ACHE VISITS TSUD CAMPUS

Troy State University at Dothan and George C. Wallace State Community College hosted the visit to the Dothan area by the Alabama Commission on Higher Education (ACHE) on Thursday and Friday, February 10th & 11th.

Thursday's activities included a brief press conference at 1:45 p.m., in 115 Malone Hall on the TSUD campus with Dr. Henry Hector, Executive Director of ACHE, Mr. Borden Morrow, Commission Chairman from Daphne, and Mr. Ben Beard, Commissioner from Troy.

At 2:00 p.m. the Academic Affairs Committee and the Financial Affairs Committee met concurrently. The Student Assistance Committee convened at 4:00 p.m., and committee meetings concluded with the Executive Committee beginning at 4:30 p.m. These committee meetings were held on the TSUD campus.

A dinner for ACHE members and staff, college and university presidents, and other invited guests at Holiday Inn-South in Dothan featured Dr. Thomas Harrison, TSUD President, and Dr. Larry Beaty, Wallace College President, providing a joint presentation on their respective institutions.

The Commission continued its activities at Wallace College on Friday at the 7:30 a.m. breakfast and discussion session with the commissioners and Dr. Hector. Following at 9:30 a.m., ACHE held its Commission meeting. The day concluded with a lunch for ACHE officials.

LIBRARY HOURS EXTENDED

In an effort to meet the needs of its student population, the University Library at Troy State University at Dothan has extended its operating hours to include Friday afternoons, effective February 1, 1993. The library recently expanded operating hours to include Sunday afternoon.

Operating hours for the TSUD library are:

Monday-Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

A part of the library operations, the Instructional Support Center has also extended its operating hours to include:

Monday-Thursday: 7:45 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

CAREER DAY '93

CAREER DAY '93 was hosted by the Office of Counseling Services and Job Placement on Wednesday, February 10, 1993. Thirty-one area businesses, six school systems, and four TSUD clubs participated in the event. Pamela Williamson, Director of Counseling Services at TSUD, remarked, "I am pleased that TSUD can provide this quality program for the students on our campus each year."

A common observance from the majority of businesses and school systems was the friendliness, enthusiasm, and seriousness of the TSUD students attending the career fair.

TSUD PARTICIPATES IN TRADE SHOW

Troy State University at Dothan participated in the annual "Spotlight on Business" hosted by the Dothan Area Chamber of Commerce on February 25, 1993. The event was held from 1:00 - 8:00 p.m. The trade show enables TSUD to associate with over eighty area businesses and hundreds of participants who visit each booth to peruse products and services provided by the exhibitors. TSUD is active in many Chamber activities with each member of the Administrative Council participating on a Chamber committee.
Join Dr. Nist and learn about exciting children’s books from Alabama.

PIANO CONCERT, SUNDAY

Amy and Theresa Blount, mother/daughter piano duo, will present a free concert entitled “Shades of Black and White” in the multipurpose room of Malone Hall at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, March 7. The public is invited to attend.

FACULTY MEMBER OF THE MONTH

DR. WILLIAM DAPPER

Dr. William Dapper, associate professor of biology at Troy State University at Dothan, has been recognized as the “Faculty Member of the Month” for the College of Arts and Sciences.

Dr. Dapper received his bachelor’s degree from Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa, and his master’s degree from Tennessee Technological University. In 1978, he received his Ph.D. from the University of Southern Mississippi.

Prior to coming to TSUD in September 1989, Dr. Dapper was professor of biology at Mississippi Valley State University in Itta Bena, Mississippi.

He is a member of the National Association of Biology Teachers, North American Native Fishes Association, American Society of Mammalogists, and the Association of Southeastern Biologists. In 1988, Dr. Dapper was honored as the Mississippi Valley State University Outstanding Faculty Member of the Year, Mississippi Legislature Higher Education Faculty Award for Academic Excellence, and the White House Faculty Award for Excellence in Science and Technology.

He and his wife, Laura, have two children: John, 13; and Cassie, a freshman at TSU-Troy. In his spare time, Dr. Dapper enjoys fishing, playing the organ, and collecting coins.

DR. DARRYEL ROBERDS

Dr. Darryel Roberd, associate professor of management at Troy State University at Dothan, has been recognized as the “Faculty Member of the Month” for the School of Business.

Dr. Roberd received his bachelor’s degree from the University of Mississippi and his master’s degree from the University of Arkansas. In 1987, he received his Ph.D. from the University of Mississippi.

Prior to coming to TSUD in September 1991, Dr. Roberd was an associate professor at Jacksonville State University in Jacksonville, Alabama.

He has numerous publications in professional journals dealing with personnel/human resource management, labor law, small business management, and strategic planning. His most recent article, “Employee and Manager Perceptions of Disciplinary Procedure Fairness in Small Nonunion Companies,” was published in the Journal of Business and Entrepreneurship. Dr. Roberd served as president and conference chair for the 1992 Southern Industrial Relations and Human Resource Management Conference hosted by TSUD in October 1992. He is a retired U.S. Navy officer and has experience in real estate sales.

He and his wife, Linda, have two children, Stephanie and Lee. Dr. Roberd enjoys fishing of all kinds, especially fly fishing.

TSUD TO HOST AHF PROGRAM

Troy State University at Dothan will host Dr. Joan Nist, Professor Emerita of Auburn University and a speaker with the Alabama Humanities Foundation, on April 3, 1993, 7:30 p.m. in the multipurpose room of Malone Hall. Dr. Nist will survey the excellent Alabama literature that charms the old and new readers alike.

This presentation, a part of the Alabama Humanities Foundation’s Speakers Bureau “ALABAMA: A GEM OF MANY FACETS,” is open to the public.
Ms. Peacock received her bachelor's degree from Troy State University and her master's degree from Troy State University at Dothan.

**MS. GAYE PEACKO**

She was associated with what was then Troy State University/Fort Rucker during the formative years of 1967-1973 as the second full-time employee hired by Mr. Robert Paul, TSUD's first president. She served as secretary for Mr. Paul and the faculty members at Fort Rucker and later became Assistant Registrar. During her tenure, she has held the positions at Fort Rucker of Assistant Registrar, Registrar, Associate Director of Admissions and Records, and, since 1981, has served as Director of the Fort Rucker location.

Ms. Peacock is a member of the Association of the United States Army, Military Affairs Committee of the Dothan Area Chamber of Commerce, and the Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers.

Ms. Peacock resides in Enterprise and has one son, Cliff. In her spare time she enjoys reading and going fishing.

**CLASSIFIED STAFF MEMBER OF THE MONTH**

**MS. ROSE KERBY**

Ms. Rose Kerby, bookstore cashier at Troy State University at Dothan, has been recognized as the “ Classified Staff Member of the Month” for March.

Ms. Kerby attended the Business College in Opelika, Alabama, and earned an associate degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas.

Prior to coming to TSUD in September 1980, she was a senior data entry clerk for the computer center at Auburn University.

She and her husband, Rev. Charles Kerby, reside in Webb, Alabama. They have three children and two grandchildren.

In her spare time, she enjoys reading, traveling to the beach, shopping, and singing in the choir.

**NEW FACES AT TSUD**

**MS. MARILYN BARNES** joins the staff of TSUD as the Coordinator of Personal Development for the Continuing Education Center at Northside Mall. She received her bachelor's degree from The University of Alabama and her master's degree from Troy State University at Dothan. Prior to coming to TSUD, she was Director of Phoenix Educational Systems, Dothan campus.

Her husband, Curt, is the driver's education teacher and coach at Rehobeth High School. She has two sons, Adam and Aaron Jones, better known as the Jones Brothers. Adam is a junior at The University of Alabama, and Aaron is a sophomore at U of A.

Ms. Barnes enjoys coaching girls sports and currently teaches at Southern Stars Gymnastics Academy in Dothan.

**MS. LINDA EICHELBERGER** joins the School of Business as Clerk Typist II. Prior to coming to TSUD, she was employed with the Houston County Extension Service. A licensed cosmetologist, she has taught basic cosmetology at the Blalock Beauty School in Louisiana. Ms. Eichelberger is currently enrolled at TSUD as a management major. She and her husband, Gerald, a CW4 at Fort Rucker, have one son, Gerald II, a freshman at Northview High School.

In her spare time, she enjoys cooking and singing.
ACTIVITIES OF THE PRESIDENT

- Attended Chamber of Commerce TSUD/Wallace College Merger Committee meeting on January 29
- Met with Dr. Snyder and Dean Barfield from The University of Alabama concerning an articulated pre-engineering proposal on February 4
- Met with ACBSP visitation team on February 8-10
- Participated in SouthTrust Bank Development Board meeting on February 9
- Attended Career Fair luncheon on February 10
- Co-sponsored ACHE meetings in Dothan on February 11-12
- Made joint presentation with Dr. Larry Beatty to the ACHE dinner meeting on February 11
- Met with Chipola Junior College officials in Marianna, FL, on February 17
- Attended special ceremony commemorating the 100th anniversary of the signing of the legislation creating the University of Montevallo at the State Capitol in Montgomery on February 18
- Participated in Council of College and University Presidents meeting in Montgomery on February 18
- Presided at TSUD Administrative Council meeting on February 19
- Attended Cluster VI TRIO Day Reception at TSUD on February 24
- Participated in University Advisory Board meeting on February 25
- Participated in Uniserv District 26 Educational Consortium at San Destin Beach, FL, on February 25-27

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

DR. BRENDA AMETER chaired the Houston Arts and Humanities Council Program Committee on February 5; attended Louise Brimmer's lecture on African-American literature on February 7; worked in the HAHC art gallery on February 10; assisted in the Creative Writing Club booth at Career Day and attended Career Day luncheon on February 10; attended HAHC meeting on February 12; attended the Jones Brothers' concert on February 18; accompanied the Alliance of Minority Students to the Shakespeare Festival in Montgomery to see "Raisin in the Sun" on February 20; and hosted the Creative Writing Club in her home on February 27.

DR. BETTY ANDERSON met with anesthesia students on February 3; attended Career Day luncheon on February 10; met with Dr. Faith Weathington at TSU-Troy on February 11; and attended luncheon for Dr. Richard Craig, incoming executive director of the South Central Mental Health Agency, on February 22.

DR. ALAN BELSCHES led a discussion group at the Houston-Love Memorial Library regarding crime in America.

DR. STEVEN CROSS participated in Chamber of Commerce "Business After Hours" Committee meeting to plan area trade show on February 4; hosted Association of Collegiate Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) accreditation team on February 7-10; attended reception welcoming ACBSP team to TSUD on February 8; attended Career Day luncheon on February 10; traveled to Hot Springs, Arkansas, to serve on the program of the MidSouth Academy of Economics and Finance Annual Conference on February 10-13; was interviewed by The Dothan Eagle for newspaper article on President Clinton's economic plan on February 16; was interviewed by WTVY-TV4 for news report regarding President Clinton's economic plan on February 18; attended Student Support Services TRIO activities on February 24; and attended Chamber of Commerce "Spotlight on Business" at the Dothan Civic Center on February 25.

DR. SANDRA FARIA attended the Southern Nursing Research Society conference in Birmingham. This society consists of nurse researchers and academicians from universities throughout the South.

DR. ELIZABETH FELL attended ECE program revision meeting on February 1; conducted NCATE ELE program meeting on February 4; participated in Kappa Delta Pi meeting on February 7; served as chairperson for SACS Interim Review Team at Paterson and Fews Elementary Schools in Montgomery on February 9-10; visited Dothan City Schools and Houston County Schools during PLE Week; presented Faculty Development and Evaluation Committee update to CDCSP on February 23; presented ELE program to CDCSP and faculty on February 24; and served as facilitator for Project Learning Tree on February 27.

DR. PATRICIA FRITCHIE spoke at the Wiregrass Reading Conference on February 11; was interviewed and appeared on Dimension One-On-One radio show at WJNN-FM concerning the topic of reading tutorial services at TSUD; and attended Alpha Lambda Delta meeting on February 21.

DR. PATRICIA GARLIKOV presented a session on "Extending the Story, Literature Response as Modeled Writing" at the annual meeting of the Alabama Association for Young Children at Auburn University at Montgomery.

DR. DEBBIE GOODMAN attended committee meeting at Gayfers for selection of board members on February 8; attended Career Day and luncheon on February 10; attended ACHE dinner meeting on February 11; facilitated conference
on “Attention Deficits and Memory Disorders” at Honeysuckle Middle School on February 12; attended meeting at Chipola Junior College to discuss possible TSUD courses/programs on their campus on February 17.

DR. CHARLOTTE KIRKLAND attended ACBSP Reception on February 8; attended Chamber of Commerce Legislative Affairs Committee meeting on February 9, 16, & 23; hosted Louise Brimmer lecture for Student Support Services; chaired Minority Recruiting Committee meeting on February 17; attended Student Activity Period-Jones Brothers on February 18; hosted Cluster VI TRIO Reception at TSUD for TSU-Troy, ESJC, Wallace College, Alabama Aviation & Technical College, and Sparks Technical College; and attended Adult Learner Teleconference on February 25.

MR. ED KIRKLAND attended Alabama Aviation & Technical College Advocates meeting on February 1; attended luncheon meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Small Business/Retail Committee on February 2; attended reception for ACBSP team on February 8; conducted business counseling sessions at the Dothan Area Chamber of Commerce on February 9; met with Dr. Kennedy and Dr. Lorance to work on day care certificate program on February 11; conducted business counseling sessions at the Ozark Chamber of Commerce on February 23; attended teleconference on “Today in Higher Education” on February 25; and coordinated two new business workshops on February 25.

DR. HELEN LIVINGSTON attended Wallace College ADN recruiting program and the Wallace College 4-year college day; attended newcomers briefings at Fort Rucker; attended Association of the U.S. Army Luncheon; attended Chipola Junior College articulation conference and college night; attended Southeast Alabama Regional Planning Committee meeting; attended college days/nights at Coffee Springs High School, Daleville High School, and Slocomb High School; attended college days at Lurleen B. Wallace Junior College and Bainbridge College; served as a consultant for Student Support Services at the Department of Education, Washington, D.C.; assisted with Career Day; attended Levine workshop at Honeysuckle Middle School; and conducted tour for PATHWAYS students from Wallace College.

MS. LAURETTE LONG attended Network of Alabama Academic Libraries (NAAL) Collection Development Committee meeting in Montgomery to develop a project, which would be NAAL funded, for the member libraries of NAAL to identify their special collections in Alabama history on February 17, and attended SEACT’s performance of “Accomplice.”

DR. ROBERT LONG attended SEACT’s performance of “Accomplice” and was interviewed by The Dothan Eagle concerning an article, which appeared in the Sunday, February 7 paper, on the economy and people confidence.

DR. FRANK LOVICH presided at Council of Dean’s meeting on February 1; met with representatives from The University of Alabama about their engineering program on February 4; attended breakfast meeting with ACBSP team on February 8; attended Career Day luncheon on February 10; attended meeting with TSU System Academic Coordinating Committee on February 11; attended ACHE dinner meeting on February 11; attended ACHE Academic Affairs Committee meeting on February 11; attended ACHE meeting at Wallace College on February 12; attended ACHE meeting at Honeysuckle College on February 16; attended BIE meeting in Dothan on February 16; visited Chipola Junior College on February 17; met with special education candidate, Dr. Pelozesi, on February 24; attended TRIO Day reception on February 24; attended meeting of the TSUD Advisory Board on February 25; and attended meeting of Alliance of Minority Students on February 25.

DR. CYNTHIA LUMPKIN held a seminar for interns; participated in completion of the ELE program report; met with Dr. Kennedy to review the Faculty Evaluation Process; and attended workshop on “Variation in Attention and Memory” led by Dr. Melvin Levine at Honeysuckle Middle School.

DR. ROBERT MOORE introduced Dr. William Borders at the Dothan Rotary Club meeting on February 1; attended higher education teleconference on February 25; and attended “Spotlight on Business” at the Dothan Civic Center on February 25.

MS. DIANE MURPHY met with CD-DS NCATE Committee on January 26; served as ELE NCATE advisor; met with NCATE Faculty Committee on February 1; attended Cub Scout Pack Planning meeting on February 2; met with Winter 1993 Interns on February 3; videotaped intern meetings during PLE Week on February 8-11; and met with 1993 Spring Interns on February 15.

DR. STEPHEN NOWLIN served as a trainer in State Administrator Evaluation Systems in Grove Hill and Montgomery; met with the Dothan 2000 Steering Committee; chaired meetings on Goal 2 of Dothan 2000 at Dothan High School; and attended the Rotary Ball in Dothan on February 13.

DR. SARAH PATRICK attended meeting about the upcoming SDE visit in regard to secondary math; and attended meeting of the Alabama Association of College Teachers of Mathematics in Troy on February 20.

DR. MARY EVE SHOAF chaired the HAHC program meeting on February 11; chaired the Houston Arts and Humanities Council meeting on February 12; hosted Ms. Theresa Blount’s piano performance for music classes on February 16 & 22; attended the reception at the Wiregrass Museum of Art opening two exhibits to celebrate and to
recognize contributions made by African-Americans in the visual arts, featuring Clem Gouvea and Thomas Colvin III, on February 20; attended TRIO Day reception on February 24; and attended the Alliance of Minority Students celebration of African-American History on February 26.

MS. JULIA SMITH traveled to Fox Theater in Atlanta for a matinee of Will Rogers' Follies with SSS participants on February 6; attended ACBSP reception on February 8; and attended Career Day and luncheon on February 24.

DR. JACK SUBLETTA attended gala at the Davis Theatre for the Performing Arts on February 2; met with University of Alabama officials concerning pre-engineering program at TSUD on February 4; attended National Conference on Successful College Teaching and Administration on February 7-10; attended ACHE committee meetings and dinner for ACHE officials on February 11; attended ACHE meeting and luncheon at Wallace College on February 12; attended Chamber of Commerce Air Transportation Committee meeting on February 16; visited the campus of Chipola Junior College on February 17; met with officials of Southeast Alabama Medical Center to discuss nursing anesthetics on February 17; chaired meeting of Student Affairs Committee on February 17; attended student activity presentation of the Jones Brothers on February 18; attended Cluster VI TRIO celebration on February 24; attended meeting and luncheon of TSUD Advisory Board at SouthTrust Bank on February 25; participated in publicity for Azalea Dogwood Festival Pageant on February 25; participated in Chamber of Commerce "Spotlight on Business" on February 25; and attended celebration of Black History Month, sponsored by the TSUD Alliance of Minority Students on February 26.

MR. TONY WHETSTONE attended Dr. William Border's presentation at the Dothan Rotary Club on February 1; attended Chamber of Commerce Surface Transportation Committee meeting on February 2; attended Wiregrass Leadership Institute in Eufaula on February 4; attended Higher Education Public Relations Committee meeting in Montgomery on February 5; attended ACBSP reception on February 8; attended Career Day '93 on February 10; attended Higher Education Information Network meeting in Montgomery on February 10; and presided at ACHE press conference on February 11; attended Wiregrass Leadership Institute in New Brockton and Elba on February 25; and attended Chamber of Commerce "Spotlight on Business" at the Dothan Civic Center on February 25.

MS. PAMELA WILLIAMSON spoke to TSUD teacher intern class about job placement on February 3; presided at TSUD Drug Education and Awareness Committee meeting to formulate plans for winter and spring quarter activities; co-hosted, with SGA, the Career Day '93 on February 10; attended Drug Prevention Conference for College Presidents in Savannah, GA, and gave presentation on TSUD commuter campus drug prevention program on February 16-17; and hosted seniors from Dale County and presented a session on "Decision-Making After High School—What Next?" on February 18.

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**NEWS FROM ...**

**COURTESY COMMITTEE**

* Get well cards sent to: Mrs. Katie B. Roberts, Dr. Len Roberts' mother; Dr. Robert Long; Mr. W. T. Henson, Mrs. Laurette Long's father; Mrs. Lucy Moore, Dr. Robert Moore's wife
* Get well card and plant sent to Mr. Tommy Haney, Ms. Nancy Golden, and Dr. Brenda Ameter
* Sympathy cards sent to: Mrs. Laurette Long, whose father passed away; Mr. Nick Rowland on the death of Dr. Robert Long's last surviving aunt, Martha Barron Rowland
* Memorial donations were made to: American Diabetes Association in memory of Curtis Randall Paul, Dr. Elizabeth Fell's brother; TUSD Library for purchase of book on aging in memory of Mr. Willie T. Henson (Mrs. Long's father)

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**GAMMA BETA PHI**

This year the TSUD Chapter of Gamma Beta Phi hosted the annual state convention. The convention was conducted on the TSUD campus on Saturday, January 30. TSUD Chapter member Kim Galle was elected to state office as the state secretary-treasurer. Congratulations to Kim. Many thanks to all the Chapter members who worked so hard to make the convention a success. The National Director of Gamma Beta Phi was present and spoke highly of the Chapter and all its efforts.

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**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

Winter Internship Reception  
March 17, 1993  
4 - 5 PM  
Multipurpose Room

TEP Orientation  
April 6, 1993  
2:00 - 4:30 PM  
Multipurpose Room

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**FROM THE TSUD FAMILY**

Mr. Tommy Haney wishes to thank the TSUD Courtesy Committee for the lovely flowers during his recent stay in the hospital.

Dr. Brenda Ameter wishes to thank the TSUD Courtesy Committee, the Creative Writing Club, and the College of Arts and Sciences for the beautiful flowers received while she was hospitalized.

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**BIRTHDAYS FOR MARCH**

1 March Golden
5 Jeanette Anglin
8 Jolene Creamer
11 Mary Eve Shoaf
19 Ann Wells
25 Thomas Anderson