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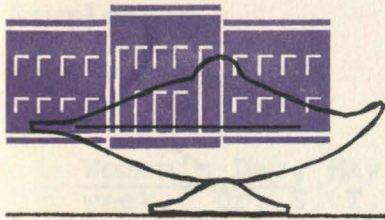
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From the Desk of the President



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

Prairie View, Texas

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A. CALENDAR

1. Interscholastic League Meet (2A, 3A, 4A) May 1
2. Cultural-Music Week May 2-9
3. Concert - A Cappella Choir. May 2
4. Women's Day May 6
5. Industrial Education Conference May 7-8
6. Annual ROTC Picnic. May 8
7. Concert - Prairie View Symphonic Orchestra. May 9
8. All-Sports Banquet. May 13
9. Housing Conference. May 14
10. Nursing Capping Ceremony (4:00 p.m.) May 16
11. Honors Convocation (7:00 p.m.) May 16
12. Senior Week May 17-22
 - Senior Class Activities. May 17-18
 - Senior Institute May 20
 - Junior-Senior Prom May 20
13. Alumni Day. May 22
14. Commencement Day. May 23
15. Final Examinations. May 24-28
16. Second Semester Closes. May 29
17. Memorial Day. May 30
18. Athletics --

Baseball

Prairie View vs. Arkansas AM&N (There) .April 30-May 1

Track - Tennis - Golf

- Arkansas Relays (Pine Bluff) May 1
- Southwestern Conference Meet (Pine Bluff). May 7-8
- Gulf Coast Federation Meet (Beaumont). May 22
- District Federation Meet (Houston) May 29
- NAIA Track and Field Meet (Sioux Falls,S.D.) .June 4-5

B. CULTURAL-MUSIC WEEK

Several activities have been scheduled in observance of Cultural-Music Week on May 2-9. The Prairie View A Cappella Choir will present a Concert on Sunday, May 2, and the College Orchestra will be presented in Concert on Sunday, May 9. Several recitals by Music students are set for the week.

Women's Day, May 6, is also scheduled as a part of cultural week. Dr. S. T. Kittrell, Dean of the School of Home Economics, Howard University, will be the guest speaker for this occasion. Open House in the Women's Department will be observed on May 2, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

C. INDUSTRIAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE

The 31st Annual Industrial Education Conference is scheduled for May 7-8. The theme of the 1965 Conference is "Equal Employment Opportunity - Its Meaning for Industrial Education." The keynote address will be delivered by Mr. Phillip G. Waibel, Personnel Manager, Bell Helicopter, Fort Worth, Texas.

D. ALL-SPORTS BANQUET

The All-Sports Banquet for students participating in All-Sports will be held on May 13.

E. HOUSING CONFERENCE

The 18th Annual Housing Conference will be held at Prairie View on May 14. Dean C. L. Wilson is Chairman of the local committee in charge. Mr. A. Maceo Smith, Zone Intergroup Relations Advisor, Federal Housing Administration, is working with the local committee in developing plans and arrangements for the conference.

F. HONORS DAY PROGRAM

Students throughout the college will receive keys, pins, certificates and cash awards for both scholastic attainment and outstanding participation in student activities during the annual Honors Day Program scheduled for May 5. Schools and departments are encouraged to give full attention to this program in an effort to encourage the best in our students.

G. SENIOR WEEK

Several activities are planned for graduating seniors during Senior Week, May 17-22. Included are alumni sessions, the President's Tea and the annual Junior-Senior Prom.

H. PRAIRIE VIEW HIGH SCHOOL

The High School Commencement Exercises are scheduled on May 21, in the High School Gymnasium.

I. ALUMNI DAY

Alumni Day, May 22, will feature programs of several reunion classes as well as annual commencement activities sponsored by the General Alumni Association.

J. COMMENCEMENT DAY

Commencement Exercises are scheduled on May 23. The speaker for the occasion is Dr. A. B. Templeton, President of Sam Houston State Teachers College, Huntsville, Texas.

K. THE 1965 SUMMER SESSION

The 55th Summer Session will begin on June 7. Registration is set for June 7-8, and classes will begin on Wednesday, June 9. We look forward to a good enrollment and another profitable term.

L. RECRUITMENT

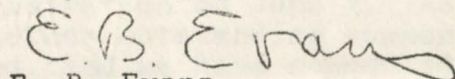
The entire staff is called upon to cooperate in the major student recruitment effort now in progress and which will extend throughout the summer. Major emphasis should be given to the additional student housing facilities available and the expanding opportunities for student employment made possible through the Work-Study Program. The use of our own students and the alumni are major avenues of recruitment which must not be overlooked.

M. IN CLOSING

Thanks to all who helped in the promotion of our many activities during the month of April, particularly the Interscholastic League events which required the combined effort of all.

A special word of thanks is expressed to the entire staff as we approach the close of another long session at Prairie View, our 88th year. I would like to express my deep appreciation to all members of the staff for your cooperation in making this another successful year.

Very truly yours,



E. B. Evans
President

P. S. The regular Monthly Workers' Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday evening, May 4, at 7:30 o'clock in the Administration Auditorium.