

SWINGING DEAN ENTERS BEHREND SCENE

"Well, what can I tell the new students that they haven't heard before--study hard and apply yourself. I know there's nothing original about it, but it's still the best advice to give to any student."

The speaker was Dean Patricia Creveling, who has joined the Behrend administrative staff this year as Assistant Dean of Student Affairs. A former Behrend student, Dean Creveling got her Bachelor's degree in clinical psychology from Penn State, and last year received her Masters from Colorado University.

The effervescent new Dean is currently workin on a project which will allow participants to better understand each other and to see themselves as other individuals see them--which is the goal set for these strength groups, as they will be called.

"Often a person will only see himself from a certain angle," explains the Dean.

"For example, if a person usually looks at himself in a mirror from one certain angle, he is surprised at what a picture taken from another angle reveals. In the same manner, we only see ourselves from the angle of our own perception. Other people see us differently, and in these groups, we find out how these other people do see us, and it helps to correct our faults and improve our personality."

"As for the actual meetings, I'd like to start a group next month and all those who are interested should sign up at the office. We'll meet one night a week for a two hour talk."

How about Behrend?

"Marvy", an expression used constantly by Dean Creveling. She continued, "I think Behrend is an excellent opportunity for students to accustom themselves to the rigor of college life without having to cope with living away from home. Behrend offers the wilcome atmosphere, the friendliness of a small college; yet it still has the resources of Penn State."

Dean Creveling also points out that her desire to major in psychology came from her Psy 2 course with Mr. Fryer. "His classes really interested me in the field of psychology and its numerous outlets."

"We're No.1!" "We're No.1!"

No, this isn't South Bend or Ann Arbor. This was the assured feeling of each member of the Behrend delegation after leaving the OSGA Conference at University Park. The delegation included Ron Bachelor, Bill Benko, John Jackson, Gary Baran, Jim Bebko, Karen Manuella, and Eilleen Bowden and Ron Fontecchio. The reason for this feeling was that during these conferences, the Behrend representatives, in talking to the representatives from the other commonwealth campuses, found out that the Behrend SGA is unique.

This is the ideas behing our SGA's purpose--to serve as a student governing body, not as a social functioning body. Our aim is to act as a "clearing house" for other clubs and

organizations to put on social events, if they so desire. We have no specific boundaries in respect to our jurisdiction. We inspect each matter and act until we find out how far we can delve. This provides for a strong, efficient SGA and it has become strong primarily because of the farsightedness of Dean Lane, who allows us this freedom, freedom to govern ourselves.

DEAR ANNIE

Dear Annie,

I'm very confused--could you please explain what this Kelly's for Lunch bunch is? It sounds ridiculous and not very cool to say the least.

Nancy Naive

Dear Nancy,

Don't knock it sister--you'll spill my drink.

Dear Annie,

I met this beautiful girl named Pat. She has short dark hair and luscious grey eyes--not to mention her shape. Man--she really gave me the shaft. How can I go about getting fixed up with her?

Arnold Action

Dear Arnie,

Why don't you go talk it over with the assistant dean?

Dear Annie,

There are so many bcys on this campus that it scares me. They're lurking all over. What can I do to ease my apprehensions?

Rhoda Rump

Dear Rhoda,

One good lurk deserves another.

Dear Annie.

Are we allowed to feed the woodchucks on the ski slope?

Norman Knutz

Dear Normie,

Sure--but watch out for the squirrels.

Dear Annie,

All I've been doing since I arrived at this campus is counting everything--bricks, trees, ropes, water, sophomores. I'm positive that I don't have an accurate account of any of those things. Do you suppose I could be exempt from any questions that involve counting?

Sally Sap

Dear Sal,

Don't count on it.

Confidential to Jaguar owners: Hiya Baby!!