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Visitor Information Center offers shuttle service

Saturday, and 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. on Sunday.
A shuttle service will be available to transport visitors from the center to the University Union and Jerome Library. During the academic year, the shuttle will operate from 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. Visitors can receive a free visitor's parking permit at the center and park their vehicles in a lot next to the center before taking the shuttle to inner campus.

As well as serving as the primary entrance to the campus, the center provides parking information and permits, specific or general information pertaining to the University or general information on the city of Bowling Green. A drive-through window, telephones and restrooms also are available.

University departments may furnish the center with information to be distributed to guests. When not staffed, the center displays a large campus map and tee the maps are available.

Freeman Brown appointed to director of orchestra

The University will have a new director of orchestral activities when classes begin this fall. Emily Freeman Brown, who most recently was associate conductor of the Eastman Philharmonia and the Eastman School Symphony Orchestra, has been appointed to the post, Dr. Robert Thayer, dean of the College of Musical Arts, has announced.

Brown, who has a master's degree in conducting from the University of Iowa, is an associate of the Royal College of Music in London, where she completed the

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Gupta named a Fellow of ASA

Dr. Arjun K. Gupta, who chairs the mathematics and statistics department, has been named a Fellow of the American Statistical Association.

The honor was presented during a ceremony at the Joint Statistical Meeting Aug. 6-10 in Washington, D.C. Gupta was one of only 28 members of the association receiving the honor this year.

The designation of Fellow recognizes an individual's outstanding professional contribution and leadership in the field of statistical science.

The ASA, which has 15,000 members, is a professional association of statisticians, quantitative scientists and users of statistics in government, industry and education. Founded in 1939 and one of the country's oldest professional organizations, the ASA's early members included Florence Nightingale, Alexander Graham Bell, Andrew Carnegie and Martin Van Buren.

Gupta, who holds a doctorate from Purdue University, joined the Bowling Green faculty in 1976. He was named chairman of his department in 1986. That year he also was elected a member of the International Statistical Institute, whose members are chosen for distinguished contributions to the development or application of statistical methods or to the administration of statistical services.

Gupta also is a Fellow of the Royal Statistical Society and a Fellow of the Institute of Statisticians.

Sharp to direct news services

Teresa A. Sharp has been promoted to director of news services.

In the post Sharp is responsible for media relations and publicizing special University programs. Her previous title was associate director of public relations.

Sharp, who has a degree in journalism from Ohio University, joined Bowling Green's staff in 1970 as editor of the Green Sheet, a campus event tabloid. She served as assistant director
Evening students can register

Fall registration for evening students, those who study mainly after 4:00 p.m., will be held Tuesday and Wednesday (Aug. 15-16) on campus.

Undergraduate and graduate student registration will be from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday in the Lenhart Grand Ballroom of the University Union. Undergraduate students planning to attend a college meeting with their college advisors prior to registration, according to Joan B. O'Dwyer, director of the evening credit program. College meetings will be held from 5:30-6 p.m. in the Union.

Off-campus students registering on Wednesday will not have to receive formal admittance to the University but they must have been out of high school for at least one year and not have been previously denied admission to the University, she said.

Smith scholarship is established

A new $200 scholarship has been created for commuting students in memory of Hazel H. Smith, the founder and first full-time director of the Off-Campus Student Center.

Smith, who died in 1965, developed one of the first campus commuter centers in the nation. Through her efforts, which has served as a model for other universities, she strove to involve students who do not live in University housing with campus activities. About 9,000 University students live off-campus or commute to their homes in other northwest Ohio communities.

The endowed scholarship was started with $5,000 in contributions from Smith's friends and relatives. Recipients of the $200 annual scholarship will be selected by a committee of Smith's family members and University colleagues.

To be eligible, applicants must be a commuting student, junior or senior student in good academic standing with the University. Additionally, according to commuting students, the Commuter/Off-Campus Organization or the Off-Campus Student Center will be considered; however, officers of the Commuter/Off-Campus Organization are ineligible.

The first scholarship will be presented at the dedication ceremony of the Hazel H. Smith Off-Campus Student Center at 3 p.m. Oct. 13. Applications are available in 1050 Mooney Hall or 405 Student Services Building. The deadline to apply is 5 p.m. Sept. 29. For more information, contact Sue Witsch, director of the Off-Campus Student Center, at 372-8015.

Parking to be limited

The public safety department reminds staff that most students will be returning to the campus for the fall semester Friday and Saturday (Aug. 19 and 20). However, because some new arrivals also will be moving into residence halls Aug. 21 and 22, parking spaces for faculty and staff members and temporary parking spaces for students unloading will be limited.

To accommodate the extra traffic, a temporary parking plan will be in effect from 7 a.m.-9 p.m. Aug. 19-22, allowing short-term parking with a 30-minute limit. Vehicles parked longer than 30 minutes in temporary parking areas will be towed.

Parking available for short-term parking include: lots 3 and J (west of McDonald West Hall); lot F (west of Proud Hall); lot G (north of the Commons); lot D (east of Rodgers); lot 2 (west of Anderson and Browfield halls); lot K (south of Ashley Hall); underpass area (behind/behind of Kohl Hall); admissions area (south of McFall Center); lot 11 (west of Founders/Inadway); and metered areas (east/southwest of Kreischer Quadangle, northeast of Harshman Quadangle, and east/west of fraternity housing).

New Positions: Posting expiration date for employment opportunities today, Aug. 18. (indicates that an internal candidate is bidding and being considered for the position.)

On both evenings, students can register for classes, pick up parking permits, pay fees and receive student identification cards. College advisors will be available to help students plan their classes and select courses.

More information about evening registration and a list of course offerings can be obtained by calling 491-8111 or by visiting the evening education office on the third floor of McCaff Center.

Students at Firelands College can register for fall semester classes now through Aug. 22. They must register in person in the enrollment services office in the East Building. Office hours are from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 9 a.m.-noon on Friday.

To receive a fall semester schedule of classes, call the office at 433-5560, extension 251. Fall semester classes begin Aug. 23 and end Dec. 8. Final examinations will be held the week of Dec. 11-15.

Programs merged

Two University programs merged this summer to form American Culture Studies. Dr. William Grant, director of the American Studies and the American Culture F 1 D programs, said the two were combined for administrative reasons.

Basically it was a merger between two closely related programs that for years have functioned out of the same office, with the same support staff but with different budgets," Grant said. "Merging them will eliminate a lot of paperwork and help us enable us to use our funds more efficiently." The merger will have no effect on the curricula or students in the two programs, he said. Degree titles in American Studies and American Culture will be retained.

Use new decals

Faculty and staff are reminded that all transferable hanging decals and non-transferable bumper decals currently in use will expire Monday (Aug. 14). New parking decals will be needed on all employee vehicles at the start of the 1989-90 school year beginning Aug. 23. Parking decals for faculty and staff members and temporary parking decals for students unloading will be available at the University Union.

Serving as a backdrop, a welcoming address by President O'Connell. Faculty are invited to attend the spirited program, which will last for 35 minutes.

Convo set

The second annual Freshman Convocation will begin at 4 p.m. Monday, Aug. 14, in the Alumni Arena. The convocation, which will be attended by all new students, serves as an enthusiastic introduction to the school and will include a welcoming address by President O'Connell. Faculty are invited to attend the spirited program, which will last for 35 minutes.

Positions are filled

Eight new employees joined the classified staff in July. They are: Michael Baker, carpenter, 1 physical plant; Nancy Gustwiller, part-time library assistant, Jerome Library; Sherryl Hardwick, cook 1, University Union; Mandie McFarland, custodial worker; Matthew Minnick, equipment operator 1; Robert Pernalz, custodial worker; Frank Schremmu-nauer, tree trimmer; and Dr. William G. Strong, custodial worker, all of the physical plant.

Equipment insured

All University educational and general equipment is now insured through a University centrally-funded insurance program. All equipment insured is insured at a nominal cost to the unit. The intent of the coverage is to provide partial compensation to departments for losses on University-owned equipment.

Information on the equipment insurance coverage has been sent to all departments. If you have not received the information, please contact the risk management department at 372-2127 for a copy. It is important that you become familiar with the conditions of the coverage in order that your department may be reimbursed for damaged or stolen equipment.

Sharp from the front

and later as associate director of the news and photography services before being named associate director of public relations in 1981. While at the University, Sharp has won several awards for writing and for public relations campaigns, including an award of merit for promotion of the arts in the 1983 Crystal Awards competition sponsored by the Toledo Chapter of Women in Communications Inc.

Most recently her work won two awards of merit for feature writing in the 1989 National University Community Education Association Marketing and Promotion Awards Competition. It is the fourth consecutive year that the work produced by Sharp to promote continuing education have won recognition in the national competition.

Orchestra from the front

performers' course. She currently is completing a doctorate in orchestral conducting at the Eastman School of Music at the University of Rochester. She also is an experienced opera conductor.

In May she conducted Eastman Opera Theater productions of Rossini's "Le Comte Ory" and "La Gazza Ladra."

Brown has taught on the faculty of Mankato State University in Minnesota as associate director of instrumental music and director of the Minneapo-lis Jewish Community Choir.

In addition to serving as director of orchestral activities, Brown will hold the rank of assistant professor of performance studies.