

# THE GLENVILLE MERCURY

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row 1 Cindy Baker, Mike Minney, Cheryl Amos, Dwight Copeland, Ginny Moore, Scott Montgomery, Vicki Moss.  
row 2 Jeanette Kidder, Carla Cutlip, Kathy Sealey, James Cooper, Jon Cottrill, Tom Armstead, and Katrina Riggelman.

## PBL Vies at State Confab

Members of the Glenville State College Phi Beta Lambda business fraternity attended the State Phi Beta Lambda Leadership Conference on Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8 at Parkersburg Community College for the annual business meeting and competitive events.

State officers and first and second place winners in written events earned the honor to compete nationally

at the national leadership conference to be held in Orlando, Florida, July 9-12.

Glenville students going on to Orlando are Cynthia Barker, Washington, WV second place Accounting II; James Cooper, Glenville, first place computer concepts; Kathy Sealy, Ronceverte, WV, first place business principles; and B. Scott Montgomery, Glenville, State vice president.

Also participating in the

competition were Cheryl Amos, Elizabeth, WV; Carla Cutlip, Exchange, WV; Kristen Edman, Washington, WV; Virginia Moore, Reedy, WV; Vickie Moss, Glenville; Joe Ann Sabatino, Parkersburg. Lisa Dolan, Ronceverte was a voting delegate.

Also attending were Ernie Smith, GSC Business Department Chairman and Rolanna Coberly, staff advisor.

## Fee Changes Discussed

Recommended student fee changes was the lead-off topic at the April 13 meeting of the Glenville State College Board of Advisors. An increase in room and board, yearbook and student congress programming will constitute a \$33.00 student fee increase for the next year.

Gerald Hough, director of administrative services, reported that all capital projects- the new Art and Music Building, the fiber optics overview, the

Administration Building renovation-are progressing. A development officer is needed and windows in the Science Hall are the next projects.

Mack Samples, Dean of Records and Admissions, reported that enrollment figures for the new freshman class will probably decline 40 to 50 students due to the new increased NAIA enrollment standards which will require a 2.00 grade average or 15 ACT score for athletes.

The Board endorsed a teacher education consortium between GSC, Fairmont, and Concord Colleges. The consortium will permit sharing of resources, faculty development and a 5 year teaching degree if it becomes a requirement. All this will provide greater access to grants.

Chancellor Simmons reported on the effects of new legislation. The abolishment of the BOR come July 1 will place Glenville under a newly

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## Outstanding Women Recognized

Glenville State College has chosen 33 young women to be recognized at the "Outstanding Young Women's Banquet" to be held April 27 at 5 p.m. in the ballroom. These students were selected on the basis of their outstanding qualities and dedication at G.S.C.

The Outstanding Young Women to be honored are: Tammy Tyler, American Chemical Society; Niki Randolph, Basketball Team; Priscilla Rose, Chamber Singers; Phyllis Parsons, Cheerleaders; Vicki Fuls, Chi Beta Phi; Julie Harbert, Concert Choir; Lori Barker, Cross Country Team; Messelech Zawge, Cultural Exchange Club; Lisa Walker, Delta Zeta Sorority; Michelle Conant, Eva C. Taylor Award; Cynthia Bias, Homecoming Queen; Shelly Walkup, Jazz Band; Carmen Wager, Kanawhachen;

Michelle Conant, Kappa Delta Pi; Lisa Dolan, Ladies of the White Rose; Sheffie Dennison, Les Gourmet Society; Janet Rogers, Mercury; Tracy Legg, Miss Kanawhachen; Dawn Bailey, MENC; Mercedes Richmond, Ohningohow Players; Maryalice Maher, Panhellenic Council; Nichole Hamilton, Petroleum Engineering Club; Karen Ash, Pickens Hall Gov. Board; Cheryl Amos, PBL; Sue Tomey, Pi Gamma Mu; Crystal Kitzmiller, PCPB; Ruby Collins, Pioneers in Commuter Activities; Sara Bragg, Pioneers in Nursing; Catherine M. Harbert, Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority; Cynthia Baker, SAS; Heidi Christopher, Student Congress; Traci M. Probst, Student National Educ. Assoc.; Monna Beamer, Track Team; and Kim Creel, Volleyball Team.



## "Top Secret" Appears at GSC

The final event of GSC Week will be the 1989 GSC Spring Ball held in the Ballroom Saturday, April 22 from 9 pm-12 pm.

Semi-formal or formal attire will be appropriate. Cost will be \$2 for singles and \$3 a couple.

A professional photo-

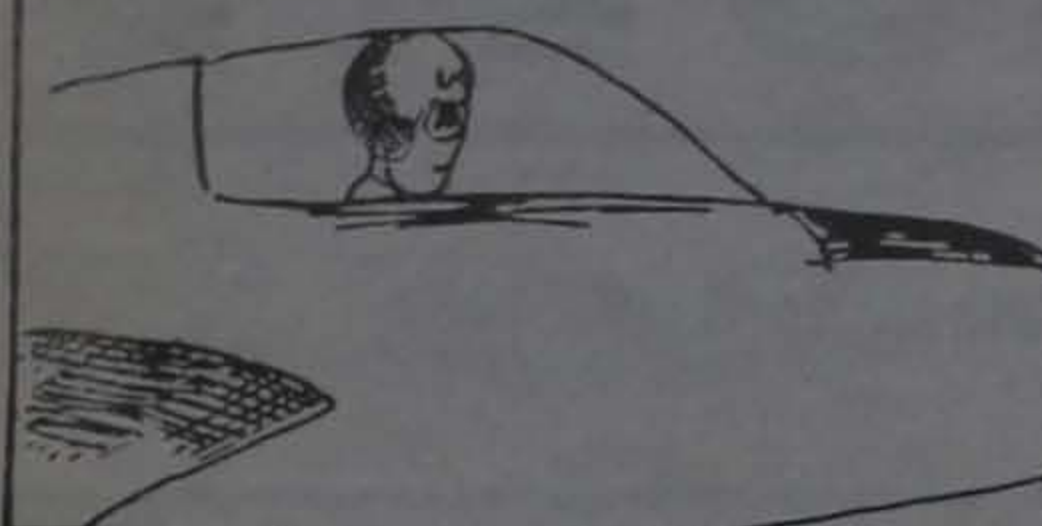
grapher will be taking individual, couple, or group portraits. Please have money for the pictures when they are taken.

Come and dance the night away with "Top Secret", and enjoy delicious refreshments.

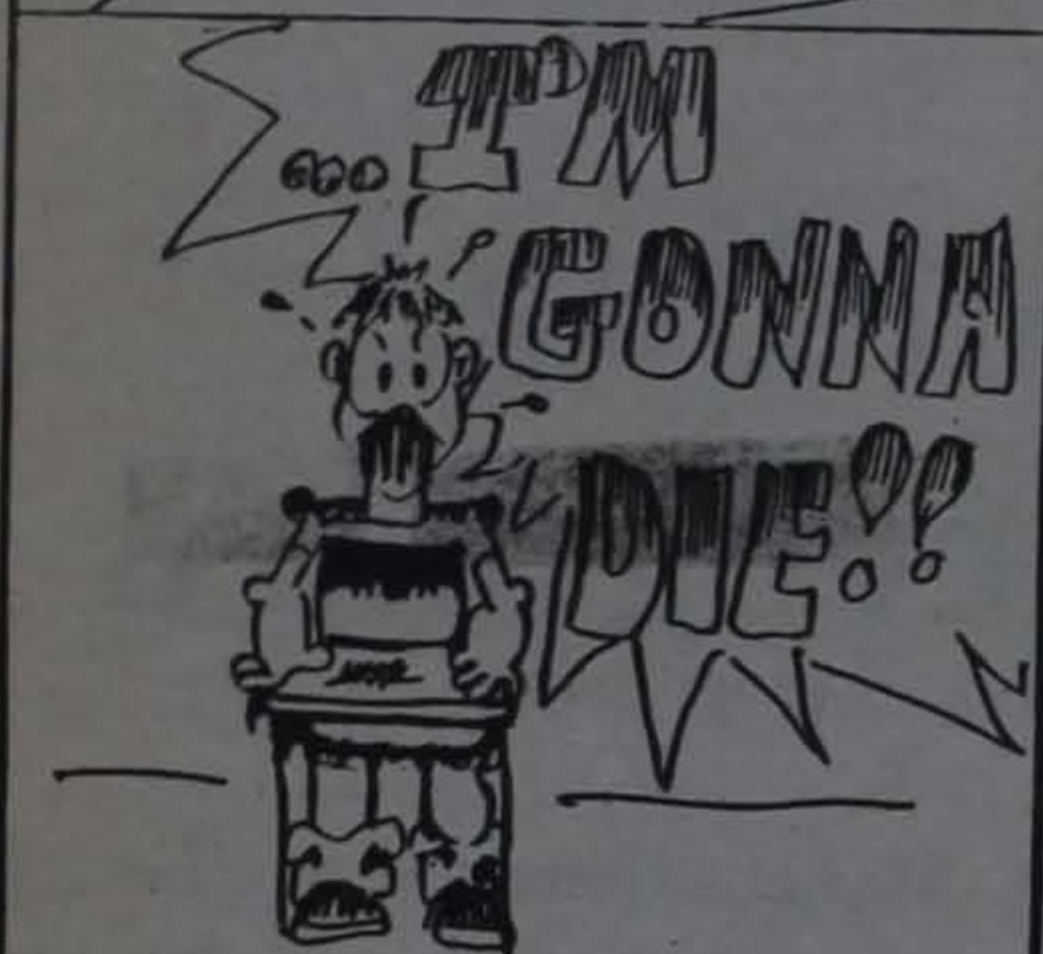


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## Organizational News

### Brown Bag Literary Society

The Brown Bag Literary Society met Friday, April 14 for their lunch meeting to discuss Bernard Malamud's book *The Natural*. Also open for discussion was the decision of whether or not this group wished Mr. deRosset to continue with the Brown Bag edition of Literary Society for next year. All those present asked him to return and conduct the lunch meeting again next fall.

Mr. deRosset asked members to be thinking of books, poems and plays they would be interested in

reading next year, and to give him a list sometime in the next two weeks. Also, he encouraged members to contact other commuter students interested in attending next fall.

All interested students may contact either Mr. deRosset in the Language Arts Division or Mrs. Arlene Briski in the Office of Continuing Education, Clark Hall.

The next meeting will be Friday, April 28, 1989 at the Alumni House at noon. The book to be discussed is *The Ship Who Sang* written by Ann McCaffrey. Copies of this book can be obtained in the college bookstore.

### The Glenville Mercury

It's been three and a half weeks since the Alaskan oil spill. The Exxon Corporation has taken responsibility for the incident and will pay for the clean-up. However, they have also made it clear that the project will increase the price of petroleum products for consumers. Consumers will ultimately pay for the clean-up.

Only 10% of the oil has been cleared from the beaches and water. Many civic and private groups and organizations have begun to help in the efforts to save the fishing industry, wildlife, and all other environmental factors affected by this crisis. The removal of this oil has been slow and costly. It is evident that much more time is needed to bring the environment to an equilibrium again. This time is apparently going to cost the consumer who buys Exxon products large amounts of



money.

West Virginia recently had to endure an increase of five cents on the gallon for gasoline tax. The gas increased more than a nickel, supposedly because of the oil spill. It has been said that the amount of spilled oil is not even one day's supply of energy in the

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United States alone. The question is: Why should the price increase or have increased as much as it already has?

Obviously consumers are in no way responsible for the disaster that has happened. Why then should the consumers pay for the clean-up? The Exxon Corporation should pay for the accident since they are directly responsible. Exxon should be legally responsible for price hikes, and they should be required to reimburse the groups who have been organized in an effort to control the oil spill. The people affected have been cooperative to this point; furthermore, Exxon should be understanding and realize that they are responsible and should not pass this enormous expense onto the consumers.

Paul Biser

### Delta Zeta

The Theta Xi Chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority held their weekly formal Monday, April 10 at 9:30.

We installed our new President, Mary Alice Maher! Yeah Alice!!! We Love you!!!

Parents Day and Alumni Day is Sat., April 22nd from 11-3! Hope we'll see a big turn out!!!

A reminder to all sisters that our spring cleaning jobs are to be done this week before Saturday!!!

Our Spaghetti Dinner is April 25th & 26th from 4:30-7:00. Tickets will be sold in advance from any of the Delta Zeta's.

Also, A big Congratulations to Brenda H. on becoming Recording Secretary! Way to go Sis!!!, and to Lorra M. on

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### LETTERS

Letters submitted to the editor must be signed or your identity must be made known to either the advisor or editor. Letters and Organizational News must be grammatically correct or will be printed as is. All articles should be submitted to the Mercury no later than 12:00 noon on Friday.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Most students are unaware that over the weekend from April 7 through April 10, the GSC Theatre Production of *The Lion in Winter* went on tour. Students at Spencer and Ripley High School, as well as the people of Roane County, were receptive and appreciative audiences for this production.

I would like to thank the students and folks who made the tour possible: the cast—James Cooper, Lesa Hendershot, Tracy Samples, Dana Spade, Kevin Ranson, Allen Laugh and Jim Shock. Without your cooperation, it would have been impossible. I would also like to thank our crews: Nancy Wemm, Denise Davis, Trey Simonson, Kris Rogers, Linda

Malcomb and Bill Shreve. You kept us all going.

I would also like to thank all of those who allowed us give you headaches without getting too mad: the Music faculty, all of you who had the above students in class on Friday and Monday, Drs. Como and Gillespie and especially Wilma Myers and Doris Williams who allowed us to completely disrupt their vehicle scheduling.

Because of your efforts, over 1200 people saw the work that GSC Theatre can do at its best. Dennis Wemm

P.S. All those who left early on Monday Missed a great steak dinner!

Last Thursday I was talking to an angered student who is a senior. He had just come from the Financial Aid Office and was unable to get a student loan because he didn't have a Student ID. It was needed to prove he was a student.

This seems that since he only has 3 weeks left to graduate that they could check their records to see if he is a student, rather than making him pay \$3.00 for a card he will never use again after the next 3 weeks.

Can the Financial Aid Office do something about this?

A Concerned Student



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# Sec. of State Ken Hechler Speaks at GSC

by Tracy Samples

Glenville State College was honored by the presence of West Virginia's Secretary of State, Dr. Ken Hechler on Tuesday, April 11, 1989. Accepting the invitation of Dr. Phelan and his State and Local Government Class, Dr. Hechler elaborated on the three constitutional amendments to be decided upon in a special election on Saturday, September 9, 1989.

Dr. Hechler spent a few minutes discussing reasons why the election itself was imprudent. The first reason he stressed was the fact that the state seems to be in such dire need of money and yet West Virginia will spend 1.2 million dollars to hold the September decision maker when the amendments could easily be attached to the 1990 general election ballot. He also stated that there is not enough time for the public to debate the amendments or become informed about what they contain. Dr. Hechler also mentioned the fact that special elections generally have a low voter turnout. September 9th happens to be the weekend after Labor Day which may cause some voters to be out of the state for vacations.

Amendment number 1, Dr. Hechler explained is the Educational Reform amendment. It would abolish the

independent constitutional status of Superintendent of Schools, allowing the Governor to fill the position by appointment. Amendment 2, is the County Reorganization amendment. It would allow cities and counties to merge into a metro-type government. This would allow the consolidation of police forces and other services, which would save tax dollars.

Dr. Hechler then talked about the amendment that concerned him most and that he felt should most concern the people: amendment number 3, the Better Government amendment.

This amendment would change the offices of Secretary of State, Commissioner of Agriculture, and Secretary of Treasury offices from elective to appointive positions. The positions would then be filled by the Governor. The present Secretary of State explained that this change would not affect him in anyway; but he disagrees with taking these offices out of the hands of the people. He thought that this system may work well under some administrations, but voters must look at what the upcoming elections may bring to the Executive Branch.

Ending his presentation on the special election, Dr.

Hechler then opened the floor for questions. When asked about Governor Caperton's abrupt change in his campaign promises concerning raising taxes, Dr. Hechler stated that he agreed with the idea of paying off the state's debts, but he would rather see higher acreage tax rather than a necessity tax on food or gas.

Dr. Hechler concluded his discussion encouraging voters to turn out for the September 9th election.

Staff positions for The Glenville Mercury and The Kanawhachen are open for next year. Those who are interested in any position may write a letter of application to Mrs. Yvonne King, Advisor, Clark Hall by May 1.

Please state qualifications and desired position. Most positions carry workshop or workstudy status.

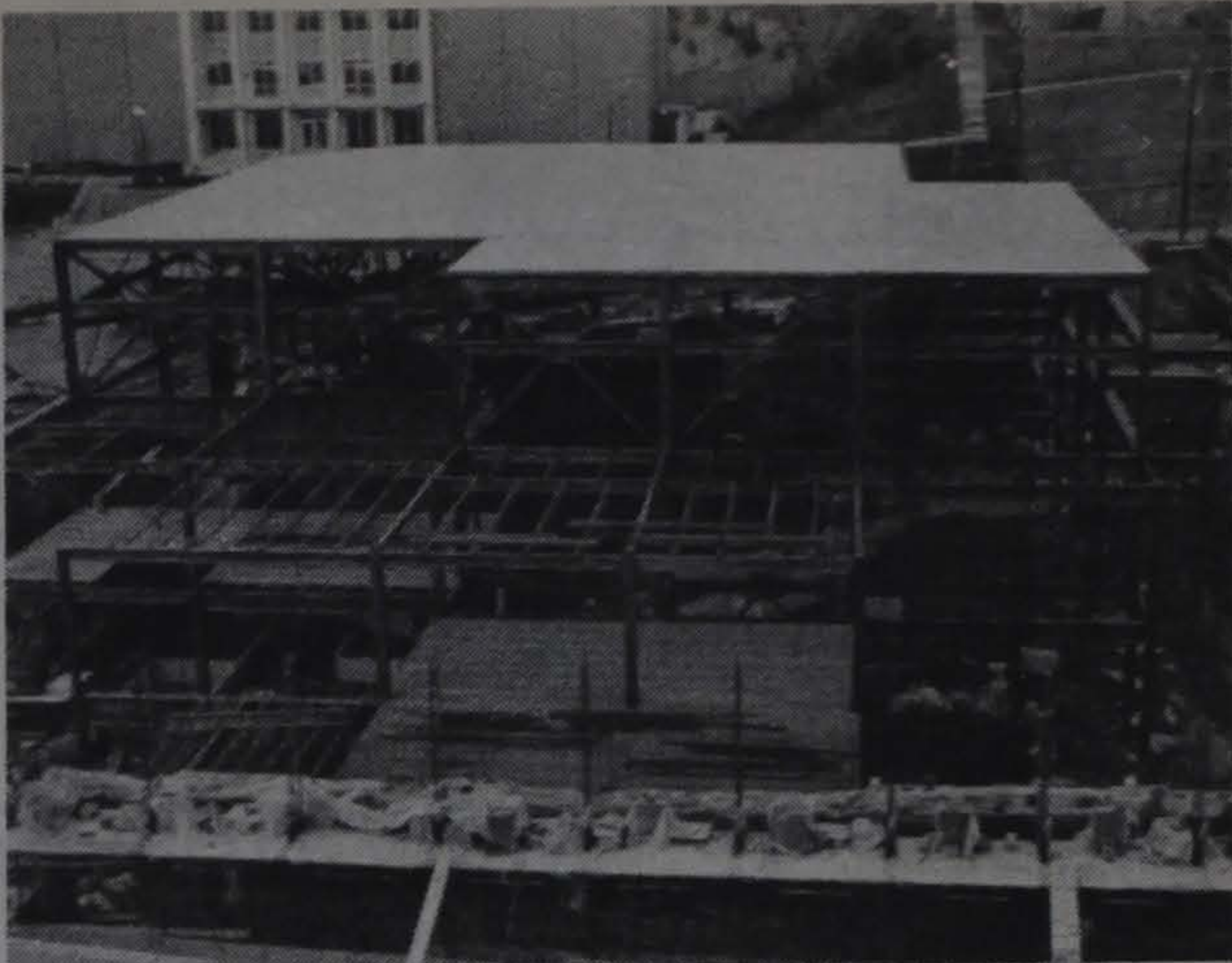
Positions include editor, circulation mgr., photographers, computer operators, typists, assistant editor, sports editor, copy editor, advertising editor, and cartoonist. For photographers or cartoonist positions, include samples of your work.

## Retirees Honored

On Friday, April 21, 1989, faculty and staff members will be honoring those employees who are accepting their retirement or who have completed their twenty years of service at Glenville State College.

An informal luncheon will be held on Friday at 12:00 noon in the Ballroom of the Pioneer Center to recognize those employees. They are Ms. Jo Cleek who is accepting her retirement, and Mrs. Shannon Bailey; Mr. Raymond Greenlief; Mr. Richard Linger; and Dr. James Lowell Peterson, who have completed their twenty years of service here at Glenville State College.

Reservations can be made at the switchboard office. The cost of the luncheon will be \$3.50 and can be paid at the door.



The Fine Arts Building is progressing. The roof has been added and the brick is being laid.

## Journalism Class Attends Seminar at Charleston Country Club

On April 11th, Mrs. King and her journalism 322 class traveled to Charleston to the Edgewood Country Club for a seminar on covering business news.

The seminar covered the different aspects of business news.

Tom Burns, President of C & P opened by welcoming the guest speakers and those in attendance.

Jim Smith, managing Editor of the Charleston Daily Mail and Ann Bentley, Vice President, Public Relations for Charles Ryan Associates spoke briefly on covering a news conference.

Reporting on the Economy and Economic Development were: Dan Page, Editor of The State Journal and David Copenhagen, President of West Virginia Roundtable.

Bob Payne, the Publisher of The State Journal lectured on Businessman Turned Publisher.

Nazzi Zola, Vice President and controller of Columbia Gas Transmission Corporation and Larry Stark, Vice President of Investor Relations for Key Centurian discussed the Understanding Financial Information. Tom McGee, Anchor Man for WCHS-TV, channel 8 went over interviewing.

At the close of the seminar everyone participated in a mock news conference.

Those attending the seminar were: Mrs. Yvonne King, Paul Biser, Donna Brady, Chris Harper, Alicia Hess, Marilouise McNemar, Katsuko Nakata, Sally Robinson, Mark Romano, Sally Smith, Carmen Wager, and Bill Church.

### 1989 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Starting Time	Name of Event	# of People
4:00 p.m.	4-Legged Race	3
4:15 p.m.	Belching Contest	1
	Cracker Whistling Contest	1
4:30 p.m.	Orange Relay	7
4:40 p.m.	Skin the Snake	8
4:55 p.m.	Diaper Relay	2
5:10 p.m.	Dizzy Bat	5
5:25 p.m.	Wheelbarrow Race	4
5:30 p.m.	INTERMISSION	
6:00 p.m.	Pyramid Building	10
6:10 p.m.	Leap Frog	7
6:20 p.m.	Forward Roll Relay	5
6:35 p.m.	Suitcase Relay	4
6:50 p.m.	Egg Toss	2
	Balloon Toss	2
6:55 p.m.	Jello Eating Contest	2
7:00 p.m.	Firetruck Ball	6

Cheerleading try-outs for the 1989-1990 school year will be held on Sunday, April 30th in the college gymnasium. All men and women interested in trying out are to see Mrs. Sue Edwards or Dr. Randy Hunt in the Physical Education Building by April 28th.

The practice session will begin at 2:00 p.m. with try-outs starting at 7:00 p.m. Judging will consist of an individual cheer, group cheer, group dance, jumps, gymnastics, and partner stunts.

#### Attention

There will be a meeting on Wednesday, April 19th at 3:00pm in room 308 in the Administration Building for all International Students. Discussion will be made with regard to holding our own activities. It is important for all International Students to attend this meeting.

Furthermore, International Students will be sponsoring a party for all students to attend. This event will take place on Thursday, April 27th in the Ballroom from 8:00pm until 11:00pm. Come and join the fun, and learn a little about other cultures.





## Teacher Feature: Kelly Houchin

The newest smile greeting Glenville State business majors this semester comes from Kelley Houchin. Mrs. Houchin is a graduate of Glenville State with a B.A. degree in Business Administration, a major in accounting and computer science. She will complete an M.A. in Vocational-Technical Education this spring. Before coming to Glenville State she taught secondary education at the Calhoun-Gilmer Career Center. In addition to her teaching duties, she has a Computer Consultant Business in Arnoldsburg. Mrs. Houchin is married and has one son Zachary. She offered some comments about motherhood, and her definitions of beauty and death were given some consideration and reflect her feeling about life very well.

Mrs. Houchin offered these comments about why she likes to teach: "Because I enjoy the interaction with students." She likes the spontaneous situation of a classroom "...especially in Computer Science, because it is always changing. What is current today is obsolete tomorrow. It is a challenge to stay abreast." And she let us know that she is very easily bored and needs challenges in her life.

Question: What do you think is important to give to your students?

Mrs. Houchin: to give them a realistic working environment-what it will be like when they leave college and enter the working environment. This is important in Computer Science. The students need to know how to find the answers... what is currently applicable. Students need to learn how to think for themselves. I like to challenge them to learn to think because in the work place no one will be there to tell them-how do this or how to do it. They must be able to do the assignment on their own. This is especially true in program classes.

Question: Do you plan to always teach?

Mrs. Houchin: No. Simply because it goes back to the fact than I'm bored very easily. I'll teach as long as I am not bored, as long as I enjoy it. It would not be fair to the school

or the students to continue once I became bored with teaching.

Mrs. Houchin's favorite hobby is reading and her favorite thing to do with her son, Zachary, is to read to him. She said she is "hoping to instill her love of reading in him." She also enjoys snow skiing, being in the sun and swimming, and she walks four miles a day with friends and takes Zachary along in the stroller. "Anything I do after the work day Zachary goes with me." Question: What does being a mom mean to you, and do you believe you can give your son a quality childhood and have a career at the same time?

Mrs. Houchin: Being a mom is the greatest job and challenge there is. It is very demanding, it is 24 hours a day, but it is also the most rewarding. I was raised in a non-traditional home. My mother worked outside the home so it is natural for me. I give my child quality time; he is independent because I work. We have a good interaction. I truly believe you can have both a career and a family. Question: Define Beauty, Ugly, Happiness and Death.

Mrs. Houchin: Beauty can take many different forms, depending what you are considering; landscape would be very calm and very serene. Personally to me, if someone is truly honest, the relationship is beautiful-honesty, empathy and compassion. Ugly? Ugly is petty, deceitful and turmoil. Happiness is a very elusive substance we constantly strive for. Personally, for me, good health, family, friends. True happiness comes from within. Death? I'm not afraid of death. It is the end of one cycle. I believe in another existence after our life here has ended.

Question: What constitutes romance for you?

Mrs. Houchin: Candlelight, wine, flowers, a beautiful sunset.

Question: Does there have to be a man involved?

Mrs. Houchin: No, it would be romantic even if I were alone.

by Sally Robinson

There will be a Jazz Band Concert on Wednesday, April 19, at 8:00 p.m. This concert will be held in the GSC Ballroom and will feature a blend of songs. Each song has been selected in order to allow for a soloist on each song. There are two vocal pieces by Cindy Dilly and Julie Harbert. There will also be several rock tunes, some older music and some newer music. These songs are as follows: Nice 'n Easy by Jeff Talyor; Brass Machine by Mark Taylor; My

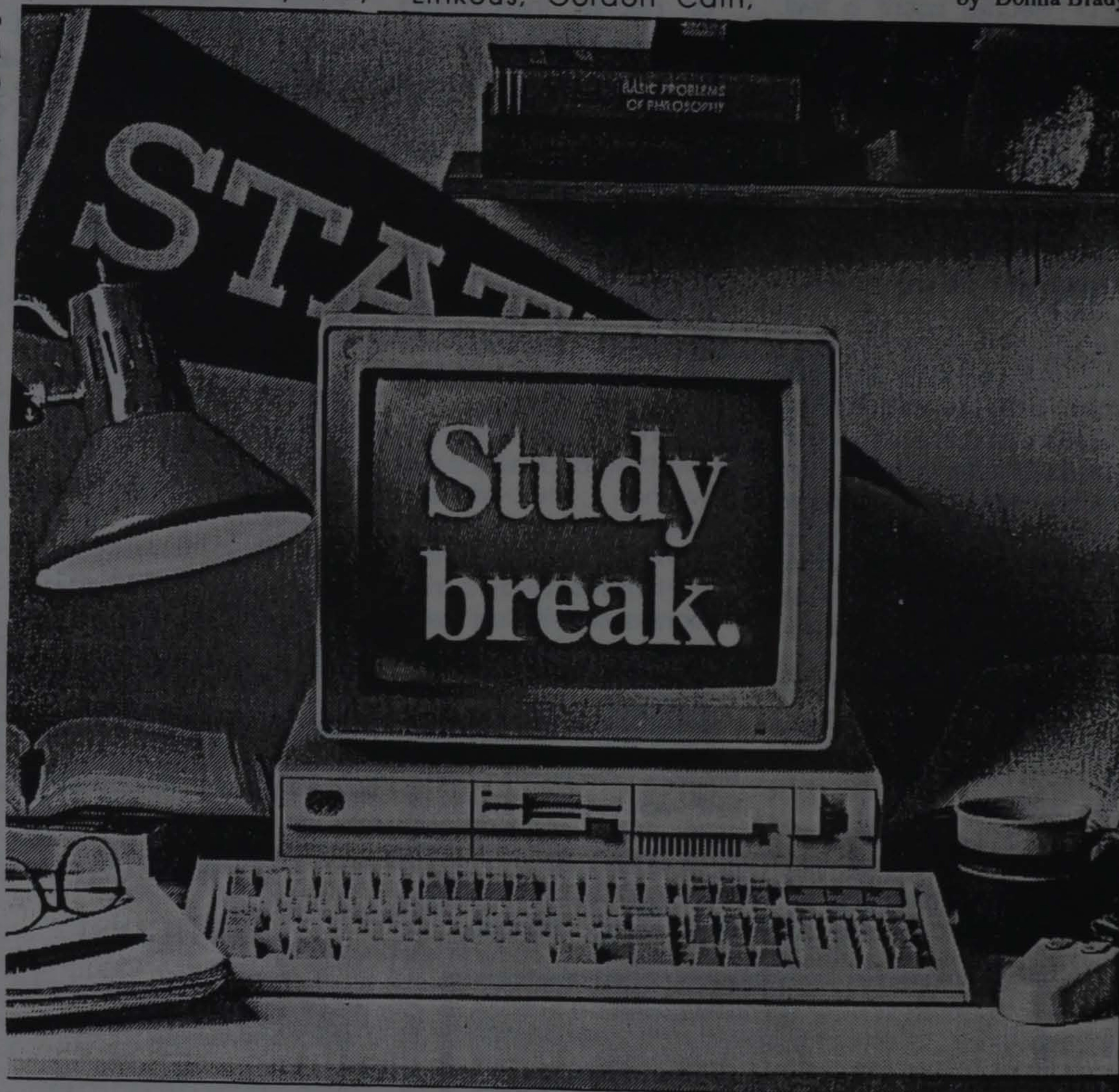
Funny Valentine by Rusty Dedrick; Can't Help Lovin' Dat Man by Roger Holmes; Flip Top by Mike Barone; Send in the Clowns by Stephen Sandheim; Undecided by Frank Mantooth; Samantha by Sammy Nestico; Come In From The Rain by Jerry Nowak; Gnu Shoes by Paul Jennings; Bein' Green by Joe Raposo; and Preacher Man's Comin' by Shorty Rogers.

People in the Jazz Band are; Donna Sibray, Kenny Linkous, Gordon Cain,

Debbie Joywick, Addy Akers, Donny Von Leewwan, John Simonson, Tim Price, Dana Spade, Shelly Walkup, Lewis Woodard, Patricia Parkulo, Doug Wickline, Jill Harmon, Ric Burns, Richard Barnett, Matt Hersom, Tim Richards, Cindy Dilly, Julie Harbert, Allen Parks, and director Harry Rich.

The Jazz Band recently toured two high schools, and this week they'll be at Greenbrier West.

by Donna Brady



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## Pi Gamma Mu Reorganized on Campus

Pi Gamma Mu is a national honor society for those who excel in the social sciences. The society has been chartered for several years at G.S.C. but has only recently become active again. Since the society has been reorganized they have supported several important functions including recognition of Black History Month and a forum on stigmas called Stand Up To Stigma. During Black History Month several important speakers visited the campus including Booker Stephens and

John Davis, a professor at W.V. Tech. The Stand Up To Stigma forum won an award presented by the State Mental Health Association.

Currently the society is trying to raise funds for future events. They are holding a raffle for one free month membership to To Your Health Fitness Center. If interested, chances are 5 for \$1.00 or .25¢ each. The drawing will be held during G.S.C. week at the picnic on April 20 at Pioneer Stadium. You do not need to be present to win. Chances will

be available until April 19.

If interested in becoming a member of Pi Gamma Mu two types of membership are available. Associate members must have six hours and a 3.0 average in social sciences classes. Full members must have at least 20 hours and a 3.0 average in the Social Sciences. If interested in becoming a member contact Sue Tomey in the Social Science division in L.B.H. and fill out an application.

## Louis Bennett Hall Bonds Paid

On June 1, 1989, Glenville State College will be celebrating its 27th year of paying off the Louis Bennett Hall's bonds to the Municipal Bond Commission, a state agency, who supported the College to finance their money in order to make additions to Louis Bennett Hall.

Before the 1930's, 20 male students of Glenville Normal School were asked to live in a two story, framed structure house, nicknamed "The Ark." Due to "The Ark's" unforeseen negligence and hazardous living conditions, plans were drawn by a Clarksburg architect, Carlton C. Wood, to design a dormitory that would be 66 feet deep, three stories high, and with a full basement.

In October of 1935, the plans were approved by the Works Progress Administration, in Washington, and the building would be erected on the grounds where the old tennis courts laid. Then in

June of 1937, the dormitory was ready for occupancy, in which it housed 132 boys and contained three apartments for those instructors who were appointed as preceptors.

In November of 1937, the building was dedicated in a ceremony honoring Mr. Louis Bennett. Mr. Bennett was appointed as principal of Glenville Normal School from 1873 to 1875.

Again, in 1965, plans were made for further additions to LBH by an architect firm of Griefe and Hoblitzell of Charleston. These additions included an elevator, mailboxes in the lobby, a public lounge, an apartment for the dormitory's director, an intercom system, and this time with four floors. With these new additions, LBH was able to house 328 men.

The total costs and architecture fees amounted to \$934,792, making the value of the entire dormitory

(both old and new portions) in excess of a million dollars.

Today, LBH is occupied by 183 men in the 1988-89 Fall Semester and 133 men in the Spring Semester. Along with the men, LBH houses the faculty and staff members of the Social Science Division, the Financial Aid Office, the Music Department, the Administrative Service, and two apartments for married students or professors.

By Marilouise McNemar

Stories, headlines and makeup of this week's issue were done by cub reporters from the Journalism 322 class. Special emphasis is on modular makeup. Paul Biser served as Editor; Marilouise McNemar, Assistant Editor; Alicia Hess and Mark Romano, Photographers, Sally Robinson and Carmen Wager as Copy Editors, Sally Smith as Advertising Manager. Other Reporters were: Tena Rogers, Katsuko Nakato, Chris Harper.

## AAG Meet May 5

Mr. Jerome Wagendorp, the Social Science Division, and Glenville State College will host the South Eastern Division of the Association of American Geographers, AAG, as their members attend a meeting here Friday, May 5, 1989. Mr. Wagendorp, Glenville geography instructor, is very pleased to be able to "bring this group here, this has never been done before at Glenville." The purpose of this meeting, the third in a series, is to continue formulating plans for a three day conference of the Eastern Lakes Division and the South Eastern Division of

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formed Board of Directors. PCC being merged with the University system will possibly remove the GSC program for the PCC campus. This will provide more resources for the Nicholas County Center.

Present at the meeting were Anita Ashley, president of the Board; Dr. Lowell Peterson, acting GSC president; William Osborne, business manager; Bruce Hathaway, director of physical plant; Gerald Hough, director of administrative services; Gary

the AAG, to be held Nov. 19 thru Nov. 22, 1989 in Charleston, West Virginia.

The fall conference will consist of four paper sessions per day with 120 papers being presented, and also half day field trips. Mr. Wagendorp expects there to be up to 500 participating geographers attending the Charleston conference.

Any Glenville student interested in attending part of all of the events planned for the fall conference should contact Mr. Wagendorp. He has said he would be glad to assist anyone showing an interest in this conference.

Gillespie, faculty representative; Espy Miller and Reta Kight, members-at-large, Linda McKown, classified staff representative; Mack Samples, dean of records and admissions; and Dr. William K. Simmons, chancellor. Rolanna Coberly took minutes.

Absent were Harry B. Heflin, James Shaver, Harry Lynch, Jenny Bechtold, and Heidi Christopher.

The meeting was then adjourned.

## Creative Dramatics Offered

You always see commercials for the Armed Forces which tell you "Hey we give on-the-job training." Well they're not the only ones. Here at GSC there is a program which also gives "on-the-job-training." The commander of this elite group is Lt. Colonel Dennis Wemm. The program is called Creative Dramatics.

This 18 week tech school consists of training for hand to hand combat, sword fighting and of course verbal abuse theater style.

The cadets are taught how to

act for children, and are required to perform plays dealing with fairy tales adapted for the stage.

This semester cadets of Creative Dramatics include: Kris Rogers, Denise Davis, James Cooper, Jim Shock, Chris Harper, Mercedes Richmond, Ronda Felder, and Mark Holcomb. These cadets will infiltrate elementary schools in the area to perform The Queen of Quok, The Magic Bon Bons, and The Glass Dog.

For more information see your local recruiter.

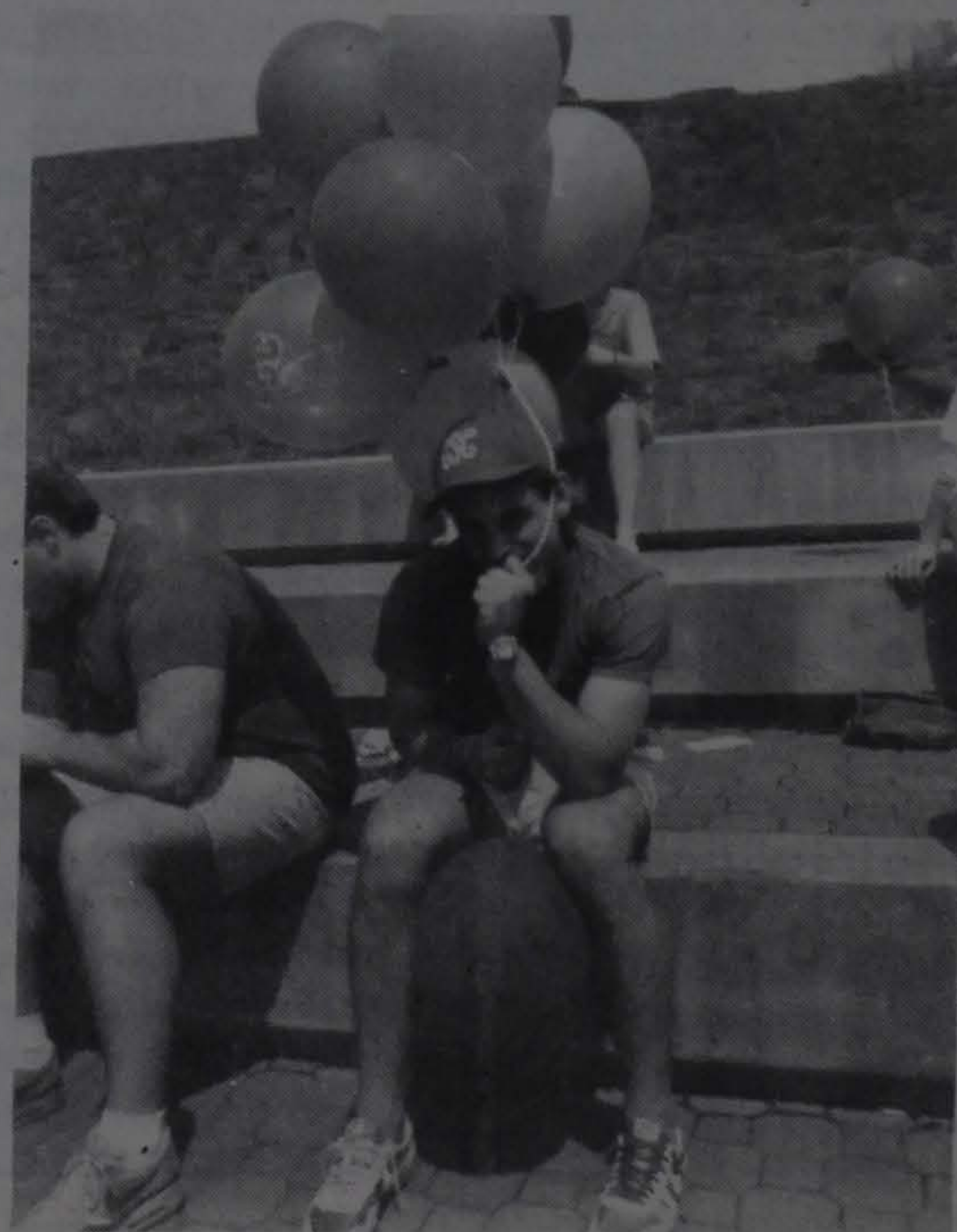
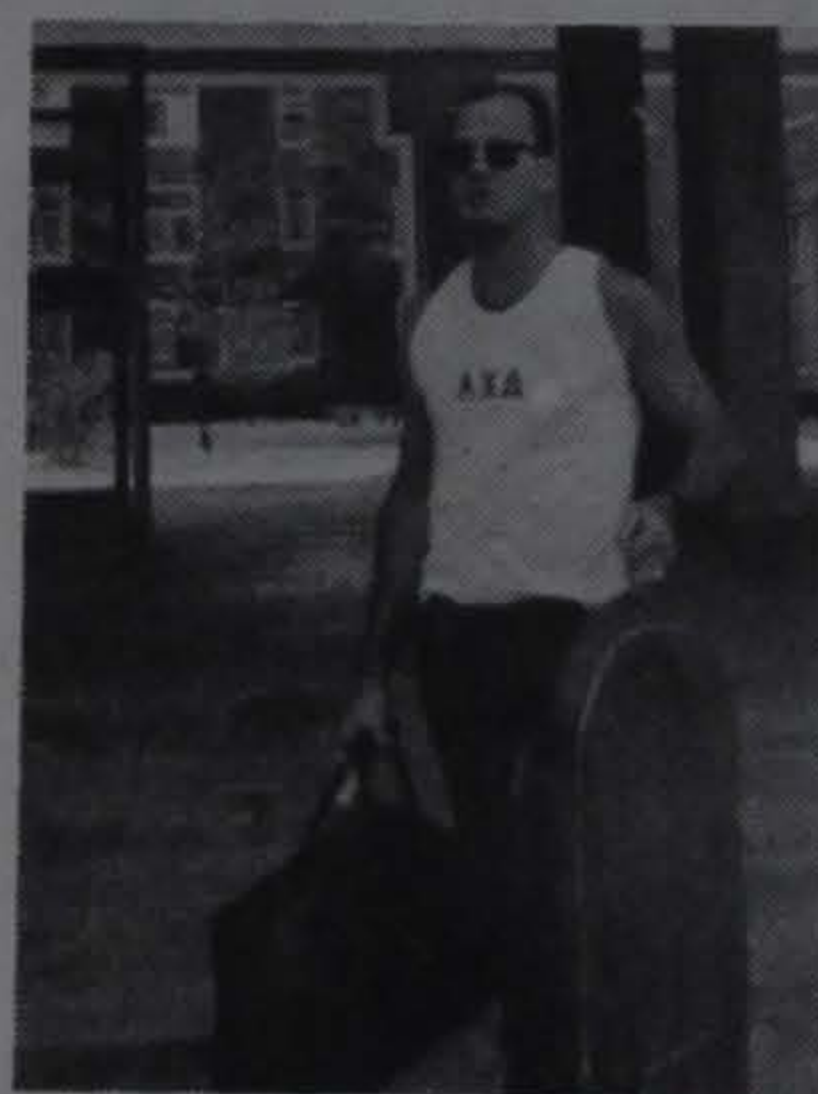


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# GSC Snapshots

by guest photographer Alicia Hess





# Sports

## Golfers 5th at Pipestem

by John Buser

Braving the windy and chilly spring weather, the linksters from Glenville teed it up on Sunday and Monday (April 9-10) in the Southern Regional of the WVC. After the first round at Pipestem, Fairmont (307) held a seven stroke advantage over Charleston (314), while the Pioneers were well within striking distance at third (316).

The final round on Monday brought even colder temperatures, but surprisingly several players turned in excellent scores. Fairmont continued its fine play and went on to edge favored Charleston by six shots. Coach Carney's troops slipped somewhat, and consequently were bumped from third to fifth place as Bluefield and West Liberty squeaked by GSC.

Although the blue and white finished fifth, the results could have been quite different since only five shots separated third and fifth. Bob Sowards, Glenville's premier shot-maker, fired a 4-over par 76 on Sunday, just two shots off the individual lead. Sowards probably would have been in the mid-70's again on Monday, had it not been for a broken putter. After the blade broke on the sixth hole, the former All-American was forced to putt left-handed with the back of his 6-iron. Despite the handicap, Sowards

carded an 80, while teammate Greg Tallman posted a two day total of 157 (79-78).

GSC's golf team continued conference play on Sunday and Monday (April 16-17) when they traveled to Wheeling for the Northern Regional at Speidel, but the results were unavailable by press time. This Sunday and Monday (April 23-24) the linksters will participate in the Central Regional at Canaan Valley.

### Southern Regional Team Scores

Fairmont	618
Charleston	624
Bluefield	632
West Liberty	635
Glenville	637
Davis & Elkins	716
WV Tech	748
Concord	760

### Top Five Individuals

Brian Boggs (FSC)	150
Mike Larbes (FSC)	150
Rick Fricke (BSC)	152
Tony Bowles (BSC)	154
Glen McKinney (UC)	155

### Glenville Individual Scores

Bob Sowards	76-80	156
Greg Tallman	79-78	157
John Pack	81-81	162
Andy Batten	82-82	164
Ben Moore	80-85	165

## Intramural Playoff Update

by Mark Romano

The intramural playoffs began this week with two games on Sunday and two more on Monday. The six teams participating in the playoffs this year: 69er's, Rebels, Bandits, UBA, Tarheels, and Townies.

On Sunday the Bandits defeated the Rebels 86-72. High scorers for the Bandits were Sterns with 35, Salmons with 14, followed by Cox with 11 and Toman with 10. For the Rebels, J.D. Dean sank 23 points closely followed by Cornell with 18 and Beaver's 11.

In another game on Sunday,

the Tarheels pulled past the 69ers 87-74. Heavy D led the way for the Tarheels with 35 and Reg followed with 30. In a losing cause for the 69er's, James Cooper hit for 23 followed by Casey Hess with 15, while Bobby Hughes scored 11.

Although the results were unavailable by press time, the UBA played the Tarheels on Monday (April 17), and the Bandits met the Townies. The winners of the two were scheduled to play for the Championship on Tuesday. The girls' Championship game featured the Glenville Heat and the Stubs.

## Buser's Briefs

The upcoming National Football League Draft on Sunday and Monday should answer many questions. Will rookie head coach Jimmy Johnson of Dallas select front runner Troy Aikman, or will he develop a trade package to acquire additional picks and perhaps a veteran or two? Will Deion Sanders, the two sport star from Florida State, opt for a professional baseball career if chosen by Detroit or Kansas City, or will he follow Bo Jackson's lead and play pro football as a hobby? Who knows, but only one person in sports history has been elected to both the pro football Hall of Fame and the major league baseball Hall of Fame. Carl Hubbard owns this honor as he was a great lineman in the NFL and later was a long time umpire in big league baseball. He was voted into pro football's Hall of Fame in 1963, and in 1976 was voted into the major league baseball Hall of Fame.

Of all the big league baseball teams, which one has won the most games over the last 20 years? The answer is the Baltimore Orioles, even though they finished in last place a year ago. The Birds are playing better this year, however, as they have even led the American League East for much of the young 1989 season.

One final baseball tidbit—it's a little-known fact that when Minnesota outfielder Kirby Puckett hit .356 in 1988, it was the highest full-season batting average by a righthander in the American League since Joe DiMaggio hit .357 way back in 1941.



Lori Barker finishes the 1500 in recent action Photo by Janet Rogers

## Track Squads Improving

Both of Glenville's track teams were in action over the weekend, as the men traveled to California State (PA), while the women competed at Ohio Wesleyan.

The highlight of the men's non-scoring meet was the two first place finishes by Pioneer Bubby Dent. In the steeple chase, Dent's time of 9:13.1, which qualified for nationals, is the best this year to date in the NAIA. Bubby also captured first in the 1500 (4 min.), while teammate Mickey Grass gained a second place finish in the 10,000 meter run.

In addition to the exploits by Dent and Grass, GSC received a fourth place finish in the 5,000 meter run by Andy Jarrell, and freshman Mark Jackson continued to improve on his personal best in the 800. Tom Hoffman placed sixth in

the discus with a toss of 136 feet.

In the women's meet, Coach Janet James' squad finished sixth out of a talented 11 team field. The bright spot for the Lady Pioneers was the 4x4 relay team (Beth Chapman, Monna Beamer, Tracy White, and Donnetta Parsons) which trimmed nearly 30 seconds off their previous best.

Other finishes for the blue and white included Dawn Farley's second in the high jump, second in the 100 meter hurdles, and fourth in the 400 intermediate hurdles. Donnetta Parsons captured fourth in the high jump despite an injury, and Katrina Rigglesman placed sixth in the 5000.

The Lady Pioneers will continue to battle quality competition when they travel to Penn State for a meet this weekend.

## Lady Pioneer Basketball Team Honored

The Lady Pioneers basketball team members were Thursday dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Max Ward of North Court Street. Dr. Russell Shepherd, team coach since September, and Tim Carney, previous coach,

and Mrs. Carney were also guests.

The Lady Pioneers were WVIAC Conference Champions the past season, and they won the post-tournament playoff with West Virginia Tech. They

then defeated western Pennsylvania's St. Vincent College to gain entry to the NAIA National Tournament at Kansas City in March. Glenville lost in the first round to Claflin College of South Carolina.



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## GSC Staff Council

The Glenville State College Staff Council is raffling off a Dahlia designed quilt. Proceeds from the sales will be used for the Spring and Fall Scholarships to be awarded to family members of GSC employees to attend classes.

The Dahlia quilt was made by Mrs. Wilmoth of Normantown.

Tickets are being sold for 25¢ each of 5 for \$1.00. Tickets can be purchased by contacting any staff member.

The drawing will be held during the Folk Festival on June 17 here in Glenville.

The quilt can be viewed in the lobby of the Administration Building.

## Sigma Sigma Sigma

The Delta Alpha Chapter of Tri-Sigma held its weekly meeting April 16, 1989, at 7:30 in the Vandalia Room. We would like to thank all of our alumni for attending the dance last weekend. We had a really great time. This week awards were given as follows: BOW-Gini, Ellen Compton, Becky, Donna, and Jill; PJOW-Tina, Rita, Patty, Tammy, Cathy, Michelle, and Kate; Sigma Sweetheart-Dean Brannon, Mike Mathis, Spiccoli, Roy Simmons, Darla, and Moe; Study Bunny-Paula; Cultured

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## Rogers Directs "The Valiant"

One of GSC's future directors was put to the audience-approval test April 12-13. As director, Kris Rogers brought to the stage "The Valiant" by Halworthy Hall and Robert Middlemass. With the help of a highly capable cast and crew, the play was deemed a success.

The plot centered around James Dyke, portrayed by first-time actor Andy Stotts. Dyke is a prisoner

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about to be executed for murder. Just hours before he is to be killed, Warden Holt, portrayed by Paul Biser, and Father Daly, played by Wayne Richmond, inform Dyke that a girl claiming to be his sister has come to see him.

Mercedes Richmond, plays the part of Dyke's long lost sister, Josephine Paris. She is allowed to spend a few minutes alone with Dyke to determine if they are indeed siblings. Although Josephine described in detail moments the two shared as youngsters, Dyke emphatically denied that they were related.

Josephine, devastated that Dyke

isn't the man she has been searching for, quickly exits the stage in tears. Dyke then begins reciting Shakespearean poetry that the two had learned as children. The audience is left with the impression that Dyke and Josephine are brother and sister. The play concludes as the jailer, Kris Rogers, leads Dyke through the gallows to meet his demise.

With the fine acting ability of each cast member, the play evoked many different emotions which is the goal of any drama. When asked his reaction to the performance director Kris Rogers stated, "After a long two week struggle, I feel that the performance was a great

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success and offered much entertainment for the GSC audience." He added sarcastically that "the important thing was that I got an A."

Congratulations to the veteran cast members on another great production and also to Andy Stotts on a fine acting debut.

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TEAMS	RECORD	POINTS
Townies	12-1	249
UBA	11-1	215
Bandits	11-2	190
R-N-R Rebels	10-4	227
69ers	8-4	188
Tar Heels	8-3	151
Long Ducks	7-6	189
Yahoo's	7-6	186
Supreme Court	7-6	92
Fat Boys	6-6	169
"R" Gang	6-7	181
Six Pack +2	4-7	97
Nutter Butters	4-8	79
Rat Patrol	4-11	196
Muslims	3-11	104
Loads	2-11	40
Muskrats	1-9	-82
NAD's/TKE	1-13	56

### WOMEN

Glenville Heat	7-1	92
Stubs	6-1	130
Terminators	3-5	128
DZ's	1-6	-75

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