Foundation Scholars Announced

Ten high school seniors will receive scholarships from the Floyd College Foundation for the 1994-95 academic year according to President Lynn Cundiff.

Foundation Scholars must have a grade-point-average of 3.5 or better or be in the top five percent of their high school graduating class. They are nominated for the scholarship by a high school official and are selected following a review of their applications and a personal interview by a faculty selection committee.

The committee considers co-curricular and leadership activities in school and community; special awards and recognition; the proven ability to overcome obstacles which stand in the way of education and career goals; and the ability to balance several priorities, such as college, family obligations and a job. The Foundation Scholars are expected to be ambassadors for the college and serve as hosts and hostesses at official functions.

Recipients include Adam Beck from Chattooga High School, Larry E. (Ted) Bowers from Trion High School, Megan Suzanne Burton from Gordon Central High School, Tina Shea Haney from Rockmart High School, Jacqueline Maree Hardin from Coosa High School, Tara Elyse Hawkins from Chattooga High School, Robert Darrin Kines from Cedartown High School, Cynthia Kay McCrley from Model High School, Tracey Nicole Taylor from Pepperell High School, and Jaime Wright from Cedartown High School.

Foundation UPDATE

The Foundation's current project is remodeling the gymnasium area of Heritage Hall (FC's new downtown facility). The gym will be converted to an auditorium and showcase arena for the work of local artists.

Donations for the project should be directed to the foundation office at Box 1864, Rome, GA 30162-1864. Or call Barbara Myers, executive director, at 802-5194, for more details about the project.

Minority Summer Enrichment Program Proposed

At the recommendation of the Minority Advisory Committee of the college, a minority summer enrichment program is being organized for 11th and 12 grade students from the City of Rome. The purpose of the program would be to raise the awareness level of these students of the options available to them beyond high school, and to enrich their lives through exposure to academic and life-planning seminars.

The two-week program would include classes in science and math, including exposure to computers, language arts and lifestyle issues, including career exploration.

Students chosen to participate in the program will be recommended by the school system, area business and civic organizations, churches or community leaders.

The college is currently seeking donations to cover the cost of the program which is estimated at $500 per student. For additional information contact Phyllis Weatherly, director of Guidance Services, at 295-6336.

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Welcome the following new employees: Christopher Lee, director of Human Resources, Doug Webb, director of Physical Plant, and Maria E. Newsum, part-time clerical support staff member.

Keep the following people in your thoughts and prayers: Donna Sutton, lab coordinator, upon the death of her father. Donald Smith of Rome, and Carolyn Burton, wife of Mike Burton, coordinator, deaf and hard-of-hearing program.

Paula Almond, counselor, and Phyllis Weatherly, director of Guidance Services, conducted a session titled "Facing Ethical Dilemmas: Issues in Smaller Colleges" during the Georgia College Personnel Association’s 25th annual conference which was held in April.

Phyllis Weatherly has passed the National Counselor Examination, a test required by the State Examining Board for licensed Professional Counselors. Congratulations!

The following Continuing Education and Small Business Development classes will be held during the month of June:
- Preschool Gymnastics
- Power Lunches
- Crime Seminar
- Exceptional Assistant
- Super Sitter I
- Team Building
- Microsoft
- Getting to Know Your IBM
- Basic Sign Language
- Starting the "American Dream"

For more information or to register for a class call 295-6324.

A no tobacco policy will go in affect on campus this fall quarter. A committee headed by Ken Weatherman, associate professor of Physical Education, is currently drafting the policy. The decision was made to go to a tobacco-free campus following the voiced concerns of many students, faculty and staff members, and to assure a health learning and working environment for all.

Wesley Walraven, retired Vice President of the college, was honored with a statue by the nursing students, and a newly planted tree by the American Association of University Professors this week.

The statue is located just outside the Division of Nursing. A plaque commemorates the dedication. The tree is also located in front of the campus.

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