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Interdisciplinary Honors Program Newsletter
October 19, 1989

Honors Meeting Thursday October 26 *Maple Community Room Phase V 4:00 PM*

We will try a new format for this meeting. First we will meet in mass to discuss some overall program ideas. Then we will break into smaller groups for discussions on the following topics:

- A. Computers and the Honors Computer Room (with Phyllis Gussler)*
- B. SGA Charter for Interdisciplinary Honors (with Neill Kimrey)*
- C. Study Groups & Secret Societies (with Neil Spicer)*
- D. Teaching Fellows (with Fowler Bush)*
- E. Fund Raising (with Vanessa Infanzon)*

We are attempting to capitalize on the amount of interest that was generated at the Honors Retreat, so please come and share you ideas with the rest of the program.

From the Desk of Dr. Fowler Bush *Chancellor's Convocation Dinner*

My apologies to those of you who wanted to attend the Chancellor's Convocation Dinner but were unable to participate due to the limited amount of invitations and time. Of the 34 students who wanted to go, I selected those who were very active in the program, in particular, those who attended the Sunset Retreat. The remainder of the students who received invitations were determined by a simple lottery. Some have asked why I went to the HONR 1701 course to seek volunteers. It was quite simply a matter of expedience. I had only 24 hours to provide the Chancellor's office with fifteen names. The short time available was the result of my office being consumed with attempts to gain some funding for our program, HUGO, and other matters, all of which resulted in us getting a late start. Again, my apology.

The Honors Retreat at Sunset Beach

It was, for everyone who attended the retreat at Sunset Beach (where it did not rain much), one of the best things to happen within the Interdisciplinary Honors Program since its beginning in 1984. It was a very enjoyable weekend in which much was accomplished. Thank you to everyone who shared it with me.

Fowler Bush

Warning !! A Virus has infected the Honors Computer room.

Anyone with a disk that has been used on the system please check it for a virus. Further information and instruction will be posted in the computer room.

Quotables

"Each moment of the year has its own beauty. A picture which was never seen before and shall never be seen again."

Ralph Waldo Emerson

How About a Night Out on the Town ?

On our retreat this past weekend, a great number of students expressed interest in organizing "Dinner Rolls", meaning that a group of people will get together and go to dinner somewhere off campus. The group decided where, when, and how. The first Dinner Roll is being planned for the week of October 30th ~~1999~~. If anyone is interested in this particular "Roll", or in "Rolls" in general, please contact the office (at 547-4824) and let us know. Also, you can get in touch with Heather Livengood, Neill Kimrey, or Vanessa Infanzon. If you have suggestions , please don't hesitate to share them with us.

The Officers

Speak Your Mind

*Anyone interested in obtaining more applications software for the Honors Computer Room, particularly those dealing with UNCC courses that require computers, please send suggestions to:
Devon McRorie, 222 Oak Hall, Charlotte, NC 28223. This is your chance to ask for something in the computer room, so don't miss out!*

Devon McRorie

Something to think About ???

November is election month and this and all election are very important. There are several issues that are high priorities for many candidates. Drugs, flag burning, education, welfare and abortion are just a few of the HOT issues we as voters have to take a stand on. One candidate can not believe the same way as a voter on all issues. A voter must decide what issues are the most important then find a candidate that will best serve their needs. What issues are most important to candidates? Is drugs the single most important issue or is AIDS? Is abortion more important than education? Who should decide which issues take priority over others? A voter must educate themselves about candidates and understand where candidates stand on many issues. Some voters let one issue decide how they vote. If a candidate is for abortion that voter will vote for that candidate without considering other issues. Being Honor Students, I am safe to assume that all of you do vote and are well informed voters. Where do you stand on many issues and what candidate will best serve your needs is something to think about....?

Paul S. Williams

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