

Orientation To Aid Frosh

Orientation of freshman coeds will begin Friday with the PSCA Freshman Camp. Other frosh activities will start with the mass meeting in Schwab Auditorium at 7 p. m. Sunday.

Meeting in 304 Old Main at 4 p. m. Friday, freshman coeds will go to Ralph Watts Lodge, Shingle-town Gap, to take part in a week-end program.

Following the mass meeting on Sunday, a welcome party for freshman women, sponsored by PSCA, will be held in the Armory.

"CA Chums," assigned each year by PSCA to incoming freshman women to help in orientation, have already written to new coeds. R. Christine Yohe '45, chairman, has announced that any freshman woman who has not received a CA Chum may get in touch with Miss Yohe at the PSCA office to be assigned to one.

Mortar Board, senior women's honorary, is in charge of Senior Sponsors who will be assigned to groups of freshmen and meet with them to discuss orientation problems. Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman women's scholastic honorary, will help sponsor study groups.

There will be a freshman convocation for all new students in Schwab auditorium at 8 p. m., Monday.

Wednesday, June 10, WSGA Junior Service Board members, will act as hostesses at freshman tables in McAllister Hall dining commons at the annual Etiquette Dinner.

Of the 103 new coeds admitted for Summer semester, 73 have already been assigned "Big Sisters" by H. Anne Carruthers '44, WSGA town senator.

WSGA, with honor societies, will sponsor mixers for freshmen only. Definite dates have not yet been set.

Annual WRA Play Day will be held in White Hall Saturday, June 13.

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We, The Women Confession: We Don't Like It Much But It's Customary To Give Advice

This column, in keeping with the rest of the paper, is intended primarily for the freshman women whom we're looking forward to meeting. Nevertheless, we feel that the "advice" we're about to bestow on future coeds might be applied just as well to those who have only a memory of green bows and name tags.

First, despite the gossip column and the stories of "Big Week-ends" you've all probably heard, this College exists for the basic purpose of enabling you to get an education.

Certainly, we have fun—and lots of it. We go to dances (both formal and informal), and picnics; we play and observe all kinds of sports, and participate in activities. You'll have fun, too. It's just that we want you to be sure to realize that studying and good grades are important.

What about activities? By them, we mean participation in student government, the coed recreation society, writing for campus publications, singing in the choir, or acting in plays. Such activities enable you to utilize your excess energy and ambition, and, at the same time, make worthwhile contributions to the College.

We think activities are fine as long as people are sensible about them. But we are frank in saying that coeds who go out for everything are not very smart. Survey your talents and interests. Make your choice and stick to it.

And never, never attempt to do so many things that you can't take a little time off over week-ends for a date.

Freshmen, before coming to College, always wonder about the rules. (At least we did.) That's why we're not including all the articles about women's regulations. Incidentally, these rules were made for a definite purpose—mainly, to help you—and it's part of the Penn State tradition

to obey them.

Before coming to College, we worried a lot about clothes. It was wasted worry. This College, we like to think and say, is both informal and democratic. We judge people by what they are, not by what they wear.

So press your last Summer's cottons, add a seersucker or t/c, a couple of light sweaters, saddle or play shoes, rain attire (boots, bandanas, and waterproof coat), several "smoother" dresses to wear with high heels, a formal or three—and you'll more than get along. By the way, don't believe everything that you've read in the magazines about how many clothes you need.

Come to Penn State, feeling that you're going to like it. Come with a friendly smile and your inherent common sense. Come and be certain that this will be your College as well as ours.

Customs Open Term

(Continued from Page Eleven) cause of eleven o'clock permissions for upperclass women this Summer, no special permissions will be given for movies or out-of-town guests. This regulation includes second-semester seniors.

Extensions are given for approved extra-curricular activities such as Collegian, Thespians, and Players, and to students holding jobs. Students granted extensions are to return immediately following their work, said Miss Sykes.

Lakonides Will Meet

The next meeting of Lakonides will be held in room 3 White Hall at 6:30 p. m., Wednesday, June 10. Meetings will be held every two weeks in White Hall on Wednesday nights. Next Wednesday plans for the frosh orientation program will be made definite.

Social Groups Unite Coeds

(Continued from Page Eleven) June 8 and end at 8 a. m., June 17.

Two open houses will be scheduled during a strict silent period extending from June 23 to July 13.

Free contact will be resumed with formal rushing July 13 and will end July 18. Two informal parties will be given by each house during that week.

Invitations for formal coffee hours to be held Saturday, July 18, will be issued Friday. Sorority women and guests will be dressed

formally. A strict silent period will be in effect from 9 p. m. Friday to 5 p. m. Saturday and from 9 p. m. Saturday until bidding results are announced Sunday.

Incoming coeds automatically become members of the Independent Women's Association which acts on an organizational basis for independent women. Since its origin in 1941, it has carried out a social and athletic program.

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