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NEW LIBRARY BOOK DEDICATED TO WILLIAM ZIMMERMAN

The book, Marines in the Revolution, by Charles R. Smith, has been donated to Zumberge Library in memory of William Zimmerman. Zimmerman, a GVSC alumnus, was killed in action last October while serving with the United States Marine Corps in Beirut, Lebanon.

Gordon C. McFadden of Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania, donated the book to the GVSC library, a choice made by the Zimmerman family.

A special presentation page inserted in the book states: "In memory of 1st Lt. William Zimmerman USMC, so you may know the first of the few good men the Marines have looked for and found since 1775." The presentation is signed by the author and by illustrator Charles H.

Waterhouse, a major in the Marine Corps.

The book, published by the U.S. Marine Corps' History and Museum Division, is a history of the continental marines in the American Revolution from 1775-1783.

FACULTY SKETCH

John Bornhofen, associate professor of economics and finance, wrote an article entitled "It's

Beginning to Look Like a Boom" for the August edition of West Michigan Magazine.

ACROSS CAMPUS

Field House Wins National Award

Athletic Business, a national magazine, has selected GVSC's Field House for a "1984 Facilities of Merit" award. Results of the fourth annual competition were published in the August issue of the magazine. The Field House was recognized as the top facility in the category of "college recreation/physical education/athletic facilities."

The magazine stated, "We think the facilities awarded meet program needs efficiently and effectively."

The Field House was the only college facility cited in the fourth annual competition.

From the Bookstore

The bookstore will not fill IDC orders for supplies from September 4 through September 14, during the rush period. Campus offices needing supplies should place orders before that date.

New Food Service Director Appointed

Mike Longo has joined Grand Valley as the new food service director. He was with Saga Foods as food service director at Kalamazoo College for the past six years. Longo is originally from the Grand Rapids area and is a graduate of Grand Rapids Catholic Central High School and Michigan State University.

Longo has already assumed his duties and can be reached at his office in the Commons, ext. 3398.

Physical Plant Reception

The Physical Plant is planning a special reception in recognition of its retirees. The entire campus community is invited to come and share refreshments with former Physical Plant employees who retired between 1974 and 1984.

The reception will be held on Thursday, August 23, in the Kirkhof Center lounge from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Retirees interested in attending should call ext. 3255.

New Employment Procedure

Because of recent revisions in the college's Affirmative Action plan, the Personnel Office is updating the employment process.

Supervisors must now turn in the Applicant Log before beginning to schedule interviews for prospective employees. Supervisors must include a completed Position Summary Form, all résumés received, and a Position Available Announcement along with the Applicant Log to the Affirmative Action office.

These new procedures are effective immediately. Anyone with questions should call Debra Stormzand in the Personnel Office, ext. 3215.

JOB OPENINGS

EAP

Graphic Designer/Photographer, WGVC-TV, \$15,600-\$24,550.

COT

Administrative Assistant, Economic Expansion and Job Creation Center, \$7.22-\$9.15.

For details, call the Personnel Office, ext. 3215.

COMING EVENTS

Demonstration Scheduled

The COT Training and Development Committee is sponsoring a Canon electronic typewriter vendor display on Thursday, September 27. The event will be held in rooms D, E, and F of the Kirkhof Center from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Hovinga Business Systems, Inc., is the Canon vendor in west Michigan and will have several machines displayed. Representatives will be available to answer questions.

The Canon electronic typewriters are the college's choice of replacement when an IBM electric typewriter is beyond repair. After extensive research, Dick Mehler, systems development coordinator, determined that the Canon line best fits Grand Valley's needs.

The show will be open to all faculty and staff.

Board of Control to Meet

The Board of Control will meet at 11 a.m. on Friday, August 24, in Kirkhof Center. Tentative agenda items include:

- WGVC-TV Capital drive.
- Report on research and development center.
- Student senate constitution.
- Employee groups' collective bargaining.
- Grand Rapids Center developments.

Director of Federal Relations To Be on Campus

Robert Toft, GVSC's director of federal relations in Washington D.C., will be on campus August 20 through 22. He will be available to meet with faculty and staff on a limited basis. To reserve a time, call ext. 3224.

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