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Fran Davis presents an oral interpretation as her talent for the Miss West Virginia pageant.

#### Davis Selected As Semi-Finalist

Francene Davis, Miss Glenville State College 1981, was named one of the eight semi-finalists in the recent Miss West Virginia Pageant held in Lincoln High School in Clarksburg from June 11-13.

In the talent competition, Fran presented her dramatic interpretation of a portion of The Belle of Amherst, the story of the life of Emily Dickinson. For the opening number of the pageant, Fran wore a floorlength blue sequined gown with a high neck and a low back.

Ms. Nasia Pavlides, Director of Public Relations and Alumni Affairs and Director of the 1981 Miss pageant stated, "The talent was so stiff everyone was knocking themselves out on stage. Fran was a very good contestant. Glenville State College has done very well. We're proud to have had girls in the top eight the past two years."

The winner of the pageant was Candi Cohen, Miss Marshall University, while Miss Monongalia County, Sandy Varrish, was first runnerup. Judges for the pageant included Miss West Virginia 1975, Teresa Lucas Kamm, and Miss North Carolina 1975, Susan Googe.

### **Brooks Appointed VA Representative**

The Veterans Administration can't complain about their "education dollars' on the campus of Glenville State College.

Thirty four point three per-cent of the veterans enrolled full time at G.S.C. earned a grade-point average of 3.5 or higher. There's more good news!

due to the interval of more than term the allowance could not be paid for that period. Mr. McKinney, Veterans Administration, Huntington, WV, informed J.D. Brooks, that veterans will be paid for the interval Coordinator in the Academic Afbetween summer and fall terms fairs Office.

In other words, if the veteran is a full time student during the summer and fall term there will be no change in his or her education enatlement. The full amount will be received for July, August, Sept., etc.

J.D. Brooks is the new VA workstudy student and will be available to help any veteran with any veteran Most veterans are aware that related problems during the school week. The best time and place to 30 days between spring and summer contact J.D. is from 10:45 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Mercury office, Clark Hall (ext. 290).

Brooks will work in conjunction with Pat Stump who is the VA

# 152 Make Dean's List

have been named to the Dean's Honor List, achieving a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on at least twelve hours during the second semester according to Lowell Peterson, Dean of Academic Affairs.

Thirty seven of those students received straight A's. There were: Wendy L. Moore Arnold, Glenville; Frances M. Blake, Cox's Mills; Vicki L. Boothe, Craigsville; Steven W. Campbell, Glenville; Pamela J. Clough, Rosedale; Rolanna L. Coberly, Glenville; Debra A. Dean, Jane Lew: Dean Jo Dunlap, Walker: Rebecca C. Gilchrist, Washington; James E. Giles, Glenville; Tammy L. Gum, Parkersburg; Harry E. Harpold, Glenville; Florence C. Hatton, Troy: Joseph M. Hickman II. Glenville; Debbie D. Holbrook, Camdenon-Gauley; Mark V. James, Gassaway; Rick Lee Kinder, Millstone; Sharon

The Cultural Affairs Schedule for 1981-82 includes: October 15 (date to be confirmed) - Appalachian Dancers; December 6 - Annapolis Brass Quintet; Bebbuary 9 - Tommy Dorsey Orchestra; March 4 - Berkshire Chamber Players: March 29? Pennsylvania Boys Choir; April 12-Rob Inglis - Lord of the Rings,

Glewille State College will once again participate in the GRE Waiver Program. In order to establish student eligibility you must be an enrolled senior who is a U.S. citizen. receiving financial aid, and whose parents are contributing \$200 or less to their senior year of college study are elibible for a waiver of the basic GRE test fee of \$24 for the Aptitude Test of an Advanced Test, or \$48 for both. Self-supporting students are eligible if their total family contribution is \$200 or less for their senior year of study. (Need indices are based on the uniform methodology of the College Scholarship Service.)

For further information contact Mr. Kermit L. Kinder in the Counseling office or phone Ext. 134.

A Gymnastics Performance class will be presented by the Beginning, Intermediate and Advanced Gymnastic students who have been participating in class es this summer through the Continuing Education Office. The public is coridally invited to attend the performance July 16, 1981 at 7:45 p.m. in the Glenville State College Gym. Admismission is free.

L. Markle, Washington: Sheila A. Martin, Glenville.

Vicki L. McKee, Parkersburg; Charlotte K. Miller, Shock; Kay Woody Peters, Cox's Mills; William H. Pitzer Jr., Glenville; David A. Proctor, Auburn; Ethel M. Roberts, Glenville; Sherry Rock, New Milton; Mary J. Ruble, Marietta; Mary E. Scott, Linn; Saralie Sue Sheets, Parkersburg; Carol Nelson Spangler, Cairo; Sabrena Kay Taylor, Mineral Wells; Janie J. Thabet, Spencer; Anita A. Toth, Glenville; Leslie C. Walker, Madison; Shirley A. Williams, Williamstown: Sandra J. Wilson, Grants-

The remaining one hundred fifteen students on the Dean's Honor List are: Tammy D. Aikens, Martinsburg; Rhonda L. Anderson, Spencer; James T. Arden, Glenville; David Richard Arnold, Frametown; Pamela Yvonne Bailey, Frankford; Rita R.

Bailey, Newton: Michael C. Baker. Gassaway; Kimberly Sue Barber, Ripley; Robbin C. Barr, Glenville; Michael M. Barrick, Weston; Nancy Bartlett, Gassaway: Patricia A. Beer, Weston; Kimberly A. Bickel, Gassaaway; Timothy B. Bode, Vienna; Jeffrey A. Borah, Orrville; Michael J. Bowe, Stumptown; Robert Alan Brant, Spencer; Danita K. Britton, West Union; Johnnie Dale Brooks, Camden: Michele D. Bruce, Elizabeth; Dawn L. Butler, Parkersburg; Paulette Chenoweth, Auburn.

Jennifer Kay Chisler, Glenville: Penny Lea Clutter, Parcoal; Rebecca J. Coberly, Glenville; Linda D. Collins, Palestine: Belinda J. Corkrean, Grantsville: Steven W. Cox, Buckhannon; Donna R. Crist, Ansted; Madeline P. Crowder, Tioga; Samuel Curia, Moundsville; Dina Darby, Summersville; Brenda W. Dempsey, Craigsville; Daniel Alan Dennis, Belmont; Danny W. Depugh, Richwood; Mi-



Ms. Diane Bach

#### Bach Named New Dean

Diane L. Bach, presently House Student Personnel Administrators as Director at Pickens Hall Dormitory, has been hired as Associate Dean of Student Affairs to replace John who is leaving Glenville at the end of July.

Ms. Bach is a 1977 graduate of Glenville State with an A.B. degree in Health, Physical Education and Safety Education. She also has a Masters Degree in Education Administration in Higher Education which she completed in December, 1980. She is presently the chairperson of the Housing Committee of the West Virginia Association of

well as the G.S.C. Panhellenic Council Advisor. Ms. Bach is also involved with Glenville's Elderhostel Program and will be the program's director next year.

When asked about her feelings concerning her new position, which she will take over August 1. Ms. Bach stated, "I am excited about the fall and look forward to the challenges of the position."

Mr. Vaughn is leaving Glenville to pursue a law degree in San Francisco, California.



# Seasons In The Sur

gory of the summer season and almost everyone is waiting for it to go ( school that is, not summer. ). Where else would you find such dedicated individuals as those who go to summer school? Maybe at boot camp of some kind or other rigorous training.

One must get up very early in the morning ( maybe to catch the early worm ) to start the daily routine that is summer school. The object of the whole program is to teach students what is normally taught in four months in 6 weeks. Can you image the overload one may suffer trying to complete the requirements?

If you think this is the only gripe of summer school, just ask any one scurrying to class or sitting resting and they probably could expound on the subject at least for a half an hour.

But all in all the summer session helps a student to pick up extra classes in a short time. Of course one must slways pay for taking a shortcut. So the next time your alarm clock goes off in the morning and you stumble to the shower or to the breakfast table, just remember that you will be ahead in the long run.

Becky Triplett, Editor

## etter to the E

Dear Editor

Commuting students at G.S.C. will be awarded three tenths (.3) of a Grade point to compensate for their time and cost for travel!!

Good news for commuters, but it isn't true! Sound's great, but it could never be alowed for several reasons.

Giving unearned grade points would not be fair to the dorm students and it would eventually harm the commuting students as they reach their levels of incompetance unexpectedly.

If it isn't fair to all students 'it' shouldn't be done. However, there is a way, a fair way, to compensate the commuting student.

Many students travel in excess of 16,000 miles per school year. The school cannot reduce the cost of commuter travel that, in many cases, exceeds \$2000, but it can help reduce the hazardous winter driving,

When commuters have to take an early (8a.m.) class and a late class (3 p.m.), they are required to drive to and from school in darkness. Ice and snow and limited vision during darkness increase the hazards on West Virginia roads. Is this necessary? Perhaps not! Can it be resolved? Perhaps!

Commuting students should be allowed to pre-register before the dorm students. No more than a half day should be required. This would give the commuter the opportunity to select a schedule more beneficial to his situation. An ideal scheduled from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. which would not require driving during darkness is possible.

Another thing to consider is the home responsibilities of many commuting students. Some of them are parents, others have responsibilities in their home and on farms, while others are working to support families.

Dorm students have no difficulty with early or late classes, and few, if any, have the responsibilities of commuting students.

It isn't fair to give away grade points, but don't you think it's fair to allow the commuters an opportunity to register before the dorm students? J. D. Brooks

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chele R. Devericks, Pennsboro; Tina Lou Duelley, Glenville; Eydie Eileen Durst, Mt. Alto; Sandra Jean Duskey, Burnsville; Aaron W.L. Eubanks, Kimball: Jimmy Dean Fitzwater, Glenville; John M. Forbes, Oxon Hill, MD; Jackie L. Foster, Mt. Lookout; Earl Mark Gainer, Glenville; Kitty Galford, Dunmore.

Kathy M. George, Clarksburg; Gina Lee Gherke, Washington; Leza Groves, Baltimore, MD; Jacqueline Joyce Gum, Hacker Valley; Gloria Diane Hanlon, Vienna; Debra L. Harpold, Glenville; Susan F. Harshberger, New Martinsville; Terry Lee Hawkins, St. Marys; Norma A. Hilvers, Pennsboro; Joyce Marlene Hoffman, Summersville; Sarah Lou Hopkins, Pennsboro; Doyle DeWitt Hupp, Jr., Grantsville; Nalani Jackson, Grants- played spontaneously. (Photo by Don Phillips) ville; Dianna Jean Kelly, Reedy; Kemp J. Kelly, Sherman; Louis R. Kent, New Haven; Marilyn R. King, Glenville; Kathleen L. Krohn, Auburn; Jenny Ann Lewis, Pt. Pleasant; Teresa B. Litton, Harrison; Steven E. Lockwood, Whitesville.

Debby S. McCoy, Webster Springs; Sandra Jean McCoy, Parkersburg; Brenda M. McCutcheon, Canvas: David Alan Meadows, Parkersburg; Daniel C. Metz, Elizabeth; Owen Keith Milam, Arnett; Pamela Hacker Minigh, Glenville; Gary E. Mitchell, Glenville; Michael D. Montgomery, Glenville; Lela Moore, Glenville; Tammy K. Moore, Spencer; Gary Lee Mullenax, Upper Tract; Ricky F. Murray, Parkersburg; Pius Nwaokolo, Auchi, Nigeria; Joseph F. Osborn, Horner; Craig L. Parker, Martinsburg; Joyce Lee Peck, Summersville; Jacky Dale Persinger, Linn; Lorrie A. Price, Moundsville; Sandra Diane Pyles, Gallipolis Ferry; William L. Ratkovich, Parkersburg; Sharron M. Riddle, Canvas; Carolyn L. Riffle, Heaters; Jami C. Riggs, Harrisville; Stephen Thomas Roberts, Glenville,

Marie G. Schimmel, Glenville; James B. Schwender, Spencer; Randy Alan Sheppard, Mineral Wells: Glenn Avin Simms, Jrs., Weston; Barbara Dinda Skidmore, Glenville; Mary E. Starling, Parkersburg; Nancy D. Suttor, Parkersburg, Elizabeth J. Sweeney, St. Marys; Beverly Diane Townsend, Mineral Wells; David A. Tracewell, Vienna; Mary Ann Triplett, Clay; Cynthia L. Vance, Oak Hill; James Carlton Watson Parkersburg; Timothy Nunn Webb, Glenville; Virginia Welch-Wiblin, Waverly; Cheryl A. Whewell, Pawcatucy, CT; Patricia Ann White, Glenville; Hilary Whitley, Ravenswood; William V .] Wilkes, Jr., Glenville; Carol C. Wilson, Annamoriah; Donna Kay Wood, Charleston; Bret D. Workman, Fayetteville; Saeed Yazdianpour, Afriga aran.

The 1981 Yearbook had been completed and proof had been received and returned. Therefore plans for yearbeak distribution is set for mid-September.

The GSc campus has been under going a rather needed change. This change is the planting of shrubs and flowers in various areas of the cam-

dus. Mary Howard is in charge of the landscaping and by fall the fruit of her labor should be in full bloom.



A familiar scene at the recent Folk Festival was Glen Smith and a freind who

### Where Is Everyone

The campus swelters under the hot July sun and occasionally a lone student crosses from one building to another. This is Glenville State College during summer school, 1981.

There are 49 students living in Pickens Hall Dormitory this summer. While this does not include the commuting students, this summer enrollment is still very small.

Why are there so few students taking classes this summer? One cause may be that the 'on-again, off-again' attitude concerning summer school led to confusion of students who had considered taking classes this summer. This confusion finally got so discouraging with the printing of two different schedules and the disappearance of classes formerly offered on the first schedule, among other things, that many students decided to try to find jobs for the summer or enroll in classes elsewhere.

True, the financial situation of the state during the past few months would naturally lead to some worry over whether summer school would be funded, but there could have been some arrangements made to allow for this. While it would have been disappointing for students had summer school been cancelled, it would have been much less disconcerting and confusing had summer school been given the green light at the beginning. Then, if funds had not been appropriated, the correct steps could have been taken to make students aware of the situation and aid them in choosing alternatives.

Can summer school at Glenville State College last much longer with student being constantly disillusioned by all the confusion concerning the program? Or maybe a better question would be, because of the small enrollment caused by the confusion, how long can G.S.C. afford to operate Cheryl Keenan a full summer school?

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Elderhostel participants enjoy making their own sundaes, one the many activities planned for their week at GSC'

Glenville State College is presently hosting an Elderhostel 1981 program. Elderhostel is a nationwide educational program for the elderly, aged sixty and over. These programs are offered on college campuses all over the United States can provide a place all over the United States. On the about a specific region or a specific topic

sessions presently offered with hopes of expansion next year. There are a variety of classes offered here, including Appalachian Folk Culture, Searching Your Family History, Appalachian Nature Study, Chemistry of Glass, and Golf Clinic. These classes are taught by GSC instructors.

Elderhostel is not all work, though. Field trips, wine and cheese

parties, ice cream socials, picnics, in the midst of its third week of and a final banquet and graduation ceremony also offer the hostelers several ways to get to know our people and region better.

Elderhostel is a good place to meet and learn about people from where the elderly can go to learn average, there are between 10-15 states represented weekly.

Shirley Williams, a 1981 graduate At GSC, there are four one-week of GSC in Social Studies and English Education, is the Elderhostel Hostess and Dr. Duke Talbott is Elderhostel Director. Speaking of Elderhostel, Ms. Williams stated, "It's extremely rewarding, both for people who come and for people who work at it." Perhaps Alfred Lord Tennyson said it best in "Ulysses," "I am a part of all I have met."

### Computer Center Makes Changes

Within the Computer Science Department of the College large changes are taking place. These changes are in personnel, equipment, and student access.

The latest personnel change is the pending addition of Herman Heacker, expected in mid-August. Mr. Heacker is currently concluding his studies in search of a Masters Degree from the Univ. of Tennessee.

New equipment has been brought in to replace the old computer. The new computer is faster and a more versatile model.

The new computer, 11/44, under-

stands most of the common programmer languages, Basic, RPGII, and two languages that are alittle difare student versions of FORTRAN, during her senior season. and Cobal developed by Waterloo.

For the student returning to the computer center an omission is evident. There are no card printers. The deletion of the card printer will save approximately \$15,000 a

These changes affect students in the overall flexibility of the system, as well as allowing greater access to the computer terminals.

#### Classes Offered

be offered during the next two months as a part of continuing education at Glenville State College.

Classes include tennis, plant care, science for children and firewood harvesting. A day camp will be scheduled for children in grades 1-6 from Aug. 17-21. Cheerleading and basketball camps will be held Aug. 10-14 and Aug. 3-8, respectively. The cheerleading camp is open to those in the fifth to twelfth grades; basketball enrollees will be enrolled in grades 5-9

Tennis classes will be conducted by Gary Nottingham at the College Tennis Court from July 20-24 from 9:30 - 11 a.m. Cost is \$15 each.

Mary Howard will conduct the class on plant care at Eberle Hall on three consecutive Mondays and Wednesdays, July 13-29 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Cost is \$25 per student.

Introduction to firewood harvesting will be taught by Steven Ryan in Eberle Hall on July 6, 13, 20 and 25. Classes will be held from 6:30 - 9 p.m. on Mondays; Saturday class is at 8:00 a.m.

Science for children, taught by Dr. Joe Evans, will be held from 1-3 p.m. July 20-31 in the Science Hall. Students must be enrolled in grades 3-5 at no charge.

Costs entailed by camps include \$40 for day camp, conducted by Hoff Hardman and Jackie Milliken; \$45 for cheerleading taught by Melissa Simpson; and \$50 for basketball, Jesse Lilly. Camps run from 9-4



Sen. Robert Byrd was an honored guest at the Folk Festival as he plays with Folk Festival regulars. (Photo by Phillips)

The Gilmer County Department of Welfare, Community Action. Board of Education, and Glenville State College are jointly sponsoring two one-week camps this summer for children from low-income families, At the camp that ran June 29 from August 3-7 in Calhoun County. July 3, there were 91 campers and 17 counselors in attendance. The campers are offered instruction in such areas as arts and crafts, nature trail, square and folk dancing, wildlife education, leather crafts, and

taught by volunteers from around the county who visit the 4-H grounds daily.

The second of the one-week camps will be a day camp running

### Carney Announces Five Recruits

Coach Tim Carney, mentor of the State's North-South All-Star game. Glenville State College Women's Bas-

Linda Fittro, a 6'1" center, is from eastern Ohio. Linda was honorable of Nitro and Chris Graves, who playferent, Watfor and WatBal, which mention on Ohio's A All-State Team ed her high school ball in Pennsylvania

> Another center.6'0" Maria Lothes is from Elkins, WV. Maria made the All-State Team her senior year and Mr. Ernie Smith, Mr. Jim Hinter,

Tom Davisson, Heather Hickman, Rolanna Coberly, Lois Miller, and Harold Harris are in Chi cago this week for a PBL Conference.

Playing against Maria in the North ketball Team, has announced the re--South game for the South Squad was cruiting of five new players for his another of Carney's recruits, 5'9" 1981-82 squad. The recruits will add guard-forward Robin Phipps. Robin a much-needed height factor to the G. was also a Triple-A All-Stater while playing at Independence.

Rounding out Carney's recruits are Lynchburg-Clay High School in South- a pair of 5'10" forwards, Laura Dabne

> Coach Carney is optimistic about the boost these girls can give the Lady Pioneers. He stated, The lack of size has hurt us in the past. The height of these girls ought to be a big help.'



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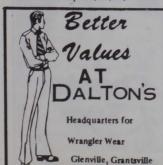
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# **Coming Attractions**

The Glenville State College Student Congress has done it again. The Congress has lined up another great group of films for the 1981-82 school

There have been a few changes, though, concerning some of the times and places the films will be shown. An added plus for the college students is that the first run of each film will be open to college students exclusively. These changes will be noted below. Another different twist is that there will be two film festivals presented, the first on October 28, 1981 and the second on March 24, 1982.

The films and dates, their times and places, of showing are below.

ı			
ı	The Jerk	Wed., August 26	7:00 and 9:00 p.n
ı	Circle of Iron	Tues., Sept. 8	
ı	STATE OF THE PARTY	Wed, Sept 9	
ı	Any Which	Tues., Sept. 22	
l	Way You Can	Wed, Sept. 23	
l	Altered States	Tues, Oct 6	
l		Wed., Oct. 7	
ŀ	Friday the	Tues., Oct. 13	
l	13th	Wed, Oct 14	
ı	Halloween	Wed., Oct. 28	7:00 p.m.
ŀ	Psycho	Wed., Oct. 28	7:00 p.m.
i	Wait Until	Wed., Oct. 28	7:00 p.m.
ı	Dark		
ı	Brubaker	Tues., Nov. 3	
ı	The State of the S	Wed., Nov. 4	
ŀ	Chapter Two	Tues., Nov. 17	
l	THE PARTY OF THE PARTY OF	Wed., Nov. 18	
ł	Nine to Five	Tues., Dec. 1	
l	Contract of the	Wed., Dec. 2	
ŀ	The Muppet	Tues., Dec. 8	
l	Movie	Wed., Dec. 9	
ı	Stir Crazy	Tues., Jan. 19	
Į	The state of	Wed., Jan. 20	
l	Young	Tues, Jan. 26	
ı	Frankenstein	Wed., Jan. 27	
ı	The Promise	Tues, Feb. 2	
ŀ	1777 1877 1870	Wed., Feb. 3	
ĺ	MASH	Tues., Feb. 23	
l	STEED PROPERTY.	Wed., Feb. 24	
ľ	The Blue	Tues., March 2	
l	Lagoon	Wed, March 3	
	Goldengirl	Tues., March 9	
		Wed., March 10	
	On the	Wed., March 24	7:00
ı	Waterfront		
	The Chase	Wed., March 24	7:00
ı	The Wild One	Wed., March 24	7:00
ı	Seems Like	Tues., April 20	
ı	Old Times	Wed., April 21	
ı	The Jazz	Tues., May 4	
l	Singer	Wed, May 5	

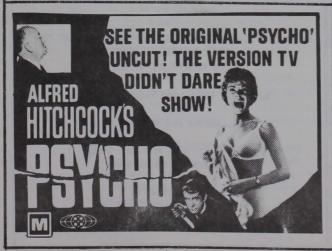
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\*\*-Movies shown at 8:00 p.m. Open to general public.





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