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Luncheons Scheduled

Are you bored? Do you hunger for excitement and intellectual stimulation? The Pioneer Center Programming Board is beginning something new and innovative this semester. Commencing February 12, they will sponsor a bi-monthly luncheon covering pertinent topics happening on campus, state, and national levels. The purpose of these luncheon discussions is to develop an informal educational environment to encourage an exchange of ideas. This luncheon series is open to all GSC faculty, staff and students. Discussions will be held in the Verona Mapel Room. The Food Service will provide lunches for those who would like to purchase them at the cost of \$2.50. However, you are also welcome to bring your own lunches.

Some of the topics for discussion have been set. The first "brown-bag" luncheon will feature Mr. August Kafer, Director of Financial Aid. For people who aren't aware of all the monies available, this will provide a wealth of information. This is especially advantageous as March 1 is the deadline for the 1986-87 FAF forms to be sent. For people who don't know Mr. Kafer, it will be a good time to get to know GSC's funny, loveable, on-the-move financial aid director.

This luncheon will be held on February 12.

February 27 will bring Dr. Paul Lutz to the fore. Dr. Lutz is the Chairperson of the Social Science Division. The topic to be discussed will be "The Governor Drove a Taxi."

It will concern Bill Moreland (1953-57) who later was an alcoholic discovered driving a taxi in 1965.

For those of you who are concerned about the ever-present trouble in the Middle East, on March 12, Dr. John Hymes will discuss "Military Expenditures in the Middle East and the Futility of Force."

On March 19, Rev. Julian Sulgit of the Wesley Foundation will present the topic, "The Model of Light/Darkness for Religious Expression."

On April 10, Dr. I.D. Talbott, Director of Resource Development, will discuss the International Business class, is to be conducted in Europe over Spring Break. He will also discuss the possibility of more such trips in the future.

Last, but certainly not least, Delores Mysliwiec will elaborate on "Sexual Harrassment or Flirting - Know the Difference."

The Verona Mapel Room will open at 12 noon for participants to purchase lunches. Discussions will start at 12:15.

By: E.K. Gumm

THE MERCURY staff will sell valentine messages to be printed in the February 12 edition. Valentines will cost \$.50 each with a three-line limit. Orders may be placed by calling ext. 290 or by contacting any staff member by Friday, Feb. 7.

Forestry Students Attend Forum

Five Glenville State College forestry students were at the Charleston Civic Center last week to attend the fourth annual West Virginia Agriculture and Forestry Forum.

The gathering, jointly sponsored by 17 groups actively interested in producing income from the land, will have as a theme "planning for the Future." The sponsors range from the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service to the West Virginia Grape Growers Association and will each address the marketing potential of their products.

Attending the second day of the two-day event were John Fox, Terry Hinger, Jeff O'Dell, Roxanne Smith, Tammy Sumner, and division chairman, Mr. Grafton.

Mr. Grafton stated that West Virginia has a substantial potential for marketing forest products, particularly in the Far East; and that GSC students should receive much helpful information through this forum.



Photo by Eric Chico

GOSPELL, under the direction of Mr. David Sindedecker will open on February 13 and run through the 16th, with performances beginning at 8 pm. each night. The cast, shown above during rehearsals in the Auditorium, includes Robert Burns, Vickie Butcher, John Curran, Jr., Randy Harper, Paula Jones, Dawn Lopez, Greg Metz, Chris Montgomery, Phyllis Parsons, Pat Shreves and Tammy Stalnaker. J.R. Aliff will serve as accompanist and Jenny Morris will serve as musical director.

The play promises to be packed with excitement and energy! Be sure to see this play and see the energy it creates.

Skills Test Announced

If you entered a program in teacher education at Glenville State College in the fall of 1985 or later, you are in the "new" program and must meet the West Virginia Department of Education requirements for certification to teach.

One of the requirements is the Preprofessional Skills Test (PPST) in reading, writing, and math. A second requirement is the ACT (American College Testing) test in speaking. Both tests are required for admission to teacher education if you are in the "new" program.

The registration

procedure is as follows: Please register for the tests by February 28, 1986 (to register for the test, see Patty Dugger, in Clark Hall 102, Monday through Friday, 8-4, for registration forms); plan to take the PPST on Saturday, April 12, 1986; plan to make an appointment to take the ACT-Speaking component from Monday-Wednesday, April 7-9, 1986; and plan for the payment of a total of \$40 testing fee payable at registration (applications for emergency loans of \$40 can be obtained from the Office of Student Services.)

Routine Remembered

Recently an event occurred that captured the emotions of an entire country, perhaps the world—an intensely dramatic, live on television, endlessly instantly replayed, horrifying event never before seen by the American people. In the space of tiny fractions of a minute, seven human beings ceased to exist.

Each of us saw something different in the ball of fire that consumed Challenger, 72 seconds into a routine launch, based on our experience, our education, our religion, and an uncountable number of other factors that make us all individuals. I can't know your reaction to that moment, any more than I can only sense the grief of the families and friends of the seven who are gone; but as time passes and part of the numbness fades somewhat, I would like to share some of my feelings about the catastrophe.

First, before you consider me callous or hard-hearted because of some of the things I say here, let me say I mourn these seven deaths with the same intensity that I have mourned friends who have suffered the same fate. While I did not know these individuals, I have known many who have placed themselves in harm's way as a daily way of life, and in doing so have earned my respect and, in many cases, admiration. The sense of loss I feel is no less because I understand to some degree what kind of person attempts such feats.

The day after the accident I was talking with a fellow Air Force retiree here on campus and asked him if he saw our astronauts as "Heroes." His response was "not with a capital H" and I agree. These people are something almost scarcer than Heroes, though. They are professionals. They are intensely dedicated, intelligent, highly educated men and women who knew what they were doing in every respect.

Much comment has been made about the schoolteacher who was aboard this mission. I do not dilute my previous comment in her case. By the time she joined that smiling line of men and women who boarded Challenger that fateful day, she was as much a professional in her field as any of the rest. No one in that line saw themselves as a "Hero" and would have probably told you so in no uncertain terms.

To those familiar with aviation, there is no such thing as a routine space flight. There are only a series of flights that have gone exactly as planned.

Pat Ireland

Shuttle Crew Mourned

Just over a week ago, a tragedy occurred which united our nation. People from all walks of life, people with nothing more in common than the fact that they are all Americans were touched by the tragedy and united in the common bonds of grief—a grief which stemmed from the loss of the space shuttle Challenger and its seven-man crew.

Most of us would never have recognized the names of the Challenger astronauts. The one name we may have recognized was Christa McAuliffe. McAuliffe was a school teacher from Concord, NH who had been chosen from 11,000 others in a nationwide search for the first teacher in space. While most of them were unknown to us, they represented an ideal—the American dream of pushing ever onward, ever upward, of conquering "the last frontier."

The seven who lost their lives last week were basically average people doing their jobs. But the seven were doing jobs which long ago captured the imagination of a people and gave our country a sense of pride in accomplishment.

They will be missed, but even in their final moments of life, they were teaching us—teaching us what should be changed to make future treks into space (and there will be more) safer and more productive.

We salute the courage and enthusiasm of the "Challenger Seven."

Cheryl L. Keenan

ACCOUNTING LAB HOURS

Tuesday 6:30-8 (AB 304)
Wednesday 3:30-5:30 (AB 302)

****An assistant will be on hand at all times to help with any problems or to answer questions. Come and work while others work.**

Hours start January 28 and will continue through the semester.

Lambda Chi Alpha

The Beta Beta Chapter of Lambda Chi Alpha held their weekly meeting on Sunday in the Wesley Foundation.

We're proud to have our new associates Andy Jarrell and Rob Massie. We hope you have a fun semester.

Our next pinning is being held at 5:30 on Thursday. If you have received a bid and you want to join our fraternity, be sure to be there, as this is our last pinning ceremony.

A big brother ceremony has been scheduled for Wednesday, February 12 at 5:30 p.m.

A party has been tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, February 11. Check the Chi board Monday to find out more about the party.

A big thanks goes to all of the Ladies who showed up for our last pinning. We appreciate your support and hope to see all of you at our next pinning.

Tau Kappa Epsilon

In the meeting held January 27, the following items were discussed. Volunteers were listed for National Conclave Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana this coming weekend of February 7-9. Those attending will be Bill Cameron, Jerry Burkhammer, Charles Moss, Dave Sandy, Jeff Cicci and Joseph Huxley. Four associate members were signed. They are Robert Kelley, Kevin King, Robert Hardman and Bartley Molohan. They were initiated into associate membership on February 3. Study session for associate members will be held Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. The location of the meeting will be at Frater Willis' residence. Two new advisors were voted on and announced. Congratulations to James Kirby and Ken Osborne (both TKE alumni). Mr. Kirby coaches at Normantown Elementary and Mr. Osborne is manager of the GSC men's basketball team and he is also in charge of sports information for the Athletic Department. Also Dr. Nasir Assar was voted on as an advisor and was approved. We are now in the process of waiting for his confirmation. In closing, we'd like to extend our thanks to all the Delta Zetas and Sigmas who showed up for our Hats Off Dance and we hope we can return the favor in the near future. Welcome back, Frater/alumni, Eddie Mazzella. Good luck, Frater Willis, on the upcoming GSC track meet at WVU. Remember, pictures will be taken this Thursday. All TKE's should attend.

The Delta Alpha Chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma held its weekly meeting on Sigma floor January 26, 1986. We set the date for our Sigma formal to be held on April 19, 1986.

Thanks to all the girls who participated in joint rush—we were glad to have you there! Sis of the Week goes to Sandy Bleigh and Veronica Walker.

Cultured Pearl goes to Terri McEachron (S.R.), Camella (all week) Tenney, Allison Johnson, and Veronica Walker.

Thanks to our interior decorators Kassie and Christi!

Sigma Sweetheart goes to the rushees.

Special thanks goes to our Chapter Advisor, Marilyn Dinkler. We couldn't do it without you!

Sigma Sigma Sigma

The Delta Alpha Chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma held a formal meeting Sunday, February 2 on Sigma floor.

A big thank you to all girls who participated in formal rush. A reminder that Tri Sigma will be holding more rush parties for girls who are still interested.

Pinning ceremony will be held tonight at 9:30 in the Vandalia Room. To our soon-to-be pledges: good luck!

Pictures will be taken Thursday at 6:15. A special thank you to Deb Wildman for Monday. It was appreciated.

Happy belated birthdays to Allison and honorary Janet James. Great party, girls!!

Sis of the Week goes to our future pledges. We love ya!!

Cultured Pearl goes to Allison and Janet James.

Sigma Sweetheart goes to our advisor, Marilyn Dinkler, for the beautiful cake. It was wonderful!!

Phi Beta Lambda

The Phi Beta Lambda will hold an exhibition on February 13 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Vandalia Room. Anyone who wants to know what PBL is all about—drop by.

Anyone interested in purchasing a pizza kit, contact any PBL member by noon on February 12. The orders will be in on February 20.

Those wanting to help with the membership drive should contact Ray Shackleford.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, February 12 at 3:15 p.m. in room 100 AB.

Student Accounting Society

Glenville State College has a new organization, the Student Accounting Society. Anyone interested in accounting is welcome to attend the meeting on Thursday, February 6 at 12:45 p.m. in Room 302 of the Administration Building.

The Delta Zeta Sorority held an informal meeting at the Delta Zeta House on Monday, February 3 at 5 p.m.

A list of other chairmanships not included last week are as follows: Cheryl Curry--academic, Jennifer Vincent--philanthropy and courtesy, Peggy Spencer--enrichment, Liz Travise--sorority educator, Cheryl Curry--song leader, Marilyn Sutton and Jenny Wilson--scrapbook, Kathy King--ways and means, Becky Langford--social, Lorie Jimison and Becky Langford--guards, and Jan Spencer--press/Lamp editor.

The Rose Preference party on Sunday evening was very nice. Formal rush week was very exciting and Rose Preference made it that much more special.

A very special thank you goes out to the escorts Sunday night: Jim Frame, Eddie Mazzella, and Tim Thompson. You guys were great!!

The next Delta Zeta meeting will be Monday, February 10, at the Delta Zeta Sorority House.

"A fake friend and a shadow attend only while the sun shines."

Ladies of the White Rose

The Ladies of the White Rose held their weekly meeting Thursday in the chapel of the Wesley Foundation.

There will be a candy sale Feb. 12-14. All Ladies meet in Dayna's apartment at 1:00 on Monday to help make the candy.

There will be a pinning Thursday at 5:30. Let's be there to show the brothers that we care.

We will be visiting the Old Folk's Home the second Tuesday of every month at 6:00.

Congratulations to Rob Massey and Andy Jarrell, our two new associates.

See Dayna's door for dates and times of other activities. We love ya, Chis.

Chi Beta Phi

Chi Beta Phi is having a Valentine's Carnation sale from Tuesday, February 4-Friday, February 14. The times that we are selling are in Pickens Hall from 9-10 p.m. and in the Student Union from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Each flower will be \$1.50 each and we are selling red and white carnations. Messages can be sent with the flowers either directly or as a secret admirer in which case Chi Beta Phi members will write it for them, so not to distinguish the "admirer's" handwriting. Any questions contact: Dr. Mildred Disko, Science Hall; Kelly Haynes, ext. 261; or Larry Baker, ext. 254.

Our Wednesday meeting will be an "eating" meeting in the Underground. The time has been changed to 4:00 to allow plenty of time for last minute preparations for A COUPLA WHITE CHICKS SITTING AROUND TALKING.

Break a leg Tim, Paige, and Lisa. Plans are underway for the awards banquet, the date has been set for May 4th. Everyone should come to tonight's meeting with lots of ideas on a theme for the banquet. Godspell next week, volunteer to work.

Farewell to our student teachers, we love you guys! Don't forget us little people that are left behind. Happy Birthday wishes to Lisa!! Next meeting is February 12th at 5 p.m. in the Underground.

Collegiate 4-H

Glenville State College's 4-H Club met on January 29, 1986 at 5:30 p.m. in the Wesley Foundation.

Orders are now being taken for special occasion cookies. Anyone interested in purchasing a cookie for \$4 should contact Stephanie Phillips, apt. 200, Cheryl McKinney or any Collegiate 4-H member three days prior to the day of delivery.

January 31 marks the beginning of the Young Adult Conference Weekend at Jackson's Mill. This year's theme is "Cops, Robbers and the FBI." It should be an exciting weekend for 4-H members!

We would like to welcome our newest member, Sandra Simmers, to Glenville State College's 4-H Club. Welcome aboard, Sandra!

Our next meeting will be held on February 12 at 5:30 p.m. in the Wesley Foundation. Everyone is welcome!

Order of Diana

On January 28, the Order of Diana discussed the following items at their weekly meeting.

Fund raisers were the main topics of discussion with many good ideas being presented. A dollar drop and a pre-tourney dance were the two that received the most attention and tentative dates are February 15 and 20, respectively.

Anyone interested in pledging Order of Diana contact Jerry Burkhammer or Kathy King.

All O.D.'s were in agreement to help with the Red Cross Blood Drive which was held on February 4.

Pictures for the yearbook will be taken at 6 p.m. on Thursday, February 6. All O.D.'s must attend.

After the meeting was adjourned, the resignation of President Tina Morton was discussed. All O.D.'s, ACTIVE and INACTIVE, should attend the next meeting so this matter can be discussed.

There will be a GSC Week Committee meeting on Thursday, Feb. 6 at 3 p.m. in the Little Theatre.

Anyone with a Fine Arts textbook to sell, please contact Dr. Gillespie in 317 of the English complex.

NOTICE

The last day to pick up consignee money in the Campus Co-Op will be Wednesday, February 12.

All students are reminded that Financial Aid Forms (FAF) for the 1986-87 school year are available in the Financial Aid Office. Forms must be completed and mailed before March 1, 1986.

Letters to the Editor

To Whom It May Concern:

I'm sorry for throwing a snowball.

Brian Howdyshe

To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to take this opportunity to apologize for throwing those deadly snowballs in front of Louis Bennett Hall.

I would also like to thank Tommy Barnes for making me realize how childish it really is to hurl snowballs.

Clint Waybright

To Whom It May Concern:

I'd like to apologize for throwing a snowball.

Tommy Buzzo

To Whom It May Concern:

I would like to say that I am sorry for throwing snowballs. But I would also like to comment on the letter to the editor from last week. To the concerned resident of LBH who thinks throwing snowballs is childish. I think he is more confused than concerned! (sic)

Billy Korsen

Dear Editor:

NOTTINGHAM

I am one of the many avid and lively Glenville State College basketball fans. First, I would like to say "congratulations" to the team's recent winning and good play in their losses. But, even though the guys are playing well, I must question your reasons for two of the benched players "riding the pines." Coach, are you afraid that they might do good? Or is it revenge against the players practice habits? Are they too dumb? What is it? I give you the case of the game against West Virginia State College. Even though our team was giving it a gallant effort, we were losing by 25 points, with ten minutes left in the game. Now anybody who follows W.V.I.A.C. basketball knows that State is one of the top teams in the conference, and it was almost impossible for our team to come back. Coach, why not put men seated on the bench into the game and give them some quality playing time, some valuable learning experience, so when the actual time comes, our men won't be nervous and anxious. But Coach, you waited to put them into the game with 2 minutes and 50 seconds left. Mod-up time again for our two pine men. How do you expect them to gain any confidence? The West Virginia Tech game was the same way, I know, I was there. And then tonight, against Alderson-Broadus, you FINALLY start to put the two players into the game with :58 seconds left in the game, with Glenville up by 13 points. WHY!? Surely, you have answer. Why don't you please share your reason with us, or is you're time running out?

I hope the team continues to play well and get better, looking ahead to the tournament.

Good luck, Coach. I'll still continue to cheer and yell. (sic)

Thank you,
Mike Grimm

Reverently Speaking...

Baptist Campus Ministry

For those of you have been living under a rock, here's some information. Glenville is a pretty boring place. And with boredom comes temptation. Temptation to drink. Temptation to pop a 'lude. Temptation to "fool around." It's everywhere, and it's in many different forms. Sometimes it's really difficult to resist this temptation, and a lot of times we fall prey to it.

Well, as hard as it is to believe, they had the same temptations back in Christ's time, almost 2000 years ago. The drugs may not have been around, but everything else sure was. Christ had a real knack for resisting temptation, though. And he's using that ability to make it possible for us. God won't let us be tempted beyond what we can bear. But He'll also provide a way out as we can stand up under it. (1 Corinthians 10:13)

Want to fight boredom? Join us at 9 p.m. Wednesday night for B.C.M.

Inside Student Congress

Tomorrow, February 6, Student Congress will be having a student forum. Several representatives from the administration are invited to answer questions, take suggestions, and comment on school policies. The forum will be at 8 p.m. in Pickens Hall main lounge and it is hoped that all students will participate.

A meeting has been set up with Joe Drahnak, Diane Bach and a committee from Congress to look into the cafeteria service. We will be pursuing suggestions and offering new ideas to upgrade current service.

A committee met with Mr. Jesse Lilly on this past Thursday and discussed extending pool and gym hours. Mr. Lilly's cooperative attitude leads us to believe that with enough student participation the pool will be open on weekends and with the increased Intramural Basketball activities we are trying to establish practice hours for student use of gym.

Congress installed two new members. They are Jane Kelley from Pickens Hall and Clint Waybright representing Louis Bennett Hall. We would like to remind everyone that Student Congress elections are February 24 and 25. Nominations close on February 7 at 4 p.m. Anyone interested in helping with the planning of GSC Week, the next meeting is at 3 p.m. on Thursday in the Little Theatre.

Who's Who pictures will be taken for the yearbook on Thursday, February 6 at 8 p.m. in the small ballroom.

All groups who have not had pictures scheduled may come to the ballroom tonight or tomorrow after 7 p.m.

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Pioneers On a Roll, Capture Three Straight

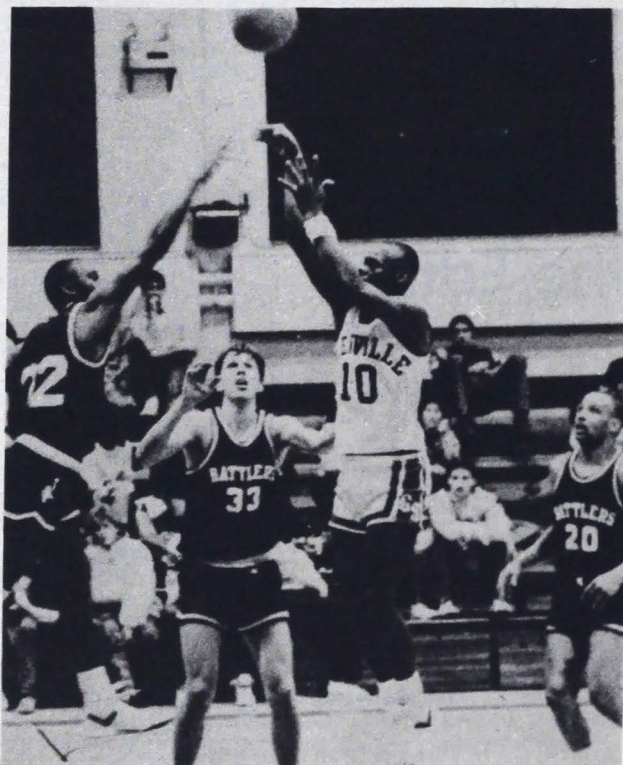
Gary Nottingham's Pioneer cagers are red hot right now, riding high on a three-game winning streak. With three victories last week, the Pioneers raised their overall record to 9-11 and their conference record to 7-7.

The Fairmont game last Monday was by far the biggest victory of the three. Consider these facts; Glenville entered the game 4-7 in the conference, while Fairmont entered with an 8-1 conference slate. Add to this the fact that the game was being played at the Feaster Center on the campus of Fairmont State.

Glenville, however, performed very well up in Falconland and walked away with a 64-61 overtime victory. If the Pioneers can continue their winning ways this game will certainly be remembered as the turning point in the season. Rudy Watts led the Pioneers in scoring with 16 points, with Matt Bullett contributing 13 rebounds.

Glenville then returned home and defeated the Alderson-Broadbudds Battlers, 85-73. Rudy Watts starred for the Pioneers, scoring 25 points, grabbing 10 rebounds, and handing out five assists. It was only Glenville's second home victory of the season.

Davis & Elkins was Glenville's final opponent of the week, and the Pioneers gave them a thorough 85-61 thrashing. They were



Paul Grier shoots a jumper against Alderson-Broadbudds.

Photo by Mike Dynda

led by Kenny Taylor with 25 points and Paul Grier, who had seven assists. Glenville also received a boost from reserve Joe Gandee, who came off the bench and went four-for-four from the field and had five assists as well.

Nottingham cited several reasons for the team's recent success: "We are really playing well together right now," the third-year coach said. He went on to explain that the Pioneers are playing their kind of basketball.

By this he means they are playing good team defense, and getting offensive production from the inside men. He commented on the defensive aspect by saying, "We are creating a lot of defensive pressure, and the scores of our games are

indicative of this." He spoke of the inside offense by commenting, "Our guards have been doing a good job of getting it inside, and our guys have been doing a good job of getting it in the hole."

The Pioneers will try to continue their winning streak this week with a pair of road games in the Northern Panhandle. Wednesday they will play at West Liberty, and Saturday night they will face Wheeling.

Jesse's Place

Last week I mentioned briefly the situation concerning a track-football conflict for some athletes. I have decided, however, to hold off on this story until later in the spring due to some health problems Coach Vincent is now having.

Vincent is now recovering from a gall bladder operation he underwent last week. In a statement issued by Athletic Secretary Sue Edwards, it was said that the Pioneer grid boss is at home now and recovering quite well. She said that he should be back on the job in about six weeks.

Now I want to examine a trend that I have noticed in GSC athletics this year, and this is a lack of players. This is not complaining, but merely looking at facts. Before I have mentioned how successful GSC athletics were two years ago. It was in the 1983-84 year that the Pioneer gridders were 6-2-1 and second in the conference. That same year the Pioneer basketball team finished the regular season fourth in the conference with a 16-11 record. To top it all off, both the cross country and track teams captured the conference titles. Close to the top were Tim Carney's Lady Pioneers which were third in the conference and his golfers which were fourth.

This year, however, there are not that many athletes around it seems. In the fall the football team finished the season with only 35 players while the cross country team ran the conference meet with only five runners. Below both of these teams was the GSC volleyball squad which was unable to field a team in 1985.

With winter upon us now, both of our basketball teams are enjoying good seasons. But even so, neither team can boast about being very deep. The Ladies have played the last two weeks with only seven players, while the Pioneers have played with as few as nine players in recent games.

Perhaps there is nothing major wrong, but it is ironic that this has happened all at once. If our teams keep winning, maybe this is not a problem at all.

Jesse F. Skiles
Sports Editor

The track team of Head Coach Lou Geary will be running their only indoor meet of the year this Saturday at the Hardees Invitational in Morgantown. Leading the Pioneers this season will be shot putter Dave Darst, long jumper Lloyd Willis, and distance runner Danny Stowers.

Upcoming
Pioneer Games
Feb.-5 at West Liberty
Feb.-8 at Wheeling
Feb.-10 Davis and Elkins
Feb.-12 Fairmont
Feb.-15 Salem

Lady Pioneers Remain Second in WVIAC

Still playing with only seven players, the Lady Pioneers of Coach Tim Carney split two games last week. They defeated Fairmont 60-58 and lost to Davis & Elkins 81-71. They are presently second in the conference with a 9-6 overall record and an 8-3 league mark.

The victory over Fairmont was a big win for the Ladies in that they defeated a tough team on the road. Carney noted that the squad played very well at Fairmont even though they nearly squandered a seven-point lead in the game's final two minutes.

Carney was much less pleased with the Davis & Elkins game. The Ladies' boss lamented the defeat by saying, "Defensively, we just failed to stop them at all." He referred to the fact that D&E shot a whopping 59.3 percent to illustrate his point. The Lady Pioneers were behind almost throughout the game despite a sterling 26-point performance from Janice Loughner.

This week the Ladies will try to hold on to second place in the WVIAC with three important home games. Monday night they

hosted WV Wesleyan, tomorrow night they will host WV Tech, and Saturday night they will host Salem.

It is unfortunate that this story went to press before the Wesleyan game. They were in third place when they came to Glenville, also with only three conference losses. It was simply a battle for the second place in the WVIAC.

Ladies' 15-Game Totals

NAME	PTS	AVG	REB	AVG	ASSISTS
Tina Burkhammer	325	21.7	52	3.5	41
Kim Creel	116	12.9	82	9.1	16
Kim Fox	6	.5	8	.6	6
Rhonda Hicks	148	9.9	88	5.9	36
Sarah Knapp	26	1.9	25	1.8	6
Janice Loughner	242	16.1	204	13.6	14
Niki Randolph	124	8.3	67	4.5	83
Marsha Shrader	31	2.1	17	1.1	10
Other	4	.5	6	.8	0

Tina Burkhamer: Lady Pioneer Sharpshooter



Tina Burkhamer has a great smile to match her awesome jumpshot.

Photo by Mike Dynda

Two weeks ago Tina Burkhamer became the third player in the history of the Lady Pioneers to reach the 1000 point mark for a career. Tina joins former Lady greats Pam Minigh and Bunny Taylor in this 1000-point club.

Burkhamer, however, has achieved her total in a career that included only two years as a starter. Both Minigh and Taylor were four-year starters. Coach Tim Carney stated, "Tina has always been a fabulous shooter, but she has really worked hard on other aspects of her game and that is why she is a complete player... she has improved so much."

Just looking at her career statistics provides a good illustration of her development. As a freshman Tina was only used sparingly and finished with a 4.6 scoring average. As a sophomore she was one of the top players off the bench and averaged 9.4 points a game. This was a rather high total for a reserve. She was also among the national leaders in free throws,

hitting 83% of her shots from the line.

Last season Tina really came into her own, taking full advantage of her first season as a starter. She was the leading scorer on the team, averaging 17.3 points a game. She has continued her high scoring ways this season filling up the bucket with a 21.7 point average.

Shooting is what Tina will always be remembered for. This has been her specialty and she does indeed do it well. Carney praised her by saying "She is one of the purest shooters I have ever seen, male or female." Assistant Coach Rich Moore, a fine shooter in his own right, echoed similar praise by saying, "She is by far the best female shooter that I have ever seen." Tina is the all-time leading free throw shooter hitting 76%.

As her career draws to a close, Tina states that this has been a very special year for her. "Having such a small squad has created

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Pioneers 20-Game Totals

NAME	PTS	AVG	REB	AVG	ASSISTS
Matt Bullett	412	20.6	140	7.0	35
Joe Gandee	28	1.7	10	0.6	7
Paul Grier	156	8.2	58	2.1	39
John Harris	94	4.7	51	2.5	18
Glenn Johnson	7	0.7	5	0.5	0
Steve Morris	75	5.0	24	1.6	44
Greg Reed	25	2.7	10	1.1	14
Kenneth Taylor	320	18.8	128	7.5	13
Rudy Watts	299	14.9	134	6.7	44
Kirk Zellous	86	4.3	53	2.6	74
Others	35	4.3	28	3.5	12

Burkhamer . .

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somewhat of a family atmosphere," the senior sharpshooter stated. As for her future plans, she says she would like to coach. If Tina Burkhamer can coach like she plays, some school is going to be very fortunate.

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"White Chicks" Opens

The two act comedy **A Coupla White Chicks Sitting Around Talking**, opens tonight for a one-night run. Director Tim Mace describes the play as an adult comedy—about adults, and dealing with adults in very adult situations. It is most definitely for adults. But please do not allow that to turn you away—the play is a comedy in every sense of the word.

Set in the suburbs of New York, the play shows us the metamorphosis of Maude Mix, played by Paige Deitz, from social butterfly to human being. This is

due mostly to the incessant intervention of her new neighbor, Hannah Mae Bindler, played by Lisa McHenry.

The play is a real showcase for the talents of these two actresses. Neither of them are strangers to the stage. Both were last seen in **The Shadow Box** that was presented last semester. Lisa received the best actress award in 1984 and Paige received the best actress award in 1985.

The play begins at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, February 5. Admission is \$1 with no tickets being sold in advance.

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The **MERCURY** would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those who took the time to participate in our lottery.

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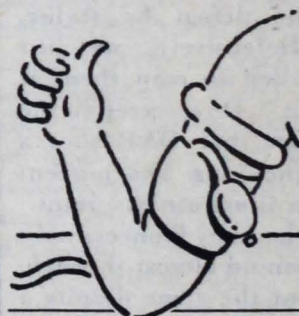
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