

2-1-1970

Underneath the Arches, no. 67, February 01, 1970

Grand Valley State College

Follow this and additional works at: <https://scholarworks.gvsu.edu/underneaththearches>



Part of the [Archival Science Commons](#), [Education Commons](#), and the [History Commons](#)

ScholarWorks Citation

Grand Valley State College, "Underneath the Arches, no. 67, February 01, 1970" (1970). *Underneath the Arches, 1963-1971*. 68.

<https://scholarworks.gvsu.edu/underneaththearches/68>

This Article is brought to you for free and open access by the University Archives at ScholarWorks@GVSU. It has been accepted for inclusion in Underneath the Arches, 1963-1971 by an authorized administrator of ScholarWorks@GVSU. For more information, please contact scholarworks@gvsu.edu.

UNDERNEATH THE ARCHES



GRAND VALLEY
STATE COLLEGE

No. 67

February, 1970

STUDENT HOUSING RULES --- Effective with the fall term, 1970, GVSC's policy on student housing will change. Only first year students with no previous college experience, not living with parents, relative or guardians, will be required to reside in campus residence halls. Other students will be encouraged, but not required, to reside in student residence halls.

Beginning in the winter term, 1970, Grand Valley students living in apartments or residence halls will determine their own procedures for visiting hours and open houses within the college's established guidelines.

At the same time, the college's board of control approved acceptance of bids and contractual procedures for Grand Valley's third dormitory.

OTHER NEW BUILDING --- In addition to the new dormitory, GVSC will soon be breaking ground for its new Fine Arts Building, expected to be opened for use by the fall of 1971. The Board of Control has also approved creation of a building sub-committee to begin programming and planning of the college's second science building.

STUDENTS HELP GOVERN --- With the addition of a student representative to the Academic Affairs Policy Council, GVSC students now have a representative voice on all policy and decision making committees of the college. Students now have an important share in the deliberations of such councils as the President's Executive Committee, Student Affairs Policy Council, Business Management Policy Council, the Urban Studies Executive Board, and others.

FOREIGN STUDIES --- Nine Grand Valley students have replaced eight others in the Yucatan peninsula of Mexico for the second term of the college's Latin American Studies Program. Courses in various levels of Spanish language and studies related to the culture of Latin America are offered in the city of Merida through a cooperative program with Central College of Pella, Iowa.

BLACK HISTORY WEEK --- Social and educational endeavors, history, art, music and dance of black America were featured during the Winter Symposium Committee's presentation of Black History Week, February 4 through 10. The highlight of the observance was the performance of the Stanze Peterson Dance Theatre of New York City, arranged by the GVSC Black Student Union. A black dancing troupe, the group combined poetry, literature, music and dance to portray the enthusiasm as well as the anger and despair of black America throughout its history.

DRUG ADDICTION STUDY --- "Characteristics of Heroin Addicts and Patterning of Addiction in the Grand Rapids, Michigan Area" is the title of a six-months study to be conducted by the GVSC Urban Studies Institute. Dyer-Ives Foundation recently announced its financial support of the project to be directed by Dr. Henry Holstege, professor of sociology at Calvin College, who is a research associate of U.S.I.

Dr. Holstege says that in-depth interview techniques will be used with former addicts and it is hoped that new perspectives on drug addiction in smaller metropolitan areas such as Grand Rapids will result from the study.

SPECIAL ED. SCHOLARSHIPS --- Five GVSC students in the field of special education have received Michigan State Department of Education scholarships this year. Inese Blanchard, Grandville; George Goudie, Muskegon; and Lynn Kalisz, Royal Oak received single-term scholarships. Marcia Koziolk, Muskegon; and Patricia Romkema, Comstock Park, won \$500 academic year scholarships.

DE LONG'S TO WEST INDIES --- Drs. Arthur and Greta DeLong visited the West Indies recently for conferences and meetings with administrative and teaching personnel of the Trinidad and Tobago school systems. The De Long's have been assisting the

islanders in the creation of their own independent educational system since their separation from England in 1962.

Arthur DeLong has a Ph.D in educational psychology while Greta DeLong holds a Ph.D in Psychology and another in Education. They have worked in the fields of education and psychology for many years in Michigan, Ohio, Delaware, British Columbia, Colorado, and Alaska.

WINTER SPORTS AREA --- GVSC's winter sports area has been renovated so that many more students and staff members can take advantage of skating, skiing and sliding facilities at the campus winter playground. The A-frame chalet has been relocated and improvements made in it. A good-sized skating rink has been maintained during the winter, and the ski hill has been re-graded, widened and lengthened for a run of over 550 feet and a drop of more than 100 feet.

Floodlights make evening use of the facilities possible, and there is a rope tow and ample parking lot for the winter sports fans. Physical Education classes use the area as well as students, faculty and their guests. It is located near M-45 at the river.

WINTER CARNIVAL --- A busy and very successful GVSC Winter Carnival was held during the last two weeks of January even though the almost inevitable January thaw caused some delays and worked some hardships in one or two of the events, such as snow sculpture. Highlights of the celebration included the first Great Lakes Sled Dog Association

races to be held at GVSC. World champion sled dog racer, Dr. Roland Lombard, of Wayland, Mass., was a featured contestant.

Other thoroughly enjoyable carnival events included selection of the queen, a concert and light show featuring the Bob Seeger System, beard growing and pizza eating contests, talent show, broom ball, hockey and powder puff football contests and toboggan races, and of course, a big dance.

ACCOLADES --- Dr. Carl Bajema, associate professor of biology, has been elected to a three-year term as secretary of the American Eugenics Society. Miss Glenda Belote, director of residence hall programs and coordinator of campus judiciaries, has been listed in the 1969 edition of "Outstanding Young Women of America". GVSC's new James Zumberge Library has won two awards for architectural excellence. It received the Award of Honor from the Detroit chapter, American Institute of Architects at recent ceremonies and was selected by "College and University Business Magazine" as representative of the imaginative approach of college building design today.

FRENCH FOREIGN STUDY PROGRAM --- The GVSC French Department, in conjunction with the Institut d'Etudes Francaises de Touraine, is offering a new study program commencing in March and running through the fall. Success of this program will determine its future expansion. The Institut is located in Tours. Sessions range from two weeks to a full year.

Grand Valley State College
College Landing
Allendale, Michigan 49401

BULK RATE
U.S. POSTAGE
PAID
Allendale, Mich.
Permit No. 1
