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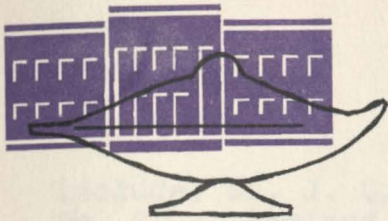
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From the Desk of the President



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE VIEW A. & M. COLLEGE

Prairie View, Texas

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A. CALENDAR

1. Nutrition Week and Food ShowDecember 1-3
2. Youth Leadership ConferenceDecember 3-5
3. Presentation of DebutantesDecember 4
4. Staff (Workers) MeetingDecember 7
5. Public Health Association Program (Afternoon) . .December 7
6. Boy Scouts Appreciation Dinner
(E. B. Evans' Division)December 8
7. International NightDecember 9
8. National Teachers ExaminationDecember 11
9. Christmas CantataDecember 12
10. Christmas Holidays Begin (At Noon)December 18
11. Community Christmas PartyDecember 25
12. Basketball Games --

HERE

- Prairie View vs. Stephen F. AustinDecember 1
Prairie View vs. East Texas State University . . December 13
Prairie View vs. Huston-Tillotson College . . . December 14
Prairie View vs. Dillard UniversityDecember 16

AWAY

- Prairie View vs. East Texas State University . . December 4
Prairie View vs. St. Mary's UniversityDecember 7
Prairie View vs. Stephen F. AustinDecember 18
Dillard Tournament at New OrleansDecember 27-28

B. NUTRITION WEEK

The School of Home Economics will hold its 11th Annual observance of NUTRITION WEEK on December 1-3.

C. YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

The Annual Leadership Training Conference will be held on the College campus on December 3-5. The theme of the Conference is--"The Responsibility of The Student Leader In Helping to Improve Academic Performance." Speakers for the occasion

include, Dr. J. L. Brown, Director of Extramural Services and Dr. G. R. Ragland, Chairman of The Sociology Department and Acting Registrar.

D. PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION

The Waller County Public Health Association will hold a Christmas Gift Auction for Health on December 7, between the hours of 4:00 and 6:00 p.m. Educational films and activities of the Clinic will also be observed during this program scheduled in the Public Health Building.

E. BOY SCOUT DINNER

The E. B. Evans' Division, David Crockett District, will hold its annual Appreciation Dinner for Scout Leaders on December 8, in the Ballroom of the Memorial Center. The principal speaker for the occasion is Mr. R. Elwyn Byrns, Chief Scout Executive of the Sam Houston Area Council. Mr. Byrns replaced Mr. Minor Huffman recently as Scout Executive and this will be his first visit to Prairie View and the Division. All persons active or interested in Scouting are invited to attend. The E. B. Evans' Division includes communities in Austin, Burleson, Waller and Washington Counties.

F. BOY SCOUTS AND GIRL SCOUTS FINANCIAL DRIVES

Appreciation is expressed to all who gave in any way to the Annual Fund Campaigns of The Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of America.

G. BASKETBALL SEASON

The 1965-66 Basketball season will get underway on December 1, when the Panthers meet Stephen F. Austin in the new Gymnasium.

H. CHRISTMAS BRIGHTEN-UP

For many years residents of the College have followed the custom of putting up displays about the homes, dormitories, and public buildings in keeping with the spirit of Christmas. This activity is sponsored by the Prairie View Garden Club and is termed--"Christmas Brighten-Up."

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It is our hope that we can follow the same practice this year and that decorations will be made sufficiently early for students and staff members to see them before leaving for the holidays, December 18, 1965. For further information, contact any member of the Prairie View Garden Club or call Mrs. L. C. Phillip, Secretary, or Dr. J. M. Coruthers, President.

I. REMEMBER

- Pay your Poll Tax before January 31, 1966
- The Community Chest
- The March of Dimes (beginning January 1)

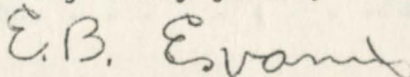
J. CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

The Christmas Holidays will begin at noon, December 18. Classes will resume at 8:00 a.m. on January 3. The holiday period for regular twelve-month employees is December 23 through January 1 (7 days).

K. IN CLOSING

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and yours,
A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

Very truly yours,



E. B. Evans
President

B. A WORD OF THANKS

To those contributed in the promotion of our club's special activities during the month of December, a word of thanks is sincerely expressed. Special credit is given to those who included International Night, Christmas Party, Christmas Dinner, Public Health Christmas, Christmas Party, Christmas Dinner, and Girl Scout's Finance Club. We also thank those who participated in other activities leading up to the Christmas and New Year holidays.