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TSUD SURPASSES ENROLLMENT RECORD

One year ago, Troy State University at Dothan set its all-time high enrollment at 2,033 students at both its Dothan and Fort Rucker campuses. Once again, and for the eighteenth consecutive quarter, TSUD has experienced an enrollment increase over the same quarter of the previous year. The 1992 Winter Quarter enrollment is 2,113 students, a 3.9 percent increase over the 1991 Winter Quarter figure.

Officials at TSUD are extremely pleased with the continuing increases in enrollment.

Dr. Frank Lovrich said, "Because of proration and inadequate funding for education, the university still has not been able to develop needed programs for the Wiregrass region." Lovrich went on to say, "The increase in enrollment indicates that the citizens of the Wiregrass recognize the importance of securing an education to prepare themselves for the increasingly competitive market place that they will find themselves in the remainder of this decade and the forthcoming century." "Higher education has never been a priority in this region, but people are realizing they need an education to compete in an emerging 'post industrial society' that stresses science, computer literacy, and interpersonal skills," he added.

Dr. Jack Sublette stated, "TSUD continues to strive to meet the needs of the non-traditional students. We offer flexible scheduling and quality academic programs."

TSUD EXPANSION IN FULL OPERATION

Because of substantial growth in enrollment and an increase in services, Troy State University at Dothan has moved the Continuing Education Program and the Center for Business and Economic Services (CBES) to Northside Mall. The University is currently occupying 16,000 square feet of the lower level of the mall for its Continuing Education Center. Some renovation has taken place to accommodate offices and classrooms, and new carpet and paint have been supplied for areas that were in need.

The CBES function provides research and public service to the Dothan community such as counseling, surveys, seminars, and workshops. Projects are not limited to Dothan and Houston County, but will be considered from northwest Florida and southwest Georgia.

The TSUD Continuing Education Center provides the University with the needed space to expand its course offerings in the Continuing Education program and, at the same time, allows for space to be made available on the Dothan campus for academic classes.

The available rooms at the Continuing Education Center also provide space for the overflow of academic classes on the TSUD campus.

During Winter Quarter 1992, some academic classes are meeting at the Continuing Education Center at Northside Mall. In the past, the Continuing Education program has offered approximately 40 courses each quarter in the areas of personal development, professional development, computer, computer applications, real estate, and education.

With the expansion to Northside Mall, the Center has expanded its course offerings to approximately 80 courses. Significant increases have occurred in the areas of personal development, professional development, and computers.

RIBBON CUTTING HELD FOR TSUD FACILITY

Approximately sixty-five people were present for the Ribbon Cutting ceremony sponsored by the Dothan Area Chamber of Commerce recently to officially open the Troy State University at Dothan Continuing Education Center at Northside Mall.

For some University officials, this was a dream come true. Dave Shelman, Senior Vice President and Cashier and Marketing Director at SouthTrust Bank and Chairman of the TSUD Continuing Education Advisory Council, commented that this was the most exciting and worthwhile project he had been associated with in some time.

Ms. Ann Wells, Director of Continuing Education at TSUD, said, "It's been a dream of our staff to be able to operate a program in our own center. This expansion allows the program to increase to an operation that will best serve the needs of the Wiregrass area."

The Continuing Education program has grown from three courses in

the mid-1970's to ninety-one courses for the 1992 Winter Ouarter.

ANSELL MAKES CONTRIBUTION TO COMPUTER LAB

Troy State University at Dothan is currently accepting contributions to equip a twenty-station computer laboratory at the TSUD Continuing Education Center located at Northside Mall.

Mr. Ken Perrigen, Vice President Ansell-Alabama, and Ms. Shirley Gouge, Manufacturing Systems Administrator at Ansell, presented a \$2,500.00 check to Dr. Thomas Harrison for assisting in the development of the state-of-the-art computer laboratory.

TSUD CAMPUS RECOGNIZED

The Dothan Beautification Board has recognized the campus of Troy State University at Dothan by honoring the University as a member of the Board's Honor Roll.

This honor is given to businesses or institutions that contribute to the appearance and character of Dothan through landscaping and beautification of their buildings and grounds.

TSUD INITIATES FUND DRIVE

The Continuing Education Program at Troy State University at Dothan is accepting contributions and pledges toward the establishment of a state-of-the art computer laboratory for its new location at Northside Mall.

The computer laboratory will be equipped with twenty IBM computer stations and will offer the latest in technology and training.

In appreciation for contributions, a plaque bearing an individual's or a company's name will be displayed within the new computer laboratory.

For each \$1,000 donation, the University will offer six hours of computer training to twenty employees of the contributing company at no cost.

For more information concerning contributions to the computer laboratory, contact Dr. Debbie Goodman at (205) 983-6556, extension 205 or Ms. Ann Wells or Mr. Ed Kirkland at (205) 712-0010.

DOTHAN MEETING **FOCUSES ON TAX** REFORM AND **EDUCATION FUNDING PROBLEMS**

Alumni and supporters of Alabama's public colleges and universities gathered in eight locations around the state during the month of January to hear a call for hands-on involvement in the tax reform movement. The area meetings began January 14 in Florence and concluded January 29 in Dothan. with intervening stops in Huntsville, Anniston, Selma, Birmingham, Montgomery and Mobile.

These meetings were part of the first unified campaign conducted by post-secondary and higher education institutions in more than 15 years. College and university officials advocate revenue-postive tax reform of the state tax structure to protect the quality of education in Alabama. The joint initiative is a response to the funding crisis that has forced layoffs, program terminations and doubledigit tuition increases on campuses throughout Alabama.

The Council of College and University Presidents, an advisory body to the Alabama Commission on Higher Education, coordinated the unified effort.

Dr. Thomas Harrison, host president for the Dothan meeting, said, "I was pleased that the local meeting was well attended and I am encouraged by those present who joined with the more than 2,000 Alabamians who have already agreed to become actively involved in offering permanent solutions to the critical funding crisis facing Alabama."

Attendance at each meeting represented a broad cross-section of alumni and friends from all public colleges and universities in the state. The group heard from numerous presidents and chancellors, who addressed the education funding crisis and outlined strategies for public participation.

POOR BUT PROUD PRESENTATION AT TSUD

On Thursday, February 6, at 7:00 PM, Dr. Wayne Flynt, Hollifield Professor of Southern History at Auburn University, will speak at Troy State University at Dothan in the Multipurpose Room in Malone Hall.

Dr. Flynt has published seven books and numerous articles, served as chairman of the Department of History, Auburn University, from 1977 - 1985, and has traveled and

researched extensively.

In Poor But Proud, Flynt addresses the life experiences of poor whites through their occupations, society, and culture. After examining each occupation in depth, he discusses family structure, folk culture (music, religion, folklore, and crafts), and the politics of poor whites and describes their attempts to resolve their own problems through labor unions and political movements. In addition to a wide variety of documentary sources, Flynt uses life and oral histories to give poor whites an opportunity to tell their own stories and provide vigorous, colorful illustrations.

Dr. Flynt and his wife will deliver a presentation of the book which was nominated for the Pulitzer Prize and

entertain questions.

For further information, contact Ms. Charlotte Kirkland at extension 215.

ALABAMA ORDERED TO **ELIMINATE** SEGREGATION

A U.S. district court judge last month ordered the state of Alabama to devise a plan to eliminate the vestiges of racism in its public university system.

In his 1,000-page ruling, Judge Harold Murphy directed Alabama to spend \$20 million over three years for building improvements at its two historically black universities, Alabama A&M and Alabama State, and called for the state to change its funding formulas to improve support for the two institutions.

The 10-year old case is similar to one heard by the Supreme Court in November involving the desegregation of Mississippi's higher education system. Mississippi was appealing the ruling of a lower court that said the state must upgrade its predominantly black institutions to eradicate the vestiges of segregation in its colleges and universities. The justices' decision in the Mississippi case affect future funding for historically black institutions not only in Mississippi and Alabama, but also in several other states that once had dual college systems.

In the Alabama case, Judge Mur-

phy also ruled that:

Program duplication among the two black colleges and their neighboring white institutions must be eliminated.

Several predominantly white institutions, including the University of Alabama, Auburn University, Calhoun State Community College, Jacksonville State University, Troy State University, and the University of North Alabama, must hire additional black administrators.

Auburn University, Livingston University, and the University of Montevallo must add black faculty members.

Alabama State must seek to increase its white student body.

(Taken from "Higher Education & National Affairs," Vol. 41, No. 1, January 6, 1992.)

DR. ROBERDS ELECTED TO POSITION

Dr. Darryel Roberds has been elected president of the Southern Regional Industrial Relations Academic Seminar (SRIRAS) and will host the Thirteenth annual conference to be sponsored by TSUD and held in Dothan in October. Membership in the SRIRAS consists of experts in Human Resources and Industrial Relations from around the country. Each year this group gathers to exchange research ideas and agendas, to present learned papers on a variety of subjects and to explore current and emerging HR/IR issues in both union and nonunion environments.

SARAH CHANDLER JOINS TSUD STAFF

The Center for Business and Economic Services (CBES) at Troy State University at Dothan is pleased to announce the employment of Sarah Chandler as secretary for the CBES office.

Familiar with the operations of TSUD, Ms. Chandler has been an adjunct faculty member since 1984. Her contributions to the instruction at TSUD have been in the School of Business, where she taught Business Communications & Report Writing.

Before her association with TSUD, she taught technical business courses as an adjunct faculty member at Wallace College - Dothan.

"I'm excited to be at TSUD. My aim was to secure a full-time job with quality people in my profession. I have always enjoyed my association with the quality, professional faculty and staff at TSUD," she stated.

The Center for Business and Economic Services is located in the TSUD Continuing Education Center, Fountain Level, Northside Mall.

CONGRATS!

Congratulations to Dr. Mary Eve Shoaf and Dr. Khamis Bilbeisi for receiving their promotion to Associate Professor and for being granted tenure status. Congratulations are in order for Ms. Carolyn Jordan for her promotion to Assistant Professor.

ACTIVITIES OF THE PRESIDENT

- Attended Southern Association of Colleges & Schools annual meeting in New Orleans, LA, on December 4-6.
- Attended ACHE meeting in Montgomery on December 10.
- Gave presentation on TSUD to Dothan Area Chamber of Commerce Executive Committee on December 11.
- Paricipated in Leadership Dothan Issues Forum on

- TSUD campus on December 12.
- Participated in first annual Christmas tree lightning ceremony at TSUD on December 12.
- Taped interview about TSUD on TSU-TV in Troy on December 18.
- Participated in SouthTrust Development Board meeting on January 14.
- Participated in TSUD Continuing Education Center/CBES ribbon cutting ceremony on January 15.
- Presided at TSUD Administrative Council Meeting on January 16.
- Participated in Council of College and University Presidents meeting in Montgomery on January 17.
- Welcomed quests to the Business & Economic Outlook Breakfast meeting sponsored by the Sorrell College of Business, the Center for Business & Economic Services, TSU-Troy, TSUD, and the Dothan Area Chamber of Commerce on January 22.
- Attended Regional Education press conference and luncheon meeting in Montgomery on January 23.
- Attended higher education budget presentation to the Legislature in Montgomery on January 28.
- Participated as host president for the Regional Education press conference and luncheon meeting held in Dothan on January 29.
- Participated in Council of College and University Presidents meeting in Montgomery on January 29.
- Attended Governor's Conference on Higher Education in Montgomery on January 30.

 Attended TSU Board of Trustees meeting in Montgomery on January 30.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

DR. BETTY B. ANDERSON welcomed students to teacher education at TEP Orientation on January 14; met with Starla Boswell from SpectraCare to discuss practicum on January 21; attended AIDS seminar in Montgomery on January 23; and met with Gail Holliday at Southeast Alabama Medical Center to discuss anesthesia concentration on January 28.

DR. ALAN BELSCHES helped judge the WDHN - Church's Chicken Scholarship competition on January 8-10.

DR. KHAMIS BILBEISI has been promoted to Associate Professor of Accounting and granted tenure status in the School of Business.

DR. WILLIAM BORDERS attended the Annual Decision Sciences Institute meeting in Miami and presented a paper titled "Spreadsheet Optimization: A Case Study"; gave a presentation to the Dothan Kiwanis Club on quality management which was covered by WDHN news; attended a two-day seminar on Total Quality Management presented by the Juran Institute in Destin: and received notification from the Production and Operations Management journal of the acceptance of an article coauthored with colleagues in Syracuse and Vanderbilt: "Analysis of Alternate Scheduling Policies for Hospital Nurses."

DR. MARY BROWN attended AEA Delegate Assembly in Montgomery on December 6 and 7; and attended National Science Teachers Association Area Convention in New Orleans on December 13-15.

DR. STEVEN CROSS attended meeting in Troy concerning TSU System articulation and developed articulation agreement on December 18; attended TSUD Continuing Education Ribbon Cutting Ceremony on January 15; attended Administrative Council meeting on January 16; attended Graduate Council meeting on January 16; attended TSU Economic Outlook Breakfast at Dothan Ramada Inn on January 22; and attended Higher Education/Legislative news conference at TSUD and luncheon at the Holiday Inn - South on January 29.

DR. SANDRA FARIA and MRS. BECKY YARBROUGH were faculty presenters of the NCLEX Review course at Southeast Alabama Medical Center (SAMC) on January 22, 23, & 24. The review course is offered for RN's who will be taking the National RN Licensing Exam in February. Approximately fifty-five RN's, primarily from the Wiregrass, attended the review, along with some nurses from Florida, Georgia, and one from Canada.

DR. PATRICIA FRITCHIE read Christmas stories to Selma Street 2nd graders and Highlands students on December 12 - 18; read Cajun Night Before Christmas to Beverlye Middle School 6th graders on December 12-20; and received "Celebrate Literacy Award" from International Reading Association and Wiregrass Reading Council for Exemplory Service in the promotion of literacy.

DR. DEBBIE GOODMAN attended Continuing Education Advisory Council Meeting on December 4; met with Days Inn representative regarding use of hotel for TSUD events on December 4; met with Dr. Gilbert in planning "America Can Too" teleconference series from George Washington University, Washington, DC on December 11; met with Dave Shelman and Shirley Gouge regarding draft of fund raising letter for Continuing Education Center computer lab on December 12; assisted with Quest enrollment from University of Alabama on December 13; met with Dwight Cleveland and TSUD officials regarding installation of microwave; attended System Committee meeting at TSU regarding proposal process for development activities; attended ribbon cutting for Continuing Education Center; attended Business and Economics Outlook Breakfast sponsored by TSU SBDC: hosted teleconference form George Washington University. "Winning with Total Quality Management: How an American Company Won the Deming Prize"; attended TSU System Academic Coordinating Council meeting in Troy; attended regional meeting and press conference "Critical Issues Facing Higher Education and the State of Alabama"; and attended retirement ceremony for Lt. General Don Parker at Ft. Rucker.

MS. CINDY HALCOMB attended Wiregrass Chapter PSI monthly meeting on January 9 and attended TSUD Continuing Education Center/CBES ribbon cutting on January 15.

MS. CHARLOTTE KIRKLAND advised and sponsored the Christmas Tree Lighting on December 12; attended TRIO directors meeting at Walker State Technical College in Sumiton, AL, on January 10; chaired Minority Recruiting Committee meeting on January 13; attended and participated in the TEP Orientation on January 14; coordinated and chaperoned SSS participants' trip to Atlanta to see CATS on January 18; attended Dothan regional education luncheon meeting at Holiday Inn-South on January 29; and hosted Cluster VI Student Support Services Directors' meeting at TSUD on January 29.

MS. LAURETTE LONG attended awards and reception for the recipients of the TSUD Distinguished Students; attended the NAAL Collection Development Committee meeting in Montgomery and visited with the reference staff at the Alabama Public Library Service; attended the TSUD ACD meetings; attended the Gamma Beta Phi meetings; served as chairperson of Gamma Beta Phi bake sale; participated in GBP's annual House of Ruth campaign; attended the Student Support Services Legislative

Forum; and attended the Faculty Advisory Council meeting.

DR. ROBERT LONG provided information for The Dothan Eagle article on low internal ratio and was quoted on January 5; appeared on WDHN-TV 18 news with economic commentary on January 7 & 8; appeared on WTVY-TV 4 news with economic commentary on January 8; and was interviewed for the article in The Dothan Eagle for commentary on automobile business and trade agreement talks and was quoted in the article.

DR. FRANK LOVRICH met with Tech Prep - Chamber of Commerce - on January 8; judged Channel 18 Athletes/Scholar on January 8; judged final selection for Athletes/Scholar on January 10; attended Continuing Education Ribbon Cutting on January 15; attended meeting at AUM - Disability Seminar - on January 17: attended breakfast CBES - Economic Outlook at the Ramada Inn on January 22; attended Articulation Task Force Meeting with Wallace College on January 23: attended TSU System Coordinating Council meeting at Troy State University on January 27; and attended Regional Education meeting at the Holiday Inn - South on January 29.

DR. STEVE NOWLIN conducted a workshop for Leadership Dothan, civic and business leaders from the Dothan area, on the topic of Alabama's School Finance System; met with the new Dothan City School's Superintendent; assisted with the first grade reading program at Grandview Elementary School in Dothan during the month of December; met with Dr. Jack Sasser in December and with various school principals during January; and attended the Houston County Arts and Humanities meeting in December.

DR. SARAH PATRICK played with the TSUD Community Band at two December concerts.

DR. MARY JO POLLMAN attended the Alabama Association for

Young Children Board meeting in Montgomery on January 11; attended TEP meeting on January 14; attended President's Advisory Committee meeting on January 23; met with Bill Godwin of State Department of Education on January 30; was selected as a member of the Alabama Reading Incentive Committee; and was appointed chairperson of the Research Committee for the President's Advisory Council.

DR. DARRYEL ROBERDS. along with Gayla Miskell, Personnel Manager of Flowers Hospital, and John Crater, Human Resources Manager for the Dothan GE Motor Plant, recently appeared as guests of Ken Curtis on WDHN-TV 18 NEWSDAY SUNDAY to discuss local problems with worker skills and skills training/education. This show followed the ABC network special "REVOLUTION AT WORK," which looked at some similar issues across the nation. Dr. Roberds had his paper "Employee and Manager Perceptions of Disciplinary Procedure Fairness in Small Nonunion Companies" published by the Journal of Business & Entrepreneurship.

DR. LEONARD ROBERTS gave a slide presentation on the "Art of Western Civilization" to the fifth and sixth grade students of Headland Middle School on January 31. Dr. Roberts reports that a meeting of the Alabama Archeological Society, Dothan Chapter, will be held in the President's Conference Room, Malone Hall on Saturday, February 15 at 10 A.M.

DR. MARY EVE SHOAF chaired the Houston Arts and Humanities Council (HAHC) meeting held at Red Lobster on January 10; published and distributed Houston Arts and Humanities newsletter on January 17; and made an appearance on "The Morning Show" with Ann Varnum to promote "An Evening with Mark Twain," sponsored by the HAHC on January 30.

DR. JACK SUBLETTE attended luncheon meeting of Business Council of Alabama at Flowers Hospital

on December 5; attended meeting of Alabama Commission on Higher Education in Montgomery on December 10; attended TSU -Auburn basketball game at AU on December 11; attended meeting of the Board of Directors of Wiregrass Leadership, Inc. on December 12; attended meeting of the Board of Directors of Wiregrass Leadership, Inc. on January 9; attended ribbon cutting ceremony for the opening of Continuing Education Center at Northside Mall on January 15: attended Section 504/ADA Workshop, sponsored by ACHE, at Auburn University in Montgomery on January 17; attended meeting of Executive Committee of Chapter IX of the Alabama Association fo Counseling and Development on January 21: participated in teleconference series "America Can Too" on January 23; and attended press conference and area luncheon meeting for Council of College and University Presidents on January 29.

MS. ANN WELLS participated with the Continuing Education staff in hosting the Christmas party at the Continuing Education Center at Northside Mall; conducted a meeting with Mr. Bill Glover, Regional Director of the Southern Alabama Regional Council on Aging, in making plans to train homemakers to recognize elderly abuse; presided at the Continuing Education Advisory Council at Northside Mall on December 4; hosted the Houston County Group of the Wiregrass Leadership Institute on January 6; participated in the ribbon cutting for the Continuing Education Center on January 15; attended a meeting with Dr. Sandra Faria, Mrs. Rebecca Yarbrough, and Mrs. Anne Booth to plan a workshop which would provide information regarding assessment of the geriatric patient on January 15; attended the Dothan Kiwanis Club as a guest of Dr. Betty Kennedy to make a presentation on programs planned through Continuing Education; and conducted a meeting for the planning of the Second Annual Coping with the Aging Process Conference on January 23.

MR. TONY WHETSTONE attended TSUD Continuing Education Advisory Council meeting on December 4; attended Career Day '92 planning meeting on December 5: conducted TSUD Community Band concerts on December 9, 12, and 15: attended planning meeting for Dothan regional Council of Presidents meeting on December 3, 12, 19, and January 8; presided at planning meeting for representatives from the six regional two-year institutions concerning the Council of Presidents regional news conference and luncheon on January 14: coordinated and attended TSUD Continuing Education/CBES Center ribbon cutting on January 15; attended Business & Economic Outlook Breakfast meeting on January 22; attended Montgomery regional education news conference and luncheon on January 23; was guest clinician and conductor for the Florida **Bandmasters Association District II** High School Honors Band in Blountstown, FL, on January 24 & 25; and coordinated and attended Dothan regional education news conference and luncheon on January

MS. PAMELA WILLIAMSON spoke to high school classes at Dale County High School about "How to Choose a Career" on January 14; spoke to TEP Meeting participants about "Choosing an Education Career" on January 14; attended Continuing Education Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at Northside Mall on January 15; spoke to the American Business Women Association (ABWA) on "Surviving the Job Market in a Changing Economy" on January 16: attended a regional conference at AUM on sec. 504 and Americans with Disabilities Act on January 17; participated in an executive board meeting with Chapter IX, Alabama Association of Counseling and Development (ALACD) on January 21; Participated in quarterly TSUD/WCC Articulation Committee Meeting on January 23; spoke to Winter Quarter Intern meeting about "Putting Together Your Job Placement Folder" on January 28; attended TSUD Chapter Meeting of

ALACD on January 30; and attended Drug Consortia meeting at Troy on January 31.

MR. BOB WILLIS attended Wiregrass Leadership Institute meeting on January 6; attended Wiregrass Partnership for Youth Board meeting on January 14; attended Wiregrass Leadership Institute Retreat on January 15 & 16; attended the play "CATS" with Student Support Services participants on January 18; conducted Wiregrass Audubon Club meeting on January 19; spoke to Dothan Civitan Club on "Stress Management" on January 21; attended the TSUD Environmental Club meeting on January 22: attended the Dothan/Houston County Substance Abuse Board Reception on January 23; and conducted "Becoming a Master Student" seminar for SSS participants on January 28 &

MR. FORREST WOOD assisted the Houston County Food Bank in the move of a donated computer system to their warehouse; worked with Hawk-Houston Boys' Club to upgrade and add to the educational software being used for tutoring; assisted in the installation of a new computer and software at the Houston County Health Department; installed a computer system and software in the church library at Ridgecrest Baptist Church; and developed a new C Language programming course (CIS 249) to be offered in Spring Quarter 1992.

NEWS FROM...

COURTESY COMMITTEE

- Sent get well card to Mr. Wallace Halcomb
- Sent get well card to Sarah Love's mother
- Sent \$25.00 to Cancer Society in memory of Hopeton Gayle, TSUD student
- Sent \$25.00 to YMCA of Enterprise in memory of Jay Porter's father who passed away

- Visited and sent get well card and flowers to Dr. Dapper's son, who has been hospitalized
- Sent card and flowers to Rose Kerby who was hospitalized
- Sent card and baby gift to Jim and Stacey Hartsfield's new baby
- Sent card and wedding gift to Nancy Nall (Mrs. Golden) who recently married
- Sent get well cards to Michael Steinmetz and Frank Fridell, TSUD students involved in auto accident

GAMMA BETA PHI

The annual Gamma Beta Phi State Convention was on the Troy State University (Troy, AL) campus on Saturday, January 25. The TSUD Chapter's Scrapbook received 2nd place award and the chapter received the Distinguished Chapter Award for the past year. Angela Banker, TSUD Chapter President, was elected state level Secretary-Treasurer. The TSUD Chapter will host the next State Convention, to be held on the last Saturday in January 1993.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Spring Internship Meeting February 4, 1992 3:30 - 4:30 P.M. Room 312

PLE Week February 10-14, 1992

Spring Intership Meeting(#2) February 20, 1992 2:00 - 4:30 P.M. Room - TBA

TEP Committee Meeting February 24, 1992 12:30 - 2:30 P.M. Room - TBA

STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

The Student Government Association hosted the first annual Christmas Tree Lighting on Thursday, December 12, 1991. Entertainment was provided by the Wallace College Choir, the New Bethel Baptist Church Youth Choir, and the TSUD Community Band. Refreshments were served to approximately 250 people. There was even a visit from Santa Claus. Hopefully, next Christmas all of the faculty and staff can be present for this event which was most successful this first year. The SGA wants to thank everyone for the support shown for this event.

January has been a month of planning. Activities discussed have been a Voter Registration Drive to be held on campus March 5, support of the Wayne Flynt prresentation February 6, participation in Career Day '92 on February 18, and initial planning for the School Picnic on April 14.

Additionally, five new senators have been added to the organization. If you know students who want to be involved and make a difference, have them contact Rey Gustafson, president; MaryEllen Oeser, vice president; Paula Courtney, secretary; or Shawn Affan, treasurer; or Charlotte Kirkland, advisor, in Malone 116.

STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES

Student Support Services (SSS) has now moved its offices to Malone Hall 116 as follows:

Charlotte Kirkland

Malone 116-G, ext. 215

Bob Willis

Malone 116-F, ext. 216

Freda Nixon

Malone 116-H, ext. 214

Iris Mills & Viola Powell

Malone 112, ext 235

Iris Mills and Viola Powell have settled into the tutorial aspect of the program, and their schedules are filled regularly. Iris has several students who are receiving tutoring in reading skills and the demand is growing. Presently, SSS has five vacancies for participants in the program, and referrals are welcome.

The SSS is sponsoring the presentation by Wayne Flynt on February 6, and the response from instructors has been very supportive. SSS participants and staff thank you for your support and cooperation.

UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

According to Mrs. Laurette Long, the TSUD Library has been awarded a continuation grant from the National Alabama Academic Libraries (NAAL) for FY 1991-92. This grant will continue collection development in the areas of Education, Psychology, Science (General), and Mathematics. The library will receive only \$7,026.71 this fiscal year. In the event of further proration for NAAL, the amount will be reduced. This is the fourth year TSUD has received a NAAL grant. These grants allow the library to supplement (not replace) its annual book budget.

UNIVERSITY DELI

On Thursday, February 13, the Deli will run a special Valentine's Day treat. For \$2.99, you can enjoy home-made spaghetti with side salad, grilled bread and a Valentine cookie.

The Deli also has new sub buns for all Subs. Subs will be on sale for the entire month of February for \$.50 off making them \$2.29, chips included.

Please stop in just to say HI. It is our pleasure to serve you.

Deli Staff

FROM THE TSUD FAMILY

Dear TSUD faculty and staff,

The pewter dish is beautiful and a very thoughtful idea commemorating Shelby's birth.

Thanks for your kindness.

Jim & Stacey Hartsfield

Dear Courtesy Committee,

Thanks for the beautiful Norfolk Pine with the big red bow. It was very attractive.

I appreciate your thoughtfulness while I was in the hospital.

Sincerely,

Rose Kerby

Faculty and Staff,

I would like to say "Thank You" for the prayers, letters, cards, and phone calls I received while I was away in December with my mother, who had surgery. She has recovered and is doing well.

Sarah Love

IN APPRECIATION
THE ENTERPRISE
YOUNG MEN'S
CHRISTIAN
ASSOCIATION

appreciates your generous contribution IN MEMORY OF William Earl Porter

BIRTHDAYS FOR FEBRUARY

- 1 James Windle
- 1 Tina Bernath
- 10 Frank Walker
- 10 Forrest Wood
- 14 Edwin Baxley
- 16 Thomas Harrison
- 17 Ron Bae
- 17 Segrid Purvis
- 19 Neil Thorne
- 20 Khamis Bilbeisi
- 24 Lesa Rogers
- 26 Lana Ward
- 26 Daphne Harker