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NOW

- Jan. 9-12 Reading Day.
- Jan. 13-20 Semester Examinations.
- Jan. 16-17 "Search for Maturity" weekend sponsored by the Newport Area CYO. Contact: Father Silva, CYO Coordinator, 847-1267.
- Jan. 17 The Christian Life Center Collegiate Community Mass. Mercy Gallery. 11:15 a.m. Open. Contact: Fr. Johnson, Ext. 16.
- Jan. 20-27 Semester Vacation.
- Jan. 31 New Music Ensemble. Ochre Court. Contact: Glenn Giuttari, Ext. 58.
- Feb. 2 Alliance Francaise of Newport, meeting and reception. Twombly-Burden Room and Lounge. O'Hare Academic Center. 4 p.m. Contact: Mrs. Ramos, Ext. 83-2.
- Feb. 3 Civilisation: "The Frozen World," first campus showing of Sir Kenneth Clarke's renowned film series. Twombly-Burden Room. O'Hare Academic Center. 7:30 p.m. for SRC community. 9 p.m. for Newport community. Free. Contact: Sr. Sheila, Ext. 59.
- Feb. 7 American Association of University Women, Newport Chapter. Great Hall, Ochre Court. 7:30 p.m. Contact: Mrs. Blumen, 846-8531.
- Feb. 7 Freshman Nurses' Capping Ceremony. Ochre Court. 2 p.m. Contact: Mrs. Dutra, Ext. 78.
- Feb. 10 The Christian Life Center FLICKS '70 Series, Dimensions of Man. Keynote: "Political Man." Twombly-Burden Room, O'Hare Academic Center. 7:30 p.m. Open. Free. Contact: Fr. Johnson, Ext. 16.
- Feb. 11 Civilisation: "The Great Thaw." Twombly-Burden Room, O'Hare Academic Center. 7:30 p.m. for SRC community; 9 p.m. for Newport community. Free. Contact: Sr. Sheila, Ext. 59.
- Feb. 12-14 Christian Life Center Weekend of Christian Living. St. Dominic Savio Retreat House, Peacedale, R.I. Begins Friday evening at 7 p.m., and ends Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. Usual donation: \$15.00. Contact: Fr. Johnson, Ext. 16.
- Feb. 16 Civilisation: "Romance and Reality." Twombly-Burden Room, O'Hare Academic Center. 7:30 p.m. for SRC community; 9 p.m. for Newport community. Free. Contact: Sr. Sheila, Ext. 59.
- Feb. 17 The Christian Life Center FLICKS '70 Series, Dimensions of Man. Film: The Condemned of Altona. Newport Performing Arts Center in the Van Alen Casino Theater, Freebody St., Newport. 7:30 p.m. Admission: FLICKS Pass or \$1.00. Contact: Fr. Johnson, Ext. 16.
- Feb. 18 The Christian Life Center FLICKS '70 Series, Dimensions of Man. Symposium. Twombly-Burden Room, O'Hare Academic Center. 7:30 p.m. Free. Contact: Fr. Johnson, Ext. 16.

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KUDOS

Six Salve Regina College students have been selected for membership in the 1970-71 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. They are: Stephanie Bowler '72; Patricia Canavan '72; Gertrude Mandeville '72; Margaret McGahan '71; Margaret Pierce '71; and Carolyn Reder '71. Students named to this collegiate Who's Who are selected on the basis of their scholarship, leadership in academic and extracurricular activities, citizenship, and service to their College.

SRC has received approval for continued membership in the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools. The approval, which means continued full accreditation for the College, was voted by the Association as a whole, on recommendations of the Commission on Institutions of Higher Education and the Association's Executive Committee. The recommendation for continued membership in the Association followed a self-study prepared by the College, and a re-evaluation report submitted by a visiting committee of administrators and faculty from five other New England colleges and universities.

HERE

More than 100 credit-courses in seventeen different academic fields will be offered this spring by our Division of Continuing Education, according to Dean C. Edward O'Loughlin. The division, which enrolled more than 1,000 Rhode Islanders in fall courses, will begin its spring term Monday, Feb. 1 with course offerings in Warwick, Cranston, and Cumberland, as well as here on campus.

A Spanish Christmas Mass, sponsored by the Spanish Club, and celebrated by Rev. Christopher Johnson, O.P., chaplain, was held in Ochre Court. A reception with carol-singing followed the Mass.

The Newport Harbor Bells were featured in a Yuletide concert at Ochre Court. Sixteen voices and 25 bells sang out in a program which ranged from "Come Unto Him" from Handel's "The Messiah" to "White Christmas."

A special two-weekend Workshop in Police and Community Relations, offered to R.I. policemen in conjunction with the Law Enforcement Degree Program of the Division of Continuing Education, was held at SRC's new community service facility, Hope Center, in Portsmouth. Aimed at providing special training and education in police-community relations, the workshop helped the participants to develop skills in diagnosing inter-group tensions, examining priorities for change, and planning and implementing action problems. Instructors for each of the two weekends were Dr. Herbert Lipton, associate professor of psychology, Boston University; and Dr. Norman Berkowitz, associate professor of psychology, Boston College.

Sr. Mary Christopher, R.S.M., president, recently welcomed new and old faculty and administration to the annual Holly Dinner. The candlelight dinner, a tradition of the holiday season, was held in the State Dining Room of Ochre Court. The festive evening ended with carol-singing.

THERE

Sister Mary Christopher, R.S.M., also attended the annual meeting of the American Association of Presidents of Independent Colleges and Universities at Stone Mountain Inn, near Atlanta, Georgia. During the three-day meeting, the educators passed a number of resolutions in which members condemned the use of marijuana and other illegal drugs, and pledged to take vigorous action to curtail their spread; criticized the U.S. Congress for its 1969 Tax Reform Act--"which discouraged legitimate private philanthropy"--and exhorted the Congress to "move swiftly and effectively to repair the damage they had done to institutions of higher learning. . .;" and questioned the faculty tenure concept and urged that "excellence of teaching and professional activity and responsibility of conduct serve as basis for faculty continuance, promotion, and special recognition."

Sister Mary Christopher, R.S.M., also attended the 22nd annual Communion Breakfast of the Catholic Association of College Alumni and the International Federation of Catholic Alumni at the Sheraton Biltmore Hotel, Providence. Featured speaker for the event was U.S. Senator Claiborne Pell, who spoke on "Technology and the Quality of Life."

Dr. Lester Carr, vice president for academic affairs, and chairman of the Newport Advisory Council on Mental Health, and Mrs. Carr, participated in a leadership conference of the state Association for Mental Health at Butler Hospital, Providence. In addressing the conference, Mr. Irving H. Chase, president-elect of the National Association for Mental Health, cited the development at Newport Hospital of the state's first comprehensive mental health center.

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Dr. Lester Carr, has also been named by the Newport School Committee to an eight-member temporary advisory committee to study the possibility of a teacher-aide training program.

Sr. Marie Corinne Walsh, R.S.M., assistant professor of elementary education, participated in the Extern Conference, a short term in-service experience designed to provide trainers of teachers for regular elementary classrooms with a greater awareness of handicapping conditions among disadvantaged children. The Extern Program is a part of a comprehensive training effort cooperatively designed by the Department of Educational Psychology, Educational Administration and Elementary Education of the University of Connecticut, and supported by funds available through the Education Professions Development Act (EPDA).

Mr. Robert J. McKenna, assistant professor of political science, was promoted to first lieutenant in the Newport Artillery Company at ceremonies marking the historic Company's annual observance of St. Barbara's Day.