

College Sponsors Many Cultural Programs



One of the many activities sponsored by the college for the cultural enrichment of its students are programs given by local artists.

In the above picture, Clifford Balshaw is seated at a harpsichord made by Martin Friedman, center. Both are instructors at the college. Also seated is Laila Storch, third member of the trio, who played the oboe.

Students and members of the faculty are shown admiring Mr. Friedman's instrument, which he constructed during his spare time.

Financial Aid Is Available

Students at College Misericordia desiring financial assistance may apply for honor scholarships, assistantships, grant-in-aid awards and loans arranged through the National Defense Act.

Several scholarships are granted to graduates of secondary schools who fulfill the entrance requirements of the college.

In making scholarship awards, the Scholarship Committee considers the high school record and class rank of the candidate, the results of her performance on the Scholastic Aptitude test of the College Entrance Examination Board, and the recommendations made by her high school principal, teachers, or guidance counselor. Scholarship awards are granted according to the ability and the financial need of students.

Also available for students of the Back Mountain area is the annual tuition scholarship program set up by the late Senator Andrew Sordoni.

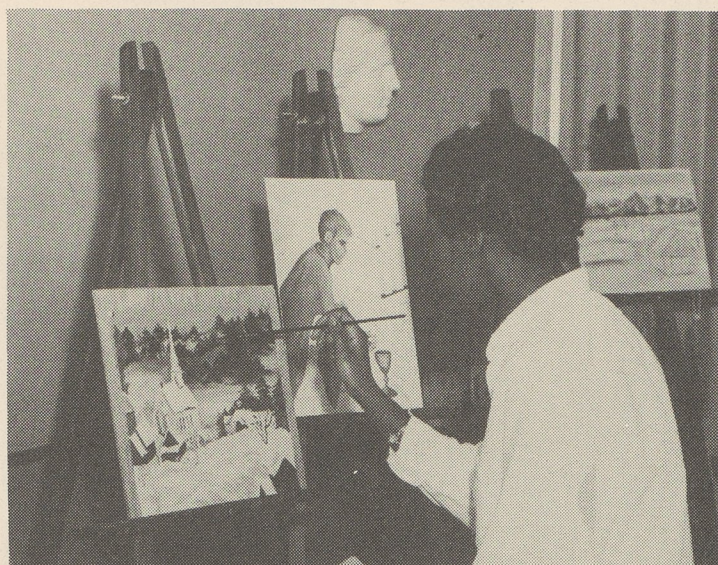
Reymont Club, a local organization of business and professional women, offers a partial scholarship each year to assist a deserving but needy student recommended by the college.

Assistantships in the various college departments are offered to a limited number of qualified students who expect to complete four years. By their service in the offices, library, laboratories, dining room, cafeteria, book store, assistants earn part of their yearly tuition.

Many students also have received loans under the National Defense Student Loan Fund. Under this plan, repayment begins one year after the borrower has graduated, with payment period extending up to 11 years. Up to one-half of any loan (plus interest) is cancelled for service as a full-time teacher in a public elementary or secondary school.

Bank loans at a low interest rate may be obtained from the Miners National Bank of Dallas and Wilkes-Barre or from the First National Bank of Wilkes-Barre. These loan agreements also contain an insurance clause providing for the education of the student in case of a parent's death.

Art Students Hold Exhibitions Annually



Artists Polish Techniques In College Art Department

Phyllis Howe, June graduate from New Jersey, is shown adding finishing touches to one of her paintings in the annual Art Department exhibit.

An education major and art minor, Phyllis also was on last year's committee for the French art exhibit. Paintings of French children were assembled by the office of Inspector General of Art

Teaching of the city of Paris and obtained through the cultural division of the French Embassy, New York.

Art students hold the public exhibition of their year's work in late May. Last showing consisted of charcoal, pencil, pen and ink, scratch board and pastel drawings; design craft projects; and oil paintings.

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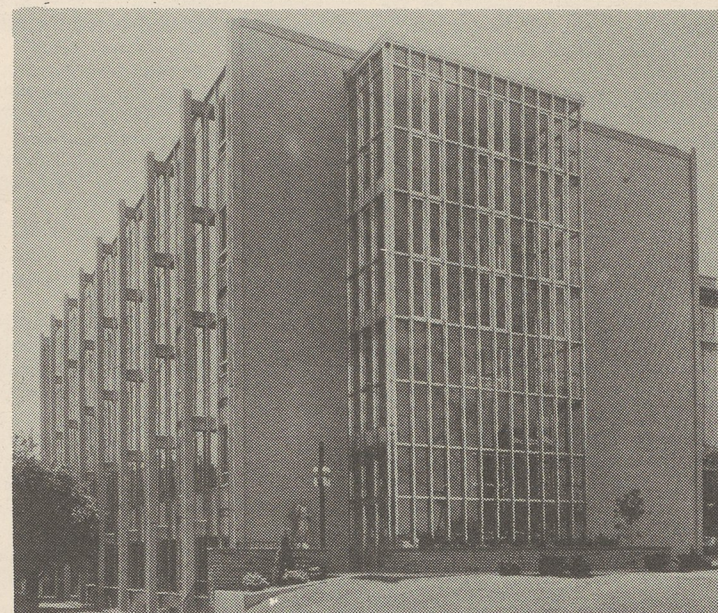


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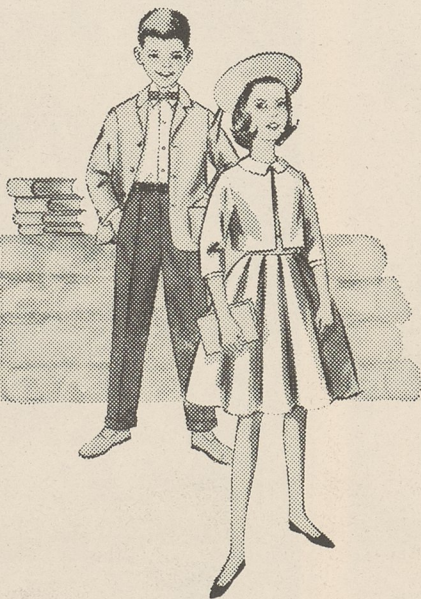
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