

WTC events say 'Howdy' to freshmen

The college's Student Senate has adopted the theme "You Are the Driving Force Behind WTC in '93" for the coming school year.

In line with this, a busy round of "Howdy" activities for both freshmen and sophomores are planned in the weeks ahead as the fall term gets underway.

The dormitory will officially open for freshmen at 2 p.m. this Sunday. Sophomores will be moving in to the dorm beginning Monday morning and will register beginning at 1 p.m. that afternoon.

Registration for freshmen students will start at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday. Classes officially begin Wednesday.

Events during the first week of school are planned by the WTC Student Senate to acquaint incoming freshmen with the campus and to welcome back sophomores.

On Wednesday, an afternoon round of volleyball is scheduled just north of the Student Center.

On Thursday night, the year's first dance is slated, the traditional "Howdy Dance." It will be in the Student Center from 8:30 a.m. until midnight.

During September, Student Senate activities will focus on establishing student leaders for the coming year.

During this month, students will be encouraged to petition to run for the senate, joining the four-member slate of officers elected this past spring. Some 25 senators serve the student body on

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WTC gains guard class expansion

Beginning this fall, WTC will expand its contract with the Texas Department of Criminal Justice to provide in-service training for prison guards employed at two of the state's newest prisons in addition to the Price Daniel Unit here.

Under the new contract, WTC will provide instruction for the French Robertson Unit near Abilene and the Preston Smith Unit in Lamesa also.

The agreement is expected to benefit both the college financially as well as the community of Snyder as an estimated 832 individuals will be on campus during a 46-week period which begins Sept. 1.

The in-service training will be taught in a newly renovated classroom area located in the southeast quadrant of the campus.

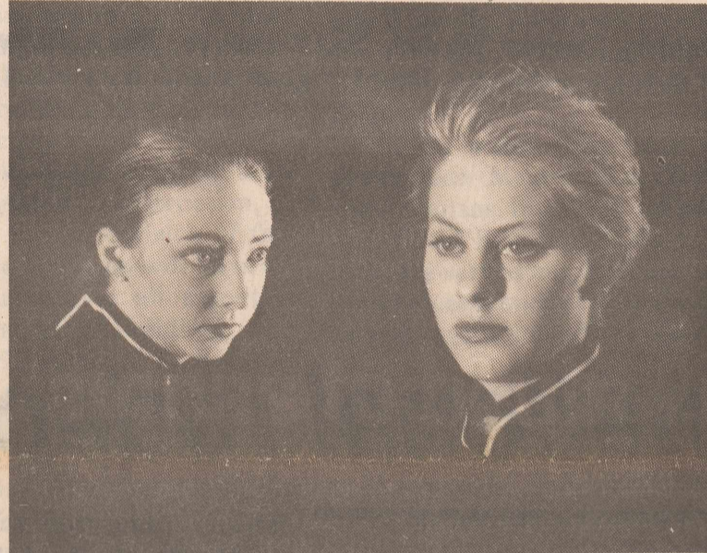
For an individual guard, the training will involve five days of classroom instruction totaling 40-hours.

The TDCJ has contracted to pay some \$73,000 to the college for the training. The actual expense to offer the program is estimated at \$56,000, so WTC is expecting to net some \$17,000 for its general fund plus another \$40,000 in state "contact hour" funding.

In addition, individuals traveling from Lamesa and Abilene are expected to be staying overnight in Snyder during their week's training time and this is projected to have an economic impact for the community.

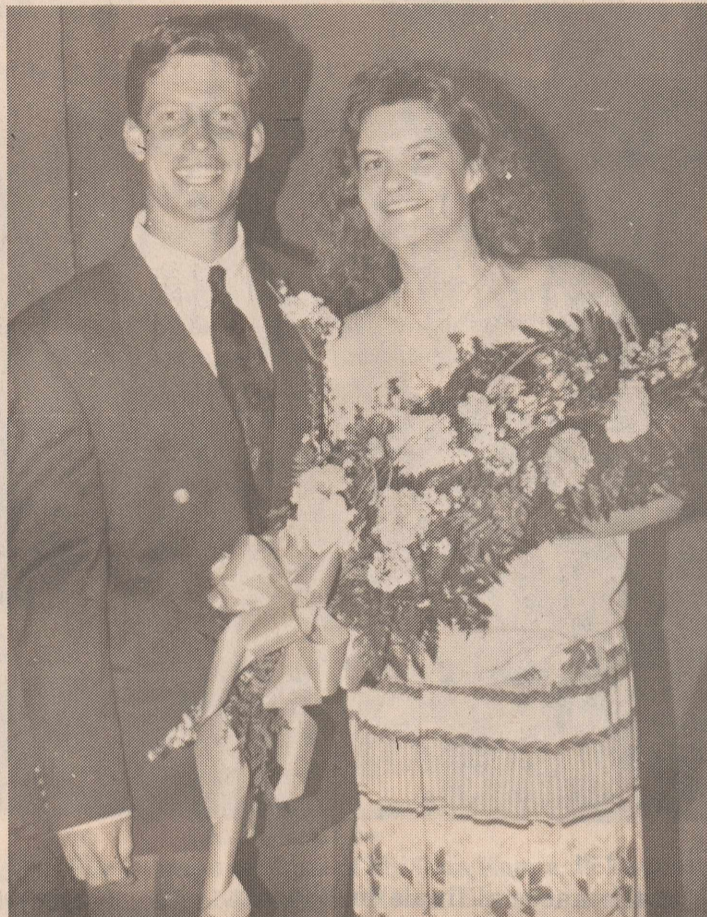
The state has obligated almost \$93,000 for motel and food service expenses for the training period.

The Great Western Motel of Snyder was awarded the motel contract to accommodate the visiting guards and American Food Service, which also serves the WTC dorms, was given the food service contract.



Year in review

Campus activities for 1991-92 at WTC ran the gamut from awards to activities. Those honored include (upper left) new WTC Rodeo Queen Julie Williams, taking a ride around the arena April 16 and (upper right) Mr. and Miss WTC, Ryan Teague and Lei Holcomb, reacting to their honor March 26. Campus activities include drama productions and the center



left photo shows Kristi Mize and Amber Adams, who played the dual role of "Hedda Gabler" in WTC's production of that classic play. In a lighter vein, Buffy Giddens and Chad Landrom dressed as a couple for WTC's Halloween dance in October (lower left) and Dusty Green (lower right) goes up for the shot during intramural action last spring. (Texan Photos)

Instruction at prisons to expand

WTC is expecting to begin offering classroom instruction at the new Texas state prison now under construction in Abilene by this coming spring term.

This will be in addition to the continuation of classes offered the past three years at the Price Daniel Unit here.

By spring, three vocational classes and a full slate of academic courses are expected to be offered at the Texas Department of Criminal Justice's (TDCJ) French Robertson facility in Abilene.

This fall, an estimated 140 students are expected to enroll in WTC academic classes offered at the Price Daniel Unit. Early estimates are that as many as 170 might be counted on from French Robertson.

Assuming the French Robertson unit added this number, this would equate to a more than 14 percent increase in total enrollment for the college.

New college instructors are to be hired for the vocational classes and these are expected to be employed by December. Vocational classes to be offered are heating and air-conditioning, automotive and data processing.

Regarding academic classes, WTC officials expect to mirror those currently offered at the Price Daniel unit. These include study in history, psychology, fine arts, mass communications, geography, Spanish, business law, English and computer science.

Existing staff and part-time instructors are expected to be used for the academic classes.

New officers set to serve student body

Student body officers for the 1992-93 school year were elected in April. New officers are Page Bishop, president; Hud Hudson, vice president; Norma Gutierrez, secretary; and Greg Combs, treasurer.

Page Bishop is the son of Allen and Pat Bishop of Winters. He is majoring in education with a specialization in agriculture. He is a member of the Student Senate and the WTC Meats Judging Team.

Hud Hudson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hudson of Colorado City. He is majoring in education with a specialization in agriculture. He is a member of the Student Senate and the WTC Meats Judging Team.

Norma Gutierrez is the daughter of John and Mae Gutierrez of Snyder. She is an education major. She is a member of the Student Senate and Phi Theta Kappa.

Greg Combs is the son of Larry and Berta Combs of Muleshoe. He is majoring in drama and his minor is electrical engineering. He is a member of the Student Senate and Phi Theta Kappa.

Campus to begin 2nd year of W.W. II remembrances

This coming school year, a WTC committee will continue its "remembrance" of the events of World War II—an ongoing project slated to coincide with the 50-year anniversary of the war effort which will continue through 1995.

To date, the school has sponsored two panel discussions profiling the war years which have drawn a wide following of local and area veterans.

The first featured four survivors of the attack on Pearl Harbor—the "day that will live in infamy," Dec. 7, 1942.

WTC's commemoration was held on that exact date 50 years later.

Panel members were:

—John Roddy of Snyder, who was onboard the U.S.S. Tennessee.

—Alton Barfoot of Hermleigh, who was stationed at nearby Bishop's Point.

—Guy Turner of Fluvanna, who was onboard the U.S.S. Tennessee.

—Charles Lebkowsky of Lake Thomas, who was onboard the U.S.S. Tucker.

The first session included also a special reading of the names of the more

than 70 people from Scurry County killed during the war.

On April 9, the second panel discussion was held featuring individuals who fought with the U.S. Army Air Corp. during the war.

Panel members for that session were:

—Dr. Robert Clinton, the first president of WTC who now lives in Austin.

—Bill Wilson, a Snyder businessman and WTC trustee.

—Gene Dulaney, judge for the 132nd District here.



Golf Team
The WTC golf season ended with a trip to the national finals in Phoenix. Members of the 1991-92 WTC Golf Team, shown last fall, are (from left) Coach Milton Ham, Rhett Brewster, Dusty Green, Jon Roseberry, Tony Smith, Mark

Wood, Daryl Weldon, Darren Waters, Ryan Teague, Mike Torres, Greg Slicker, Bo Hodnett, Cory Adams, Brent Tignor and John Gatlin. (Texan Photo)

Golfers are 11th for U.S.

WTC's Men's Golf Team finished 11th in the nation for junior college teams and placed two of its members on the Community College All-American squad this past summer.

The team competed in the national finals in junior college golf June 5-12 in Phoenix. The event is sponsored by the National Junior College Athletic Association.

A five-man WTC team competed and golfers Mark Wood and Ryan Teague, both Pampa sophomores, tied with four-round scores of 220 to finish among the Top 20 golfers in the nation for the All-American honor.

Also representing the college were Mike Torres of Sweetwater, who will return this coming year, John Gatlin of Midland and Greg Slicker of Houston.

Twenty-six teams had advanced to the national event in Phoenix, a number winnowed down from 263 junior college golf teams in the nation.

Four of the 26 including WTC were from the Western Junior College Athletic Conference, to include the nation's Number 1 team, Midland College. Others were Odessa College, fourth; and McLennan Community College in Waco, ninth.

Last spring, the WTC squad tied for third place at the regional golf event, the qualifying round for nationals. Placing first was Midland College, followed by Odessa College.

The appearance at nationals came at the end of Coach Milton Ham's first year of coaching at WTC. It was the fourth time a WTC team had traveled to nationals. WTC's highest finish has been fourth place.

Medalist honoree is local

WTC golfer Mark Wood won individual medalist honors this spring for the Western Junior College Athletic Conference.

Wood, a sophomore from Pampa, also paced his team to a third place finish in the conference, a third placetie at the regional qualifying tournament and a berth to the national finals to be played June 5-12 in Phoenix.

Wood's medalist honors were finalized April 14 in the Salado Golf Tournament.

His rounds of 67-73 in Salado were the last two installments of the 584 total strokes that placed him ahead of all players in the conference, giving WTC its first individual medalist title in years.

Regarding regular season play, Midland College, ranked number one in the national polls, won the conference with a low of 2,356 points. New Mexico Junior College's total of 2,409 was just enough to edge the WTC total of 2,410 for second place.

At regional, the Westerners competed against teams such as Midland, NMJC, McLennan and Odessa for the three available berths in the national tournament in June.



Mark Wood
...top golfer...

Team breaks Top 10 at national rodeo

The WTC Men's Rodeo Team finished ninth in the nation this past summer at the competition staged annually in Bozeman, Mont.

It marked the 11th trip in the past 12 years for WTC at the National Finals Rodeo.

A six-man team qualified to compete at Bozeman June 15-21 and the WTC men were likely contenders for one of the top three places at nationals in the early rounds.

All local entrants failed to score in the third round—called the short-go—and the team received its ninth place ranking based on points scored solely dur-

ing the first two rounds. In the words of rodeo coach Bob Doty, "things kinda' fell to pieces."

Making it to the short go at nationals were Travis Whiteside of Turner Valley, Canada in the

bareback; Troy Cattoor of Nephi, Utah in the saddle bronc; and Scott Berger of Kearney, Neb. and Jim Phillips of Iraan in the team roping.

The WTC Men's Team earned

the berth to nationals by finishing in second place behind Tarleton State at the end of the 1991-92 rodeo season. Only the Top 2 teams advance based upon total points earned in both the

fall and spring rodeo schedule.

During the regular season, Whiteside placed second overall in the bareback event, and Berger, finished as the Number 1 steer wrestler. In addition, Benji Fontenot of Reeves, La. finished second in the Men's All-Around category.

Other members of the WTC team at Bozeman were Eric Mouton of Lafayette, La., competing in the bareback; and Thad Little of Hackberry, La., competing in the saddle bronc and steer wrestling events.

Sid Morris of Muleshoe accompanied the team as a partner in the team roping event.

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Rodeo members

The 1991-92 WTC Rodeo Team, shown in a photo taken last fall, consisted of (first row, from left) Mike Merrill, Richard Wade, Dustin Beaton, Rene Dollar, J.J. Tucker, Casey Cooper, Jackie Dunlap, Jina Burnett, Angel Miller; (second row) Robert Evans, Troy Cattoor, Stacy Jennings, Bram Pollock, Arnold Zambrano, Eric Mouton, Creed Johnson, Westley Wright, Mark

Sullivan; (third row) Ben McDaniel, Sid Morris, Ric Meloy, Travis Whiteside; (fourth row) Brad Loesch, Justin Peevey, Scot Berger, Jim Phillips, Thad Little, Eddie Smerdon, Benji Fontenot, Creed Johnson; (top row) Jason Bradford, Darrin Cook and David Davis. (Texan Photo)



Coach recognized

A reception was held March 31 to honor the WTC meats team, which earned its first National Championship title at the Houston Livestock Show this spring. Team coach Jim Judah is shown. (Texan Photo)

Health-PE reinstated as full division here

WTC officials have reinstated the campus' Health and Physical Education (HPE) Department to division status, moving it out of the responsibility of the Fine Arts Division, where it was placed one year ago.

With the change, the staff status of two instructors has changed also. Lee Burke, associate professor of physical educa-

tion, has again assumed the role of division chairman; and Mike Harrison, assistant professor of physical education, has been named building director for the HPE facility.

Burke will be in charge of all areas related to instruction, to include the supervision of faculty; and Harrison will have responsibility over all activities scheduled in the building.

Burke holds a bachelor of science degree and a master of education degree from Texas Tech University, earning his M.Ed. in 1974. He joined the WTC faculty in August of 1980.

Harrison holds a bachelor of science degree from Texas Tech and his master of science degree from West Texas State University in Canyon.

He joined the faculty in August of 1985.

Brunson is new chairman

Ty Brunson, ceramics instructor here, was named division chairman for the Fine Arts Division effective this summer.

The post was held by John Gibson, who has accepted the position of director for the college's Continuing Education Department.

Brunson was employed by WTC in 1988 as an assistant professor of art.

From 1983-1986, he was a teaching assistant at the School of Art and Architecture at Louisiana Tech University.

He has also operated a private operation for the creation of ceramic art pieces, Brunson Ceramics, and has worked as a production potter.

He received his master of fine arts from Louisiana Tech University in 1986, specializing in sculptural ceramics.

He received his bachelor of fine arts in painting from Louisiana Tech University in 1979.

He and his wife, Debbie, have a son, Austin, age 4, and are expecting their second child this summer.

In addition to his teaching, he has presented many one-man and two-man art exhibits.

WTC newspaper offered by mail

Faculty newspaper adviser Donny Brown invites all college district residents to subscribe to the campus newspaper, The Western Texan.

It is provided free of charge. To subscribe, individuals should contact the Mass Communications Dept. in care of the college. The telephone number is 573-8511, ext. 273.

The Texan is published six times each semester. Fall publication dates will be Sept. 14, Sept. 28, Oct. 12, Oct. 26, Nov. 9 and Nov. 23.

Fine Arts Division adds 3 new instructors

Ben Sum to teach art

Benedict C. Sum of Lubbock joins the Western Texas College faculty as art instructor this fall and an exhibit of his work is now hanging in the lobby of the Fine Arts Theatre.

Sum is replacing John Gibson, who was named Director of Continuing Education at WTC last spring.

Sum was born in Canton, China, but has lived in the United States since 1971. He became a U.S. citizen in 1981.

He earned the bachelor of arts degree from Texas Tech University in 1975, with an emphasis in advertising and art.

In May, 1992, Sum received his master of fine arts degree in painting with minors in drawing and art history from Texas Tech.

He has also attended Iowa Western Community College in Clarinda, Iowa.

While attending Texas Tech, he served as a teaching assistant and graduate assistant and worked in the Art Department's Resource Center.

Classes that Sum taught include Freshman Core Drawing I and II, Advanced Life Drawing, Advanced Painting and Survey of Design. He also taught drawing classes for the continuing education division at Texas Tech.

Sum's works have been exhibited in Texas, New Mexico, New York, Colorado, and Arkansas. In 1977, Sum established the Gulf Coast Fish and Shrimp, Inc. in Lubbock. He served as president and managed the wholesale and retail seafood market and its restaurant subsidiary until 1991.



Ben Sum

Palomaki added to music

Jonathan Palomaki has been employed as music instructor at Western Texas College with the start of the 1992 fall semester.

Palomaki comes to WTC from Yavapai Community College in Prescott, Arizona, where he served as music instructor, fulfilling a one-year sabbatical replacement.

At Yavapai he conducted eight choirs and taught classes in piano, voice, conducting, and guitar.

In 1985, Palomaki graduated cum laude from St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minnesota, with a degree in vocal music education.

At St. Olaf he

was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Pi Kappa Lambda Music Honor Society, and was named to the Dean's List for eight semesters.

Palomaki received his Master of Music degree in August, 1991, from the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Palomaki holds membership in two professional organizations—American Choral Directors Associations and the College Music Society.



Jon Palomaki

Actor-director joins faculty

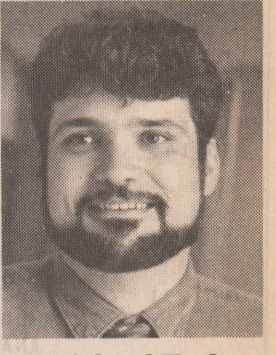
Michael J. Endy, a former professional actor who expects to receive his Ph.D. this coming December, has been employed as WTC's new drama instructor for the 1992-93 school year.

Endy has been working as a graduate teaching assistant the past two years at Texas Tech University.

His professional theatre experience includes touring with the Camden Shakespearean Company of Camden, Maine, in 1983-84.

Endy earned his bachelor of fine arts degree in theatre in 1983 from Pennsylvania State University. While there, he received a Simeon and Elizabeth Gulu Fellowship.

His masters degree in communication was earned at Wichita State University in 1990. There, he was given the outstanding graduate instructor award, was named the outstanding graduate student in theatre and was an Irene Ryan nominee for the American College Theatre Festival.



Michael Endy

Instructor hired for guard training

Leanord M. Dodgen of Anson has been named as a correctional officer training instructor at Western Texas College effective this past June.

Dodgen has taught correctional officer training classes for WTC in Abilene on a part-time basis for the past year. He has been employed as lieutenant investigator in Internal Affairs for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, Price Daniel Unit for the past year. He completed correctional officer training at WTC

in June, 1989. Prior to his employment with the TDCJ, Dodgen worked for the Abilene Police Department in several areas which included patrol, traffic, criminal investigation and special services.

Dodgen completed training at the Abilene Police Academy after graduating from Lueders High School in 1964. He has also completed 30 hours of law enforcement classes at Cisco Junior College and six hours in law enforcement at Western Texas College.



Leanord M. Dodgen
...officer training...

THE WTC PROMISE

Western Texas College

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GUARANTEE

Guaranteed Transfer Plan

WTC guarantees effective counseling for transfer for its graduates. If approved transfer plan courses are not accepted at cooperating universities, additional courses may be taken tuition-free at WTC.

Guaranteed Job Competency

WTC guarantees specific job skills for graduates of its technical / vocational programs. If graduates are lacking in any of these job skills, employers can send them back for additional training tuition-free at WTC.

President, Western Texas College

Oklahoma coach relocates here to lead Dusters

Ron Jones, head girls basketball coach at Guthrie High School in Guthrie, Okla., will be the new head of the WTC women's basketball program this fall.

Jones, 34, was selected from 30 prospective coaches by a special search committee, which was formed to find a replacement for departing coach Kelly Chadwick, who resigned in March after six years at the college. The WTC board officially approved Jones' hiring April 13.

Athletic Director Milton Ham, who served as head of the search committee, said that Jones was selected from five finalists after personal interviews on April 8, and was then recommended to the board the following Monday.

"I think he's the best person

for the job," Ham said of Jones. "He's an impressive young coach with a very positive attitude."

But the final decision was not an easy one, according to Ham, who complimented all applicants and their credentials.

"We had an extremely difficult time picking the finalists," he said.

"There were some really tremendous applicants—I was very impressed.

"But out of them all, Coach Jones and one other were the two strongest."

The Western Junior College Athletic Conference is no stranger to Jones, who graduated from Midland College in

1978 where he was named to the Region V basketball team as both a freshman and a sophomore.

Prior to that, Jones attended Stillwater High School in Stillwater, Oklahoma, where he was top scorer in both 3A and 4A Oklahoma schools, All-District, and an All-State alternate. Jones has been girls basket-

ball coach at GHS for the past four years, racking up a 75-25 total record, and leading the team to its first state championship in 67 years.

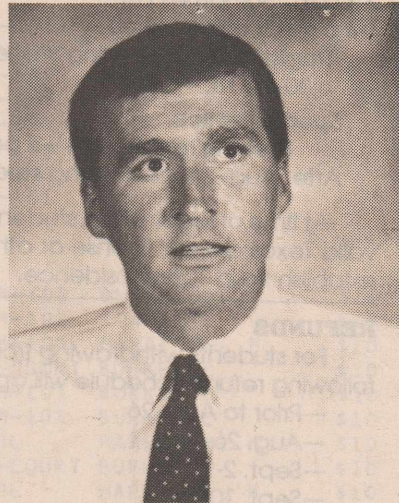
He also led his team to three state tournaments, two area championship titles, and three regional and conference titles.

Because of these accomplishments, he was named conference coach of the year three times.

After attending Midland College, he went to Pan American University and then to Central State University in Edmond, Okla., where he received his bachelor's degree.

This past July, he earned his master's degree from the University of Central Oklahoma.

During the summer, he has been involved in the recruiting process after resigning his posi-



Ron Jones
...new Duster coach...

tion at Guthrie at the end of the school year.

He and his family recently moved to Snyder.

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Drama group earns recognition at El Paso festival

The Western Texas College drama department was awarded Outstanding Ensemble Performance at the American College Theatre Festival in El Paso Nov. 4-9.

In addition, two cast members were singled out for honors for the play "Long Day's Journey Into Night."

Snyder's Amber Adams and Richard Lack were nominated to compete for the Irene Ryan Scholarship in February on the campus of Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Also at the El Paso festival, Snyder's Wade Freeman won the Critic's Workshop competition and advanced to the regional contest at Texas Tech in February, where he won an Award of Excellence from the Critics Institute Workshop.

Freeman competed with other Region 6 drama students from New Mexico, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma. A national finalist and alternate finalist were chosen and Freeman essentially placed third at the event.

At the El Paso competition, The University of Texas at El Paso's production of "Roosters" was nominated by the critic judge and the directors to advance. It was the only performance out of the festival that traveled to the regional festival in Lubbock.

Marley wrote of WTC's play, "This performance illuminated new meaning and excitement in a script I know very well."

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During last school year, the drama department took on two theatre masterpieces, classics by Ibsen and O'Neil, and interspersed these two with a modern American comedy.

The first offering of the year was the ACTF entry, Eugene O'Neil's "Long Day's Journey Into Night." It ran from Oct. 31-Nov. 3 on campus.

Principal players in the WTC cast were Amber Adams as "Mary," the morphine-addicted mother; Richard Lack as "Tyrone," the drunken father; Brandon Neeley as "Jamie," the older brother; and Scott Clark as "Edmund," the younger brother patterned after

O'Neil himself. Also in the cast was Sherri Cribbs as "Cathleen."

During the spring term, the drama group presented an experimental version of the classic drama "Hedda Gabler" by Henrik Ibsen.

This production featured two actresses playing the lead role and saw the Fine Arts Theatre re-arranged so that the stage area was "in the round." Performances were April 16-20.

The lead character, "Hedda," considered one of the first feminists in literature, was played by Kristi Mize and Amber Adams "to express the duality of the character."

Playing "George Tesman," Hedda's "husband of convenience," was Richard Lack; and Wade Freeman played "Judge Brack," the man who hopes to use Hedda for his own designs. In the role of "Juliana Tesman" was Kathy Johnson; Sherri Cribbs portrayed "Thea Elvsted," and Greg Combs played "Gilbert Lovborg."

To open the spring term, the department offered "The Nerd," a comedy by Larry Shue. Its cast consisted of Brian Martinez, Jennifer Hatley, Wade Freeman, Scott Clark, Mary Ann Cooper and Greg Combs. All productions were directed by Jim Rambo.

New campus group forms...

'Non-traditional' student targeted

Non-traditional students—that is, students who are "older" than the average college student, those returning to school after some years or those with "unique" obligations—were recognized this past school year with the formation of a new campus organization.

A pilot meeting of the group was held March 31 and those present were asked to identify goals for the group, create a name and choose a form of leadership. English instructors Janet

Halbert and Marilyn Lancaster, aided by Dean of Instruction Bettie McQueen, spearheaded the group's formation.

Marilyn Lancaster welcomed the 16 attending in March and began by saying that she "went back to school" at the age of 26. "It is a difficult decision," she said, "and I endured a lot of criticism."

Janet Halbert also spoke to the group, explaining motives for initiating the group's start-up. "People that are in similar situ-

ations can come together to support each other," she said. Out of this a sort of mentoring program may begin for newcomers.

When the formation of the group was initially proposed, Mrs. McQueen commented, "College should be a joyful experience, instead of an obstacle to overcome."

All three hope to create a core of "resource people" for non-traditional students, and so help the college experience for these students be more enjoyable.

Students provided guarantees to assure course transferability

Community college students concerned about transferring their college hours have state-mandated policy options whereby they may challenge a four-year school's refusal to accept the credit.

There is one small catch, however—students are allowed just 15 days from receipt of notification of transfer denial to challenge the decision.

Bettie McQueen, dean of instruction at Western Texas College, said any students who receive such notification should report to her office immediately to get the new official form to protest the action.

She added, however, that transferring credit is not a frequent problem for WTC students.

If it should happen, she said, students often don't question why the particular course would not transfer. "Don't hesitate to request help," said Mrs. McQueen.

The college has its own transfer plan "guarantee" also. Under it, WTC promises to offer tuition-free courses to make up

for any that were not accepted at cooperating universities, assuming that the course was taken by the student upon the advice of a college counselor or advisor.

WTC support shown with logo on checks

Snyder financial institutions will print the WTC logo on personalized checks for a minimal fee or free of charge in an effort to show local support for the college.

The WTC Faculty Association's executive council first proposed the plan last year.

American State Bank of Snyder and West Texas State Bank will print checks with the WTC logo at no added charge. Because a different service is used, Snyder National Bank will add the logos for a fee ranging from \$1 to \$2.

The checks come in a variety of styles, including a design with WTC shadowed across the entire check and one with a small logo in the top left corner.

Students are encouraged to work closely with their faculty advisors or counselors on course selection. HD (Human Development) courses help students understand the options available and aid in planning courses that will transfer.

Students who change their majors may find some courses do not apply to their new major and will not count toward a different degree.

The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board adopted the guidelines and procedures for the resolution of disputes between public institutions of higher education involving the transfer of lower-division courses.

This was in response to a bill approved by the 71st Texas Legislature which charged the Commissioner of Higher Education, Dr. Kenneth Ashworth, to take steps to resolve transfer disputes.

Students who need to appeal denial of credit transfer are encouraged to check with Mrs. McQueen immediately to begin the process.

WTC 1992 fall schedule WTC WTC

College Preparatory--Day

CLASS	COMP	COURSE TITLE	DAYS	PERIOD	SEM HRS	ROOM	INSTRUCTOR	LAB FEE
ENGLISH								
DEN 011	322	BASIC SKILLS	TBA	TBA	1	7B-104	STAFF	\$12
DEN 031	323	BASIC ENG I LAB (3 HOURS)	MWF	11:00-11:50	3	7B-105	BARROWSKY, E	\$12
DEN 032	324	BASIC ENG II LAB (3 HOURS)	MWF	9:00-9:50	3	7B-103	LANCASTER, M	\$12
DEN 032	325	BASIC ENG II LAB (3 HOURS)	MWF	10:00-10:50	3	7B-101	MCCLOTHING, W	\$12
DEN 032	326	BASIC ENG II LAB (3 HOURS)	MWF	11:00-11:50	3	7B-103	LANCASTER, M	\$12
MATH								
DMT 031	200	FUND/MATH LAB	MWF	12:00-12:50	3	7A-117	DAUGHTRY, J	\$12
DMT 032	201	BASIC ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	9:00-9:50	3	LRC-209	DAUGHTRY, J	\$12
DMT 032	202	BASIC ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	8:10-9:00	3	LRC-209	DAUGHTRY, J	\$12
DMT 032	203	BASIC ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	12:00-12:50	3	2B-109	ANDERSON, E	\$12
DMT 032	203	BASIC ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	11:35-12:50	3	2B-109	ANDERSON, E	\$12
DMT 032	203	BASIC ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	10:00-10:50	3	LRC-209	DAUGHTRY, J	\$12
DMT 033	204	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	10:00-11:15	3	LRC-209	DAUGHTRY, J	\$12
DMT 033	205	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	9:00-9:50	3	2B-109	ANDERSON, E	\$12
DMT 033	205	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	8:20-9:00	3	2B-109	ANDERSON, E	\$12
DMT 033	206	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	9:15-10:30	3	2B-109	ANDERSON, E	\$12
DMT 033	206	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	10:30-11:30	3	2B-109	ANDERSON, E	\$12
DMT 033	206	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	1:00-2:15	3	7A-117	BURRIS, R	\$12
DMT 033	206	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	MWF	2:15-3:15	3	7A-117	BURRIS, R	\$12
READING								
DRE 011	359	BASIC READING	TBA	TBA	1	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12
DRE 031	360	BAS/READ SKILLS LAB (3 HOURS)	TTH	9:30-10:45	3	7B-103	LANCASTER, M	\$12
DRE 032	361	READ SKILLS I LAB (3 HOURS)	MWF	9:00-9:50	3	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12
DRE 032	362	READ SKILLS I LAB (3 HOURS)	MWF	10:00-10:50	3	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12
DRE 032	363	READ SKILLS I LAB (3 HOURS)	TTH	9:30-10:45	3	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12
DRE 033	329	READ SKILLS I	TTH	8:00-9:15	3	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12
DRE 033	358	READ SKILLS II	TTH	1:00-2:15	3	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12
DRE 033	364	READ SKILLS II LAB (3 HOURS)	MWF	12:00-12:50	3	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12
DRE 033	365	READ SKILLS II LAB (3 HOURS)	MWF	1:00-1:50	3	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12

College Preparatory--Night

CLASS	COMP	COURSE TITLE	DAYS	PERIOD	SEM HRS	ROOM	INSTRUCTOR	LAB FEE
ENGLISH								
DEN 032	327	BAS ENGLISH II LAB (3 HOURS)	W	6:30-9:20	3	7B-103	STAFF	\$12
MATH								
DMT 032	207	BASIC ALGEBRA LAB	TTH	6:00-7:15	3	2B-110	DAUGHTRY, J	\$12
DMT 033	208	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	TH	7:15-8:50	3	2B-110	DAUGHTRY, J	\$12
DMT 033	208	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	TH	6:00-8:45	3	2B-109	BURRIS, R	\$12
DMT 033	208	INTER ALGEBRA LAB	TH	8:45-10:20	3	2B-109	BURRIS, R	\$12
READING								
DRE 033	328	READ SKILLS II LAB (3 HOURS)	T	6:30-9:20	3	LRC-207	CORKRAN, G	\$12

Lancaster is leader of TJCTA

Western Texas College English instructor Marilyn Lancaster will serve as president of the Texas Junior College Teachers Association (TJCTA) this school year.

Since winning the office in the spring of 1991, Mrs. Lancaster has served as president-elect of the association, which consists of 6,000 members state-wide. It was founded in 1948.

The organization represents the interests of junior college administration, faculty and students when pending legislation and other issues come before the Texas legislature.

Before being elected president, she had served as TJCTA secretary in 1989 and vice president in 1990.

When her presidency term is over in the spring of 1993, she has still another term to serve as immediate past president. She will assist the president-elect, Brian Dille, who takes over the new position in April, 1993.

As president, Lancaster has been meeting with the members of the executive council and to create an agenda for the coming year.

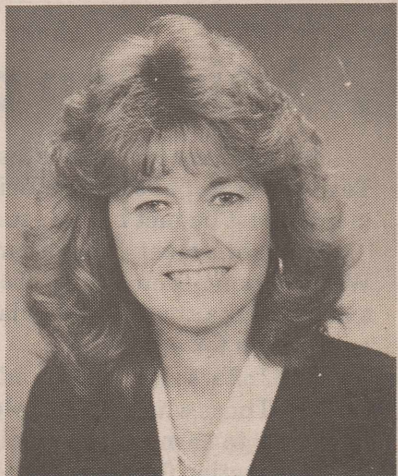
She has also made appointments to committees to include the professional development committee, which discusses educational issues; the legislative committee, which deals with legislative decisions; and the membership services committee, which serves the members.

In the fall, the association will make preliminary goals and decide how to achieve these at the close of the legislative session in 1993.

Mrs. Lancaster's agenda includes meetings with the committees "almost every weekend" in the fall to discuss plans for speakers at the annual convention held in February.

Another goal of the association, says Mrs. Lancaster, is to "sell the efficiency of junior colleges as a better place to get an education than a four year college."

"Four year schools only take the best, and it is clearly easier to teach the best, but junior colleges take everyone and do a



Marilyn Lancaster
TJCTA president

much better job (of educating)," she said.

"As an organization," said Lancaster, "TJCTA represents all junior colleges, so I'll try to make sure everyone has their voice heard."

"We'll work the problems out," she said.

Literary magazine again set

The annual publication of WTC's literary magazine, "Aquifer," is scheduled for the spring term this year and the entry deadline for works of fiction, poetry or essays will be by the end of the fall term.

A creative writing class to be implemented by the English Department this fall is expected to serve as a springboard for many of this year's entries.

WTC student Anita Brown won two third place awards from the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association (TIPA) for an essay published in last year's "Aquifer."

"I Want It Now," Brown's essay, was entered in both the essay and opinion piece categories.

The "Aquifer" competed in TIPA's Division 2 consisting of university and junior colleges across the state with up to 6,000 enrollment.

Last year's 48-page "Aquifer" marked the second appearance of the revived publication. It included some 28 writer-contributors. In addition, campus artists illustrated the works with pen and ink drawings.

Faculty editors are Bill McGlothing, Janet Halbert, Dick Lancaster and Donny Brown.

Instructor honored for service

Phi Theta Kappa and the Western Texas College Student Senate honored Bob Doty during the annual Founder's Day Celebration Nov. 19.

Doty, latest recipient of the award that has been handed out since 1983, was chosen on the basis of "exceptional service" to students at WTC.

He was chosen by a vote of both PTK and student senate members.

Doty, employed by WTC for 13 years, is assistant professor of agriculture and the immediate past president of the WTC Faculty Association.

He was also National Faculty President of the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association for 1989-90. He has been the faculty director for the Southwest Region of the NIRA for four years.

This June, Doty will take the WTC Rodeo Team to the College National Finals for the 11th time. His team won the national title in 1986. He also serves as the sponsor and advisor to the WTC Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

A Leuders-Avoca High School graduate, Doty received his bachelor of science degree from Abilene Christian University. He received his master of education degree from Sam Houston State University.



Bob Doty
Founder's Day honor

Gibson switches WTC roles

John Gibson, former art instructor and chairman of the Fine Arts Division, begins this year as the new director for the Continuing Education Department. As director, Gibson will work with Mike Thornton, dean of continuing education.

"We saw an increased demand for this position with the addition of the French Robertson unit," said Dean of Instruction Bettie McQueen. She noted Thornton's workload has increased as the correctional office training program has rapidly expanded.

Gibson will focus much of his time in the new position on extending and building extension units, said Mrs. McQueen. WTC currently has a total of 23 approved sites where academic and adult vocational classes may be offered.

This past summer, Gibson helped established new extension center classes at Stamford, nursing courses tied in with the hospital there.

He has also obtained a campus grant for the Mainstream program. This is designed to aid disadvantaged high school youth.

Gibson was employed by WTC in 1979 as an art instructor. He was named chairman of the Fine Arts Division here in 1988.

He served as an interim director for the Diamond M Museum in 1981.

He received his master of fine arts from the University of North Texas in 1979.

He majored in painting and drawing and minored in printmaking.

He received his bachelor of fine arts in painting from the University of Oklahoma in 1977.

CAMPUS

Special Needs Coordinator hired for college

New staffer will assist 'special populations'

Carolyn Osborn has been named Special Populations Coordinator for WTC, a position she assumed effective Aug. 1.

Mrs. Osborn comes to WTC from Liberty Hill ISD in Georgetown where she has been employed for the last seven years

as a coordinator for at-risk students.

Her responsibilities included working with academically disadvantaged students, monitoring drop-outs, counseling support groups with at-risk adolescents, coordinating the Student

Assistance Program, managing the Drug Free Schools program, coordinating drug and alcohol education as well as planning field trips and programs for the prevention of substance abuse.

Also, she has counseled full-time academic and vocational students as well as parents and teachers. From 1973-78, she was employed as an elementary teacher for San Angelo ISD.

She received her master of education degree in counseling and guidance from the University of Texas at Austin this August.

Her bachelor of science degree was earned from Angelo State University in 1973 and she has also studied at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Mrs. Osborn is married and has one daughter. Her husband, Dan, is a counselor/instructor at WTC.

On campus, she will be filling a position made possible through a federal grant, the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technical Act.

She will provide career guidance and counseling services to "special populations" interested in or who are enrolled at WTC. These individuals include the handicapped, educationally and economically disadvantaged and individuals of limited proficiency. She will assist also in recruitment activities, vocational as-

essment, testing and the placement of special population individuals into appropriate occupational training programs.



Carolyn Osborn
Special Populations
Coordinator

Students invited to Baptist Center

WTC students are invited to visit the Baptist Student Center on campus.

It is located west of the Christian Student Center and just south of the dorm.

Open to any college student, the BSU offers pool, ping pong, foosball, games and television.

Britt Canada, associate professor of computer science, was the 1991-92 chairman of the BSU Advisory Committee.

Events scheduled for early fall

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various committees during the year. The last day to petition for a senate seat is Sept. 15. Student body elections will be held Sept. 16-17.

In addition, activities leading to the selection of new cheer-

leaders are planned during early September. Cheerleader workshops are scheduled prior to cheerleader tryouts Sept. 17.

Student Activities Director Mickey Baird serves as sponsor for both the Student Senate and the cheerleaders.



Faculty officers

New officers for the WTC Faculty Association this coming school year will be (seated, from left) Dr. Mary Hood, chairman of the awards day committee; Tammy Wesson, secretary; (top row) Dr. Gil Fleer, chairman of the social committee; Bill McGlothing, chairman of the academic affairs committee; Bob

Doty, vice president; Donny Brown, president; and Milton Ham, chairman of the faculty welfare committee. Not pictured are David Kattes, environmental committee, and Elsie Anderson, nominations committee. (Texan Photo)

Meats team wins at nationals

A reception to congratulate the WTC meats team, which earned its first National Championship title at the Houston Livestock Show Feb. 28-29, was held on campus April 1.

The WTC squad, coached by ag instructor Jim Judah, won the division comprised of junior colleges, small four-year schools and technical institutes.

In addition, as a team the WTC group finished among the top three places in four major events—first in beef judging, second in pork judging, third in lamb judging and second in “questions.”

The school was among 32 teams from 16 states competing in the event's two divisions, which includes also large four-year schools.

Scores are calculated based

on the performance of a four-member team. At the Houston show, the four were Jimmy Kitchens, Bay John Long and Terry Leatherwood, all of Snyder, and Mark Stansell of Fluvanna.

In individual competition, WTC freshman Jimmy Kitchens placed third out of 175 entrants in the overall contest. He was

seventh in beef judging, seventh in lamb judging and seventh in questions.

Mark Stansell, also a freshman, placed first in beef judging, sixth in pork, eighth in questions and 17th overall.

Freshman Bay John Long was third in lamb judging, fourth in placings and 12th overall.

Rod Jeter, another Snyder freshman, was first in beef grading, fifth in beef judging and 13th overall.

Other team members competing individually were Jason Summers and Lei Holcomb, both of Snyder, and Page Bishop of Winters. Team assistant coach was Mark Carroll of Hawley.

CAMPUS

Campus newspaper wins again

For the third year in a row, WTC's The Western Texan placed among the top three newspapers in the “best overall” category in state-wide competition sponsored by the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association (TIPA).

The Texan competes in Division 3, going against more than 30 two-year and four-year college newspapers serving a student enrollment of up to 3,000 students.

In 1990, the newspaper placed second in the “best overall” category and in 1989 it placed third. The contest is based on five complete issues of each entering newspaper.

In addition this year, the newspaper won two first place awards for students and two honorable mention prizes. All were announced at TIPA's annual convention April 9-11.

In individual awards, Chad Blake Garlington and Kerri Carter received first place honors in the newspaper advertising campaign category for their ads on several WTC drama productions.

Also winning first place honors in the newspaper sports news category was Paul Davidson for his spring, 1991 article on WTC trustee Bill Wilson and his opposition to the renewal of the college's basketball program.

An honorable mention award was also given to Sheri Hunter for last fall's newspaper sports feature story profiling Canadian cowboys Travis Whiteside and Dusty Beaton.

Keitha St. Clair's fall semester article on the dangers of date rape received an honorable mention in the newspaper editorial category.

Newspaper adviser is Donny Brown.



National champs

The WTC meats judging team was named national champs Feb. 28-29 at the Houston Livestock Show and, as a team, finished among the top three places in four major events. WTC won the division comprised of junior colleges, small four-year schools and

technical institutes. Team members, shown with the prizes they have won all year, include (clockwise, from left) Rod Jeter, Jimmy Kitchens, Terry Leatherwood, Page Bishop, Mark Carroll, Jason Summers, Mark Stansell, Lei Holcomb and Bay John Long. (Texan Photo)

Local PTK earns chapter, individual honors

WTC's Phi Theta Kappa members won both individual and chapter honors for Psi Zeta at the annual PTK Regional Conference March 5-7 in Austin.

Two WTC students—Ryan Teague and Naomi Gutierrez—were among 20 named to the Texas Hall of Honor for 1991-92.

Membership into the Texas Hall of Honor is limited to those students whose length and quality of service has been deemed “extraordinary.”

Also, Psi Zeta was selected as vice president for District I for 1992-93. Psi Zeta member Ryan Teague held the office for 1991-92.

In addition, Psi Zeta was

again named among the Top Ten Distinguished Chapters. Along with this award, Psi Zeta received a scholarship to the Texas Hon-

ors Institute scheduled July 23-25 in San Antonio.

In another chapter honor, Psi Zeta was named a level five star

Kappa Chi is Christian group

Kappa Chi is a club which offers Christian fellowship with membership open to all WTC students.

Kappa Chi offers retreats, leadership and service through regularly planned devotionals and small Bible study groups, notes Roy Rosson, director of the Christian Student Center where the club meets. The center is located across the parking lot from the dormitory, and east of the Baptist Student Center. Jim Judah, assistant professor of agriculture, and Rosson co-sponsor Kappa Chi.

Daily activities at the Christian Student Center—open from 10 a.m. until 4 or 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday—include pool, foosball, ping pong, air hockey, television, a library of Christian books and access to an Apple IIE professional system computer.

Admission policy noted

All high school graduates may be admitted to Western Texas College, but college officials remind that certain requirements must be met before students may register for classes.

Students must provide an official transcript or GED to WTC; submit their scores from the ACT or SAT admission exam or take the college's placement test; and complete the application for admission.

WTC offers also an early admission program for high school seniors. Those who have completed their junior year may enroll in classes to earn college credit.

Application forms for both regular and early admission are available in the Student Services office located in the front of the Learning Resource Center.

Transfer students from another college must make application and present a transcript of their entire college record before they may register.

Financial aid available here

A wide variety of financial aid is available to WTC students and those interested are urged to contact personnel with the financial aid office located in the south wing of the Learning Resource Center.

Dennis Carlton, financial aide officer, stresses that early application is the most important aspect of receiving aid.

Students who qualify for aid have this amount credited first against tuition and fees during registration. In order, funds are next applied against payment of campus housing and credit at the WTC bookstore for textbooks.

According to Carlton, students needing help in paying for the cost of an education should begin by picking up a 1991-92 Family Financial Statement (FFS) Packet from the financial aid office in the Learning Resource Center.

The form enables the student to apply for money from the federal government, state agencies, colleges and other programs.

Western Texas College scholarships are awarded in most departments on campus. A brochure listing the various grants and scholarships available at WTC can be found along with the FFS in Carlton's office.

College dorm will house 192

The WTC dormitory is comprised of four wings—two to house men students and two to house women—and has a total capacity for 192 residents.

Each floor accommodates 16 students and there is a large common area between the four wings to serve as a meeting place for occupants and their guests.

These furnished living areas include a color television and a telephone for local calls. Laundry facilities are offered plus vending machines and pay telephones. The dorm includes an “honors floor” for students with higher GPAs.

Residents are required to purchase meal tickets which entitle them to eat the 15 meals prepared each week in the college cafeteria located in the Student Activities Building.

The cost for room and board is \$1,020 if it is paid at the start of each semester. A pay-out plan is available also. These plans consist of an initial payment of \$545 at registration and two installment payments of \$237.50 due Oct. 1 and Nov. 1.

A \$50 deposit must be sent to the WTC Housing Department before a student can be considered for dorm residency.

Televisions, stereos and small refrigerators are allowed in the resident's rooms. There is a \$25 charge for cable per semester for a television and a \$25 charge per semester for electricity if small refrigerators are used.

Microwaves are not allowed in the student rooms, but there is one available in the main lobby area.

A completed housing file is required before a student can move in. These forms consist of the \$50 dorm deposit plus completion of a dorm contract, medical form, proof of insurance coverage and immunization records.

Apartments are option also

For students who meet specific criteria, WTC offers on-campus apartments rather than the traditional dormitory housing.

The apartments are available to all students, but preference is given to those enrolled in quarterly rather than semester programs; to foreign students; and to students living out-of-state or in-state students living a far distance from home.

Meal tickets are available but not required for apartment residents. Each apartment is fully furnished except for a television. Students provide linens and other personal items.

To rent an apartment, a deposit of \$110 is required. The cost of the apartments is \$495 per semester, which must be paid in full at registration.

An apartment file must be completed before the student may move in. This includes the deposit amount and filling out an apartment contract, medical form, proof of insurance coverage and immunization records.

LRC's facilities are varied

WTC's Learning Resource Center houses thousands of books, a computer lab and a reading center which is used for developmental reading students.

Also, the LRC houses a reference room complete with encyclopedias, research material, daily and weekly newspapers and periodicals.

The LRC contains also a microfilm area with magazine articles from past years stored and available. A copy machine is available to students and the library staff will make copies using the facility's microfilm copier. For both, the charge is 10 cents a copy.

The LRC also features an audio-visual department which will make copies of non-copyrighted cassette tapes for students at no cost. The students must provide a blank tape.

Cassette tape recorders are available from the circulation desk also with a three-day limit for use.

The LRC's operational schedule is: Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m. until 9 p.m.; Friday, 8 a.m. until 4 p.m.; Sunday, 2 until 5 p.m.