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Wyoming Sem. lists opening schedule

H. Jeremy Packard, president of Wyoming Seminary, announces that the opening of the 148th academic school year will take place at the Lower School in Forty Fort on September 3, and at the College Preparatory School in Kingston on September 4.

According to Thomas Meseck, Dean of the Lower School, orientation for Middle school students, grades five through eight, will be held 1 to 2 p.m. on August 30 and classes will begin at 8:30 a.m. September 3.

New day students at the Upper School will meet at Buckingham Performing Arts Center, 9 a.m. Friday, Aug. 30. Registration for those students whose last names begin with letters A through L will

be held at the Stettler Learning Resources Center prior to a buffet brunch which is provided for students and parents. Students whose last names begin M through Z will register at the SLRC following brunch. Testing will begin at 12:45 p.m. at the Stettler Learning Resources Center.

From 1:30 to 2:30 registration will be held in the Stettler Learning Resources Center for returning day students whose last names begin with A through L. Registration for returning day students whose last names begin with M through Z will begin at 2:30 in the same location.

Get acquainted activities for new day students will be held from 2:30 to 4 p.m. at the Carpenter Athletic Center. Casual attire is requested and attendance is required. Facili-

ties will be available to change clothing.

Registration for new boarding students will take place Monday, September 2 beginning at noon. Resident faculty and new boarding students will meet at 2:45 at the Buckingham Performing Arts Center, after which campus tours will begin. An Activities Fair will commence from 2 to 2:40 p.m.

Returning boarding students will register Tuesday, Sept. 3 from 1 to 2:30 p.m. at the Stettler Learning Resources Center.

Convocation will take place during an assembly on the opening day of school, Wednesday, Sept. 4 at 9 a.m. in Buckingham Performing Arts Center. Dress code will be in effect that day.



Grace Andrews Award presented to Misericordia students

Stanley Mark Charnick of Shavertown and Nancy W. Comstock of Mehoopany were recently presented with the Grace Andrews Award at the 65th Annual Commencement Ceremonies at College Misericordia.

The Grace Andrews Award is presented to the outstanding non-traditional students who demonstrate enthusiasm for lifelong learning.

Comstock graduated Summa Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Studies.

Charnick received a Bachelor of Science in General Studies.

Pictured at the presentation are, from left: Bonnie Sutton, Assistant Director of Continuing Education at College Misericordia; Comstock; Matt Andrews, son of Grace Andrews; Stanley and Peggy Charnick.

Misericordia program honored by state

College Misericordia's Act 101 Program has been recognized as one of the premiere programs of its kind, according to a recently published report by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

"The program was originally developed to help students who may have underachieved in high school," said Kit Foley, Director of the Act 101 program at Misericordia. "The idea is to help them succeed at the college level."

The three week summer program for incoming freshmen began on July 21 and concluded

August 9. Students took courses, were placed in cooperative learning teams, learned wellness and fitness, attended motivational workshops and enjoyed a variety of social activities.

Students remain in the program for four years while the orientation shifts from an academic focus to career preparation.

Misericordia's Act 101 Program includes four full-time staff members who serve as tutors, counselors and supervisors. The program also involves 40 peer tutors and 25 peer counselors.

An evaluator from the Department of Education visited Misericordia this past spring and met with professional staff, student staff and students who participate in the program and gave Misericordia an "exemplary" rating.

Misericordia's Act 101 Program which is open to in-state students only, provides academic support to students who meet the economic and residency guidelines and includes 150 full-time students and 25 part-timers for the 1991-92 academic year.



Misericordia Alumni Association holds annual meeting

College Misericordia's Alumni Association recently held its annual meeting during the Spring Reunion Weekend. Pictured at the meeting are members of the CMAA Board of Directors.

Seated from left, Maria Pallante, '86, New York, NY; Maggie Davitt, '77, President of CMAA, Hershey; Debbie Fries, '81, College Misericordia Director of Alumni Relations; Irene Calaide Wisniewski, '59, Shavertown.

Standing, Laurie Smith, '88, West Pittston; Kathleen Masterson, RSM, '66, Bayside, NY; Kathleen Dorris Reese, '50, Nanticoke; Paul Stanziale, '83, Shickshinny; Kenneth Wolensky, '84, Grantville; Bettsi Jaeger, '68, Norwalk, CT; Carol Gallagher, RSM, '66, President-Elect CMAA, Shavertown; Bill Jones, '85, Shavertown.

Dr. Lewis completes seminar

David B. Lewis, of Dallas of the Wyoming Valley Chiropractic Center recently completed a seminar in Philadelphia on the courtroom role of the Doctor of Chiropractic. Dr. Lewis, while in Phila-

delphia, also gave a seminar to a group of fourth year Physical Therapy students from Temple University. Topics included Spinal biomechanics and spinal palpation technique.

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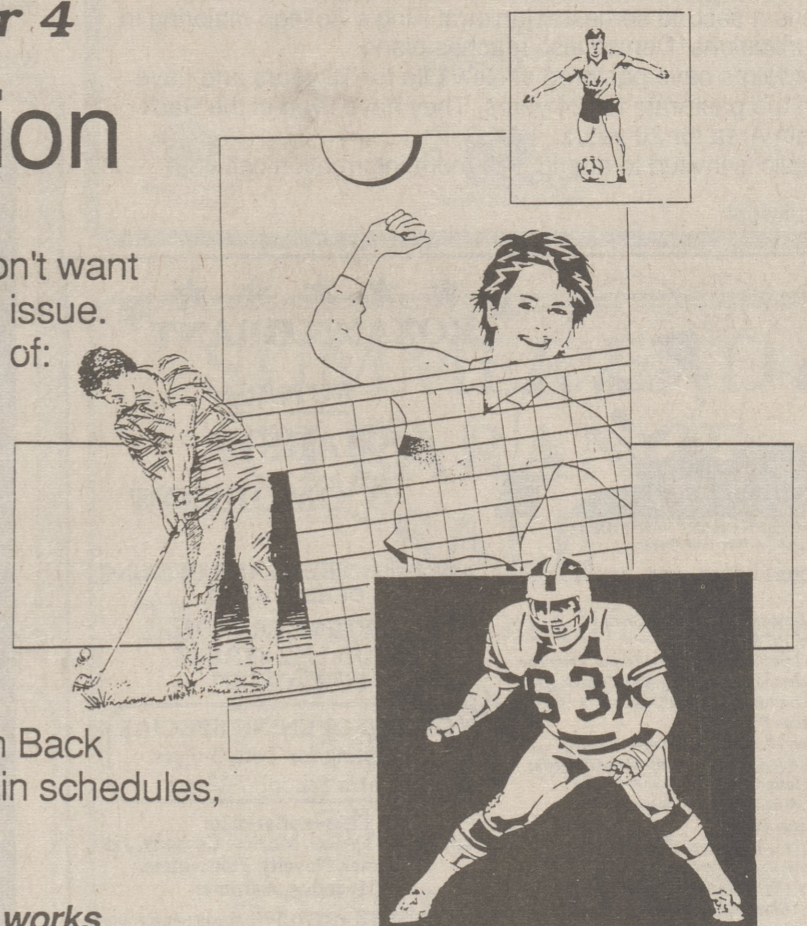
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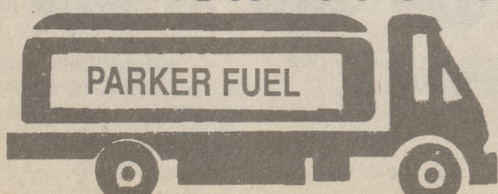
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