ENROLLMENT CONTINUES TO INCREASE

For sixteen consecutive quarters, Troy State University at Dothan, with its branch campus at Fort Rucker, has experienced an increase in enrollment. The enrollment figure for the 1991 Summer Quarter is 1,532 students, a 1.3 percent increase over the 1990 Summer Quarter.

An interim session of classes will be offered August 19 - September 9. This session provides another schedule option for students.

TSUD LIBRARY RECEIVES THIRD GRANT

According to Mrs. Laurette Long, the TSUD Library received its third Network of Alabama Academic Libraries (NAAL) Collection Development grant. This grant continues collection development in the areas of education, psychology, mathematics and science (general). When the grant was approved by NAAL in October 1990, the amount to be received was $13,749.28. Due to proration, the grant has been reduced by 5.57% (to $12,983.74). From February 1991 through May 1991, 320 new titles have been added to the library in those areas designated in the grant.

WILLIS JOINS STUDENT SUPPORT SERVICES STAFF

Mr. Bob Willis, the former director of the Houston County Juvenile Court Services, has recently joined the Troy State University at Dothan staff as a counselor with Student Support Services. Mr. Willis is a graduate of Huntingdon College in Montgomery, where he received his B.A. degree in psychology and sociology. He has received two master's degrees from TSUD: one in counseling in 1981 and the other in personnel management, just recently.

When asked about his impression of TSUD, Mr. Willis said that he saw the University as having "a progressive and professional environment." He also said that he chose TSUD on the basis that "there was a wide variety of opportunities because it is a growing institution, and I wanted to become a part of it and grow with it."

Willis and his wife, Jan, reside in Dothan.

SAM'S CLUB MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

A representative from the Sam's Club will be accepting membership applications on the TSUD campus Tuesday and Wednesday, July 9 and 10, from 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Memberships will be available for TSUD faculty, staff, and students. To receive a membership, TSUD employees will need to bring with them, (1) a valid driver's license and (2) a current check stub or an I.D. card verifying employment with the University. The cost for membership is $25.00. The Sam's representative will be set up on the first floor of Adams Hall near the Deli.

TSUD RESULTS OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG SURVEY

SPRING QUARTER 1991

The following information contains the results of the first student alcohol and drug usage survey, which was conducted during the 1991 Spring Quarter.

Results of this survey will be utilized to develop effective alcohol and drug awareness programs for Troy State University at Dothan.

1. HAVE YOU USED ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN THE PAST 3 MONTHS?
   53% Yes
   47% No

2. DO YOU HAVE A PROBLEM WITH ALCOHOL OR ARE YOU UNSURE?
   1% Yes
   97% No
   2% Unsure

3. DO YOU HAVE FRIENDS WITH AN ALCOHOL PROBLEM?
   35% Yes
   54% No
   11% Unsure

4. HOW MUCH ALCOHOL DO YOU TYPICALLY DRINK AT ONE SITTING?
   67% 1-2 servings
   22% 3-4 servings
   7% 5-6 servings
   4% More than 6
5. HAVE YOU DRIVEN A CAR AFTER OR WHILE DRINKING?
   43% Never
   25% 1-2 times
   7% 3 times
   1% 4 times
   24% 5 or more

6. HAD A HANGOVER AND/OR BECAME NAUSEATED AFTER DRINKING?
   41% Never
   34% 1-2 times
   5% 3 times
   2% 4 times
   18% 5 or more

7. DONE THINGS YOU LATER REGRETTED AFTER DRINKING?
   53% Never
   27% 1-2 times
   4% 3 times
   1% 4 times
   15% 5 or more

8. NOT REMEMBERED WHAT HAPPENED WHILE YOU WERE DRINKING?
   77% Never
   15% 1-2 times
   2% 3 times
   1% 4 times
   5% 5 or more

9. MISSED CLASS OR WORK BECAUSE OF DRINKING?
   91% Never
   7% 1-2 times
   0% 3 times
   1% 4 times
   1% 5 or more

10. DEPEND ON ALCOHOL TO RELAX OR “LOOSEN UP” SOCIALLY?
    68% Never
    17% 1-2 times
    3% 3 times
    3% 4 times
    9% 5 or more

11. USED DRUGS IN THE PAST 3 MONTHS?
    4% Marijuana
    0% Cocaine/Crack
    4% Amphetamines
    /Barbiturates
    0% Hallucinogens
    96% None

12. HAVE A DRUG PROBLEM OR UNSURE OF PROBLEM?
    1% Yes
    99% No
    0% Unsure

13. HAVE FRIENDS WITH DRUG PROBLEM?
    18% Yes
    77% No
    5% Unsure

TSUD ALCOHOL & DRUG USE SURVEY RESULTS
PART II

KNOWLEDGE OF ALCOHOL & DRUGS

Response % Correct

1. ALCOHOL IS CLASSIFIED AS A STIMULANT DRUG.
   False 74%

2. MODERATE TO HEAVY DRINKING USUALLY REDUCES SEXUAL PERFORMANCE IN MALES.
   True 88%

3. EATING PRIOR TO OR WHILE DRINKING SLOWS THE EFFECT OF THE ALCOHOL.
   True 76%

4. ALCOHOL RELATED ACCIDENTS ARE THE LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH IN THE 18-24 AGE GROUP.
   True 96%

5. PERSONS WHO DRINK ONLY BEER CANNOT BECOME ALCOHOLICS.
   False 99%

6. TAKING A COLD SHOWER OR DRINKING COFFEE ARE EFFECTIVE WAYS OF SOBERING UP.
   False 90%

7. COCAINE IS NOT ADDICTIVE.
   False 98%

8. TSUD NEEDS TO SPONSOR MORE EFFECTIVE DRUG/ALCOHOL EDUCATION PROGRAMS.
   True 84%

ACTIVITIES OF THE PRESIDENT

- Attended Dothan Area Chamber of Commerce Small Business Committee meeting on June 5
- Participated in SouthTrust Development Board meeting on June 11
- Attended House of Representatives debate session on the education budget on June 13
- Participated in University Advisory Board lunch meeting on June 26
- Attended tour of University of Alabama Research facilities on June 27
- Presided at TSUD Administrative Council meeting on June 28

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

DR. ALAN BELSCHEKS’ paper “Members of the Family: Race Relations in Mary Ward Brown” has been accepted for presentation at the Popular Culture Association of the South Convention in Norfolk, VA, in October.

MS. TINA BERNATH prepared the Acquisitions List for May 1991, which contains the titles of new and reclassified books added to TSUD's
collection for May. If anyone failed to receive a copy, please contact Ms. Bernath at extension 324 or room 209, Technical Services, in the Library.

DR. LARRY BROWN continues to work with TSU-Troy in seeking to insure the viability of physical science courses at Dothan. Discussions are being held with ROTC program officials in Troy concerning the potential for including TSU students in the TSU-Troy Air Force ROTC program.

DR. SANDRA FAPIA and MS. BECKY YARBROUGH recently attended the Dr. Jean A. Kelley annual lectureship at UAB. The speaker was Dr. Betty Newmann, a nurse theorist who developed the Newmann Health System Model. This nursing model is used as a conceptual framework for much nursing research and for many nursing school curricula.

DR. ELIZABETH FELL spent the break camping and visiting the historical sites in St. Augustine, FL, with her husband, Ray, and two of her children, Alison and Kirk.

DR. PATRICIA FRITCHIE attended Fort Rucker’s Books and Beyond Gold Medal Award ceremony at Fort Rucker Primary School; presented “Talking Turnip” Russian folk tale to kindergarten class at Mulkey Elementary School in Geneva; consulted with Dr. Jane Hawk, Alabama Reading Association’s State Conference Plans; and presented Skills, Frills, and Chills: Reading Skills Without the Basal for the TSU-Troy Whole Language Conference.

MS. CINDY HALCOMB attended the TSUD Continuing Education Advisory Council meeting.

MS. CHARLOTTE KIRKLAND attended Word Perfect classes; addressed the Headland Kiwanis Club about SSSP; assisted with graduation exercises; attended Wiregrass Leadership Institute; and attended Administrative Council Meeting.

MS. HELEN LIVINGSTON presented Current Issues in Higher Education at the Chamber of Commerce Education Committee meeting; participated in SGA induction program; served on the selection panel for Retired Officers Scholarship interviews; and attended Newcomer Briefing at Fort Rucker.

MRS. LAURETTE LONG attended the Spring Quarter Library Resource Committee meeting; attended the May 23 Faculty Advisory Council meeting; attended an all day OCLC PRISM workshop at AUM on June 18; attended the June 23 Gamma Beta Phi meeting and served on its refreshment committee; attended the June 27 TSUDACD meeting; and attended the Houston Arts and Humanities Council’s dinner theater at the Ramada Inn on June 28.

DR. ROBERT LONG was interviewed by a local TV station for a news story on the recent increase in sales of U.S. Government Savings Bonds. An earlier radio interview was conducted on the possible effects of the recent increase in the minimum wage. Dr. Long was elected to serve on the Faculty Advisory Council for 1991-1993.

DR. SARAH E. PATRICK played in a concert with the Troy State University at Dothan Community Band at the end of Spring Quarter. Dr. Patrick also played in the orchestra for the “I Believe in America” concert held on June 30 at the Dothan Civic Center.

MS. JULIA SMITH attended the Southeastern Library Network workshop at AUM on June 18. The workshop focused on OCLC’s PRISM Service and its new cataloging applications now being utilized in our Library.

DR. MARY EVE SHOAF met with Pierre Flatt and Fauvette Garrison at SouthTrust Bank for picture exhibition and established Houston Arts and Humanities Council first corporate sponsor; sponsored, promoted and attended Houston Arts and Humanities Dinner Theater at the Ramada Inn. A special thanks is extended to Mr. Tony Whetstone and other faculty and staff members for supporting this project.

DR. JACKSUBLETTE gave welcome and participated at TSUD in meeting of the Wiregrass Leadership Institute on June 13; spoke to Continuing Education Advisory Council and to the University Advisory Board about 1991-92 higher education budget on June 26; and attended dinner and graduation ceremony at Lobby restaurant in Enterprise for completion of Wiregrass Leadership Institute on June 28.

MS. ANN WELLS attended the concert for the TSUD Community Chorus on June 9; assisted in hosting the Wiregrass Leadership Institute seminar where she was elected facilitator for the 1991-92 alumni group on June 13; met with Dr. Ryoji Chubachi, Vice President for Production and Engineering, and Mr. David Hall, Director of Training for SONY, regarding an industrial project to teach English as a Second Language to the Japanese engineers; conducted meetings with Mr. Bill Glover, Executive Director of the Southern Alabama Council of Aging, concerning training of professionals in recognizing abuse of the elderly. Ms. Wells, along with Mr. Dave Sheman, Chairman of the Continuing Education Advisory Council, conducted the June meeting of the Council. On June 26, Ms. Wells met with a Citizens in Action Group to plan a series of meetings in relation to substance abuse to be conducted in late summer or early fall. On June 28, at graduation ceremonies in Enterprise, Ms. Wells received her certificate of completion of the curriculum from the Wiregrass Leadership Institute.

MR. TONY WHETSTONE attended WordPerfect 5.1 Training class; interviewed applicants for the Student Support Service’s Counselor’s position; attended Continuing Education Advisory Council meeting; and attended University Advisory Board meeting.

MS. PAMELA WILLIAMSON completed WordPerfect 5.1 Training Class on June 3 - 12; spoke to TEP
Program participants regarding "Careers in Education" on June 25; spoke to senior nursing class regarding "Resumes and References" on June 25; participated in Continuing Education Advisory Council meeting on June 26; and attended TSUD Student Chapter meeting of the Alabama Association of Counseling and Development on June 27.

COMMITTEE UPDATE

University Advisory Board

Mr. Pierce Flatt, Chairman

The University Advisory Board held its luncheon meeting on Wednesday, June 26, in the Multipurpose Room in Malone Hall. Following the approval of the agenda and the minutes from the past two meetings, Mr. Pierce Flatt, chairman, delivered remarks concerning the University accomplishments and events for the past year.

Dr. Harrison presented an update of the activities of TSUD in the area of facilities, accomplishments for 1990-91, plans for 1991-92, and the continuing needs of the University.

Dr. Sublette offered comments to the membership concerning the proposed education budget for the upcoming year. In his presentation, Dr. Sublette emphasized the need for each member of the advisory board to contact local senators and representatives and express concern for all colleges and universities.

Continuing Education Advisory Council

Mr. Dave Shelman, Chairman

The TSUD Continuing Education Advisory Board held its biannual meeting on Wednesday, June 26, in the Multipurpose Room in Malone Hall. Mr. Dave Shelman, chairman, introduced the guests and new members. Ms. Ann Wells presented information concerning enrollment, special conferences, new class development, provider status development, and industry training development.

Dr. Deavers spoke to the membership and informed them of grants awarded to TSUD for Industry Training. He said that because of proration, some of the activities have been halted.

Dr. Goodman gave an update of credit classes for Weekend University, telecourses, and the upcoming interim sessions.

Dr. Sublette offered comments to the membership concerning proration and the proposed education budget for the upcoming year.

Mr. Ed Kirkland informed the membership of the duties and activities of the Center for Business and Economic Services provided by the office at TSUD.

NEWS FROM ......

GAMMA BETA PHI

Gamma Beta Phi met on Sunday, June 23, and elected Chapter officers for the 1991-92 school year. The Chapter membership elected the new Executive Committee: President, Angela Banker; Vice President, Darla Sasser; Secretary, Stephanie Haggard; Treasurer, Gail Carraway; Historian, Mamta Patel; Special Projects Director, Rod Cude; and Public Relations Director, Rusty Smith. The Chapter will have its "Chapter Social" in August. The next regular meeting is in September.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

Cooperating Teacher Training for Fall Interns
July 29, 9:00 a.m.
Room - TBA

Fall Intern Meeting
July 30, 2:30 p.m.
Room - TBA

TEP Application Meeting
July 31, 10:40 - 12:10
Room - TBA

FROM THE TSUD FAMILY

Faculty and Staff,

Thank you for the great retirement program, party, gift, and fun.

Walt and I will miss you and TSUD but are looking forward to living full-time at the beach.

Gayle Oberst

BIRTHDAYS FOR JULY

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