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A new shuttle service is available to visitors to the University wishing to go from the Visitor Information Center to inner campus. The shuttle makes stops at the University Union and Jerome Library and will begin full operation Aug. 23. Above, driver Jim Beaupre (left), plant operations and maintenance, shows the new shuttle to Bob Reitman, a graduate student who works at the center.

**Visitor Information Center offers shuttle service**

Staff and students returning to the University for the academic year will find the new Visitor Information Center open and offering a number of services.

The center, which opened its doors June 5, will operate from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. now through Sunday (Aug. 20) to accommodate students moving into residence halls. Beginning Aug. 23, the first day of the fall semester, the regular operating hours will be 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. on 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 the 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 free maps are available.

**Freeman Brown appointed to direct 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 program.

**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 1839 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 1985. 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...
Smith scholarship is established

A new $200 scholarship has been created for commuter students in memory of Hazel H. Smith, the founder and first full-time director of the Off-Campus Students Center. Smith, who died in 1965, developed one of the first campus commuter centers in the nation. Though she was not in Berlin, which has served as a model for other universities, she strove to involve students who do not live in University housing on campus activities. About 9,000 University students live off-campus or commute to college in 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. Applicants must be continuing 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.

New Positions: Posting expiration date for equipment insurance director, Aug. 18. (*) Indicates that an internal candidate is bidding and being considered for the position.

8-15-1 Clerical Specialist Pay Range 25 German, Russian and East Asian Languages Academic year, part-time

8-15-2 "Sales Clerk 2 Pay Range 4 Permanent, part-time

Equipment insured

All University educational and general equipment is now insured through a University centrally-funded insurance program. All owned or loaned equipment 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 1980 National University Communications Education Association Marketing and Promotion Awards Competition. It is the fourth consecutive award for 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 University of Rochester. She also is an experienced opera conductor.

In May she conducted Eastern Opera Theatre productions of Rossini's "Le Comte Ory" and "La Gazza Ladra." Brown has served on the faculty of Mankato State University in Mankato, Minnesota, and is currently director of the Saint Paul Civic Symphony and as music director and conductor of the Minneapollis Jewish Community Orchestra.

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