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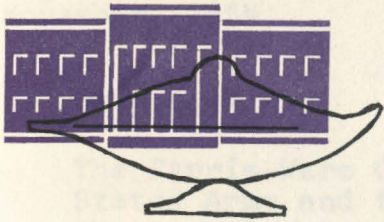
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From the Desk of the President



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

Prairie View, Texas

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A. CALENDAR

1. Election DayNovember 3
2. Staff Meeting (All Employees)November 3
3. Football Game, Prairie View vs. Bishop
at Dallas, Texas.November 7
4. American Education Week November 8-14
5. Mid-semester Examinations November 9-10
6. Veterans' Day November 11
7. Pre-Homecoming Activities November 13
8. HOMECOMING. November 14
9. English Emphasis WeekNovember 16-20
10. Concert and Lecture Series present
Lionel Hampton. November 18
11. Dramatic Production November 19
12. Football Game - P. V. vs. Southern (Here) . . November 21
13. Thanksgiving Holidays Begin at Noon November 25
14. Classes Resume after Holidays November 30

B. AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK

The Department of Education announces the observance of American Education Week on November 8-14. "Education Pays Dividends" is this year's theme. Several activities are being planned by the department and its professional club group, the student NEA.

C. VETERANS' DAY

The Farris-Ware Company of the Association of the United States Army and the Progressive Veterans' Club will sponsor the Annual Veterans' Day Program at 11:00 a.m., November 11, 1964, in the Auditorium-Gymnasium. Guest speaker will be Major General William A. Harris, Deputy Commanding General, 4th U. S. Army.

D. HOME COMING

The Homecoming theme this year is "This is the Year That Was." Activities will begin Friday, November 13, with the bonfire and pep rally and will continue through Saturday and Sunday--closing with an Alumni Vesper Program.

The undefeated Panthers will meet the Alcorn A. and M. College Braves at 2:00 p.m., on Blackshear Field. Alcorn will send its band, majorettes and MISS ALCORN to represent in the parade and during half-time ceremonies.

The Alumni Association and various faculty and student groups are putting forth special effort to make this year's Homecoming one of the most colorful in Prairie View history.

All faculty and staff members are urged to cooperate in helping to make Homecoming 1964 a memorable occasion for all.

E. ENGLISH EMPHASIS WEEK

English Emphasis Week will be observed on November 16-20. The Department of English will sponsor a series of special programs scheduled each evening during the week. A major dramatic production, under the direction of Mr. Horace Bond, is planned for Thursday evening, November 19.

F. PRAIRIE VIEW-SOUTHERN

This traditional rivalry is being brought back to the campus after being staged for several years in Houston. Regardless of previous records, the Panther-Jaguar game is always a major contest in the tough Southwestern Conference race. This November 21 game is expected to be a major event of the season and preparations for it should proceed accordingly.

G. BOY SCOUTS DRIVE

The annual Boy Scouts' fund raising campaign is now underway under the leadership of Dr. T. R. Solomon and the Fund Drive Committee. Prairie View's contribution in this drive will go to the Sam Houston Area Council (Houston) of which this community is a part.

H. THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS

The Thanksgiving Holidays will begin at noon on Wednesday, November 25. Classes will resume at eight o'clock Monday, November 30.

I. CONFERENCE ROOM

Mention is made once again concerning the problem involving the use of the Conference Room. Due to the fact that many unexpected and often very urgent conferences with officials and other visitors must be held in the Administration Building Conference Room, it is requested that persons planning various meetings with staff members, particularly small groups, please try to arrange for them with other facilities.

J. IN CLOSING

The growing need for higher education was the topic of discussion at the 13th Annual Legislative Work Conference of the Southern Regional Education Board, held recently in Williamsburg, Virginia. Interesting statements coming from outstanding educators attending this conference included:


"The job of universal education is big enough to go around and still not get done."

Dr. Andrew Holt
University of Tennessee

"A democracy must provide a wide range and diversity of education to meet the requirements of widely varied individuals."

Dr. B. L. Johnson
U. C. L. A.

Very truly yours,


E. B. Evans
President