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March 17, 1978

MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Commission on Student Affairs

FROM: Linda H. Owens *Linda H. Owens*
Secretary

SUBJECT: Minutes of the meeting of Thursday, March 2, 1978

The Commission on Student Affairs met on Thursday, March 2, 1978 at 4:00 p.m. in Room 344 of Squires Student Center. The following members were absent: Dean J. R. Nichols represented by Dean Overton Johnson; Cadet Malcolm Tignor represented by Cadet David Russell; Dr. Lawrence Adler; Mr. Bruce Carrigan; Mr. Danny Ludeman; and Chimenye Okereke.

The following items were considered:

1. The minutes of the meeting of February 16, 1978 were approved as distributed.
2. The agenda was approved with the following addition:
 - a. Mr. Joe Van den Berg, representing the Interfraternity and Panhellenic Councils, requests permission to advertise prior to and sponsor a refrigerator rental program on campus. Commission approval to be contingent upon the approval of the Vice President for Administration. All proceeds from this program will go to the Greek Housing Fund.

Mr. Van den Berg explained that this item was being added to the agenda as an emergency since the directors of this program need to make a decision concerning implementation prior to April 1, 1978 and the next Commission meeting is not until Thursday, March 30, 1978.

3. Ms. Kathy Rowe and Ms. Linda Owens presented a description of standard procedures and an approval form for the approval of events held and/or publicized on campus. Ms. Owens provided a brief outline of the background promoting this action. Ms. Rowe discussed the standard procedures to be used in the approval of an event held and/or publicized on campus. It was noted that emergency items may be added by members of the Commission to the Commission agenda. All additions to the agenda must be cleared through the Secretary prior to the Commission meeting. It will be necessary to explain the nature of an emergency prior to adding an item to the agenda. The standard procedures and the new approval form will be used beginning Spring Quarter 1978. There were no suggestions for change from the Commission.

4. Mr. Robert Wagner, representing the Lower Quad Residence Hall Federation, requested permission to advertise prior to and sponsor "THIS (Thank Heaven it's Spring) Week" from April 5 through April 8, 1978. This program will only be open to the students of the Lower Quad Residence Halls. The "THIS Week" program will include the following social and athletic activities:

- a. A movie to be held Wednesday, April 5, 1978 in the lounge of Main Eggleston Hall. There will be an admission fee of \$.25 per person.
- b. An ice cream social to be held on Thursday, April 6, 1978 in two lounges of Residence Halls in the Lower Quad area. There will be a charge of \$.15 to \$.25 for the ice cream.
- c. A "Happy Hour" to be held on Friday, April 7, 1978 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Sound Celler. There will be no admission charge and drinks will be served at Happy Hour prices.
- d. A softball tournament will be held from April 5 through April 7, 1978 on the Drillfield. Permission has been granted by Dr. Raymond Smoot in the Office of the Vice President for Administration to use University facilities.
- e. A Dorm Olympics (similar in events to Derby Day) will complete the week's activities on Saturday afternoon, April 8, 1978 on the Lower Quad area between Johnson, Miles, Barringer and Newman Halls. Permission will be sought from Dr. Raymond Smoot in the Office of the Vice President for Administration for permission to use University facilities.

Ribbons will be given to each winner and a certificate for a keg of beer will be awarded to the winning team. Mr. Robert Wagner moved for approval. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

5. Mr. Robert Edmonds, Mr. Joe Collins, Mr. Jeff Daniels and Mr. Jay Havey, representing the Performing Arts Federation, requested permission to advertise prior to and sponsor the Spring Quarter 1978 Performance Schedule. Attached is a listing of the 38 programs and their dates, times, locations, and admission charges. Please see the attached Spring Quarter Performance Schedule listing.

Reservations for all performance locations have been confirmed. The outdoor performances to be held on the Drillfield, in the Amphitheatre, and at the Duck Pond have been approved by Dr. Raymond Smoot in the Office of the Vice President for Administration. Dr. Smoot approved the use of University facilities. Ms. Kathy Rowe moved for approval. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

6. Ms. Kathy Rowe, representing the Student Constitutional Affairs Board, requested approval of the minutes of the February 6, 1978 meeting of the Student Constitutional Affairs Board. The following were considered:

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Action</u>
L-5 Society	New Constitution
Operations Research Society of America/The Institute Of Management Science	New Constitution
Phi Upsilon Omicron	Revised Constitution
Orienteering Club	New Constitution
New Oxford Society	New Constitution
Virginia Tech Jaycees	New Constitution

Ms. Rowe moved for approval. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

7. Mr. Walt Shill, representing the German Club, requested permission to advertise prior to and sponsor Spring Germans on Saturday, April 15, 1978 from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight in the Commonwealth and Old Dominion ballrooms of Squires Student Center. The event is open to the public with an admission charge of \$5.00 per couple. Dress is coat and tie. Mr. Graham Wilson moved for approval. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

8. Mr. Winnie Clark, representing the Campus Christian Fellowships, requested permission to advertise prior to and sponsor a Music Feast on Saturday, May 13, 1978, from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on the lawn of the former President's Home. The lawn of the former President's Home has tentatively been reserved for this program. The program will consist of a concert throughout the day with live bands. Participants will be invited to bring a bag lunch and the sponsoring organization will sell lemonade. The sponsoring organization has contacted Dr. Raymond Smoot in the Office of the Vice President for Administration for permission to use University facilities, to use amplified sound and to conduct a sale on campus.

The program will be open to the public and donations will be accepted. The program will be advertised campus wide under the name Campus Christian Fellowships. This name will be used because the activity is being sponsored by many different christian organizations and they would prefer not to emphasize any one of them.

The sponsoring campus christian organizations are as follows: Harmony, Inter-Varsity, Campus Crusade for Christ, Navigators, Baptist Student Union, Wesley Foundation, Lutheran Student Movement, Westminster, Chinese Bible Group, and Newman Community.

A council of representatives from the different organizations will be responsible for this event. This activity is primarily planned to promote an attitude of support and appreciation for the different christian fellowships on campus. They also invite anyone interested to share in the fun and music. Mr. Joe Van den Berg moved for approval. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

9. Mr. Robert Wagner initiated discussion concerning the open meetings sponsored by the Army ROTC Department and held in the Residence Halls. This program had been approved at the Commission meeting of January 19, 1978. Mr. Wagner stated that there was some confusion concerning this program and that he had received notification of alleged violations of "Guidelines for Events Held and/or Publicized on Campus". Following lengthy discussion it was agreed that the President of the Residence Hall Federation would be responsible in the future to contact Residence Advisors to inform them of activities planned to take place in the Residence Halls. It was further agreed that General Acuff would contact the Army ROTC Department and share with them a copy of "Guidelines for Events Held and/or Publicized on Campus".

10. The request by the Human Relations Council to advertise and sponsor Black Cultural Emphasis Week was not considered due to the lack of a representative to represent the request.

11. Mr. Joe Van den Berg, representing the Interfraternity and Panhellenic Councils, requested permission to advertise prior to and sponsor a refrigerator rental program on campus. Commission approval would be contingent upon the approval of the Vice President for Administration. All profits for this program will go to the Greek Housing Fund. Mr. Van den Berg stated that he was requesting Commission approval to advertise this program and that Dr. Raymond Smoot in the Office of the Vice President for Administration had been contacted for permission to conduct a sale on campus. Ms. Kathy Rowe moved for approval. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Copies of the minutes of the Publications Board meeting of February 15, 1978 were enclosed with the agenda.
2. Acknowledgment of the items approved by Ms. Kathy Rowe, Counselor for Student Programs and Services in lieu of Commission consideration during the period of February 13-23, 1978.

Ms. Rowe expressed concern about the Student Government Association question and answer program with Dr. Lavery. Her concerns were as follows:

1. The Student Government Association did not seek approval for this program until after it was brought to the attention at the Commission meeting of February 16, 1978.
2. The Student Government Association did not request approval until after the deadline. Had the program not involved the University President, it would not have been considered for approval and could not have taken place.
3. Publicity for this program appeared on campus before the Student Government Association received approval for the program.

Ms. Rowe recommended that an official warning be issued by the Commission on Student Affairs to the Student Government Association. Mr. Anthony Jernigan admitted that the Student Government Association was negligent in this matter. Ms. Rowe moved that the Commission issue an official warning to the Student Government Association. The motion was seconded and passed by a vote of eight for; five against; and zero abstentions.

3. The next meeting of the Commission on Student Affairs will be Thursday, March 30, 1978 at 4:00 p.m. in Room 344 of Squires Student Center. This meeting will be the first meeting of Spring Quarter, 1978.

cc: Dr. William E. Lavery
Dr. John D. Wilson
Dr. A. H. Krebs
Mr. Minnis Ridenour
Dr. Raymond Smoot
Dr. Ronald J. Nurse
Mr. Warren H. Strother
Mr. Thomas C. Lile
Ms. Elizabeth Bradley
News Director, WUVT
Editor, Collegiate Times
Mr. Robert Edmonds
Mr. Joe Collins
Mr. Jeff Daniels
Mr. Jay Havey
Mr. Walt Shill
Mr. Winnie Clark
Members of the University Council
Members of the Faculty Senate
Department Heads

PERFORMING ARTS AND COMMUNICATIONS/PERFORMING ARTS FEDERATION

SPRING QUARTER PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

APRIL

3	United States Army Brass Quintet Admission: free	McBryde Auditorium	8:15 p.m.
7-8	THE PLAY OF DANIEL Admission: free	United Methodist Church	8:15 p.m.
11-15	UNDER MILKWOOD Admission: \$2.50 general, \$1.50 students	Squires Theatre	8:15 p.m.
17	Faculty Recital-John Floyd Admission: free	McBryde Auditorium	8:15 p.m.
22	University Jazz Ensemble Admission: \$1.00 general, \$.50 students	Squires Large Ballroom	8:15 p.m.
23	Student Recital-Delmara Bayliss Admission: free	McBryde Auditorium	8:15 p.m.
24	Techmen Admission: \$1.00 general, \$.50 students	Squires Theatre	8:15 p.m.
15	Piano and Flute Recital Admission: free	McBryde Auditorium	8:15 p.m.
28-30	Appalachian Spring Weekend Admission: TBA	Performing Arts Building	TBA
29	Whitman Trio Dinner Concert Admission: TBA	CEC Dining Room	6:30 p.m.
30	Faculty Recital-Scott McCoy Admission: free	McBryde Auditorium	3:00 p.m.

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5	Student Chamber Music Recital Admission: free	McBryde Auditorium	8:15 p.m.
6-7	Studio Production-ROBIN HOOD Admission: free	Amphitheatre/Duckpond	3:00 p.m.
7	Student Recital-Neil Gladd Admission: free	McBryde Auditorium	3:00 p.m.
8-9	Studio Production Admission: free	PAB 204	8:15 p.m.
8	Chamber Choir Admission: \$1.00 general, \$.50 students	McBryde Auditorium	8:15 p.m.
9	Communication Forum Admission: free	McBryde Auditorium	8:15 p.m.
10-11	Performance of Literature-Eudora Welty Admission: TBA	CEC Auditorium	8:15 p.m.
13	Choral Union Concert Admission: \$1.00 general, \$.50 students	McBryde Auditorium	8:15 p.m.

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| 14 | Symphony Band's Mothers' Day Concert
Admission: \$1.00 general, \$.50 students | Burruss Auditorium | 2:30 p.m. |
| 15 | Student Recital
Admission: free | Christ Episcopal Church | 8:15 p.m. |
| 16-20 | GYPSY (final major TA-UT production)
Admission: \$2.50 general, \$1.50 students | Squires Theatre | 8:15 p.m. |
| 18 | University Symphony Band
Admission: free | Drillfield | 7:00 p.m. |
| 21 | Faculty Recital-Nitza Kats
Admission: free | McBryde Auditorium | 8:15 p.m. |
| 22 | University Symphonic Wind Ensemble
Admission: \$1.00 general, students free | Squires Theatre | 8:15 p.m. |
| 23 | University Percussion Ensemble
Admission: free | Squires Theatre | 8:15 p.m. |
| 24 | Patrick Henry Awards
Admission: free | McBryde 113 | 7:00 p.m. |
| 25 | University Symphony Band
Admission: free | Drillfield | 7:00 p.m. |
| 25-27 | New Virginians
Admission: \$3.00 general, \$1.50 students | Burruss Auditorium | 8:15 p.m. |
| 26 | Collegium Musicum
Admission: free | United Methodist Church | 8:15 p.m. |
| 26-27 | One-Act Play Festival
Admission: \$.75 | PAB 204 | 3:00/8:15 p.m. |
| 28 | Opera Workshop Recital
Admission: free | McBryde Auditorium | 8:15 p.m. |
| 29 | New River Valley Symphony
Admission: \$2.00 general, \$1.00 students | Squires Theatre | 8:15 p.m. |
| 30 | Studio Workshop
Admission: free | PAB 204 | 8:15 p.m. |

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| 1-2 | Dance Concert
Admission:\$1.50 | Squires Theatre | 8:15 p.m. |
| 2 | University Jazz Ensemble
Admission: \$1.00 general, \$.50 students | Squires Large Ballroom | 8:15 p.m. |
| 9 | University Symphony Band
Admission: free | Drillfield | 7:00 p.m. |
| 9 | New Virginians
Admission: \$3.00 general, \$1.50 students | Burruss Auditorium | 8:15 p.m. |