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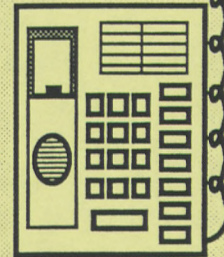
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"A Change of Pace" is a weekly newsletter written by the Public Relations Committee, briefly updating the issues that the Student Senate is currently addressing.

Issues in Senate:

On the Floor:

"The Dickinson Directory" is available to all students now! They will be distributed throughout the week. Every room will receive a free copy. Additional copies will be available for a minimal fee and can be purchased in the Student Senate Office.



The Student Senate mailbox is now HUB box 23. All comments and questions should be addressed to that box.

Finance Committee: Due to some minor delays in budget hearings, the budget was not presented last week. It will be presented at tonight's meeting and will be voted upon on Nov. 1, 1988.

All-College Committees:

Academic Standards: The committee met with Peter Balzcuinas, and made recommendations for changes to be made to the long-range planning draft for the college.

Academic Programs: They are looking into the speech course that is currently in the curriculum. They are discussing whether or not it should be offered through a particular department.

Planning and Budget: The committee continued to discuss the long-range plan for the college; they will make their recommendations to Peter Balzcuinas next week.

General Education: They met with Peter Balzcuinas to discuss their ideas about the long-range plan. They focused on the minority and faculty recruitment aspect of the document.

S.A.S.C.: This committee also continued their discussion of the long-range planning draft for the college.

Announcements:

- The Student Senate is selling "Mermaid's Tales" for \$2.00. They are available in the Senate office.
- The American Association of University Students Conference is being held at Princeton University from Nov. 17-20. Anyone interested in attending should contact Tom Ciglar in the Senate Office.

Student Senate Meetings are held every Tuesday at 6 p.m. All students are always welcome to attend.

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Issues in Senate:

On the Floor:

Finance Committee: The Fall 1988 budget will be discussed and voted upon at tonight's meeting. Be there and find out how your money was allocated.

Academic Affairs: They met with Ronald Doernbach, the registrar, to discuss registration and other matters.

- The committee has suggested having an on campus pause during the second semester.
- They also suggested that any students who receive all of their classes through pre-registration, should register the day before the normal registration day.
- Mr. Doernbach told the committee that there is a new software package out that will allow students to register on the computer and it will have a screen printout that will tell the status of courses while students are registering.
- He also said that he is receptive to all student ideas, and if anyone has questions or comments, they should contact him.

Byer's Project:

- The Byer's committee recently toured the building and reviewed the blueprints. They are working on plans to allow the entire student body to see the inside of Byer's.
- The results of the surveys that were sent out last week concerning the Byer's Project are presently being compiled.

All-College Committees:

Academic Standards: The committee received new material concerning the grading policies. They discussed the fact that there are actually many different grading practices used by professors on campus.

Academic Programs: The committee continued to discuss the long-range planning draft for the college.

General Education: The committee is currently discussing the freshman seminar program. They have drafted a questionnaire to be distributed to faculty which have taught past freshman seminars.

Admissions and Financial Aid: They continued to discuss the long-range plan for the college, specifically focusing upon the relation between enhancing the sciences and recruitment.

S.A.S.C.: The committee discussed the long-range planning draft for the college and the need for the exchange of ideas between the students and faculty concerning the proposal.

Planning and Budget: They spoke with Peter Balzcuinas about the long-range planning draft. They also discussed compensation for employees of the college.

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