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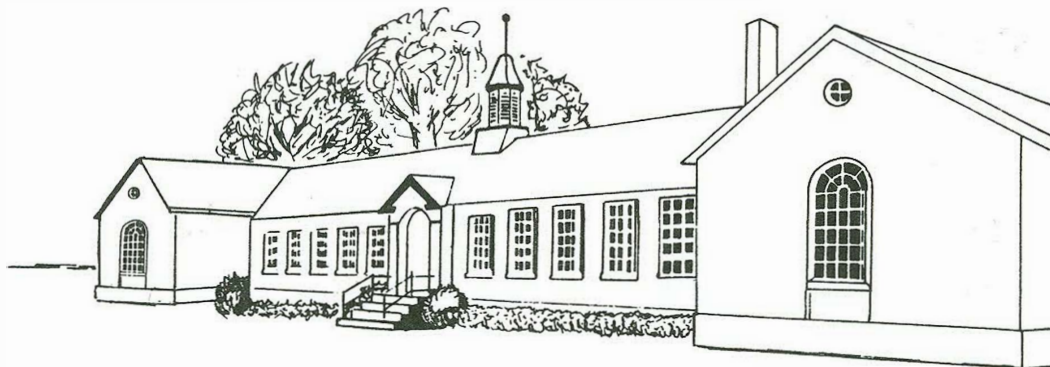
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McGINNIS CENTER

February 20, 1985

PLAN YOUR HOUSING AT THE FAIR

Residents in the off campus area have certain rights and responsibilities that are unique to them. Moving into the area is generally very different from any other living experience and as such many questions and concerns arise. For this reason the Off Campus Housing Office is sponsoring the "Off Campus Housing Fair" to be held on February 23, 1985 from 12:00 noon to 4:00 p.m. in the auditorium at the McGinnis Center.

This annual event, held just one week before this year's Off Campus Housing Lottery, brings together over twenty community organizations for students to obtain information. Interested community members and students can visit the various table displays at their leisure and discuss whatever area of interest they wish. Among the participants returning from last year's Fair are Dayton Power and Light, Dayton's Housing Office with Lottery information, Ohio Bell, AT&T and the Southeast Priority Board. In addition this year two new displays will be at the fair; City of Dayton Chamber of Commerce and the University of Dayton Greek Life Program.

The fair will also feature four half-hour programs to give students more detailed information and to offer them a chance to ask questions. Beginning at 12:30, every hour on the half hour there will be a mini-session. The first program will discuss leases/contracts; bring next years contract if you have any questions! The second session will feature Bro. Paul Bredestege, S.M. who will present some innovative ideas concerning housemate selection. The third presentation will feature City of Dayton Housing Codes/ Regulations presented by Roger Baxter of the City Housing Inspectional Office. Lastly, Officer Mike Armocida will discuss Crime Prevention in which he will supply many helpful ideas regarding residential and personal security. Additionally, Off Campus Housing will present a slide show entitled "Off Campus Living" at 1, 2 and 3 p.m.

The fair's purpose is to create responsibility and an awareness in students by providing them with an educational forum where they can raise questions and concerns regarding off campus living. If you plan to live in the off campus area, or currently do so we strongly urge you to attend the "fair." It will provide an excellent opportunity for concerned individuals to meet and talk with many of the community leaders they will come into contact with while living in the off campus area.

Come and discuss any area of interest from household cleaning and shopping tips to the Campus Ministry. REFRESHMENTS will be served all day and DOOR PRIZES RAFFLED at 3 p.m. (you must be present to win).



1985 Senior Class Challenge

On February 26, 1985 the seventh annual Senior Class Challenge will kick off this years Annual Support Program. Through the Senior Class Challenge, which was enacted by the Class of 1979, the University can continue to provide the resources to maintain its tradition of excellence.

The campaign is designed to get alumni into the habit of supporting the University on an annual basis. The challenge is for each class to raise the participation percentage over the previous class. The Class of 1985, in recognition of the 135th Anniversary of the University of Dayton, has accepted the challenge presented by the Class of 1984 with its 65% participation and set its goal for 70% participation.

With the University's recent campaign, "To Make Our Best Better," the Class of 1985, with its support, can further enhance the prestige of the University in its effort to provide the best education possible. The campaign runs through March 12. There are 312 students working on this effort. The chairperson is Clare Carr, assisted by co-chairs: Mike Haverland, Robert Hagerty, and Steve Olvany. There are 28 division leaders, 56 captains and 212 workers. The campaign team will be out during the two week period soliciting those seniors whose pledge cards they received the evening of the kick-off, February 26th. Gifts from caring alumni, friends, parents, corporations and foundations subsidize 20% of each student's actual cost of his/her education.

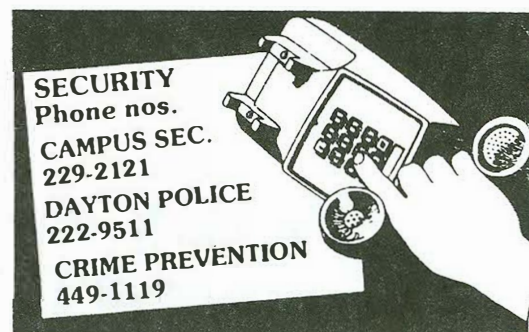
Anyone wishing to dedicate some time to this cause can call Clare Carr at the S.A. office at 229-4444 or see Molly M. Campbell, Staff Coordinator, in St. Mary's Hall Room 315, 229-2911.

S.A. Elections

Student Association Presidential Elections will be held Monday, February 25th and Tuesday, February 26th. Call S.A. at X4444 for further information.

Did You Know That...

- University of Dayton owned off campus houses will continue to have their utilities paid by the University. We should all try to conserve energy, total utilities costs for 1983-84 were approximately \$200,000.
- If you live in a University owned house, the Off Campus Office will gladly put plastic over your windows during the cold months. Simply call the Off Campus Housing Office at 229-2531 and request that plastic be put over your windows where drafts are coming in.
- When the outdoor temperatures dip below 10 degrees you can help to stop your pipes from freezing by keeping your faucets dripping slightly and keeping the cabinet doors below your sink open.
- Shoveling your sidewalk from your house to the public walk is your responsibility. So when, and if, it snows please take a few minutes to shovel your walk. The Off Campus Center has snow shovels which can be checked out with a valid student I.D.



Events Coming in March

- 1- Movie: **Clockwork Orange**
Siblings Weekend (1st-3rd)
- 2- Movie: **Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom**,
UD Fieldhouse — 3 p.m., SA
Movie: **Blues Brothers**, Wohl
Off Campus Lottery — 2 p.m., K.U. Ballroom
- 3- Mens Basketball, UD vs Xavier — Home
- 7- Movie: **Altered States**
- 8- Movie: **Enter the Dragon**
- 9- Mens Basketball, UD vs Notre Dame — Home
Womens Basketball, UD vs Detroit — Home
- 10- 4 Person Garden Apt. Lottery — 2 p.m.,
K.U. Ballroom
- 13- 6 Person Garden Apt. and Campus South Lottery —
7 p.m., K.U. Ballroom
- 15- Art Series: The Vocal Arts Ensemble of Cincinnati —
8 p.m., Boll
Movie: **Romancing the Stone**, Wohl
- 16- Movie: **Tommy**, Boll
- 17- St. Patrick's Day
- 22- Last day to withdraw with record
- 23- Movie: **Duck Soup**, Wohl
- 25- Men's Awareness Week through 29th
- 30- Movie: **Beach Party**, Wohl
Clean Sweep Program — 10-12, McGinnis Center

Feature On...

ANNE WADE

Each month the Off Campus Center will use this space to feature people who live in this area and/or make an impact through their concern and service to the off campus area.

This month's feature story focuses on Anne Wade. Anne is in her last semester at the University of Dayton. Having lived in the dorms, and garden apartments, Anne and four friends decided to move into an off campus house. On the day of the Off Campus Housing Lottery, when Anne's group was pulled out of the basket, she chose to live in a house on Trinity Avenue. Anne says, "We love our house, when I was a Freshman and Sophomore we used to come down to the ghetto and say, 'nice place to visit, but I'd never live here.'" "I heard horror stories about the maintenance, but it's great, call about a problem and someone is there within an hour."

Anne has lived her entire life in Bedford, Ohio, a suburb of Cleveland. Anne began her involvement in extracurricular activities while attending Lumen Cordium High School from 1977 to 1981. While there, she played basketball, softball and volleyball. When she came to the University of Dayton, Anne participated in the same sports in the Intramural program. One of Anne's major highlights while at the University is being a founding member in the Helping Older People program.

Anne explains, "the purpose of Helping Older People is to match students with area senior citizens who have problems getting around or are simply without any help. Some people are wheelchair bound and just need a kind hand." The program, which is entirely free of cost, started in the Fall of 1981, with four student/senior citizen matches. Now there are twenty-two matches. Anne commented that "with this year's increase in membership of 15 more members, Helping Older People has an ever present need for senior citizens to match with the new members." Helping Older People not only aids senior citizens in getting around, they also program projects such as their recent distribution of honey and butter to senior citizens. In addition, Helping Older People will aid senior citizens with some chores like raking leaves, shoveling snow or taking out garbage. Helping Older People has also made it possible for many local senior citizens to attend the University of Dayton's traditional Christmas On/Off Campus.

Anne will be graduating this April with a Bachelors degree in Political Science and English. Although she is a bit hesitant about leaving Dayton and her friends she is looking forward to working in Washington, D.C. Since completing an internship working with Congressman Tony Hall, Anne wants to secure a position in a congressional agency or interest group. Whatever job Anne accepts, she will miss Dayton, "particularly the Off Campus. With the addition of the McGinnis Center the Area now has a 'central meeting place,' where everyone can come to gather and wash their clothes. The McGinnis Center helps to bring the area together."

For any senior citizen wishing to take part in the Helping Older People program, simply call Catholic Social Services of the Miami Valley. The phone number is 223-7217 and the main office is located at 922 West Riverview Avenue, Dayton, Ohio.

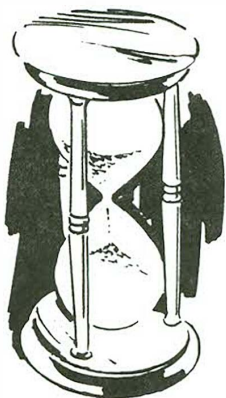


Housing Timetable

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Below is the housing timetable for students who wish to live in University housing. If you have any questions, please call the Housing Office at 229-2531.

Friday February 15th	Application forms for House/Apartment Lotteries available in Housing Office, Information Center and Off-Campus Center.
Friday February 15th	Housing contract cards sent to residence halls. Additional cards available in Housing Office and Information Center.
Wednesday February 20th	All \$50 deposits for retained houses/apartments due in the Bursar's Office.
Saturday February 23rd	Housing Fair, noon to 4:00 p.m., McGinnis Center (301 Lowes Street).
Sunday February 24th	Visitation for all houses/apartments on the Lottery Lists from noon to 4:00 p.m.
Thursday February 28th	Complete application forms for Off Campus Lottery due by 4:30 p.m. Forms may be returned to the Housing Office during normal working hours from February 14th the February 28th.
Saturday March 2nd	Off Campus Housing Lottery to be held in Kennedy Union Ballroom at 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday March 6th	Deadline for returning completed lottery forms for Four-Person Garden Apartments by 4:30 p.m. Forms may be returned to the Housing Office during normal working hours from February 14th to March 6th.
Sunday March 10th	Lottery for Four-Person Garden Apartments at 2:00 p.m. in the Kennedy Union Ballroom.
Monday March 11th	Deadline for returning completed lottery forms for Six-Person Garden Apartment/Campus South to Housing Office. Forms may be returned to the Housing Office during normal working hours (8:30-4:30) from February 14th to March 11th.
Wednesday March 13th	Lottery for Six-Person Garden Apartment/Campus South at 7:00 p.m. in Kennedy Union Ballroom.
Wednesday March 27th	All contracts and reservation deposits must be submitted to the Bursar's Office by this date. Contracts not secured by reservation deposits will not be processed and houses/apartments assigned forfeited.



**REMEMBER!
DUE DATE FOR ALL
CONTRACTS AND
DEPOSITS IS
MARCH 27, 1985**



RETURN Street Signs

To many students, street and traffic signs make interesting house decorations. However, did you realize these signs cost approximately \$150 to replace? More importantly, possessing one of these signs is illegal, and as a result of such actions, you may very well be endangering someone's life. In an attempt to help the city regain lost property, the Off Campus Center is requesting that students take their signs to the Off Campus Center. No questions will be asked; the object is to simply return the signs, not to chastise individuals. If you have any signs or questions call the Off Campus Center at 229-2047.

Spring Clean Sweep

On Saturday, March 30th, the Off Campus Center and the Student Association will hold its Spring Clean Sweep. Last fall we had a record turnout with over 390 students representing 23 organizations. With the help of the Southeast Priority Board, approximately 500 bags of trash were collected. Both the Off Campus Center and the Student Association will be looking for your continued support for this off campus tradition. There will be cash and non-cash prizes awarded, as well as free donuts and juice for all those who participate. Any group wishing to take part on the 30th can call and register with S.A. at 229-4444.

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