbye, Pilkington and Morley.

The MSU Piano Trio will present a program on Wednesday, April 15, at 8:15 p.m.

The trio includes Leo Blair, assistant professor of music, violin; Suanne Blair, adjunct professor of music, cello, and Karl Payne, associate professor of music, piano. The program will include the works of Beethoven, Copland and Saint-Saens.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Phi Beta Lambda members won the most first place awards of any of the other participating institutions at the recent 1981 Kentucky Leadership Conference.

One of 50 colleges, universities and vo-tech schools in the state, MSU was represented by 24 professional business leadership students among more than 370 individuals attending.

In addition to receiving seven first place awards, Bobby Hamilton of Morehead was elected state treasurer.

The MSU members receiving awards include:

FIRST PLACE -- Bobby Daniel of West Liberty, Data Processing II; Bobby Hamilton of Morehead, Mr. Future Business Executive; Jan Burge of Olive Hill, Corresponding Secretary; Lisa Hill of Louisville, Economics; Allan Moss of Louisville, Mr. Future Business Teacher; Rick Cundiff, Tim Sublett, Huff Hammond and Donny Lykins, all of Olive Hill, and Robin Buckland of Flatwoods, Parliamentary Procedures Team.

First place was also awarded to the MSU Chapter in the category of Community Service Project.

SECOND PLACE -- Cheryl Thomas of Somerset, Executive Typist; Greg Letcher of Carlisle, Mr. Future Business Teacher; MaDonna Fields of Pikeville, Office Procedures; Kay Marshall of Flemingsburg, Data Processing II.

THIRD PLACE -- Merry Evans of Olive Hill, Ms. Future Business Teacher.

FOURTH PLACE -- Anita Devers of Louisville, Office Procedures.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- A two-day Religious Vocations Program has been scheduled at Morehead State University April 20 and 21.

Dr. Wayne E. Oates, nationally known author and lecturer, will conduct a workshop entitled "Conflict Management" for ministers, priests and other religious professionals from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Monday in MSU's Adron Doran University Center.

A professor of psychiatry and behavioral sciences at the University of Louisville School of Medicine, Dr. Oates is also director of the Program in Ethics and Pastoral Counseling, director of ministerial education at the Child Evaluation Center and associate in the Department of Pediatrics.

Dr. Oates will speak at a convocation for visiting religious professionals, MSU students and faculty at 10:20 a.m. on Tuesday in Button Auditorium.

His topic will be "The Characteristics of a Competent Leader."

Additional information is available by contacting Dr. Frank M. Mangrum, Department of Philosophy, MSU, UPO 892, Morehead, KY 40351, or by calling 606/783-3121.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- If Harry LaFontaine wanted to, he could drive the 1,100-mile distance from his office in Miami, Fla. to the campus of Morehead State University for about 37 fence posts.

But, LaFontaine says he only fuels his Lincoln Continental with wood for demonstrations and not for long trips.

Wood gasification expert LaFontaine will complete his Miami to Morehead trip on Wednesday, April 15 when he will demonstrate and discuss his wood-powered automobile. The 1 p.m. until 5 p.m. seminar, jointly sponsored by MSU's Appalachian Development Center and School of Applied Sciences and Technology, will be at B.F. Reed Hall.

LaFontaine, an engineer, university professor and former special effects consultant for James Bond movies, began working with wood gasification 40 years ago in Denmark. The Germans had taken control of gasoline and diesel fuel supplies, so LaFontaine and the Danes survived by adapting their engines to run on charcoal-fired gas generators.

LaFontaine has connected his latest generator to a specially built \$48,000 Lincoln with no modifications to the car's original engine. The generator consists of a large, central cylinder in which wood, corn cobs, even peanut hulls are burned. The glowing coals produced at the bottom of the cylinder are the source of the car's fuel. Air is drawn over the coals and as the carbon monoxide is combined with hydrogen and methane, the gas is drawn into the engine. The movement of the engine's pistons create a vacuum which keeps the gas flowing, so no fuel pump is needed.

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The tank on LaFontaine's car holds about 125 pounds of wood and the car averages about one mile per pound, says LaFontaine. Wood gasification is not the answer to the gasoline crunch, adds LaFontaine, but it could be used extensively during emergency situations.

So, fence posts between Miami and Morehead are safe from LaFontaine for the time being. But, when a 30-pound fence post is enough fuel to travel 30 miles and gas is nearing the \$1.50 per gallon mark, fence posts along the roadway are tempting.

Additional information on the seminar and demonstration is available from Jim Kurz, director of business development at MSU's ADC, at 606-783-4731.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The final two weeks of April on the Morehead State University campus will be filled with music as student recitals and concerts are scheduled.

Programs scheduled include:

* Tuesday, April 21 -- Ellis Harmon, Catlettsburg junior, guitar recital. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harmon of Catlettsburg is a graduate of Boyd County High School. He will perform the works of Hammer, Jobim, Golson, Kirk, Silver and Gershwin. The program begins at 3:15 p.m.

* Wednesday, April 22 -- Monica Harmon, Greenville, Ohio junior, alto saxophone and soprano recital. The daughter of Julie Langdon of Greenville, Ohio will perform the works of Handel, Bozza, Bonneau, Corea, Parker and Kenton. The program begins at 8:15 p.m.

* Sunday, April 26 -- Rocky Hardyman, Tollesboro junior, piano recital. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hardyman of Tollesboro is a graduate of Tollesboro High School. He will perform the works of Haydn, Griffes and Tchaikovsky. The program begins at 3 p.m.

* Sunday, April 26 -- University Chorus Concert at 5 p.m. The first portion of the concert will be classical music featuring the works of Galuppi, Shaw and Handel. The second portion of the concert will be popular music including a medley entitled "Sentimental Journey Through the 40's."

* Sunday, April 26 -- Todd Spangler, Middlesboro sophomore, piano recital. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spangler of Middlesboro is a graduate of Middlesboro High School. He will perform the works of Bach, Beethoven, Chopin and Ginastera. The program begins at 8 p.m.

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* Wednesday, April 29 -- Horn Choir and Trombone Choir Concert at 8:15 p.m. The Horn Choir will perform the works of Lotti, Olberg, Purcell, Shaw, Perlins, Ingalls, Seibert, Palestrina and Huber. The Trombone Choir will play compositions by Buchtel, Miller, Pittman, Pederson, Jordahl, Mascagnic and Grieg. Original compositions by two MSU-students, Alan Perkins and Shelly Pittman, will also be performed.

* Thursday, April 30 -- Charles Swain, Crestwood junior, clarinet recital. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Swain, Sr. of Crestwood is a graduate of Ballard High School. He will perform the works of Mozart, Caplet and Gaubert. The program begins at 8:15 p.m.

All programs will be presented in MSU's Duncan Recital Hall and are free and open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is now accepting applications for the 1981 Summer Program for Gifted and Talented Students.

The program, open to students entering the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades this fall, is scheduled June 21-July 17. It is designed to broaden and enrich the experiences of gifted students in a less restrictive environment.

Consisting of an academic, recreational and student life component, the program includes a separate academic theme for each grade level.

Themed "Environment and Ecology," the fifth grade program will focus on ecological factors important in the development of the American people with emphasis on the Appalachian region. Field trips, individual and group projects focusing on economics, history, sociology, geography, ecology, plants, animals, aquatic life, energy and its use and populations are scheduled.

Sixth graders will concentrate on the history of the "Appalachian Region" during MSU's Appalachian Celebration with emphasis on folk tales and legends, folk music and dancing, mountain arts and crafts and the mountaineer personality.

Seventh graders will look at "Alternative Futures" that may be available to them and our country. This theme will help students visualize what tomorrow's world might be like and the forces that shape it.

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Eighth graders will experience both real and simulated means of developing "Leadership and Decision-Making" skills. Topics of discussion include group dynamics, critical thinking, self-esteem, risk-taking, use of humor, enthusiasm, reasoning, feelings and value analysis.

The recreational component will include afternoon, evening and weekend classes and activities. The activities will include a physical fitness program, clogging, handball, swimming, music, athletic competition, camping, hiking, picnics and movies.

Admission requirements include a high I.Q. score and a high record of academic achievement.

Cost for tuition, room, board, instructional materials, recreation, health services and accident insurance is \$520 per student. An additional \$30 will be deposited with the program for return in weekly allowances for students to attend off-campus events and for personal use. Some scholarships may be available.

Applications, nomination forms and additional information are available from Dr. Gerald Noblitt, Director, Summer Program for Gifted Students, University Breckinridge School, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606-783-1145.

Applications should be completed before May 29.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Dr. James Smiley, professor of information sciences at Morehead State University, has been named the Outstanding Business Teacher for 1980-81 by the Kentucky Business Education Association.

The award presentation was made during the recent KBEA Conference in Louisville.

A graduate of Prestonsburg High School, Dr. Smiley holds a bachelor's degree and master's degree from MSU and a doctorate from the Ohio State University. He has also completed graduate work at the University of Tennessee and is currently completing a graduate accounting course at the University of Kentucky.

Before joining the MSU faculty, Dr. Smiley initiated programs in business administration and accounting and served as chairman of the business department at Pikeville College. He also initiated the Economic Forum, a lecture series sponsored by Pikeville College and the Pike County Chamber of Commerce.

While at Ohio State, he worked as a research associate at the National Center for Vocational Education, abstracting research reports and articles for indexing in Research in Education (RIE) and the Current Index to Journals in Education (CIJE). He also assisted senior staff members by developing computer searches of the ERIC document base and co-authored special reports.

Other writing activities include several articles published in periodicals, special reports developed for teacher educators, a comprehensive bibliography compiled for administrators of post-secondary cooperative education programs and accounting materials developed for use in adult education classes.

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Dr. Smiley is co-author of the two-year high school accounting program published by McGraw-Hill Book Co. of New York. Components of this program include two hard-cover texts, several soft-cover texts, working papers and study guides, individualized learning guides, teacher source books and tests.

Dr. Smiley has made presentations at National Catholic Business Education conferences in Chicago and Philadelphia; the Southern Business Education Association Conference in Arkansas; and the annual Business Education Conference at the University of Kentucky.

He has also conducted teacher education workshops in Indianapolis, Milwaukee, Louisville and Johnson City. He has also conducted graduate seminars at Wayne State University in Detroit and Catholic University of America in Washington, D.C.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Formal training and work experience are said to be the primary keys to success in today's employment market and eight Eastern Kentuckians are getting ample doses of each in a special program at Morehead State University.

Through the combined efforts of MSU and the Hazard-based Eastern Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program (EKCEP), they are learning the printing trade during eight months of instruction and on-the-job experience at MSU's Office of Printing Services. The new program, which began earlier this year, is funded through the Comprehensive Employment Training Act (CETA) and is sponsored by EKCEP.

Martin Huffman, MSU's manager of printing services, and David Miller, the University's printing production supervisor, are the main instructors and they allow each person to progress largely at their own rate through extensive use of self-instruction packets.

"We start them off in the basic fundamentals of the printing trade," explains Huffman.

"As we take them through each of the various phases of the process, we encourage them to develop an interest and expertise in one or more phases in order to be employable in the private sector."

Typesetting, page makeup, camera work, and operating a printing press are among the skill areas covered in the program.

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The participants spend about five-weeks in each phase of the training and then complete the program by specializing in one major skill area such as typesetting.

Jeannette Carroll of Campton has become especially involved in one aspect of printing which traditionally has attracted few women.

"I really like running the presses," she says. "This is something I hadn't even heard of a few months ago."

"There is much to learn," adds Sue Wesley of Olive Hill. "But we get a good overall view of everything and that enables us to tie it all together."

Not only are the participants being trained in the tools of a new trade, they also are being paid. CETA funds provide each trainee with an hourly wage.

Other participants in the program include Ulean Kaiser of Viper, Rita Benson of Frenchburg, Ray Ramey of Grayson, Roger Fairchild of Wheelwright, and Vivian Short and Janet Lewis of Olive Hill.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The workshop on "Federal Civil Rights and Student Records" for teachers, administrators and student personnel scheduled at Morehead State University on Wednesday, April 15 has been cancelled.

Scheduled speaker, Dr. Thomas J. Flygare will be unable to - - attend for medical reasons.

Notice of re-scheduling of the workshop, sponsored by Phi Delta Kappa, the Phi Delta Kappa Education Foundation and the MSU Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa, will be announced at a later date.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Tammy Jo Worthington of Greenup was crowned Miss Morehead State University 1981 here Thursday night, culminating two nights of competition for 27 coeds.

A senior business administration major, feature twirler for the MSU Marching Band and 1979 MSU Homecoming Queen, the new Miss MSU will represent the University in the 1981 Miss Kentucky Pageant in Louisville June 25-27.

She presented a dance-twirl routine for her talent.

First runner-up was Harriett Leidy, Ft. Mitchell senior; second runner-up, Kelly Brumagen, Morehead sophomore; third runner-up, Lisa Sutherland, Simpsonville sophomore; fourth runner-up, Kerith L. Preston, Maysville junior.

Mary Catharine Thom, Anchorage freshman, won the non-finalist talent ward for her vocal presentation of "Desperado."

Five-year Michelle Shane Sparks was crowned 1981 Little Miss MSU on Wednesday night.

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4-10-81fs

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For Immediate Release

MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Jim Allen of Leitchfield, publisher and editor of the Grayson County News-Gazette, Friday was elected president of the Kentucky Weekly Newspaper Association.

Allen, who succeeds John Vornholt of Berea, was elected during KWNA's spring conference at Morehead State University.

Other new officers include Mike Patton, editor and general manager of the Allen County News, vice president; Lea M. Schultz, associate editor of the Berea Citizen, secretary; and James McGinnis, publisher of the Appalachian News-Express, Pikeville, treasurer.

Elected to the organization's executive committee were Jerlene Rose, editor of the Clay City Times, and Ron Daley, editor of the Troublesome Creek Times, Hindman.

The KWNA membership also adopted a new constitution and voted to continue its affiliation with the journalism program at Morehead State University.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Tammy Jo Worthington of Greenup was crowned Miss Morehead State University 1981 here last night, culminating two nights of competition for 27 coeds vying for the title.

A senior business administration major, the new Miss MSU is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Worthington, 1600 Riverside Dr., Greenup.

The feature twirler for the MSU Marching Band, 1977 Ashland Area Junior Miss, 1976 Miss Kentucky of Baton Twirling and 1979 MSU Homecoming Queen, Tammy Jo presented a dance-twirl routine to "If My Friends Could See Me Now" for her talent presentation.

Representing Downing Hall (men's athletic residence hall), she is a member of Delta Zeta sorority and is a Little Sister for Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

Interested in twirling, jazz dancing, acrobatics and swimming, she plans to have her own twirling and dance studio. She will represent MSU in the Miss Kentucky Pageant in Louisville June 25-27.

Miss MSU 1981 receives \$800 scholarship, \$300 wardrobe, \$200 room scholarship, Miss America trophy and charm and flowers.

Other award winners in the pageant include:

Harriett M. Leidy, Ft. Mitchell senior, First Runner-Up. She receives \$700 scholarship and a trophy.

Kelly L. Brumagen, Morehead sophomore, Second Runner-Up. She receives \$600 scholarship and trophy.

Lisa Sutherland, Simpsonville sophomore, Third Runner-Up. She receives \$500 scholarship and trophy.

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Kerith L. Preston, Maysville junior, Fourth Runner-Up. She receives \$400 scholarship and trophy.

Lynn Harrell, Middlesboro junior; Kim Brown, Berea senior; and Lisa Sayble, Huntington, W. Va. senior; were among the eight semi-finalists and receive \$100 scholarship and official silver shell dish each.

Mary Catharine Thom, Anchorage freshman, won the non-finalist award of a \$50 savings bond for her vocal presentation of "Desperado."

Special guests for the 14th Annual Miss MSU Scholarship Pageant included Paige Phillips, Miss Alabama 1980; Daphne Jean Cochran, Miss Kentucky 1980; Susan Powell, Miss America 1980; Julie Dennis, Miss MSU 1980; the Kentucky Chimes, world champion cloggers; Spur of the Moment, bluegrass band; Leo Blair, fiddler; Cave Run Dixie Squares, square dancers; and Kathryn Parker, MSU graduate student and Miss Kentucky 1979, emcee. The pageant was themed "Mountain Glory."

Highlighting the first night of competition was the crowning of Little Miss MSU 1981. Michelle Shane Sparks, 5-year-old daughter of Joan M. Sparks of Morehead, was named over five 3-6-year-old daughters of MSU students, faculty, staff and administrators.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University classes will be dismissed and offices closed for Good Friday observance on Friday, April 17.

Offices re-open and classes resume at 8 a.m. on Monday, April 20.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Dr. Custer B. Reynolds of Nicholasville, former academic vice president and dean of Asbury College, will be the principal speaker for the President's Leadership Prayer Breakfast on Wednesday, April 15, at Morehead State University.

Scheduled at 7:30 a.m. in the Crager Room of the University Center, the event is hosted by MSU President Morris L. Norfleet and is open to the public. Tickets are \$3 at the door.

Dr. Reynolds is a former president of the MSU Alumni Association and now serves as a lay evangelist and inspirational speaker. He holds degrees from MSU, Asbury and the University of Kentucky. His career at Asbury spanned 22 years.

Other participants in the Prayer Breakfast program will be Roger Cline of the Morehead plant of Browning Manufacturing, Paul Van Norman of Ashland Oil, Inc., and two MSU students, Rudene Nelson of Maysville and Don Reeves of Vienna, W. Va.

Music will be provided by Dr. Randall Wells, associate professor of education, and by Larry Keenan, associate professor of music.

"The objective of the Prayer Breakfast is to provide individuals in public life with an opportunity to assemble in a Christian atmosphere to enjoy fellowship with each other," said Dr. Norfleet.

Elmer Anderson, assistant to the president, is chairman of the arrangements committee.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- "Spring in Eastern Kentucky" is the theme of the 1981 Floral Design Show at Morehead State University on Monday, April 27.

Displays have been prepared and designed by students in MSU's floral design class under the supervision of Martha Norris, assistant professor of agriculture.

Scheduled from 3 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. in the Adron Doran University Center, the show is free and open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- For eight weeks, Morehead State University has become the home away from home for nine Egyptian government employees participating in the University's Egyptian Training Program.

The program, initiated through the United States Agency for International Development and the Organization for the Reconstruction and Development of Egyptian Villages (ORDEV), provides training and on-the-job experience for the Egyptian workers.

Among those taking part in this third program since 1979, are Sadek El Sayed, Shady Abdel Kader, and for the first time a young woman, Sohair Milad Nassif.

The Egyptian visitors are at MSU to learn basic program development skills by attending academic classes in accounting, finance, management and small business management, according to Dr. Joe Copeland, associate professor of economics, coordinator of the program at MSU.

The three Egyptians agreed that the program at MSU is beneficial to them and that they would "collect new knowledge" and valuable information beneficial in their village improvement programs.

Nassif, an architect in her country, noted that the role of women in Egypt is not unlike that of women in the United States.

"It is common for women to have key roles in jobs," she said. "These jobs include those in the fields of law and medicine and there are women in Parliament."

Dr. Copeland explained that during the Egyptian government of President Nasser the Egyptian economy was highly centralized. Under President Sadat, decentralization has been taking place.

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Egyptians
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Through such organizations as the World Bank, these village development programs have been advanced.

In addition to the Egyptian group at MSU, teams have studied village economies and developments in the Philippines and Indonesia.

Dr. Copeland pointed out that since about five percent of Egypt's land is liveable, it is essential for the people to utilize the land to their best advantage. He explained that the village set-up, as it is known in Egypt, is more encompassing than what Americans might regard as a "village." It usually includes the neighboring countryside as well as a town or community.

"A village may include a population of more than 40,000 people," he said.

After completing their training program at MSU the Egyptians will go to Eastern Kentucky University at Richmond for nine weeks training. This will be followed by additional on-the-job training at the East Kentucky Development Organization at Lexington before returning to their home.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University will present the musical "The Sound of Music" on April 24, 25, 30, May 1 and 2.

Curtain time in Button Auditorium each evening is 8 p.m. for the MSU theatre production.

The story, based on the novel "The Trapp Family Singers," focuses on the true story of author Maria Augusta Von Trapp.

After years in an Abbey, Maria is sent to the mansion of the wealthy Captain Von Trapp to serve as governess for his seven children. She teaches the children to sing which plays a vital role in their eventual escape from Austria under the threat of Nazi domination.

The production is highlighted by the songs "Do, Re, Mi," "My Favorite Things," "Edelweiss" and the title song "The Sound of Music."

Cast members include:

Lisa Sutherland, Simpsonville sophomore, as Maria; Kelly Fritz, Maysville senior, as Captain Von Trapp; Bill Burkes, Louisville graduate student, as Max; and Kim Brown, Berea senior, as Elsa. Directing the production will be Jim Maggard of Ashland with Raleigh Kincaid of Morehead serving as musical director.

Ticket information and reservations are available from the MSU Box Office at 606/783-2170.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Ten students were recently initiated into the Morehead State University Chapter of Pi Kappa Lambda, honorary music society.

Initiates include:

Debra Howe, Williamstown junior; Patricia Hawkins, Owingsville senior; Monica Harmon, Greenville, Ohio junior; Ranson Holbrook, Whitesburg senior; Kathy Rice, Paintsville junior; Lorie Young, Sidney, Ohio junior; Colette Heyob, Hillsboro, Ohio junior; Helen Bowen, Greenville, Ohio sophomore; Joe Jackson, Stanford senior; and Gene Varbella, Loyall graduate student.

Students elected to membership of Pi Kappa Lambda must show superior attainment in music with personal qualifications also considered.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Dick Gregory, comedian, lecturer and human rights activist, will highlight 1981 Black Awareness Week at Morehead State University April 20-26.

Gregory will be the special guest on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. His appearance, free and open to the public, is sponsored by MSU's Student Association.

Gregory, who has become one of the most sought-after speakers in America on college campuses, has visited more than 200 colleges each school year.

He is also a recording artist, author and social satirist who has taken on causes of human suffering 'brought on by ignorance and apathy.'

During the civil rights movement of the 1960's, Gregory took part in every major, and most minor, demonstrations for human rights in America.

He devoted his time and talent to giving benefits for civil rights groups, peace groups and other clusters of people devoted to human liberation.

Among his honors, include honorary doctoral degrees of Humane Letters from Malcolm X University (Chicago) and Rust College (Miss.), and the degree of Doctor of Laws from Lincoln University (Pa.).

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Black Awareness Week
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Other activities during the week include:

* Monday - Dr. Larry McCrorey of the University of Vermont. He will address black issues affecting students and career opportunities for black college students at 7 p.m. in the Claypool-Young Art Building.

* Tuesday - Dick Gregory, guest speaker; Crager Room, Adron Doran University, 7:30 p.m.

* Wednesday - Career Day, 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. in Button Drill Room followed at 7 p.m. by a fashion show and awards presentation in University Breckinridge Auditorium.

* Thursday - Leon Bates rap session, 4:30 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall.

* Friday - Concert by pianist Leon Bates, sponsored by the Arts in Morehead Series, at 8 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall.

* Saturday - Dance at the Jaycee Farm beginning at 9 p.m.

All Black Awareness Week activities are open to the public.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Seven Morehead State University students recently participated in a two-day program performing experiments in nuclear-particle detection and elemental analysis in Oak Ridge, Tenn.

The program, sponsored by the U.S. Department of Energy and conducted by the Professional Training Division of the Oak Ridge Associated Universities, included the use of neutron and X-ray activation spectroscopy.

Participating students escorted by Dr. Russell Brengelman, professor of physics at MSU, include:

Darlene M. Back, Morehead junior; Thomas L. Back, Morehead junior; Jack D. Early, Clearfield senior; Michael J. Foley, Morehead senior; John D. Galbraith, Morehead junior; Paul J. Ross, Morehead senior; and Dallas T. Swetnam, Morehead junior.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. ---- Leon Bates, Philadelphia-born pianist and recognized musical prodigy early in his life, will be the featured performer in a Keyboard Workshop at Morehead State University on Friday, April 24.

This internationally acclaimed keyboard virtuoso will perform in concert at 8 p.m. in Baird Music Hall as part of the Arts in Morehead Series.

Bates began his formal music study at the age of six, winning piano competitions for the National Association of Music Teachers Collegiate Artists, the National Association of Negro Musicians, the Philadelphia Orchestra, the Symphony of the New World and the Rhode Island International.

His appearance with the Philadelphia Orchestra was described as a complete 'sell out' this past January.

He has also appeared as soloist with the symphony orchestras in Atlanta, Baltimore, Cincinnati, Denver, New Orleans, Quebec, Florida and Washington, D.C.

Additional information on the concert and the workshop is available from Karl A. Payne, associate professor of music, Morehead State University, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606/783-3340.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The 1981 Morehead State University Jazz Guitar Clinic will begin at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, April 21.

Activities include classes, lecture and demonstrations by Jack Peterson, a guitar instructor at North Texas State University.

Peterson will be featured in a concert at 8:15 p.m., along with the MSU Faculty Jazz Ensemble. The concert will be in Duncan Recital Hall.

Registration and additional information is available from Ray Ross, Jr., assistant professor of music, at 606/783-3377.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Ten persons with a total of 140 years of service to Morehead State University will be honored Tuesday, April 28, at MSU's annual Faculty-Staff Retirement Dinner.

Scheduled at 7 p.m. in the Crager Room of the University Center, the dinner is open to the public. Tickets are \$4.75 and are available at the University Center and the MSU Business Office.

The faculty retirees include Dr. J. E. Duncan, dean of the School of Humanities; Dr. Charles Martin, professor of education; Dr. Lewis W. Barnes, professor of English; Dr. Leonard Burkett, acting head of the Department of Elementary and Early Childhood Education and professor of education; Nell Collins, assistant professor of education; and Hazel Calhoun, assistant professor of English.

Staff members on the retirement list include Ishmael Howard, Sarah Mabry, Harry McClurg and Robert Cunningham, all of the Division of Operations and Maintenance.

In length of service to the University, Dr. Duncan is the senior member of the group with 25 years. Dr. Barnes has 18 years and Mrs. Calhoun has 16.

Others include Cunningham, 15 years; Burkett, 14 years; Collins and Howard, 12 years; Martin, 11 years; Mabry, 10 years; and McClurg, 7 years.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is hosting the 16th Annual Agriculture Club Horse Show at Richardson Arena April 24 and 25.

Twenty-five classes of horses will be judged beginning at 7 p.m.

The show, sponsored by MSU's Agriculture Club, will feature Jimmy Richardson of Owingsville as master of ceremonies with Henry Wilhoit of Grayson as organist.

Dr. Charles Derrickson, Dean of MSU's School of Applied Sciences and Technology, will be ring master.

Additional information is available from Dr. Joe Bendixen, professor of agriculture at MSU, at 606/783-3309.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University students will have an opportunity to discover Great Britain this June 18-July 1 through MSU and an AAA World Wide Travel tour package.

Tour guests will stay in London for five nights with opportunities to visit some of the city's famous landmarks, museums and art galleries, including Buckingham Palace, the Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey, the Tower of London and Piccadilly Circus.

A sightseeing tour to Windsor is also scheduled, featuring Eton, the famous public school founded in 1440 by Henry VI. After crossing the River Thames, students will visit Windsor Castle, the famous royal residence since the days of Henry I up to the present.

Also included is a visit to Salisbury and the Cathedral, which was finished in 1280 and a spire added in 1334 making the Cathedral the tallest in England.

The next stop, en route to Bath, is Stonehenge. This world famous Bronze Age site is situated on Salisbury Plain. Bath is one of Britain's oldest cities and is famous for its ancient Roman Spa. A visit will also be made to the Roman Baths and the 18th century Pump Room.

Also scheduled are Shakespeare's birthplace, Edinburgh Castle, Minster, and the State Apartments used by the Queen when in residence.

Participants can earn three hours of undergraduate or graduate credit or may audit the tour. The package price of \$1,323 per person includes all expenses except passport expenses, some meals and optional sightseeing tours.

Additional information on the tour is available by contacting Dr. Roger Jones, professor of art at MSU, at 606/783-3232 or Dr. J.E. Duncan, Dean, School of Humanities at MSU, at 606/783-3363, or by writing The Great Britain Tour, MSU, UPO 1305, Morehead, KY 40351.

Accommodations on the tour are limited and on a first-come first-serve basis.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The words and sounds of Jim Jones and his People's Temple followers in the jungle of Guyana never before made public, have been organized into a 90-minute radio broadcast by National Public Radio.

The program, "Father Cares: The Last of Jonestown," will be aired over Morehead State University's WMKY-FM 90.3 at 9 p.m. on Thursday, April 23.

James Reston, Jr., creator and writer of the NPR program, and Kentuckian Noah Adams, wrote the script for the program from more than 900 hours of tape found by the FBI in the jungle after the Jonestown tragedy.

Reston wasn't aware the tapes existed and that Jones has taped himself and his followers for 18 months prior to the tragedy until he arrived in Guyana a few days after the tragedy.

Reston points out that all other accounts of Jonestown are told through the eyes of the survivors "all of whom, for a number of reasons, I considered to be suspect."

"To hear this tragedy taking place is different than to see or read about it," says Deborah Amos, NPR producer of the documentary. "The sound of Jones' voice and that of his followers goes beyond the pictures we saw on the covers of news magazines. With this program, you can begin to understand how they made the final decision, you actually hear how they were able to do it."

Reston adds that by listening to the tapes, an audience can actually "feel the slavery of the followers and the power and sacrilege of Jim Jones. And only then, can one understand how difficult it was to escape Jones, and begin to understand how this event took place and appreciate the full scope of his evil."

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"Father Cares"
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The broadcast features several recordings made during the many "white night" ceremonies in which Jones led his followers to the edge of mass suicide and pulled them back at the last minute.

"The fact that Jones taped his own descent makes this story unique, it is an authentic piece of cultural history, in all its horror," adds Reston.

Reston worked for more than a year to obtain access to the tapes from the FBI with the only tapes he did not have access to being those which deal directly with the assassination of Congressman Leo Ryan and others at the Guyana airstrip.

"Father Cares" also features several excerpts from Jones' early sermons in San Francisco including several excerpts on his "healing" powers.

Reston's most recent book, "Our Father Who Art in Hell," is an in-depth chronicle of the self-destruction of Jim Jones and his People's Temple followers.

Following the broadcast, there will be a live, one-hour national call-in program for listeners to address questions and comments to a select group of panel members. The call-in number is 202-857-0888.

The panel will include Dr. Robert Jay Lifton, psychiatrist, professor at Yale University and an expert in psycho-history; Jonathan Z. Smith, professor of religion and the human sciences at the University of Chicago; and Vertamae Grosvenor, poet, actress, author and essayist. Panel moderator will be Bill Moyers, television journalist.

"This is a program that goes beyond journalism," says Reston. "It is American history and at the same time an authentic drama. Jones, considered by some to be a messiah, is literally transformed into a devil at the end."

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- As a general rule, most college students dread the prospect of having to go to the library to do research. Morehead State University is no exception.

When one considers the size of the Camden-Carroll Library, and the thousands of volumes in its shelves, finding just the right bit of information can be a tiresome task.

But, MSU students have an advantage in this struggle, thanks to the assistance of Bath County resident Margaret Stone.

Margaret has been helping MSU students for 16 years. Although she describes every day as a "scavenger hunt," there seems to be nothing better that she would rather do.

"I enjoy working here and I enjoy what I'm doing" says the Flat Creek resident. "I hope I have the health to keep enjoying it as long as I am able to."

Her daily activities include, researching, bibliographies, teaching courses, training student assistants, ordering and selecting books in addition to helping faculty and students with research.

"Margaret Stone is the type of employee that goes that second mile in all of her work," said Dr. Jack Ellis, director of libraries at MSU. "She always arrives early and leaves late."

He continued:

"Margaret is very cooperative with her fellow employees and is well liked by them as well. She even has her own clientele among the student body. Many students come to the library and ask for her specifically."

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Margaret Stone
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A 1953 graduate of MSU, she was named head librarian at Irving High School that same year. During the following summer, she entered the University of Kentucky and received a master's degree in library science in 1958. She was named head librarian of Bath County High School, which was then Owingsville School in 1954. She has been at MSU since 1965 and has received her Rank I and her second master's degree in education.

"Margaret sees her work as being like that of a detective," says Faye Belcher, associate director of libraries at MSU. "She is always helping people and she never gives up. She is an excellent librarian, very conscientious and a very hard worker."

Being the oldest sister in a family of eight makes it is easy to see where Margaret gets her abilities to deal with people and counsel them. Of course with that many brothers and sisters, she has established a capacity for long hours of work without complaint.

Born and raised in the Flat Creek area, five miles from Sharpsburg, Margaret, when not at work, enjoys reading, working with people, baking and relaxes with an occasional walk. She is also interested in the arts and tracing her geneology or family tree. In addition, she is a member of the American Library Association, (college and reference division), Kentucky Library Association, the South Eastern Library Association as well as being a member of the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi.

It is hard to explain why someone like Margaret puts out so much effort in helping people, and will go as it were the "extra mile." Perhaps is is best put by her friend Faye Belcher.

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Margaret Stone
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"Margaret is a martyr, she practices the acronym, Jesus, Others and You, always putting herself third and planning for others first," she says. "You know that she always has your best welfare at heart and this is the success of her lasting friendships that have developed throughout the years."

Many MSU alumni keep in touch with Margaret, thankful for all the help that she has given them over the years. They also like to let her know that because of her help, they are successful.

Whatever the case may be, MSU faculty and students are lucky to have someone like Margaret Stone to help them, counsel them and whether they know it or not, care about them.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Appalachian Development Center (ADC) will conduct a public meeting at 7 p.m. on Thursday, April 30, in the Paintsville Community Center.

The purpose of the meeting is to present a preliminary proposal for the development of a 1,700-acre site of level land located on State Route 3 at the Martin-Johnson County line.

Owned by Pocohontas Land Corporation, the land is formerly of a mountainous terrain that has been leveled as a by-product of mountain-top removal mining. The site is only one of numerous examples of vast numbers of acres of land being transformed during the process of surface mining within the region.

Robert Cornett, director of the ADC, views the development of the site, already slated to become the home of a regional airport, as a major breakthrough to East Kentucky's future.

"I regard the level land being made available by the coal mining industry as the most significant opportunity East Kentucky has ever had," Cornett remarked. "With the availability of suitable land for industrial development, we can attract other industries into the region."

The ADC proposal calls for development of a major industrial site, development of from one to two-thousand residential housing sites, and development of appropriate commercial and service facility sites to serve both industrial and residential needs.

"We expect the development of this land to provide the region with a viable model for development of other such sites within the region," Cornett explained.

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"The amount of level land being developed by the coal-mining industry changes East Kentucky's perspective for the future," he added.

State and local agencies, as well as the general public, will be informed about the potential of the site during the meeting. In addition, development of utilities and roads to serve the site will be discussed.

"This is the community's opportunity to have direct access to preliminary plans and to have input at the initial stage of development of the site," Cornett explained.

The Paintsville Community Center is located on Preston Street which turns off Euclid Avenue two blocks from the Paintsville Hospital.

Additional information concerning the meeting is available from MSU's Appalachian Development Center at 606/783-4731.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- One year was all it took. In that span, the quiet beauty of the foothills of Eastern Kentucky made a believer out of Gene Ranvier, Morehead State University's registrar.

Born in New York City as the son of a career army officer, he spent his first 10 years in big city surroundings.

"We moved to Europe when I was 12 years old and lived in France, Italy and Germany during our four years there," Ranvier recalls. "It was a good time in my life to experience the different cultures and I gained a valuable perspective."

Although he attended U.S. Army schools, the family lived among civilians and this gave the young Ranvier an opportunity to meet the people and learn about their cultures, especially in Italy.

"I was somehow enrolled in an Italian school where none of the students and only a few of the teachers knew English," Ranvier said. "That was a real experience!"

Ranvier graduated from Falls Church High School in Virginia in 1960 and set his sights on college.

"I had a friend who wanted me to come with him to Morehead State, so I agreed to try it for one year," Ranvier remembers.

That year was followed by three more during which time he met Barbara Miller, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Miller of Owingsville. They were married during their senior year but both finished their bachelor's degrees.

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Ranvier taught briefly at Bath County High School before he and Barbara moved to Marion, Ind. While there, he taught history at Marion High School, earned a master's degree in guidance and counseling from Ball State University and served as dean of students at Marion High.

"But, as they say, I got to missin' them hills, and in 1972, Barbara and I and our daughter, Kelly, decided to come back to Kentucky," Ranvier said.

He served as director of guidance and counseling and then as director of pupil personnel at George Rogers Clark High School in Winchester. During this period, Ranvier also completed his Rank I and was certified in guidance, principalship and superintendency.

"We lived in an apartment in Winchester but that was too confining," he recalled. "When we got the chance to buy a house in Owingsville, we jumped at it."

Although born and reared in cities, Ranvier readily admits that now his heart is in the country. He considers Owingsville just the right place in which to rear Kelly, now 12, and son Chris, 6.

Ranvier says he enjoyed his work in Winchester but realized there that one of his career goals had always been to return to his alma mater, Morehead State University.

"Something about MSU just sort of stuck with me and I really wanted to come back," he said.

Ranvier realized that goal in 1977 when he returned to MSU as associate dean of students. In 1979, he was promoted to registrar.

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His primary responsibility is the maintenance and safekeeping of MSU's academic records but his work only begins there. He also handles applications for degrees and athletic eligibility, teaching certification, official reports on enrollment and organizes each commencement exercise.

"My last two years as registrar have been the most enjoyable and the most professionally rewarding of my life," he says. "I get to work with the students and that is my joy."

Ranvier likes his job but admits that, second only to his wife and children, farming is his true love.

"Three years ago, I bought a farm in Peasticks. I started out with two old steers and now have 85 head of cattle," he explains. "It's more than just a hobby."

Eastern Kentucky is far removed from New York City, but, to Gene Ranvier, it's home.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Eighth Annual Writers Workshop is scheduled May 11-22.

Courses available for three semester hours of credit or for audit include ENGLISH -- Creative Writing I, Creative Writing II, Technical Writing I, Technical Writing II, Fiction and Poetry Writing I, Fiction and Poetry Writing II; JOURNALISM -- Technical Writing I, Technical Writing II.

Workshop faculty members include Gerry Cohen, technical publication analyst, IBM, Atlanta, Ga.; John Filiatreau, reporter and columnist, Courier-Journal, Louisville; Barbara Smith, poet and fiction writer, Philippi, W.Va.; Della Whittaker, technical writer and editor, U.S. Army-Harry Diamond Laboratories, Adelphi, Md.; Roger Zelanzy, fiction writer, Santa Fe, N.M.; Dr. Donald H. Cunningham, professor of English at MSU; and Dr. Marc Glasser, professor of English at MSU.

The week-long workshop is scheduled in the Combs Building from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. daily.

Additional information on tuition, housing and the workshop is available from Dr. Marc Glasser, professor of English, Auxiliary Building #1, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351, or by calling 606/783-2201. Also, from Dr. Donald H. Cunningham, Combs 113D, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351, or by calling 606/783-2136.

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MOREHEAD, Ky: --- A workshop, "EDEL 599: Using the Newspaper in the Classroom," will be offered during Summer I at Morehead State University instead of Summer II as listed in the summer class schedule.

The class will be held Monday through Thursday, June 15-30, from 8 a.m. until 12 noon.

The 3-hour workshop is designed to help teachers learn how to use a newspaper as an instructional resource in such curricular areas as mathematics, reading, social studies, language arts and science.

Registration will be on Tuesday, May 26. Additional information is available from Dr. Kent Freeland, UPO 795, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351, or by calling 606/783-2212.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Participating in a summer of activities at Morehead State University will be more than 85 elder citizens from the United States and England during two one-week Elderhostel programs.

This, the second year the program has been offered at MSU, will get underway with 48 elder Americans from more than 11 states, including California, Florida and Maine, June 21-27.

The second Elderhostel session will be July 12-18 and will include 12 English residents among the 48 scheduled visitors.

The participants will take part in workshops, concerts, dances and view exhibits, displays and handicrafts with a special emphasis on Appalachia--its heritage, history and folk culture.

During the June program, the group will be given an opportunity to become involved in the Appalachia Celebration of artisans and musicians, which will be on the MSU campus during that week.

The second group will take short trips from MSU into the heart of Appalachia.

The Elderhostel programs at MSU are part of the more than 400 such programs at colleges and universities throughout the United States. More than 30,000 elder citizens will be in this summer's programs.

George Eyster, Director of the Division of Continuing Education at MSU and one of the instigators in getting the Elderhostel programs into Kentucky last year, stated its first year success gave this year's program a real boost.

He noted that many elders who will be at MSU will make a summer vacation for themselves by going to other programs elsewhere in the country after leaving here.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Lt. Gov. Martha Layne Collins will be the featured speaker here Friday when Morehead State University ends a 20-year tradition by conducting its spring commencement ceremony in a new facility, the recently-completed Academic-Athletic Center.

More than 1,000 persons are candidates for degrees during the 1:30 p.m. exercises which are open to the public.

For more than two decades previously, MSU graduated its spring and summer classes in Wetherby Gymnasium.

Mrs. Collins and two other Kentuckians will receive honorary doctoral degrees. Also being recognized are Dr. C. Louise Caudill, Morehead physician, and Dr. John M. Ridgway of Lexington, retired teacher and school administrator.

MSU President and Mrs. Morris L. Norfleet will host a reception immediately after the ceremony for graduates, guests and faculty and staff members.

Other highlights of the event will be presentation of the 1980-81 Distinguished Faculty Award by Dr. Ruth Barnes, last year's recipient, and by James P. Pruitt, president of the MSU Alumni Association, and presentation of the 1980-81 Distinguished Researcher Award by Dr. Jules DuBar, last year's recipient.

Music will be provided by the MSU Symphony Band, conducted by Eugene Norden, and the Concert Choir, conducted by James Ross Beane. The invocation and benediction will be delivered by the Rev. Harold W. Tatman, pastor of the Morehead United Methodist Church.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Cynthia L. Snyder, a 1981 spring graduate of Morehead State University, has received a scholarship award from the Cooperative Association of Kentucky.

The daughter of Allen R. Snyder of White House Station, N.J., received the award based on her cooperative work experience at MSU during the 1980 summer session, according to Wayne Morella, MSU campus coordinator for Cooperative Education.

Following graduation in MSU's university studies program with emphasis in fashion merchandising, Snyder is taking a position as assistant manager with a discount store chain in the Huntington, W.Va. area.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Marcia Anderson, Morehead junior at Morehead State University, has been selected to participate in the Kentucky Legislative Intern Program for the 1982 General Assembly in Frankfort.

A 1978 graduate of Rowan County High School, she is an English and government major who hopes to pursue a law career.

She is one of 11 Kentucky college and university students selected for the program based on academic achievement, classification and performance in interview situations.

Beginning Jan. 2, 1982 and ending May 1, 1982, she will be working with standing committees of the General Assembly under the supervision of the Legislative Research Commission.

The interns learn about state government from the people who work in it daily and also take part in the General Assembly. During the session; the interns work with legislative committees, attend meetings, arrange hearings and perform research that will be translated into legislation for Kentucky residents.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is accepting applications for admission to its fall semester classes in nursing, medical assisting, veterinary technology and radiologic technology.

Special admission requirements exist in each of the four areas. Interested persons are invited to call or write for detailed information.

The contact person for admissions information is Dr. Doris McDowell, Department of Allied Health Sciences, Morehead State University, UPO Box 783, Morehead, KY 40351. The telephone is (606) 783-3271.

Each of the programs requires a minimum of two years to complete.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The Morehead State-Rowan County Community Education Program, the Kentucky State Police, Division of Security and Compliance, and Larry's Marine of Morehead are planning a free boating safety course at Morehead State University.

Completion of the course will entitle most participants to reduced insurance rates on their boats from five to 15 percent. Classes will meet two nights each week for two weeks, two to three hours each night.

The course will focus on various areas including boats, equipment, navigation, safety, and emergency measures in addition to information for the non-boat owner who is considering the future purchase of a boat and some maintenance tips.

Also scheduled are demonstrations of floatation devices required in all new boats.

Class days and dates have not been finalized. Additional details are available from Harry Ryan, Coordinator of Campus Events at 606/783-2276.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University will host two 3-day cheerleading camps for junior high, middle school and high school cheerleaders this summer.

Scheduled June 15-18 and Aug. 3-6, the camps will provide participants with extensive instruction in new cheers and chants, pom pom routines, partner stunts, pyramids, and tumbling. Also, there will be time every day for each squad to work privately with an instructor. Ribbons and spirit sticks will be awarded nightly.

Universal Cheerleaders Association will provide the instructional staff for the camp. UCA trained more than 20,000 high school and junior high school cheerleaders last year and also trained many of America's top collegiate squads including the top five squads on this year's Collegiate Cheerleading Championship which will be seen on CBS this spring.

Additional information is available by calling toll free 1-800-238-0286.

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The awards were scheduled to be presented Friday afternoon during MSU's spring commencement. Making the presentations were Dr. Jules DuBar, professor of geoscience and the 1979-80 research winner, and Dr. Ruth Barnes, professor of English and last year's faculty winner. She is the wife of Dr. Lewis Barnes.

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Dr. Barnes taught previously at Tulane, Dillard, St. Mary's and Adelphi and was a visiting professor at Leeds University in England. He is a native of Providence, R.I.

"The University is proud of these outstanding faculty scholars and we are pleased that they have received this recognition from their colleagues," said MSU President Morris L. Norfleet.

The faculty award was established in 1963-64 by the MSU Alumni Association and the research prize was created in 1978-79 by the University's Committee on Faculty Research.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Eastern Kentucky's past, present, and future will be the theme of Morehead State University's fifth annual Appalachian Celebration. June 22-27.

In addition to traditional mountain music, dance, crafts and folklore, the 1981 celebration will highlight activities centered around the region's current and future business, economic and social service needs.

Activities scheduled include the Heritage Arts Workshop; Economic Development Conference; Elderhostel Program; Jesse Stuart Symposium; concerts, dances, exhibits and displays; Natural Heritage tour and hike; scholar in residence; and Alumni Week.

The Heritage Arts Workshop will be devoted to the development and preservation of the skills and traditions that are distinctively a part of the Appalachian mountain culture and heritage with courses in music, literature, dance and crafts.

Economic Development Conferences will include one related to the wood industry (June 23), one on land development (June 24), and one on public finance (TBA). A special report, "The State of the Economy in Eastern Kentucky," will be available to participants.

An Elderhostel Program will coincide with the celebration to give participants an opportunity for an enriched Elderhostel experience.

The Jesse Stuart Symposium (June 25-26) will provide an opportunity for interested persons to study Stuart's life and works in the land that has inspired his literary creations. Activities include lectures, papers, readings, panel discussions, displays and a tour of the Stuart home place, W-Hollow, in Greenup County.

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Featured speakers and discussion leaders will include Jim Wayne Miller, Hal Richardson, Lee Pennington, Doug Adams, Gary Cox, Jerry Herndon, Joyce Chaney, Don Cunningham, Marc Glasser, John Spurlock and James Stuart.

Concerts and dances will feature Cratis Williams singing and discussing Appalachian ballads on Monday, June 22, 7 p.m.; the McLain Family Band, outdoor concert, noon, June 23, and an indoor concert at 8 p.m.; Jean Ritchie, in concert, Saturday, June 27, 8 p.m.. Both the McLain Family and the Ritchie concerts will be followed by dances. All concerts and dances are free and open to the public.

Exhibits and displays will be available June 22 and 23, with John Rice Irwin, one of the world's most renowned authorities on Appalachian relics, artifacts and general memorabilia. He will be available to discuss his areas of expertise including traditional Appalachian guns, musical instruments, farm and household items of the handmade variety, baskets and coal mining artifacts.

Also scheduled is a book exhibit sponsored by the Council of the Southern Mountains Bookstore and will include autographed copies of books by John Rice Irwin and Appalachian Development Center publications.

The Natural Heritage tour and hike will be a day-long tour of the Morehead region and include Cave Run Reservoir, Natural Bridge, Sky Bridge, Red River Gorge and a hike into the forests of Tight Hollow. Applicants will be accepted on a first-come-first-served basis.

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The 1981 scholar in residence, Cratis Williams, is America's foremost authority on Appalachia and is considered the father of Appalachian Studies. During the celebration week, he will teach a class in ballads, storytelling and collecting techniques for the Heritage Arts Workshop; another in Appalachian culture for the Elderhostel program, and a public lecture/concert as part of the celebration concert series on Monday, June 22 at 7 p.m.

MSU's Alumni Week activities will feature a boat tour of Cave Run Lake and a picnic on Saturday, June 27.

Additional information on registration, fees, display space and schedules is available from MSU's individual coordinators:

*Heritage Arts Workshop --- Dr. Glenn Fulbright, MSU, UPO 735, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606/783-4682.

*Economic Development Conferences --- James Kurz, ADC, 606/783-4731.

*Elderhostel Program --- George Eyster, Ginger Hall 901, 606/783-2276.

*Jesse Stuart Symposium --- Ms. Joyce Chaney, UPO 857, 606/783-3224.

*Scholar in Residence and Concerts and Dances --- Dr. James M. Gifford, ADC, 606/783-4731.

*Exhibits and Displays --- Ms. Shirley Hamilton, ADC, 606/783-4731.

*Natural Heritage Tour and Hike --- Dr. Roland R. Burns, UPO 749, 606/783-3187.

*Alumni Week --- Don B. Young, Alumni Center, 606/783-3226.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Kentucky Lt. Gov. Martha Layne Collins told 1,007 Morehead State University graduates here Friday that "we can't expect other nations of the world with different cultures and backgrounds to live in harmony if we here in Kentucky and America can't live in harmony and can't help each other and don't care about one another."

She added that this challenge of genuinely caring for those around us requires sacrifice and that "you must be willing to share of yourself, to share the spirit of caring for other people."

The Lt. Gov. told the graduates that they shall be successful if they work hard and work toward good attitudes of caring for one another.

Prior to her commencement address, Lt. Gov. Collins received an honorary doctorate from MSU along with Dr. C. Louise Caudill of Morehead and Dr. John M. Ridgway of Lexington.

Dr. Lewis Barnes, professor of English, received the 1980-81 Distinguished Faculty Award and Dr. Ted Pass, professor of biology, received the 1980-81 Distinguished Researcher Award.

A member of the MSU English faculty since 1963, Dr. Lewis Barnes holds doctorates in English, psychology and literature.

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Steve O'Conner, Yocum junior, received the President's Cup for Leadership. O'Conner is the student representative on the MSU Board of Regents and president of the Student Association.

Margaret Snedegar of Flemingsburg and Nancy Cole of Blue Creek, Ohio were recognized for academic achievement. The two graduates maintained a perfect 4.0 grade point average throughout their four years of study at MSU.

Also recognized were nine students who received commissions as second lieutenants in the U.S. Army and 19 members of MSU's academic honors program.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- That old spinning wheel in your attic that belonged to your great grandmother--old Aunt Hattie's churn that you proudly display in your living room by the fireplace--the wooden butter molds you exhibit on your buffet--the twin flatirons you use as bookends--they're all relics of a day gone by but held fast in your memory.

They're the stuff nostalgia is made of and they're the stuff Morehead State University's Appalachian Development Center wants to display during its Fifth Annual Appalachian Celebration, June 21-27.

Authentic Appalachian arts, crafts, artifacts, relics and general memorabilia will be on exhibit in the Button Auditorium Drill Room throughout the week. In addition, the Council of the Southern Mountains Mobile Bookstore will conduct an exhibit of books by, for and about Appalachians.

John Rice Irwin, owner and operator of the Museum of Appalachia at Norris, Tenn., and the world's most recognized authority on authentic Appalachian artifacts and relics will be on hand Monday and Tuesday, June 22-23, to consult with celebration visitors.

Irwin is an authority on pioneer farm and household implements of the handmade variety, log-house reconstruction, white-oak basket weaving, and memorabilia of the coal-mining industry. Author of "Guns and Gunmaking Tools of Southern Appalachia" and "Musical Instruments of the Southern Appalachian Mountains," he'll have autographed copies available during his stay.

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Items brought to the celebration for Irwin's comment and analysis will be photographed and documented for inclusion in a future archival publication. They may be left on display throughout the week or brought in solely for Irwin's examination and comment.

Shirley Hamilton, exhibits and displays coordinator, remarked, "we'd like to have people from all over the region bring in their relics and artifacts from Appalachia's pioneer days."

"Not only do we want to exhibit relics and artifacts from our region's past," she explained, "we're interested in providing actual demonstrations of arts and crafts that are being practiced today but that have their roots in the past."

If you have collections or single items you would like to display or if you practice an Appalachian art or craft you would like to demonstrate, contact Ms. Hamilton at Morehead State's Appalachian Development Center or by calling 606/783-4731.

If you have neither craft nor collection to share but are interested in Appalachia and her people, come to the celebration and view the exhibits and displays. It was John Rice Irwin's interest in the people of the mountains that sparked his interest in collecting their relics and artifacts.

He said, "I hold the strong conviction that the true breed of diminishing mountain folk of Appalachia are among the most admirable people in the world. And, what better way is there to understand a people and their culture than through an examination of the farm and household implements that were a part of their daily lives?"

Irwin's museum houses the world's largest collection of authentic Appalachian relics, artifacts and memorabilia.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- A native Rowan Countian led the nation's fight against adult illiteracy in Appalachian Kentucky at the turn of the century, according to Dr. James M. Gifford, Morehead State University's coordinator of Appalachian studies and assistant director of the Appalachian Development Center.

Dr. Gifford's paper on the subject, "Cora Wilson Stewart and the 'Moonlight School' Movement," is published in Appalachia/America, the proceedings of the 1980 Appalachian Studies Conference. The paper is a scholarly examination of Cora Wilson Stewart and the drive she initiated to stamp out illiteracy in Rowan County in the early 1900s.

"Cora Wilson Stewart had a national impact on American educational progress in the 20th century," said Dr. Gifford. "In many respects, what she did was a prelude to the recent emphasis in adult education,"

An amazing aspect of his six-month research, according to Dr. Gifford, is the number of people who still speak of Mrs. Stewart with reverence, including some who worked with her.

"Mrs. S.D. Foster of Ashland and Mrs. Glenna Flannery Gearhart of Grayson both taught under Mrs. Stewart in the 'moonlight school' movement," said Dr. Gifford. "I just hope this article will help remind other local people of the contribution Cora Wilson Stewart made to this area."

The 'moonlight school' movement, so named because the adult classes were taught at night and the pioneers could travel over the rough roads safely on nights when the moon was shining, has been commemorated by MSU.

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"The one-room school where Mrs. Stewart began her drive to stop illiteracy, the 'Little Brushy School,' is serving as a museum of the movement on the MSU campus," said Dr. Gifford. "Dr. Morris Norfleet, when serving as a vice-president for the university, had the school brought to the campus as a reminder of the famous educational movement Mrs. Stewart began."

Copies of Appalachia/America, published by the Appalachian Consortium Press, are available from Dr. James M. Gifford, AADC, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606/783-4731. The book may be purchased for \$5.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is preparing for summer school with registration for Summer I scheduled on Tuesday, May 26.

Classes for Summer I begin on Wednesday with the term ending June 30.

Summer II registration is scheduled July 6. Classes begin the following day and the term ends with 10 a.m. summer commencement on Friday, Aug. 7.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Dr. James M. Gifford, Morehead State University's coordinator of Appalachian Studies, and assistant director of the Appalachian Development Center, has been named third editor of "Appalink," the newsletter of the Appalachian Studies Conference.

"Appalink," said Dr. Gifford, "has been a communications link among a wide range of regional scholars and practitioners. I hope to continue that communications tradition."

Dr. Gifford was elected to the group's dual position of secretary/newsletter editor at the Appalachian Studies Fourth Annual Conference in Black Mountain, N.C.

The members of the conference represent scholars, students, and social researchers from the south-central Appalachian states. The group organized in 1977 and holds its annual conference in different locations within the southern Appalachian region.

"Appalink" is published three times yearly and communicates with more than 275 members of the Appalachian Studies Conference from 14 states and the District of Columbia.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- All offices at Morehead State University
will be closed for the Memorial Day holiday on Monday, May 25.

Offices will re-open at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, May 26.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- According to an old Appalachian riddle, "The man who makes it doesn't want it; the man who buys it doesn't need it; and, the man who uses it doesn't know it. What is it?"

Verbal folklore like this, along with music, dance and crafts of Appalachia, will be workshop topics during the week-long Heritage Arts Workshop at Morehead State University.

The June 21-26 workshop is part of the University's Fifth Annual Appalachian Celebration, sponsored by the MSU Appalachian Development Center.

The annual celebration of Appalachian culture will bring noted scholars and workshop participants to Morehead from across the nation, according to Heritage Arts Workshop Coordinator Dr. Glenn Fulbright.

"People will be coming from New York City, Maryland, North Carolina, Denver and even a place called American Fork, Utah," said Dr. Fulbright, professor of music at MSU, "And, if they're like past members of the workshops, they will all comment on the beauty of the area."

In addition to coordinating the workshop, Dr. Fulbright instructs a class in the Appalachian art of shaped-note singing. The little-known musical method was once a major part of social life of Appalachia, according to Dr. Fulbright.

"Singing by using shaped notes was common on the frontier," he said. "It was brought to Kentucky with the preachers more than 100 years ago."

Other Appalachian forms of music-making will be taught in classes on dulcimer, recorder, banjo and mandolin plus the Appalachian ballad.

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All together, more than 20 classes on Appalachian culture will be presented in four areas of interest including music, literature, dance and crafts.

Appalachian music include ballads and other songs with noted balladeer Jean Ritchie; shaped-note singing, the fiddle, banjo, bass, the guitar and mandolin, the recorder and the mountain dulcimer,

Literature of Appalachia discussed by scholar and author Dr. Cratis Williams and MSU English professor Dr. Ron Dobler will be in four categories including folk tales, folk games, verbal lore and ballads and their music.

Dances will be taught in the six study areas of mountain squares, American contras, clogging, English country dances, traditional English dances and dance leadership.

Crafts of the region will be presented in dulcimer construction, a week-long project in which participants build an instrument, pottery, weaving, quilting and quilting and painting.

Although participation in the Heritage Arts Workshop isn't necessary to learn that the answer to the riddle is a "coffin," many more bits of the Appalachian Heritage will be discussed during the week. For registration and accomodation information, contact Dr. Glenn Fulbright, coordinator, Heritage Arts Workshop, UPO 735, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606/783-4682.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Five recent Morehead State University graduates have been accepted to continue study at Kentucky law schools.

Accepted by the University of Kentucky of Law School are Donna S. Colley of Grayson. She is a graduate of East Carter High School and is the daughter of Edith Colley of Grayson.

Wayne D. Hood of Ashland and a graduate of Paul Blazer High School. He is the son of Margaret Hood of Greenup and George D. Hood of Ashland.

Anita S. Esham of Vanceburg is a graduate of Lewis County High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack V. Esham of Vanceburg.

Accepted by the Chase Law School at Northern Kentucky University are Matthew Blair of Niles, Ohio and his wife Susan Mowery Blair of Lucasville Ohio. He is a graduate of Niles McKinley High School and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Blair of Niles. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mowery of Lucasville and a graduate of Valley High School.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is hosting two sessions of a Micro Computer Camp/Workshop during July for students entering grades 7-12 in the fall of 1981.

Scheduled July 5-10 for students entering grades 7-9 and July 12-17 for students entering grades 10-12, the camp/workshop will give students hands-on experience in programming the new generation of microcomputers in BASIC.

Since several school systems have purchased the new microcomputers and some teachers have a personal computer, MSU will also conduct a workshop for teachers June 8-26. This workshop will carry three semester hours of academic credit. Listed Data 516: Educational Data Processing, the summer course will meet from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. Monday thru Friday.

The teachers' workshop will focus on programming techniques and applications of microcomputers to instruction.

The July workshops for students will focus on the basics of program writing as well as the use of those basics to write programs. The types of programs the students will write will depend upon their individual interests in addition to writing programs to solve advanced problems in mathematics, play computer games and do computer simulations.

In addition to the classroom-type work, the camp will also include outdoor activities, sports, recreation and other extracurricular activities.

The camp is limited to 24 participants each week. Cost of the camp is \$100 per participant including room and board or \$75 for day camp participants.

MOREHEAD, Ky. ----Dr. William F. White, Morehead State University's vice president for academic affairs since 1978, Saturday was reassigned to a full-time faculty position in psychology, effective July 1.

The reassignment was included in a series of personnel recommendations submitted by MSU President Morris L. Norfleet and approved unanimously by the University's Board of Regents.

Action on the personnel matters followed a two-hour executive session of the board.

Asked by a reporter for his reason for recommending White's move, Dr. Norfleet replied:

"Based on an evaluation of all aspects of the situation, we feel this change is in the best interests of the University."



White, who holds faculty tenure as a full professor, came to MSU from West Chester State College in Pennsylvania.

In other ^{major} personnel actions, the board approved appointment of Dr. Charles J. Pelfrey as interim dean of the School of Humanities, Dr. Kent Freeland as head of the Department of Curriculum and Instruction, Dr. William Bigham as head of the Department of Music, Dr. Harold Rose as head of the Department of Leadership and Foundations and Patricia Needham as associate director of admissions.

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The board approved a \$31.7 million operating budget for 1981-82 with the major thrust being a nine percent salary adjustment applied to faculty and staff salaries.

The new budget, an 11.8 percent increase over last year's budget, reflects a recurring level of state support of \$1,026,700 less than originally approved by the 1980 General Assembly.

Education and general revenues will be \$26.6 million with auxiliary enterprises adding the remaining \$5-million. Educational and general expenditures will be \$24.8 million.

In other action, the board:

* Approved academic rank promotions for 19 faculty members.

* Increased the per semester tuition from \$40 to \$100 at the University's laboratory school beginning in the fall for grades 1-12.

* Agreed to initiate discussions with Martiki Coal Corporation of Martin County concerning a joint research and service project in land use management for agriculture purposes.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- A lunch in Jesse Stuart's neighborhood, W-Hollow and possibly with the famous author himself, and a lecture by Stuart's biographer will highlight Morehead State University's Jesse Stuart Symposium.

The June 25 and 26 symposium will feature one day of lecture and discussion about Stuart and his work as an Appalachian teacher and author. The second day will feature a tour of his Eastern Kentucky home, guided by James Stuart, brother of the author, through the Greenup County area.

The two-day event is part of the Fifth Annual Appalachian Celebration hosted by MSU's Appalachian Development Center. The literary symposium is a first for the celebration, according to Dr. James Gifford, assistant director of the ADC and coordinator of the celebration.

"There has been a class in folk literature as part of previous celebrations," said Dr. Gifford. "But, this is the first full-fledged literary component of the celebration."

The panelists and discussion leaders for the symposium make a list that reads like a "Who's Who" of Appalachian scholars, writers and artists.

Dr. Jim Wayne Miller, professor of English at Western Kentucky University and a leading scholar and poet of the Appalachian region, and Stuart scholar and author Dr. Harold Richardson, presently completing a biography on Stuart and serving as professor at the University of Louisville, are the featured speakers at the symposium.

Kentucky poet Lee Pennington, English professor at Jefferson Community College in Louisville and a former student of Jesse Stuart, will join Murray State University English professor Gerald Herndon and the nation's leading Appalachian scholar, Dr. Cratis Williams, on the discussion panel.

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Other panel members will discuss the cultural and geographical relationships of Stuart's writing, including Dr. Gary Cox, head, Department of Geography at MSU, and Dr. John Spurlock, professor of English at WKU and author of a book on the linguistical approach to Appalachia.

Doug Adams, MSU associate professor of art and presently working on a series of watercolors of Eastern Kentucky based on the writings of Stuart, will be a panelist along with MSU colleagues Dr. Donald Cunningham, professor of English, and Joyce Chaney, assistant professor of English and coordinator of the Jesse Stuart Symposium.

Following the discussions and lectures of the symposium's first day, a dinner is scheduled in the Adron Doran University Center at 5:30 p.m. with Dr. Harold Richardson presenting the keynote address on "Jesse Stuart of W-Hollow" at 7:30 p.m. Dinner tickets are \$4.75 per person.

Additional costs for the symposium include overnight accommodations on the MSU campus at \$8.75 for single occupancy residence hall suite, \$5.25 for double occupancy residence hall suite, \$2.50 for the bus tour of W-Hollow.

The tour is limited to first-come-first-served.

Additional information and registration details are available from Joyce Chaney, Jesse Stuart Symposium, Morehead State University, UPO 857, Morehead, KY 40351.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is among 10 colleges and universities from throughout the United States selected by the Metropolitan Life Foundation to receive major educational awards for 1981, according to Arthur I. Sternhell, Foundation president.

MSU gets \$5,000 to underwrite faculty travel and research related to the continued development of its Appalachian Studies program. Dr. James Gifford of the University's Appalachian Development Center wrote the proposal.

MSU President Morris L. Norfleet accepted the award check from Robert M. Marks of Nashville, Tenn., regional sales manager of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., on behalf of the Metropolitan Life Foundation.

Other institutions receiving awards were Stanford University, the University of California at Berkeley, Duke University, Mississippi State University, Harvey Mudd College, Evergreen State College, Converse College, Whitman College and California State University at Fullerton.

"We are thrilled to be among the great institutions being recognized by the Metropolitan Life Foundation," said President Norfleet, "and we are equally excited about the prospects for our program in Appalachian Studies."

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- On the poster for Morehead State University's Fifth Annual Appalachian Celebration, sponsored by the Appalachian Development Center, is a series of six photographs of a balding, spectacled, bearded man.

He is gesturing energetically. In another photo, he is holding a forefinger up beside each of his ears, as though imitating the long ears of a mule. In all the photos, the face is a perfect portrait of warmth.

The dynamic person on the poster is Dr. Cratis Williams, the nation's leading Appalachian scholar. For the second year in a row, Dr. Williams will be the scholar-in-residence for the Appalachian Celebration.

"The scholar-in-residence for the Appalachian Celebration will eventually be an honor to be shared by other regional scholars," said Dr. James Gifford, assistant director of the ADC and coordinator of the Celebration.

Dr. Williams, dean of the graduate school at Appalachian State University for 16 years, is a native of Kentucky's Big Sandy Valley. He attended Cumberland College and received bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Kentucky and a doctorate from New York University. His Kentucky background served him well when he wrote his famous doctoral dissertation, "The Southern Mountaineer in Fact and Fiction."

The 1,600-page work has been called the "most comprehensive and valuable work on Southern Highland literature." Dr. Williams spent eight years researching and writing the dissertation, for which he received a citation for distinguished scholarship from the Board of Regents of New York University.

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During the Celebration (June 22-27), Dr. Williams will be involved in a variety of activities. He will teach a class in ballads, storytelling and collecting techniques for the Heritage Arts Workshop; will present a program on Appalachian culture for the Elderhostel Workshop; and will present a public lecture/concert on Appalachian ballads on June 22 at 7 p.m. in the Duncan Recital Hall.

The presentation will be combination lecture/concert because Dr. Williams is not one to make a musical point by conversation. If a ballad needs singing to demonstrate a point, he will sing it.

Additional information on America's foremost Appalachian scholar is available from Dr. James Gifford, MSU, ADC, Morehead, KY 40351 or by calling 606/783-4731.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- In-coming freshmen at Morehead State University and their parents will have an opportunity to visit the campus, meet faculty and administrators, discuss academic programs and register for fall semester classes during the Summer Orientation Early-Registration Conference June 15, 17, 19.

Activities will begin each morning at 9 a.m. with program registration followed at 9:30 a.m. by a welcome from MSU President Morris L. Norfleet. A University life presentation is scheduled at 10 a.m.

Beginning at 10:30 a.m., the parents' program will include a coffee, faculty-student panel, lunch, campus tours and information question/answer sessions.

The students will begin at 10:30 a.m. with a faculty/student panel followed by advising and registration, academic advising data systems, lunch and advising and registration.

Advising and registration for the students will begin at 1 p.m. each date.

Additional information is available from MSU's Admissions Office at 606/783-3117 or by calling toll free in Kentucky 1-800-262-7474.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Twenty-four Morehead State University students were recently initiated into MSU's chapter of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, men's social fraternity.

Kentuckians include:

James J. Brown, Prestonsburg; John C. Bennett, Frankfort; Kevin L. Brown, South Shore; Robert A. Chinn, South Portsmouth; Roy J. Downey, Mt. Sterling; Barry G. Ellington, Derek A. Flora and Mark S. Patrick, all of Morehead; Kevin S. Johnson and Phillip L. Preston, Stanton; David M. Maddox, Ashland; Kenneth J. Mullins, Vicco; Steven L. Roberts, Irvine.

Initiates from Ohio include:

Thomas E. Britton, Jr., Mason; Bud D. Brown, South Point; Christopher J. Casterline and Mark E. Nagel, Dayton; Kirk W. Doebrich and Thomas M. Rastani, Cincinnati; John J. Greenwood, Kettering; Kenneth R. Imhoff, Millville; Michael M. Shafer, Cambridge; John A. McCoy, Hamilton.

Also, Duncan J. Owens of Jacksonville, Fla.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Six Morehead State University students have joined the list of elite individuals accepted to Kentucky medical schools.

Individuals selected include:

- * Myra Collins of West Liberty -- University of Kentucky School of Medicine.
- * Brenca Castle of Prestonsburg -- University of Kentucky School of Medicine.
- * Carol Kulp of Campbellsville -- University of Louisville School of Medicine.
- * Jim Noble of Beattyville -- University of Kentucky School of Medicine.
- * Mauverine Hall of Morehead -- University of Kentucky School of Medicine.
- * Michael Watts of Louisville -- University of Louisville School of Medicine.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Dr. Bill Weikel, assistant professor of education at Morehead State University, has been named president-elect of the American Mental Health Counselors Association (AMHCA).

AMHCA is a 6,000-member division of the American Personnel and Guidance Association.

Dr. Weikel, a native of Croydon, Pa., came to MSU in 1975 from the University of Florida where he earned a doctoral degree in counseling. He received his bachelor's degree from Temple University and Master's from the University of Scanton.

Dr. Weikel previously served as editor of the American Mental Health Counselors Association Journal.

During the coming year, he says the AMHCA will be concerned with two major projects.

"We'll be looking at counselor licensure which is only a reality in three states at present and third party payment for counseling services," Dr. Weikel stated.

The Weikels reside in Flemingsburg.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Stephanie Parr of Bellevue was named governor of the 1981 Kentucky Girls State during recent ceremonies at Morehead State University.

More than 350 high school coeds have been participating in the week-long event at MSU. The 35th annual event is sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, Department of Kentucky.

Other elected officers include:

Kach Hardy of Paducah, lieutenant governor; Keri Scaggs of Ashland, secretary of state; Dyanne Gaillard of Ft. Knox, superintendent of public instruction; Terry Stanley of Louisville, attorney general; Iris Warren of Ft. Knox, treasurer; Jean Ward of Ashland, auditor; and Robin Davenport of Harrodsburg, secretary of agriculture.

The annual event is a week-long study of local and state government functions and operations.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Formal or informal, band or bard, scheduled or impromptu, whatever your musical taste, Morehead State University's Fifth Annual Appalachian Celebration will have it all.

The June 21-27 celebration, sponsored by MSU's Appalachian Development Center, will feature formal dances, folk-style, concerts by the McLain Family Band and Jean Ritchie, and impromptu music sprouting like wild flowers during the week.

On Tuesday, June 23 at 12 p.m., the McLain Family Band, fresh from their performance on National Public Radio's "The Prairie Home Companion" show, will play on the lawn of MSU's Camden-Carroll Library. They will perform again at 8 p.m. in the Crager Room of the Adron Doran University Center. The evening concert will be followed by a dance.

For the bard lover, internationally-known ballad singer Jean Ritchie will present a concert on Saturday, June 27, at 8 p.m. The Viper native will sing traditional songs she learned as a child from her family. Her performance will also be followed by a dance.

Also, an expert on traditional music, Edna Ritchie Baker, sister of Jean, will perform and discuss the music of the area during the celebration's workshops.

Noted Appalachian scholar Dr. Cratis Williams will also be discussing and performing traditional music. He will sing and lecture on the singing of Appalachian ballads on Monday, June 22, at 7 p.m., in the Adron Doran University Center.

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For the fan of scheduled and impromptu music, classes and discussion groups, and spontaneous outbursts of music and singing, will be led by a number of other traditional musicians.

Dr. Ron Dobler, professor of English at MSU, will be joined by colleagues, Dr. Glenn Fulbright, professor of music, Leo Blair, assistant professor of music, and Ray Ross, assistant professor of music, in workshops on traditional music and instruments.

Other musical experts include Steve Hickman, Edie Weatherford, Cindy Foley, Genevieve Shimer, Bob Dalsemer, and former MSU faculty member and dulcimer maker, Bill Bryant.

All concerts and dances are free and open to anyone with an ear or a foot for it.

Additional information is available from Dr. Glenn Fulbright, Coordinator, Heritage Arts Workshop, UPO 735, MSU, Morehead, KY 40351.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- The present and future housing needs, the status of public schools and promising industries are some of the topics to be explored at the Eastern Kentucky Development Conference on Wednesday, June 24, at Morehead State University.

The conference, to begin at 9 a.m. in Reed Hall Auditorium, will "look ahead at problems and opportunities in Eastern Kentucky" according to Robert Cornett, director of MSU's Appalachian Development Center. The conference will be sponsored by the ADC.

Several workshops related to integrated but varied topics constitute the day-long conference. The County Coal Coalition, an organization of Eastern Kentucky counties with coal industries, will hold a business meeting following the workshops.

Following a general introductory session presenting a general overview of present Eastern Kentucky conditions, based on recent research by the ADC, workshops will be held on housing, schools, health care, highways, city and county government services, industry and business services in the region.

The housing workshop will focus on questions of present needs, ways to meet the present and anticipated needs and where the funds will come from to meet housing needs. The Kentucky Housing Corporation, Eastern Kentucky Builders, and the federal agency of Housing and Urban Development will attend and share in the housing discussion.

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School problems and questions about educational quality, facilities, and construction needs will be topics of the workshop on education in Eastern Kentucky. Representatives from the state Department of Education, MSU School of Education and local school superintendents will analyze Eastern Kentucky's educational system.

The Kentucky Department of Human Resources, the Appalachian Regional Hospitals, Inc., the Eastern Kentucky Health Systems Agency, and other local health-care specialists will discuss the area's needs and present conditions in health care. The workshop on health care will address the impact of federal cutbacks, among other concerns.

The transportation conditions of Eastern Kentucky, good and bad, will be the subject of members of the Kentucky Department of Transportation and local officials. Again, both present and projected needs or problems will be topics.

The conference will also feature in-depth workshops on Eastern Kentucky industry, business services, and local government services. Representatives from the Kentucky Department of Commerce, ADC, and local government officials and businessmen will be a part of the workshops.

The experts at all the workshops are for clarification of the problems, present and anticipated, of the subjects they cover. The workshops are open for any interested individuals.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Processing and marketing Eastern Kentucky forestry products will be the subject of a special conference at Morehead State University on Tuesday, June 23.

The objective of the one-day meeting, according to Jim Kurz, assistant director of business development at MSU's Appalachian Development Center, is to "provide entrepreneurs with information about Eastern Kentucky forest products' manufacturing opportunities."

The conference, sponsored by ADC and the Mountain Association for Community Economic Development, Inc., of Berea, will be held in B.F. Reed Hall on the MSU campus.

A number of forest-product experts from throughout the Appalachian region will discuss problems of interest to potential businessmen in the forestry industry.

Two faculty members from the University of Kentucky will discuss the "Market Opportunities for Low-Grade East Kentucky Hardwoods." Don Graves and Stan Carpenter, of UK's Department of Forestry, will discuss the economic possibilities of producing wood chips, pallet lumber, and other products from hardwood.

A specialist in the marketing of dimension lumber, Vince Ross of Ross and Associates in Asheville, N.C., will discuss the industry from the beginning businessman's point of view. He will analyze markets, processing systems, raw materials and the capital investments needed to begin a business.

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"Exporting Opportunities for Kentucky's Forest Products" will be presented by Don Henderson, of the U.S. Department of Commerce, and Bob Jelley, a member of the Kentucky Department of Commerce.

To assist entrepreneurs in marketing Kentucky's hardwoods, C.J. Lohr, of the Kentucky Division of Forestry, will discuss "Sawing and Processing Yellow Poplar Lumber for Frame and Construction." Lohr will focus on the rapidly-growing market for hardwood building material as softwood supplies decrease.

Two representatives from MACED will discuss other fields of the forest-products industry.

"Planning and Starting a Dry Klin Operation" will be presented by Terry D. Fields, and Joseph Frye will discuss ways to finance a potential business. Fields will discuss the klin operation as a solitary business or in conjunction with a sawmill or manufacturing industry. Frye will discuss strategies for obtaining public or private funds for use in the forestry products business.

Additional information on the conference is available from Jim Kurz, MSU, Appalachian Development Center, Morehead, KY 40351, 606/783-4731 or Terry Fields, MACED, Inc., 213 Short Street, Berea, KY 40303, 606/986-8497.

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MOREHEAD, Ky.---Morehead State University Head Football Coach Steve Loney Monday announced the appointment of Mike Manley as MSU's offensive coordinator.

A veteran of eight years of high school coaching, the 30-year-old Manley comes to MSU from the head coaching position at Ashland Paul Blazer High School where his team posted a 9-4 record last year, his first at the school.

Other stops in Manley's coaching career were head coaching positions at Bullitt Central High School, St. James (Mo.) High School, and an assistant's position at Mt. Sterling High School, where he also served as head basketball coach.

"It was a goal for me to coach on the collegiate level," stated Manley. "The fact that it is close to my hometown of Mt. Sterling is a very positive point."

He continued:

"I think we're on the threshold of making things happen at MSU. I'm very impressed with Coach Loney. We share a similar philosophy and that's important to me."

According to Loney, Manley will help the Eagle program immediately in two ways.

"I feel he'll bring to us an overall knowledge of offensive football that will give us a tremendous lift," Loney stated. "The fact that he has been a winner proves that point."

He added:

"Mike grew up and coached in Eastern Kentucky, and we feel that will be a big help to us in recruiting top athletes in this area."

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A 1973 graduate of Anderson College, Manley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Manley of Mr. Sterling. He is married to the former Joanie Taylor of Chicago. They have a son and daughter.

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Morehead State University's Child Development Laboratory will be accepting admission applications for children 3-5 years of age from June 23 through July 17 on a first-come, first-served basis.

The full-day operation begins Aug. 21 and ends May 21, 1982, with classes Monday through Friday from 7:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The laboratory is an interdisciplinary program of the Schools of Education and Applied Sciences and Technology.

For more information, contact Karen Hammons at 784-7479 between 8 a.m. and noon or after 5 p.m. on weekdays.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Department of Music will host a Church Music Workshop from July 6 through 10.

The week-long workshop in Baird Music Hall includes music of the liturgical year, the organ's place in worship, organization and equipment for handbell choirs, and repertoire for children and adult choirs, organ and handbells.

Classes are scheduled each weekday from 1 p.m. until 4:30 p.m.

Individual instruction is available in organ, harpsichord, and voice. Instructors for the workshop are Lucretia Stetler, assistant professor of music, and Vašile Venettozzi, associate professor of music.

Workshop tuition for persons not enrolled at MSU is \$50. Housing is available in campus residence halls for \$5 per day. Registration will be July 6.

For more information, contact Mrs. Venettozzi at (606) 783-3242.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University will be closed
Friday, July 3, in observance of Independence Day.

Office hours will resume at 8 a.m. on Monday, July 6,
with registration for MSU's Summer Session II at the Laughlin
Health Building.

Summer II classes begin July 7.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- It's nothing more than a geography class outside, according to Dr. Roland Burns, associate professor of geography at Morehead State University. He was describing this Saturday's planned tour of the Red River Gorge in conjunction with MSU's Appalachian Celebration.

Scheduled from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., the tour will include visits to Cave Run Reservoir, the Natural Bridge and Sky Bridge areas of the Gorge, and the general Gorge area. The return trip will swing through the eastern Bluegrass around Mt. Sterling.

Dr. Burns, a leader of more than 75 tours through the Gorge area, says the trip is planned to show the "rough, rugged country, the rough people who settled the area, and the roughness that still remains."

"The mountainous terrain of this area is a hard place for people to make a living," he says. "That's in comparison, say, to some of the Bluegrass region. We've done well considering the type of land we've had to live on."

Though the roughness of the land will be a part of the tour, Dr. Burns says the beauty of the Gorge will also be a major part of the trip. The virgin forest of the Gorge's Tight Hollow, one of only three tracts of uncut timber in the state, will be a major stop on the trip.

"Some of the hemlock trees in Tight Hollow would take three men, arms outstretched and fingers touching, to reach around their trunks," he says. "And there are yellow poplars in there that would probably take four men to reach around."

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Though Dr. Burns has been into Tight Hollow dozens of times, the beauty is never lessened. Members of his geography classes are awestruck by the beauty, too.

"Some of the trees are 450 to 600 years old," he says. "When I take freshmen classes down there, the constant talking is suddenly lowered to a whisper."

The tour will also visit Sky Bridge and Natural Bridge, where visitors can see in the general direction of the "lost" John Swift Silver Mine. Burns says he believes the mine is really there somewhere.

"Sometime, some hiker will notice a blackened rock, which will be due to corrosion, and will pick up a piece of it and hit it against something," he says. "Then the silver will show through."

The cost of the tour is \$8 per person, plus the expense of lunch at Natural Bridge State Park. For more information, contact Dr. Roland Burns at (606) 783-3187.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Kathryn Parker of Wilmore, a graduate student in communications at Morehead State University, will appear as hostess of her own national television show airing in September.

Miss Parker, the 1979 Miss Kentucky and a graduate of Asbury College, has interrupted her studies to join the Christian Broadcasting Network (CBN). Her syndicated, half-hour show from Virginia Beach, Va., will be shot on location.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parker of Wilmore, she began her career in television as a student newscaster at MSU.

She also was master of ceremonies for the 1981 Miss MSU Scholarship Pageant.

Miss Parker was employed at MSU as a graduate assistant in the Personal Development Institute, Division of Admissions and Office of Development.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Robert E. Brumfield, a junior pre-law major from Nancy, has been awarded a two-year Army ROTC scholarship at Morehead State University.

The scholarship pays for tuition and fees and provides a \$100 monthly allowance during his next two academic years.

Scholarship students are commissioned as second lieutenants upon graduation and completion of the ROTC program and must serve four years on active duty.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University is hosting a Water Treatment Workshop July 6 through 10.

The five-day event includes classroom sessions covering the basic bacteria content control of water and required mathematics for formulating water purifying chemicals.

The workshop instructor is Ken Howard of the Kentucky Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Protection.

Examinations for the state water treatment license are scheduled at the close of the workshop.

More information is available from Roger Hilderbrand, MSU Power Plant Manager, at (606) 783-3116.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Ricky J. Harper, a junior veterinary technology major from River, has been awarded a two-year Army ROTC scholarship at Morehead State University.

The scholarship pays for tuition and fees and provides a \$100 monthly allowance during his next two academic years.

Scholarship students are commissioned as Army second lieutenants upon graduation and completion of the ROTC program and must serve four years on active duty.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- In terms of numbers of students, Morehead State University is experiencing one of the most productive summers in its 59-year history.

University Registrar Gene A. Ranvier has reported the largest enrollment ever for a five-week summer session and Dr. Rondal D. Hart, director of admissions, has announced that pre-registration of incoming freshmen for the fall semester has surpassed the previous mark and probably will go higher.

Since converting to a summer calendar of two five-week terms instead of a single eight-week session after 1976, MSU's best Summer I enrollment had been the 2,199 of 1980. However, this year's Summer I final count is 2,294, according to Ranvier.

Registration for MSU's second summer session is scheduled Monday, July 6, with classes starting the next day.

Based on the summer pre-registration total of 1,008 for three days with the final session set for July 24, MSU apparently is headed for its fifth straight increase in new freshmen students for the fall semester, Dr. Hart said.

"Higher numbers in the summer pre-registration and orientation program have always been followed by increases in the total figures for the fall," he stated. "This is the first time we have had more than 1,000 students pre-register in the first three days. And we are hopeful of another 200 on July 24."

"At a time when many institutions are faced with a decline in enrollment, we are heartened by these summer statistics," said MSU President Morris L. Norfleet. "We interpret the growth as evidence that the University is meeting the needs of its constituents."

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Nestled within the Daniel Boone National Forest against a backdrop of green, rolling hills, the stage is set. Could anyone imagine a more picturesque setting for Broadway musicals than the shore of a lake in Eastern Kentucky?

For the last two summers, Cave Run Lake near Morehead has been the site of five such productions.

It was the summer of 1979 when Morehead State University, the Morehead Tourism Commission and the U.S. Forest Service combined resources for the first season of "Drama on the Lake." A temporary stage was constructed on the beach by MSU students and faculty members at the Twin Knobs Recreation Area. Of 10 scheduled performances of "South Pacific" and "Pippin," only three were rained out.

"A storm on July 4th flattened the entire set," recalls Dr. Jack Wilson, head of MSU's Department of Communications. "But we got up the next morning, rebuilt, and the show went on as scheduled."

The second season brought forth productions of "Shenandoah," "Fiddler on the Roof," and "Finian's Rainbow" and the idea of Cave Run Lake Musical Theatre was endorsed by nearly 7,000 spectators in two summers.

Visitors from as far away as Colorado and Missouri have attended the productions.

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From that first temporary set in 1979, a concession booth, semi-permanent stage and lighting have been added. In addition, the amphitheatre's seating capacity has been doubled to 400.

"We're working this year to improve the seating by leveling it off at the steepest points," Dr. Wilson added. "And, beginning this year, we'll have reserved seating for our guests."

And the summer of 1981 promises to be bigger and better than ever.

Scheduled are Rodgers and Hammerstein's "Carousel," Irving Berlin's "Annie Get Your Gun," and a musical spoof of old-time operetta entitled "Little Mary Sunshine."

Cave Run Musical Theatre is produced, directed, acted and managed by MSU students, faculty and staff with the help of volunteers from throughout the area. Students receive academic credit for their work or are paid minimum wage through MSU's work-study program.

Faculty and staff members supporting the productions have increased twofold from the first season, improving the quality and professionalism of the shows.

"One of our goals this season is to get area civic and service organizations more involved," Dr. Wilson added.

This summer's 37 scheduled performances bring economic, educational and cultural benefits to the Cave Run area, the theatre sponsors maintain.

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"According to a survey taken last season, nearly 40 percent of those attending the shows stayed overnight in the immediate area," says Reuel Buchanan, publicity director of Cave Run Musical Theatre.

He continued:

"Using this percentage against the total attendance, there was a minimum additional income in the area of \$97,000 during the 1980 season from lodging alone."

That same survey indicated that 94 percent of the audiences intend to return for the 1981 productions.

"We anticipate that our attendance could increase by 3,500 to 4,000 new people this season," Buchanan added.

Opening night for the 1981 season is Friday, June 26, at the Twin Knobs Recreations Area at Cave Run Lake off Ky. 801. Performances are scheduled each Wednesday through Saturday night at 8:30.

The telephone number for reservations is (606)783-2170.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Bobby J. Belknap, a junior pre-med student from Vine Grove, has been awarded a two-year Army ROTC scholarship at Morehead State University.

The scholarship pays for tuition and fees and provides a \$100 monthly allowance during his next two academic years.

Scholarship students are commissioned as Army second lieutenants upon graduation and completion of the ROTC program and must serve four years on active duty.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University's Summer II registration is set for Monday, July 6, in the Crager Room of the Adron Doran University Center.

Students may register between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. The registration previously was scheduled in the Laughlin Health Building.

Classes begin Tuesday, July 7, at 8 a.m.

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MOREHEAD, Ky. --- Morehead State University President Morris L. Norfleet has been elected to a two-year term as board chairman of the Jesse Stuart Foundation, Inc.

Organized in 1979, the Foundation is dedicated to preserving the legacy of Jesse Stuart, his birthplace at W-Hollow and the Appalachian way of life.

Primary activities include the preservation of the Stuart homestead in Greenup County and perpetuation of Mr. Stuart's literary works.

Dr. Norfleet previously served as a member of the Foundation's Board of Directors and was among the founders of the organization.

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