



JUNE 26

The STING

Southern Technical Institute
Marietta, Georgia 30060

CASE OF THE MISSING GRADES

For the students who were here Spring Quarter, the typical ending usually occurs when grades are mailed out to each student's home address. However, things took an interesting twist when computer problems developed this past quarter.

As many students discovered, grades were not mailed out by the beginning of Summer Quarter. Instead, when classes started on June 20, grades were being handed out in the Admissions office. Although much grumbling and many comments were heard speculating on whether or not the school was trying to cut its postage costs, the real reason for the grades distribution delay was because of computer problems.

Those students who did not pick up their grades on Tuesday, June 20, should receive them within the next few days because the remainder of the grades finally were mailed out during the first week of classes this summer.

SGA NEWS

The first meeting of the Student Government Association was held on Wednesday, June 21 at 5:00 p.m. The new SGA president, Barbara Ransom, presided over the meeting. Nine representatives were present. After establishing the necessary committees, it was decided that the schedule for Summer Quarter would be to hold regular meetings and committee meetings on alternate Wednesdays.

Three main committees were set up. Those were the Entertainment Committee, set up to administer entertainment funds and to set policies in the Student Center, the Internal Affairs Committee which is responsible for the SGA constitution and by-laws, and the Financial Committee to supervise fund disbursements.

A T T E N T I O N

PLACEMENT ORIENTATION MEETING
TUESDAY, JUNE 27, 1978
12:00 NOON
STUDENT CENTER BALLROOM

All graduates who plan to use services of the Placement Office for interviews this quarter should attend the above meeting. It will be over by 1:00 P.M. - probably before.

Also, please furnish the Placement Office with a copy of your resume and a copy of this quarter's class schedule. Form for completing class schedule can be picked up at the orientation meeting or in Room 122. Put copy of your resume in the "Open Resume File" (blue notebook) in Room 125.

VETERAN BOOKSTORE HOURS FOR THIS WEEK

TUESDAY	JUNE 27, 1978	11:00 am - 3:00 pm
THURSDAY	JUNE 29, 1978	11:00 am - 3:00 pm

The new business discussed included what the minimum responsibilities will be for all council members and a recommendation that pictures of each of the SGA members be made and posted in the respective buildings of each representative. The main purposes for this are to help students recognize who their representatives are and to promote better feedback.

A resolution was also made to name the Student Center in honor of Professor Cuba who passed away last month.

Officers to fill the positions of secretary and treasurer were also chosen. Their jobs will be for Summer Quarter only. The secretary will be John Story, and the treasurer will be Joyce Hildenbrandt.

SWE HOSTS PICNIC

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

(Editor's note: the following two letters are in reference to letters published in last quarter's final issue.)

The members of the STI chapter of the Society of Women Engineers played hosts to over 150 SWE members from all over the United States at a picnic held outside the Student Center on Wednesday, June 21. On a campus where males are the predominant sex, many looks of shock and amusement were registered at the sight of all the SWE members munching merrily away on barbeque chicken, baked beans, cole slaw, potatoe chips and soft drinks. The ladies all enjoyed the comfort of the cool Student Center outdoor scenery as they traded war stories about attending conventions in Atlanta and living to tell about it.

The reason for over 150 national SWE members being in the Atlanta area was to take part in the National SWE Convention held in Atlanta. The national convention committee administers a variety of work shops for the benefit of the members attending. Many of the workshops are geared towards helping women become skilled at handling themselves in occupations that have traditionally been held by men.

An interesting situation developed when the national convention was finalizing its plans to choose Atlanta as the site for its festivities and activities. Because Georgia has not ratified the ERA Amendment, many national SWE members felt very strongly that the national convention should not be held in Atlanta. Only after much persuasion and tact from the SWE members at STI and Georgia Tech, did the national committee finally relent and agree to go ahead as scheduled with the plans for the convention to be held in Atlanta.

According to Cindy Wilson, the SWE chapter president here at STI, everyone was having a great time with very few moments of idleness. After the picnic, most of the SWE members went off to enjoy an afternoon at Six Flags.

OFFICIAL CALENDAR

JUNE 19 (M) Registration
 20 (T) Classes Begin
 21 (W) Late Fees Apply
 21 (F) Last day to drop a
 a course without penalty

Dear Editor,

I would like to address the following letter to the six people who think that they have a right to smoke: Don Sherill, Joel Henry, Debbie Jordan, Mark Hutchinson, Margaret Cane, and David Lynn - and to anyone else who agrees with them.

My right for clean air and clear lungs overrides your right any day to permanently mess up my health.

Like one out of ten people, I have asthma. I am also hampered by an allergy to tobacco smoke. These physical defects are considered handicaps, and the government is helping people like me by passing laws which prohibit smoking in more and more places. So the next time you think that "nothing can be done" about smoking pollution - think twice.

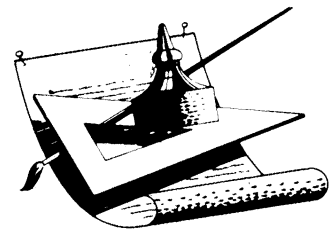
Anne Loehr

P.S. You don't smoke, anyway - the cigarette does. You're just a bunch of suckers!

Dear Editor:

I never thought I would see the day that a Sigma Pi called a Sigma Nu CHILDISH!

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