

GSC Students Excel Student Congress at Art Show

From Feb. 19 - Mar. 2, GSC hosted its Student Art Show. The show consisted of various types of art, ranging form oil and acrylic paintings to sculptures and other pieces of art. Everyone seemed pleased with the submissions, including Duane Chapman, Visiting Assistant Professor of Art, who notes, "The pieces that we got this year were very eclectic, and I was pleased with how everything turned out."

During this time, awards were given out to students with interesting pieces of art. Jurors Gary Gillispie and Gary Coberly had their hands full with judging such wonderful art, but they decided on the following students:

1ª place: Keith Moyers (untitled abstract oil painting)

2nd place: John Criss [untitled acrylic painting (waterfall)]

3rd place: Abbie Burge (Sculpture entitled "Build it up, Tear it down")

Other artists who received honorable mentions for their work include:

> Erica Backus Julie Snider x 2 Blair Fisher Donna Fox Gwen Harmon John Church Angie Baker Pat Wilmoth Bridgette Simpson Rieko Matsuba John Criss

This year's show has included an impressive and vast collection of art. "In the four years that I have been here as Visiting Assistant Professor of Art, this is without question the best art show yet," said Chapman.

It was indeed a wonderful display of artwork, and congratulations to all the winners and students.

Election Results

2001-2002

President	Brandon Riffle
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International Representative	Riki Takahara
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	Andy Laible
	Heath Pattison
	Richard Vance
	Jerry Strader
	Tim Murray
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Calendar of Events March & April Activities

March

22 - Hypnotist Frederick Winters, 8:00 PM, Administration Building Auditorium

Golf, Oxbow Spring Invitational

23 - Womens Study Conference

Golf, Oxbow Spring Invitational

30 - Golf, Camp Lejeune Intercollegiate Cherry Point, NC

Teacher Education Interview Day

70's ROCK, 7:00 PM, Administration Building Auditorium

31 - Golf, Camp Lejeune, Intercollegiate Cherry Point, NC

April

1 - National Holocaust Day Golf, Camp Lejeune Intercollegiate, Cherry Point, NC

3 - Golf, WVIAC Southern Regional, Pipestem

4 - Golf, WVIAC Southern Regional, Pipestem

Spring Football Game, 7:00 PM, Pioneer Stadium

5 - Percussion Ensemble, 8:00 PM, Reservations Required, Fine Arts Auditorium

6 - Percussion Ensemble, 8:00 PM, Reservations Required, Fine Arts Auditorium

7 - Golf, Millersville, PA Invitational

Percussion Ensemble, 8:00 PM, Reservations Required, Fine Arts Auditorium

10 - Brass & Woodwind Concert,

8:00 PM, Free, Fine Arts Auditorium 12 - Spring Recess - No Classes

> 13 - Spring Recess - No Classes 16 - 20 GSC Week

16 - Golf, WVIAC Northern Regional, Wheeling

Student Recital, 4:00 PM, Free, Fine Center Recital Hall

> 17 - Field Day Ice Cream 11-1

Golf WVIAC Northern Regional, Wheeling

Choir Concert, 8:00 PM., Free, Fine Arts Auditorium

18 - Coffee House, 7:00 PM, Heflin Student Union Snack Bar

Student Recital, 4:00 PM, Free, Fine Arts Center Recital Hall

> 19 - Ice Cream 11-1 Faculty vs. Students Volleyball

Leadership Symposium 20 - Ice Cream 11-1 Bluegrass Concert, 7:00 PM, Admission Charge, Fine Arts Audito-

21 - Alumni Day

23 - Golf, WVIAC Championships, Cacapon State Park, Berkley Springs

Student Recital, 4:00 PM, Free, Fine Arts Center Recital Hall

24 - Golf, WVIAC Championships, Cacapon State Park, Berkley Springs

Band Concert, 8:00 PM, Free, Fine Arts Auditorium

25 - Secretary's Day

25 - Career Fair Golf, WVIAC Championships,

Cacapon State Park, Berkley Springs 26 - Behavioral Science Training Seminar, 9:00 AM

30 - Last Day of Classes Final Exams

Student Teacher Exit Day Jazz Band Concert, 8:00 PM, Free, Fine Arts Auditorium

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Criminal Justice Classes Tour Juvenile Correctional Facilities

The Criminal Justice classes of Daniel Gutierrez and Dawn Schiebner toured the West Virginia Industrial Home for Youth in Salem, W. Va. and Pressley Ridge Schools in Walker, W. Va. On Tues., Mar. 13. The tour exemplified the vast differences between correctional facilities, their purposes, their methods of operation, and the people who are employed at the facilities.

The original facilities of the West Virginia Industrial Home for Youth were built in the 1800's and were used only to house wayward girls. In the 1980's they started housing both boys and girls. The age range of incarcerated boys is from 10 to 18 years of age, and for girls it is 12 to 18 years of age. The average age of the juveniles currently housed in the facility is 16. The average program for the individual juvenile ranges from six to nine months, although some are kept for a longer period of time. They have a new facility which is only six months old, having been operational since December 2000. It is complete with razor wire and chain link fences, security gates, security cameras, electronic doors, and internal guard stations; it houses every juvenile from third offense shoplisters to multiple murders. The West Virginia Industrial Home for Youth falls under the authority of the Division of Juvenile Services (West Virginia Military Affairs and Public Safety) and is the only maximum security facility for juveniles in West Virginia. Its original capacity was 124 children; however it now has the capacity to house 324 children. This facility is the last option for juvenile multiple offenders that have run the entire course of options in the correctional system.

The West Virginia Industrial Home for Youth operates an accredited Johnston school. Children attend school all year with the exception of approximately a week during the summer; however, this is only to give the teachers a break. The students complete courses that would be given in regular public schools, after which transcripts of their credit hours are sent to their original school. Most of these schools will issue a diploma to the child after completion of all required high school courses. Those completing the equivalent of a high school education are then eligible to take accredited college courses of up to 16 credit hours from Salem International University, and there is also a licensed culinary arts school that teaches every aspect of the restaurant business on the facility grounds.

The juveniles incarcerated at this facility are classified according to a four phase system within the facility. Level One is the worst and Level Four is the best. Each new arrival starts out at Level Two. Behavior determines what level they retain, and each phase advancement brings added responsibilities and privilege. The exceptions are adult commitments, which all start out at Level One. Adult commitments are juveniles who have been sentenced, and will serve time past their 18th birthday. Upon reaching

their 18th birthday they are adjudicated out into the adult correctional system.

There are six units within this facility. All new admissions are sent to the Admissions and Orientation Unit, with the exception of the girls. This unit is strict, structured and disciplined in a military style. This unit attempts to instill self esteem, pride, cooperation, responsibility, and the necessity of adhering to the facility's rules and regulations. The General Population Unit houses the majority of the juveniles. The Adult Commitment Unit is for those who will be transferred to adult correctional facilities upon their 18th birthday. The Female Unit houses female diagnostics, girls admitted for a 30-day diagnostic analysis, and regular commitments. The Male Diagnostic Unit houses boys admitted for 30-day diagnostic analysis. Kids are sent to the diagnostic units when a judge cannot decide what punishment is appropirate. Diagnostics serve to determine what punishment would be appropriate for the juvenile. Finally, the Behavioral Unit houses problem kids who are uncontrollable or have committed an offense such as assault while in the facility. The Behavioral Unit is comparative to solitary confinement in adult facilities. These juveniles are out of their cells only one hour a day out for recreation. The comparison of this unit to solitary confinement in adult facilities finds them identical even down to the slot in the door through which they receive their 100u.

The West Virginia Industrial Home for Youth operates on the principal of security, custody, and control. The facility punishes offenders by incarceration. They are not a treatment facility. Juveniles who complete diagnostics indicating they would require treatment are sent out of state to a Level 4 treatment facility. Level 4 facility means that it is a secured facility. This costs the state of West Virginia approximately \$100,000 a year per child. A large part of those sent out of state to treatment facilities are sex offenders and those with diagnosed mental disorders. Recidivism for juveniles leaving this facility is around 5%, but this rate has been attributed in part to juveniles becoming adult offenders as of the age of 18 years and to homicide or suicide.

Matthew Biggie, Assistant Superintendent of Operations for The West Virginia Industrial Home for Youth, was very informative as our tour guide through the facility. He is a retired U.S. Marine and has been in corrections business for over 30 years. Mr. Biggie informed us all that this is the first job where he worked with juveniles, and it has really opened his eyes, having been at the facility for several years now. He indicated that the field of juvenile corrections has gained more attention in the past several years, and it is becoming just as prominent as adult corrections. When Maryanne Gelsi asked Mr. Biggie what he found most rewarding about the job, he replied "The most re-

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Tech Notes: Human Cloning

Well it has finally come to this point in human history. You want to clown around, so you go ahead and make a dozen fertilized embryos of Red Skelton, Emmet Kelly or Robin Will-

iams.

You get a dozen or so eager volunteer families who have the embryo implanted in the women and then they raise the offspring for 20 years. Then you bring in the clones and check to see if you have produced any clowns from the group. How is that for a ge-

netic experiment?!!

Most people have not been aware that human cloning has been sneaking up on us for the last 20 years or so. That the road to human and animal cloning began with the development of In Vitro Fertizalition in 1978. The birth of Louise Brown (the world first "test tube baby" as the British papers labeled the event), was a minor miracle to childless married people across the world.

Human cloning is a real issue of today. It is a major human technological achievement in this age of biologi-

cal achievement.

At this point to say that, cloning of a human is frightening to people. It implies in a way of God-like control over the process of how children can be conceived. This process of cloning is maybe moving towards the day when you will be able to pick and choose the genetic makeup of your child. This issue of genetic screening and choosing a child's genetic makeup before birth could certainly arouse the passion similar to the abortion issue.

Wired Magazine has declared that somewhere in the United States, Western Europe or Japan within the next 12 months a human being will be cloned.

Depending on your personal viewpoint, you are either shocked and uninterested by the coming event of human cloning, or you are uninterested and not shocked, or maybe just uninformed.

Well folks, human cloning is a major technological milestone. However given the human race's propensity to monkey with animal genes and generally exterminate everything that doesn't eat us, cloning is not that big of an issue. "Why?", you may ask, is it not that big of an issue?

First of all, most people have probably already met and talked to what is almost the biological equivalent of a

human clone. Think of the time when you saw an identical twin or a picture of an identical twin. Identical twins are very close to what human clones would look like.

Identical twins are not uncommon in families, or in human society, but they are not clones. They are a very close genetic match to their mother and father and very similar to each another. But they still have a basic genetic difference that a clone would not possess.

Clones would be identical right down to the last gene of the two donors of sperm and egg. We have not reached the stage of picking and choosing which genes go into the babies nucleus before birth. But the possibility certainly needs to be considered and talked about now.

This process has advanced to such a point and the process of separating genetic material from human cells that cloning has literally become the next leap in reproductive technology.

The ethics of this technology certainly need to be discussed and thought

The promise of cloning is very broad. Cloning exact genetic matches of people also transfers to animals. Manipulation of the genetic code allows you to recreate extinct animals or possibly people. How about a dozen or so Einsteins reborn? How about a replacement organ grown in order to replace your defective heart, liver, lungs or other soft organs, and possibly entire limbs?

As with everything, there is a downside. Just imagine a dozen notorious leaders producing havoc around the country. Then there is "The Universal Soldier" concept. A government takes the genetic material from say a dozen or so of the best soldiers in the armed forces. Then "this unnamed government" would make 5,000 copies of their genetic material. Then "this government" selects say 5,000 surrogate mothers to have the children and raise the boys for God and country.

Do this for say three, four, or even 10 generations and you have the nucleus of a very good army.

This is the progress that human cloning promises.

Correction Notice

The Wesley Center story published in the Feb 27, 2001 edition of The Mercury contained an error in the headline.

Chapel on Wednesdays is not at night, it is from 11:45 a.m - 1:00 p.m..

We apologize for any confusion.

The Mercury Staff

What's Going On In Student Congress???

Congress meeting was a very Life no later than the fourth full short session. To start the Con- week of the second semester. gressional Forum, Ernest Section 11 Requirements set up on the sides of the road below the Heflin Center. Student follows: Activities Director Angie Reagan stated that the road past the President's House is to become as Pioneer. one way because the addition of the elevator to the Science Hall made the road too narrow and hazardous for two lanes of traffic. Congress member John Ratliff spoke of the confusion this would create and notes, "I can see accidents already happening from this."

LBH Representative Samuel Berhe wanted to know why the heat has not been turned off in LBH because students were complaining how hot it was. Residence Life Director Jerry Burkhammer stated that the heat has not been turned off because "It is supposed to snow again and with the way our heating system is, you just can't turn it on and off easily." International Representative Andy Liable remarked that he "would rather open a window than freeze in my room."

Nathan Calvert talked about the candy machines around campus and said they have not been functioning properly and should have been repaired six months ago because they have been taking people's money.

After the Congressional Forum, Congress members agreed to vote on the following proposed changes to their Constitution:

Article III Section 3- Residence Hall Representatives will be elected by the Governing Board of each residence hall in the fall semester. There will be one male and one female representative from Pickens Hall and one male and female representative from Pioneer Village.

1- Each member of the Student Congress shall be entitled to one vote with the exception of the President who shall only vote in the event of a tie.

Article VI Elections, Section 2- Any eligible student wishing to run for a general Student Congress office shall submit his/

The Wed., Mar. 14 Student her name to the SC via Student

Kingdon mentioned the barriers for Pioneer and Musket Presentation achievement shall be as

- · Candidates must have earned at least sophomore status
- The introduction to Section 11 and Section 3 of Article VII is being struck.
- Under Article VIII Powers and Duties, number one under Section 1 entitled President was struck and added: "To give Presidential Report at each SC meeting. "
- Under Section 2 Vice President, Congress added: To preside over all regular meetings of the SC, and to perform such duties as belonging to the office of the Vice President not here defined.
- In Section 5- Parliamentarian they added: To assume the duties of the Vice President in his/ her absence.
- Section 2 under Article XIV was completely struck with Section 3 to take its place.

Under Section 3-Penalties, description will go as follows:

 The President of each campus group is the administrative head of it and is its spokesperson for this group. Failure to work cooperatively with the Student Congress may result in penalizing the organization.

After these proposed changes were read, each amendment was voted on individually and the motion was made to carry all of them and amend the official Constitution with the above changes.

In other business, the Behavorial Science Club was voted as an official campus organization as well as the - Roundtable of Red Robes.

Congress Member Brandy Article V-Voting, Section Sandy reminded everyone that the next meeting is the last one before the new elected congress is installed. Vice President for Student Life, Cheryl McKinney then proceeded to pass out invitations for Congress Members to attend the Installation Ceremony. After that the March 14 Congress meeting adjourned.

APPLICATION FOR "STUDENT MARSHALS"

You are invited to apply for the honorary position of Student Marshal at Glenville State College. Candidates for Student Marshal must be in "good standing" within the college community, have a GPA of 3.0 or better and represent the values set forth in the Glenville State College Oath of Academic Excellence as listed below:

Oath of Academic Excellence

As a member of the Glenville State College community I dedicate myself to the pursuit of intellectual, cultural, personal and social growth. To show this commitment I affirm the following:

Freedom of Speech

I will respect the right of others to express themselves as guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States.

Civil and Human Rights

I pledge to protect the civil and human rights of my fellow students, the faculty, staff and administrators and all members of our College community.

Cultivation of Character

I pledge that I will continue to develop virtues such as courage, compassion, humility, honesty and loyalty.

Academic Integrity

I will dedicate myself to the on-going pursuit of knowledge and truth.

Diversity

I will respect the integrity of each person and value individuals for their contributions, which enrich our community.

Social Responsibility

I will contribute to the Glenville State College community and leave our College a better place for my having been here.

Consideration of Others

I will demonstrate concern for the welfare of others and I will respect the dignity of all persons.

Ten Student Marshals will be appointed by the President of the College based upon recommendations from the Vice President for Student Life and the Provost for the Community and Technical College. Appointments to this prestigious position will be for a period of one year with renewals possible as long as the Student Marshal meets the guidelines as stated above. The names of Student Marshals will appear in all programs in which they

participate. Duties of the Student Marshal include:

- carrying GSC banners at Commencement, Convocation and other special ceremonies
- · assisting the faculty marshals with Commencement and Convocation duties
- · other special duties as designated by the President or Faculty Marshals during formal occasions at the College.

To apply, please submit an essay (a minimum of one page) describing how you live the values of the Academic Oath of Excellence and complete the registration form available in the Office of Student Life. All applications should be returned to the

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Please bring your ad by The Mercury office, located in the basement of the Louis Bennett Hall Residence Hall and we will place your ad in the next edition!

PS: You will need to present your college ID.

Office of Student Life by Mon., Apr. 2.

Office Hours: Thurs. 12:30-2:30 p.m. and Fri. 12:30-4:00 p.m.

FNTERTAINMENT

Read Across America' brings Dr. Suess to GSC

"Read Across America" was celebrated at Glenville State College on Fri., Mar. 2 by the Student Education Association and the community.

Despite the fact that it was a Friday and most GSC students were heading home or to the beach to begin their "spring break," SEA students prepared to entertain the children of Glenville with a Dr. Suess-Read-Aloud. Rows of chairs were put out for parents to sit and relax while children sat at the front the room and the 10 SEA members began the evening by taking turns reading "Oh The Places You'll Go" by Theodore Geisel Suess.

When the story was over, the children were creatively divided into groups by the color of their name tags. Each group went to a different activity station where they were read another Dr. Suess book and then participated in a crafting activity.

There was a station for making green eggs and ham with hard boiled eggs and food coloring, a station where kids painted their feet and made a collage, another where they created tall red

striped hats in resemblance of the one the famous cat wears in the book "Cat in the Hat."

Two other stations consisted of drawing fish and placing colored fish in their appropriate colored area and making book marks. The children went to each station in a rotation. The interest remained throughout the whole event and by the end children were ready to enjoy Dr. Suess cupcakes and other refreshments provided by the SEA. The student of the SEA also had conducted a book drive previous to the event, and they were able to give all the children in attendance two books of their choice.

Sherrie Petrey, president of the SEA stated, "There was a lot of practice and preparation for this event. I believe it was very successful and worthwhile of our time and energy. The parents were very happy with the event." The Student Education Association submitted their project for the Annual Outstanding Chapter Award and the Presidents Award. They will be notified of their placement by April 7.

Frederick Douglass visits GSC for Black History Month

LeCount Holmes came to Glenville State College as Frederick Douglass on Wed., Mar. 28, a Tuckahoe Maryland

slave born in 1817.

Douglass learned to read and write by the time he was eight and was allowed to leave and go to England where he furthered his studies and became an orator. He was the owner and creator of the North Star Newspaper, a publication that attacked the evils of slavery. He also served as a U.S. Marshall in Washington D.C., he was Ambassador of Haiti and author of several books.

Holmes has portrayed Frederick Douglass for four years and in May of 2001 he will be taking his act to England. Holmes states that he has known of Frederick Douglass his "whole life." Tall, witty, and charming Holmes explains that he started "performing for the challenge." He describes Douglass as "a wonderful motivational speaker," but that there is "a great challenge in having to answer all the ques-

tions" asked to him about

Douglass.

Holmes discussed the low turn out of African American students to the performance and blames school systems for not promoting awareness of African American History. He believes, "African Americans don't feel proud of who they are, therefore it's not important to attend these functions." Holmes also went on to say "We are the only race who don't know about our own. A lot of blacks have not been made to feel proud of who they are in this country. Television reflects it, education reflects it, the low turn out tonight reflects it." There was an urgency in his voice when Holmes stated, "You are not free until you can truly be proud of where you came from and who you are."

Holmes had a lot to contribute as the last performer for GSC Black history month and closed the interview with a proclamation that "All races should have a month, showing how all races contributed to

America.

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8 Ball Tournament Sponsored by GSC Snack Bar

There will be a pool tour- trants. nament starting Monday, Mar. 26 in the Heflin Center Snack eree other matches. Bar. Registration will be held the week of Mar. 19-23.

All matches will be based on best two out of three games and double elimination. All matches are to be played between 7:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m., or as agreed upon between en-

All participants must ref-

To enter you must have your student ID. There will be no charge for the tournament. There will be prizes awarded to the first three places.

Prizes donated by Aramark, Office of Student Activities, and Wallace's Book Store.



We thought you would like to know ...

Announcing First Behavioral Sciences Training Seminar

The First Annual Behavioral Sciences Training Seminar will feature Robert Ressler, a famous lecturer and former FBI agent.

The participants of these training sessions will acquire information and understanding of violent criminals, serial killers, sexual predators, and their victims. Ressler will also discuss criminal personality profiling. This event is on Thurs., Apr. 26, in the Heflin Center at GSC. Pre-registration and payment are required.

Criminal Justice Professor Dr. Dan Gutierrez states the importance of this seminar and the continuation of more in the future because "it is also a powerful recruiting tool ... and we already have three people coming from Syracuse, New York [to attend] He goes on to explain that he, along with Carrie Mann who is President of the Behavioral Science Club, sent out 153 letters to prospective GSC students from high schools that are interested in social sciences all across the state of West Virginia recommending their attendance.

Dr. Gutierrez further states "27 High School students and parents have already registered and of those students many of them would also like a tour of the college. So what started out as an invitation to a college activity turned out to be a powerful recruiting tactic to benefit Glenville State College."

The agenda for the seminar is as follows:

8-8:50 a.m.: Registration, Coffee & Rolls

9-9:55 a.m.: Session A & B, Session A: GSC Assistant Professor of

Criminal Justice Daniel Gutierrez, Violent Juvenile Offenders, Session B: David Jeffrey GSC Assistant Professor of Psychology, Mental Illness & Violent Offenders.

10-10:55 a.m.: Session C & D. Session C: William Wilmoth, Attorney at Law, Group Extremist Violence & Prosecutorial Strategies, Session D: Terry Laurita Licensed Psychologist, Sexual Predators.

11-11:55 a.m.: Session E & F. Session E: Harry Dietzler, Attorney at Law, Hate Crimes & the Criminal Justice System. Session F: Tammy Hamner, Licensed Psychologist, Understanding Sexual Abuse & the Survivors of Sexual Trauma.

12-1:30 p.m.: Lunch on or off campus

2-3:30 p.m.: Robert Ressler, Serial Killers (Located in the Fine Arts Auditorium)

3:30-5:00 p.m.: Reception & Book Signing.

This seminar is highly recommended for any professional or student in the Behavorial or Social Sciences. law enforcement, corrections, attorneys, mental health professionals or other law-related fields. Ressler has interviewed and worked with famous serial killers such as Jeffrey Dahmer and Ted Bundy. To learn more about Robert Ressler, visit his website at http://www.robertkressler.com.

For information on the seminar contact Daniel Gutierrez at 462-7361 ext. 181, email him at gutierre aglenville.edu or visit his web site at http://www.glenville.edu/behavchub/ training.htm He encourages everyone interested to attend, but not to wait until the last minute to register!

2001 Yearbooks are IN If you paid your Student Activities Fee and

were a student during the fall/spring 2000-01 semester, you can pick up a copy at the Circulation Desk of the Robert F. Kidd Library. Student ID must be presented. Students have until April 1 to pick up their copy.

Student Houses

For Rent 5 & 6 room houses Partly furnished No Walk to college Quiet surroundings 462-7057 and 304-296-7742

Mountain Bike Race Set for June 16

Plans are being made for this year's Appalachian Classic Mountain Bike Race on Sat., June 16 at Calhoun County Park. The race is sanctioned by the W.Va. Mountain Bike Association as a points series

According to Steve Johnson, the Appalachian Classic is one of the fastest growing mountain bike events in West Virginia. "The venue has a wonderful 'down home' feel so welcomed by past attend-

This year's event will provide arts and crafts displays, bike clinics, course pre-rides, and a pond jump conducted by Mid State Auto

Supply.

Sponsors for the event include Minnie Hamilton Health Care Center; Jim Morris of Calhoun Realty; MegaZound; Grantsville Lions Club; F. John Oshoway, Attorney; Houchin Construction; J&B Rexall and Vienna Bike Shop.

Organization and promotion of the event requires funding and race officials are asking for the public's help. Your contribution and support can be mailed to: Appalachian Classic, Box 398, Grantsville, W.Va. 26147.

For more information on this event, contact Donnie Pierce, 354-7818, or Steve Johnson, 354-6404.

Kathleen "Katie" Daniels Receives Grant

Kathleen "Katie" Daniels of Spencer, a mathematics education major at Glenville State College, has been named the recipient of the West Virginia Council of Teacher of Mathematics (WVCTM) Teacher-in-Training Grant.

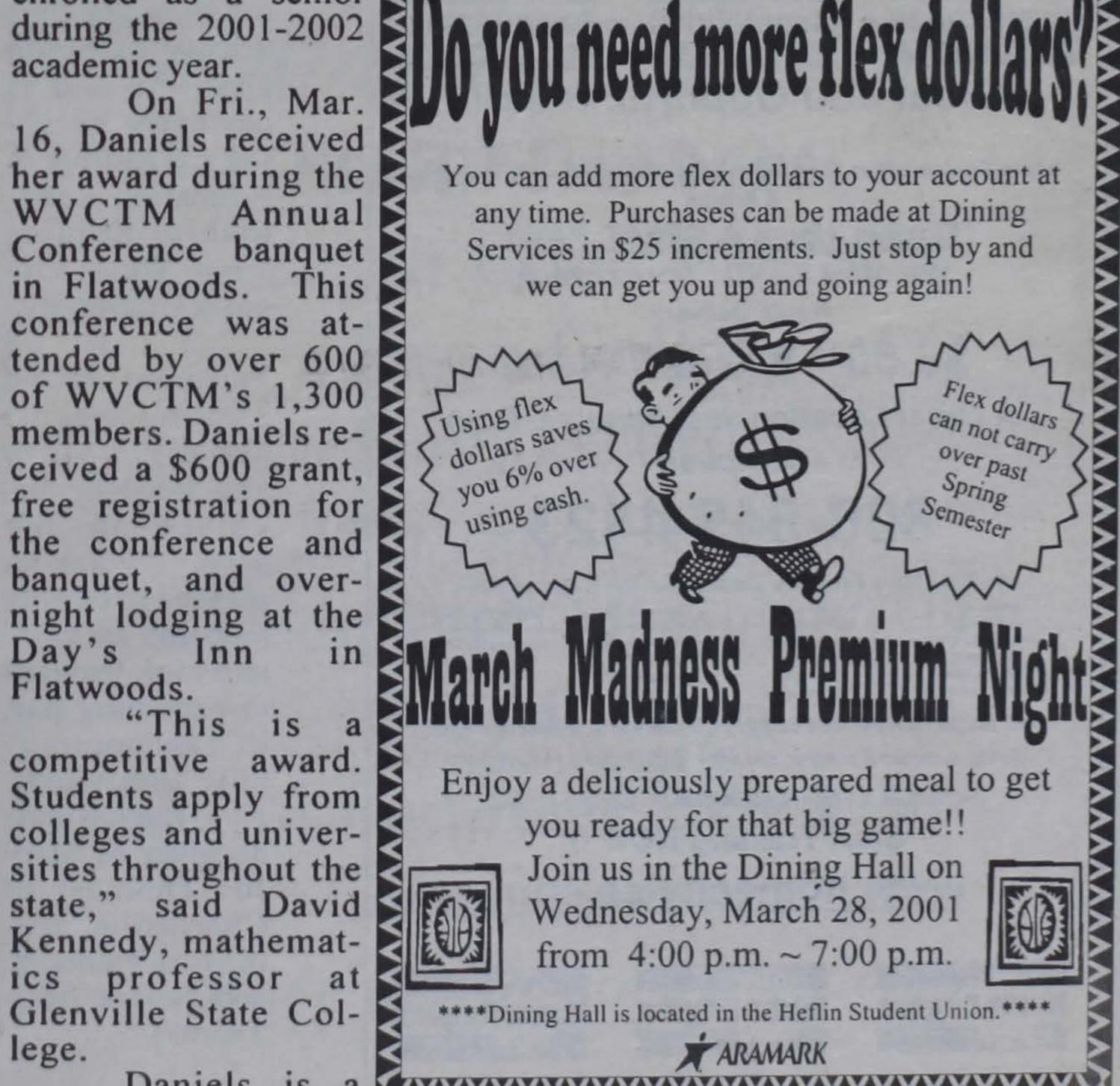
The council gives this award each year to a "West Virginia resident who is in student training to intentions to teach in West Virginia." To be eligible for this grant,

the student must be MAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA enrolled as a senior

On Fri., Mar. 16, Daniels received her award during the WVCTM Annual Conference banquet in Flatwoods. This conference was attended by over 600 of WVCTM's 1,300 members. Daniels received a \$600 grant, free registration for conference and banquet, and overnight lodging at the Day's Inn Flatwoods.

"This is a competitive award. Students apply from colleges and universities throughout the state," said David Kennedy, mathematics professor at Glenville State College.

nontraditional student and a happily married mother of three children. According to Kennedy, she could have pursued a career as a professional golfer. Instead, she chose to follow her childhood dream. When she was in third grade and was assigned to draw a picture of what she wanted math teacher with to be when she grew up, Daniels drew herself as a math teacher.



Pioneers Take Top WVIAC Honors

On Fri., Mar. 2, the WVIAC Honors were awarded during halftime of the Men's semifinal basketball game. Men's second team honors went to Petrus Hawkins, a 6'6" senior forward with 15.0 points, and 5.5 rebounds and Omar Jackson, a 6'3" junior guard with 15.4 points, and 8.5 rebounds.

The 2000-2001 WVIAC Women's All Tournament Team honors went to Tammy Spence. The recipient of the Sportsmanship Award was Sabrina Stout.

Lady Pioneers first team honors went to Kelly Osborn, 5'9" freshman forward with 12.3 points, 5.6 rebounds, and 73% in free throws. Second team honors went to Sabrina Stout, 5'2" senior guard with 7.3 points, 8.2 assists, 2.0 steals, and a 75% free throw average. Honorable mention went to Tammy Spence, 6' junior forward-center with 8.2

points, and 5.2 rebounds. All-Freshman team honors went to Carrie Triplett, 5-10 guard-forward with 7.7 points, 4.5 rebounds, 1.8 assists, and a 72.0 free throw percentage. Lady Pioneers were under the direction of Coach Steve Harold (88-80, 6th season).

West Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference commissioner Barry Blizzard issued this year's BB&T/WVIAC Senior Scholar-Athlete Awards. According to the WVIAC on-line press release, outstanding student-athletes from all 15 WVIAC members are honored for their prowess in the classroom. "We are proud of the academic achievements of our athletes," stated Blizzard. "These cutstanding students exemplify what college athletics are truly about."

Each school's winners were recognized during the upcoming WVIAC Basketball Tournament.

GSC Men's Pioneers Pounced Wesleyan 'Cats

West Virginia Wesleyan's Bobcats in the West Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference games on Mon., Feb. 19 with a score of 87 and the 'Cats with 72. The Bobcats bounced back to defeat Alderson-Broaddus in the first round, but was eliminated in the semifinals by Salem International.

Petrus Hawkins took gamescoring honors for the Pioneers with 24 points, while Salim Lazreg had 17 and Andrew Harding 13. Dominique Liverpool topped the Pioneers on the boards with 11 retrieves.

The box scores were: Dominique Liverpool 3-7 3-4 9, Andrew Harding 4-8 5-5 13, (according to a WVIAC on-line press release, was player of the week February 12 and has recorded four straight contests with 10 or more assists. Harding

established a career-high with his 12 assists versus Alderson-Broaddus. His 5.6 apg game average rates second in the WVIAC). Jacob Tolley 1-2 0-0 3, Petrus Hawkins 10-18 4-7 24, Josh Foster 1-4 0-0 2, Salim Lazreg 5-11 4-6 17, Hugh Brown 3-6 3-4 9, Jeremy Wolfe 0-0 0-0 0, Andy Laible 0-0 0-0 0, Omar Jackson 4-8 2-4 10. Totals 31-64 21-30 87.

The Pioneers were then eliminated in the first round of the WVIAC finals by West Virginia State with a close score of 76-72. West Virginia State scored the final eight points of the contest to knock off #5 seed Glenville State. Glenville State's Petrus Hawkins led GSC with 20 points. Salim Lazreg tossed in 12 points off the bench for the Pioneers. GSC forced 19 turnovers, but only made 27 of 69 field goals

FCA Supports GSC Girls Basketball Tournament

The Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) recently went on the road dribbling a basketball to show their support at the GSC Girls basketball tournament in Charleston

"It's a good way to support the schools," FCA sponsor, Janet Bailey said.

This was the second year members of FCA dribbled a basketball from the GSC student union to Charleston along Route 119. The two-day journey began on Feb. 27th, with President Powell dribbling the basketball from the student union to the blue bridge across from Go-Mart.

"I find it extremely admi-

rable that President Powell joined students in supporting the girls basketball team," sophomore education major, Misty Smith said.

Following President Powell's dribble, Lance Linden and Brad Pettinger took over. Once in Charleston Linden attempted to dunk the basketball, while Pettinger attempted a three point shot.

Students participating in the event say they had a great time, and are already excited for next year's dribble.

When asked why FCA organizes the dribble, Bailey said, "The dribble to Charleston works as an outreach and lets people know Christians can have good fun.

GSC Lady Pioneers Scratch the 'Cats

No. 3 GSC Lady Pioneers knocked the West Virginia Wesleyan Bobcats out of the West Virginia Intercollegiate Athletic Conference Basketball Tournament in the quarter-finals at the Charleston Civic Center Wed., Feb. 28 with a score of 66-48. Kelly Osborn led the Lady Pioneers with 21 points, including five three-pointers. Tammy Spence had 11 markers and a game-high 11 retrieves.

Samantha Williams 2-2 2-2 6, Carrie Triplett 3-7 1-1 7, Sabrina Stout 3-5 2-2 8, (Stout lead the division with 8.1 assists per game). Kelly Osborn 7-8 2-2 21, Tammy Spence 4-12 3-3 11, Alisha Yoder 0-1 1-2 1, Alisha Huston 0-1 2-2 2, Chrissy Richards 0-0 0-0 0, Kelly Pettinger 0-1 0-0 0, Collen McBrien 2-5 0-0 5, Christy Crow 2-7 1-2 5. Totals 23-49 14-16 66.

Three-point field goals:
Osborn 5-6, Yoder 0-1, Houston 01, McBrien 1-1; Rebounds: Williams 6, Triplett 4, Stout 3, Osborn
3, Spence 11, McBrien 1, Crow 4;
Assists: Triplett 3, Stout 7, Osborn
4, Spence 2; Steals: Williams 2,
Triplett 1, Stout 2, Osborn 1,
Spence 1, Houston 1, Pettinger 1,
Crow 1; Field goal percentage: 23for-49; Free throw percentage: 4for-16; Fouls 18; and Turnovers 18.

The Lady Pioneers then proceeded to down No.7 Davis & Elkins in the semi-finals, Fri., Mår. 2. Sabrina Stout took an elbow to the head, and then scored 24 points, including a

pair of 3-pointers that bolted the Lady Pioneers to stay in front in a 59-49 victory. Tammy Spence had 12 points and 10 rebounds. The Associated Press quoted Glenville coach Steve Harold as saying, "We wanted to get back to the championship so badly, we've been working to get here since last year's championship."

But then No. 3 Glenville State Pioneers (21-9) were defeated by No. 1 West Liberty State (24-4) in the championship game Sat., Mar.

The box scores were: Kelly Osborn 4-9 4-5 12; Carrie Triplett 3-8 2-2 8; Tammy Spence 3-10 1-4 7; Sabrina Stout 1-6 2-2 4; Christy Crow 2-5 0-0 4; Alisha Yoder 1-4 0-0 3; Rebecca Farrell 1-2 1-1 3; Elise Pettinger 1-3 0-0 2; Stori Huston 1-4 0-0 2; Samantha Williams 0-4 2-2 2; Chrissy Richards 0-2 0-0 0. Totals 17-57 12-16 47.

Yoder 1-4; Carrie Triplett 0-1; Sabrina Stout 0-4; Elise Pettinger 0-2; Stori Huston 0-1; Chrissy Richards 0-1; Kelly Osborn 0-1). Fouled out—Glenville State-None.

Scoring Offense: 65.0 (9th);
Scoring Defense: 60.2 (2nd), Free
Throw Percentage: 67.5% (6th);
Field Goal Percentage: 40.1% (4th);
Rebounding Margin: 1.2 (9th);
Turnover Margin: +3.97 (1st),
Three Point Field Goals Per Game:
4.34 (7th).

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