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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

| Fourth of July Holiday |
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| Home Economics Workshop July 6-2 |
| Coaching Clinic |
| Final Examinations, First Term July 15-1 |
| Reading Conference July 1 |
| Clinic for Cheerleaders, Baton Twirlers July 18-2 |
| Registration, Second Term July 1 |
| Second Term Classes Begin July 2 |
| Future Farmers Association Shortcourse July 22-2 |
| Mathematics Workshop (Second Session) July 26-August 1 |
| Special Demonstrations |
| Hairstyling (Cosmetology Institute) July 1 |
| Baton Twirling and Cheerleading July 2 |
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B. OFFICIAL HOLIDAY

Monday, July 5 is an official holiday for all employees. Classes are suspended for this day.

C. COACHING CLINIC

The 33rd Annual Coaching Clinic is scheduled at the college on July 7-8. Visiting staff members for the two-day school include Coach Al Onofrio, University of Missouri; Coach Tom Williams, Grambling College; and Coach Vernon M. Glass, Lamar Tech., Beaumont.

D. READING CONFERENCE

The 15th Annual Reading Conference is scheduled for July 15. The conference is a closing feature of the Workshop in Language Arts now in progress. Miss Mary Patricia Donki of the University of Houston and the Houston Public School System is serving as Consultant in this project. Dr. William Martin Jr., Holt Publishing Company, New York City, is expected to be the principal speaker at the Reading Conference.

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E. CHEERLEADERS AND BATON TWIRLERS

The 9th Annual Clinic for Baton Twirlers, Cheerleaders, Majorettes and sponsors will be held on July 18-23. An outstanding faculty, large student enrollment and plenty recreation are features of the six-day clinic. This program is sponsored by the Departments of Extramural Services and Physical Education.

F. VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE CONFERENCE

The Annual Conference for Vocational Agriculture Teachers in Texas will be held on July 22-23. Special short courses in Agriculture are also scheduled at this time.

G. SPECIAL DEMONSTRATIONS

Two special demonstrations are scheduled in July which usually claim a great deal of attention: (1) The Cosmetology demonstration, and (2) Baton Twirlers and Cheerleaders. Both of the activities are quite interesting and entertaining.

H. SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

The visiting High School students in Science and Mathematics will tour NASA facilities and the University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston on Wednesday, July 21.

I. WORK-STUDY PROGRAM

The Summer Work-Study Program is now in operation with a large number of students receiving assistance from this project. High School seniors employed for the summer are participating in enrichment programs which should contribute to their adjustment to college life when they enroll as freshmen this Fall. Several graduate students from major Universities are assisting in the enrichment program through Foundation funds made available.

J. A SPECIAL WORD OF THANKS

To all employees who contributed to the promotion of our regular and special activities during the month of June...Our 1965 Summer Session is moving along very nicely with good enrollment and a wide variety of offerings for all students.

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K. IN CLOSING

Speaking on the importance of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, Mrs. Dorothy Goldberg, author, artist, and wife of the Supreme Court Justice, Arthur Goldberg, made the following statement which is of particular interest:

Health. Physical Education and Recreation Teachers may be ahead of some other educational groups that are concerned with other learnings. At least, they are concerned with mental health and creative thinking, not just intellectual growth. There can be no hunger for learning when there is not good health. There is no true creativity either where the motivation is based solely on a competitive drive to out-do another. The sportsmanship and sense of fairness that necessarily must emerge from this field provides our young people with insights that our country depends upon when the young people become adults. Indeed, fair play and the rules of the game is nothing less than the Golden Rule, and we like to believe that this is basic to our sense of national purpose.

Very truly yours,

E. B. Evans President