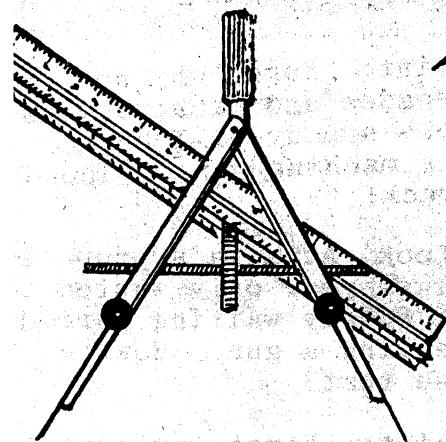


Southern Technical Institute

Marietta, Georgia



# The Sting

## Inauguration Ceremonies Slated For Southern Tech



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### STUDENTS INVITED TO BLUEGRASS AND BARBEQUE SATURDAY NIGHT

All Southern Tech students are invited to "Bluegrass and Barbeque" 7:30-10:30 p.m. Saturday, April 11 in the student center ballroom. The event is free to all students, faculty, and staff.

The evening will feature the bluegrass music of the Cedar Hill band. The dress is casual; and, RSVP is required.

The event is in honor of STI president Dr. Stephen R. Cheshier, on the eve of his inauguration as STI's first president in ceremonies on campus Sunday, April 12. The ceremony begins at 2 p.m. in the gymnasium on campus. Immediately following the inauguration will be a reception in the STI library. Both the inauguration and the reception following are open to STI students and their guests. The dress is semi-formal. Sponsoring Saturday night's bluegrass and Barbeque will be the Southern Tech National Alumni Association.

Commemorative "Cheshier Cat" shirts are on sale at the STI bookstore and in the student center for \$4; and, the shirts may be worn at the Saturday night blow-down.

The first president of Southern Technical Institute, Dr. Stephen R. Cheshier, will be formally inaugurated in ceremonies on the college campus in Marietta, Ga., Sunday, April 12. Open to the public, the ceremonies will begin at 2 p.m. in the college gymnasium. A reception will be held in the breezeway of the college library immediately following the ceremony.

Stephen R. Cheshier came to Southern Tech from Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana, where he served as head of the Department of Electrical Engineering Technology and professor of electrical engineering technology. Dr. Cheshier took office September 1, 1980, as the first president of Southern Technical Institute since it was granted senior college status in the University System of Georgia July 1, 1980. From its founding in 1948, Southern Tech had been the engineering technology division of Georgia Tech. In July the Board of Regents of the University system of Georgia voted that the four year college of engineering technology would be a senior college in the University System, separating its organizational ties with its parent school Georgia Tech. (STI became one of 14 senior colleges in the university system, which includes 33 units throughout the state).

The featured speaker for inaug-

ural ceremonies at STI will be Dr. Arthur G. Hansen, president of Purdue University. Dr. Hansen has been president of Purdue since 1971, after serving as president of the Georgia Institute of Technology.

Hansen had been dean of the College of Engineering and a professor of mechanical engineering three years at Georgia Tech when he was tapped for the Georgia Tech presidency in 1969. Before going to Tech, Hansen was a member of the faculty of the University of Michigan. His background also includes aeronautical research.

Presiding over the inaugural convocation will be Dr. Vernon D. Crawford, Chancellor of the University System of Georgia. In addition to members of the Southern Tech faculty, staff, student body and alumni, various representatives of the community will be participating in the ceremony. Official delegates from 60 colleges and universities from throughout the nation will march in the academic procession, as well as official delegates from 25 professional and learned societies. Included in the presidential party will be educational, civic and political representatives from the city, county and state.

Providing music for the ceremony will be the Southern Tech Jazz Ensemble.



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A Pleasant Distraction From Standing In Line On Registration Day

April 10, 1981



# Editors' Corner

## SGA BUDGET

The question arises as to whether the SGA should totally eliminate funds for the yearbook, the Log, or increase the funding to maintain the present status of the LOG. The argument for maintaining a yearbook is that 1,000 students did want the past year's LOG and that maybe a 1,000 students will always want the yearbook. Clubs and organizations, athletic teams, fraternities and the like do appreciate a visual record of their membership. On the other hand, the majority of students don't feel that the yearbook's expense justifies continuing it. They point out that so many students are totally apathetic about it that few take the time to have their picture taken for printing in the LOG.

There is a middle ground for this issue and everyone should consider it. I would like to see the yearbook published on a subscription basis where those students willing to pay for it would put so much money down to reserve their copy, and the remainder to be paid on delivery. This has worked well in many high schools and the students who worked on the yearbook (photographers, editors, etc.) were naturally chosen from this group of interested students. The end product would satisfy those students more, simply because of the input that a concerned body of students would provide. The operation would be separated from SGA involvement, except for the use of the LOG office and darkroom. The Student Publications Board would provide an advisor and guidance in setting it up.

One advantage to a subscription system is the input of the students who subscribe. When your forking over your own hard cash, one tends to be more concerned about where it is going than

when the SGA pays for it. Hopefully this input would mean a quality product for those who do subscribe. Another advantage is in maintaining the system for producing the yearbook. If we scrap everything now, it will be difficult to start it up again, say in five years maybe, when our school's population just might want the SGA to fund a yearbook. One disadvantage might be the increased cost of a yearbook to the subscribers. In any case, it is another option to consider when the budget goes to committee.

E. R. Auerhan

## POINT-HOLLOW POINT

Point: So, a man who has twice been committed to mental hospitals and has been arrested by the FBI for boarding a plane with two guns, can go to any gun shop in Dallas and by a handgun and shoot the President; and you're against gun control!

Hollow Point: Damn right, I'm against it! The minute you deny a crazy man the right to bear arms, you'll want to deny a sane man the same right.

Point: The right to kill our President?

Hollow Point: Yes, the right for any man to buy whatever weapons he needs an go out and kill anyone he believes is a threat to his security! It's in the Constitution.

Point: The Constitution means to guard us against the intrusion of our privacy by a real threat, not the potential to violence that everyone possesses!

Hollow Point: Then you agree! Every human being has the potential for violence. You never know when somebody is going to come up to you on the street and blow your head away, so you have to be prepared.

Point: Yes, the potential is there, but you don't have to make it easier for someone by providing them with a cheap and easy to acquire method of killing someone else!

Hollow Point: No, but you do want to provide the potential victim with a cheap and easy to acquire method of defending himself.

Point: So, you want to provide every law abiding citizen with a gun because he might be attacked. Why stop there? Grenades and machine guns are much more effective.

Hollow Point: Sure, why not issue grenades and machine guns, I tell you--nobody will bother you with a machine gun strapped to your back!

Point: Look, Atlanta's proposed gun law last year only wanted to require a 60 day waiting period before selling a gun. How can you oppose that?

Hollow Point: First you want to wait 60 days, then 90 days, then a year! Where does it stop? Next, you'll want to require a license to own a handgun!

Point: Automobiles are liscense You have to have lessons, take 2 tests, and even their potential to kill is lessened by inspections, traffic regulations and a speed limit. Yet these laws haven't prevented the nation's enjoyment in driving them, nor the industries' sales of them.

Hollow Point: But those same laws don't prevent traffic death

Point: Yes, but they do minimiz them! That's what we need, a wa to minimize the needless deaths attributed to handguns every year.

Hollow Point: Hey-guns don't kill, people kill! If a man is intent on murdering someone, he will do it with a gun or no gun.

Point: Yes, but what if his intent is not to murder someone, but to commit a crime? How can you want to make it easier for the criminal to commit that burglary, mugging or whatever? We should be making it harder for him to commit a crime!

Hollow Point: Crime is a social problem and can't be solved by restricting the sales of guns.

Point: Exactly, crime is a social problem and can't be prevented by allowing both criminal and law-abiding citizens to carry handguns. It would lead to shootouts in the streets, endangering even the most innocent!

Hollow Point: Well, that's why I traded in my pistol for this here automatic shotgun. You don miss anything with this baby! I'll do just fine in any shootou besides, I've already got my howitzer on back-order.

The STING is published bi-weekly on Fridays. Our next issue will be published on April 24. Any announcements, letters, or advertising must be submitted to the STING office by Tuesday, April 21 at 1:00. We encourage all students to contribute to YOUR newspaper, the STING.

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# Backtalk

## ON HAPPINESS

Life is short--I never quite seem to have enough time for the finer points of life--like inviting my mother over to see my place. I've lived there since last fall, she has never seen it. But sometimes I do pause to reflect upon the fleeting series of events that make up my life. At these times I wonder why I am here, how I as one person can make any difference. Is my pot of gold just over the next rainbow, or am I in my prime now? How can I be free?

Though these questions began with the seduction of Adam's wife by the snake, and unaccounted billions of postulates have attempted to answer them, no single phrase can fit society as a whole. Every mind is forever searching for its own philosophy of life, like sleepwalking backwards through a rosebush. But we wonder how we should live our lives because in seventy years we'll all probably be dead anyhow. As for me, yesterday is one of the two days I can't worry about, tomorrow is the other. So if I can say that I am truly happy, I will be free.

I don't entertain ambitions of wealth--material possessions are insignificant compared to the riches of love and friendship. Few of the best things in life can be bought with money, much less on my salary, ask my girlfriend.

It's lonely at the top, say those at the top. I'm not at the top, but if I ever get there I shouldn't be surprised at the stress, worry and other unhappiness it brings. Sometimes you have to make a choice.

Happiness is important to all of us because anyone can achieve it--the lowly or great, prince or pauper, beautiful or unattractive. Most of us are somewhere in between--between Lincoln and the wino, between good and bad, between preachers and lawyers. But contentment is a state of mind. If you can convince yourself that you are happy, you are.

What is happiness? Maybe wealth, love, power, health, passion and compassion are elements of happiness. But everyone has their own undefined definition and this definition can set you free. But what is freedom? More than the absence of chains because some chains hold all of us. We are bound by laws, and taxes, by marriage, religion or physical, mental, emotional or spiritual limitations. But it doesn't matter, freedom is not material. Freedom is attained only through true happiness. To be free is to be happy, to be happy is to be free.

Allen D. Bearden

I just finished reading the "SGA Budget Preview" in the "Editor's Corner" of the Sting. I would like to thank the editor for the small but worthy paragraph on the STI's band budget-allocation. Indeed our band does deserve a break, and the school funding is greatly appreciated. As a member of the band, I can say first-hand that the band works equally as hard as any other campus organization; however, it is quite frustrating to know that the majority of the campus is unaware of the band's activities and achievements. I consider the Southern Tech Jazz Ensemble

an elite group of people dedicated to bringing good music and entertainment to all aspects of the STI campus, and I am proud to be associated with it.

We do need a break--especially in campus support. If anyone is interested in the band program and would like more information, please feel free to call me at 436-4566 or our band director, C.F. Adams, at 396-7151. The Southern Tech Jazz Ensemble has a lot to offer if just given the chance.

Kevin Noland



Mack: "Hey George, is it true that Al Haig walks all over you?"

George: "No way Mack, and don't let these footprints on my back fool you!"



### LINCOLN GREEN GOES TO COLLEGE

It's been six weeks now! Seems to me they'd let a guy know whether or not he is soon to be a college man! A college man, boy I can hardly wait. I get to move up to the big city where all the action is! Just 15 miles outside of Atlanta, gee, I can study all day and party all night not to mention being surrounded by beautiful city women; in real life!!

It sure is a long walk from the front porch to the mailbox. Wonder if he's come already? I hear in the city I'll have my own personal mailbox and that they'll deliver the mail right to my door! Sure will be a relief to my feet!

College life will be great! I chose an institution small enough to accommodate all my needs. I mean, instructors will know me by name, ie, "Good morning, Mr. Green" or "How's it going, Linc?" I won't just be another name on a computer print out sheet. I'll get individual attention--that is if by chance

I get stuck in any of my course work. I'll get to live in modern air conditioned dormitories--there's only a hand full of them, I'll never get lost trying to find my way home. All the conveniences of home and then some--a student center with pinball, pool table, snack bar and television! More than ample parking facilities too. (Sometimes I'd have to park the truck clear up the north pasture and then walk 1/2 mile to the house). But I guess that really doesn't matter. I can't drive around the city in that old truck. It'll take me at least a coupl' a months to fix up that old '57 Chevrolet to get me back and forth!

What's that I see? The red flag's up on the mailbox! Oh boy, this could be it! It's here I can hardly wait to open it!

"Dear Mr. Green:

This letter is to inform you that you have been accepted for admission....."

ALL RIGHT!!!!

They're even offering me conditional acceptance by insisting that I take special studies in Reading, Math, and Social Studies!! That was sure nice of

them. I guess after I take all these special studies I can skip freshman year! Maybe its 'cause they want to make sure their college is the right one for me. They would hate for me to be bored to death for 4 years. I guess!!

Says to report to room 1016 in Dorm III, my future residence, the Sunday before the beginning of next quarter for orientation. They even sent me an orientation schedule. I'll be busy all day long and way over into the night. Registration is the next day. That should be a breeze!

Got's to hurry and tell Mom and Dad. It'll be Dad's first time setting foot on a college campus! Mine, too. And just think after 4 years of this life of luxury at an accredited institution, no doubt, I'll be a graduate of Southern Technical Institute. And better than that, I'll be a real Engineer!!!

Continued in next issue.

Monica Durden

(Note: This will be a continuing series written from a freshman's point of view. Look for it in future editions of the Sting!)

## Clubs and Organizations

### STARS

The southern Tech Amateur Radio Society, or STARS for short, had a very active Winter Quarter. With our growing membership and newly remodeled Hamshack, we hope to meet the needs of Southern Tech's amateur radio community. Our next meeting is open to the faculty and students of Southern Tech. Anyone who is interested in becoming a ham or who is already a ham is invited to attend. The date is April 15, the time is 12:15 pm, and the place is Howell Hall(DormII) Room 215A. We hope to see you there!

Alan Painter  
WA4QCH

### C.S.I.

#### SPRING SCHEDULE

April 22	ZA. Snipes
	Brick Inst. of America
May 6	Ray Stainback
	T.V.S. and Associates
May 20	Tom Dengel
	Owens Corning Fabric Structures
June 3	Mike Gallifancicks
	Palmer Brick and Tile

All programs are 12 noon in Room 119 of the Student Center on Wednesdays. Bring your lunch and a friend. For further info contact Marty Waterfill, Box 8396.

### IEEE MEETING

Tuesday April 14  
Room 413 12:00 noon

There will be a proposal for a series of help-sessions for EET students. Included will be faculty presentations as well as instrution in laboratory exercise. Student input is needed for this project so please attend the meeting. Plans for an electric tub for the bathtub race will also be discussed. All members and prospective members are requested to attend this meeting

#### ASME ACTIVITIES SPRING 1981

April 11	Blackwell School Playground Project
April 21	General Meeting, 12 Room 601
April 28	IEEE-ASME Railroad Conference (through May 1)
May 5	Workshop on TSC student speech competition
May 10	Spring Bathtub Race concession stand
May 12	Trip to Bowen Plant (Cartersville) Georgia Power
May 19	Speaker from Lockheed
May 26	Video tape of Nuclear Plant operation

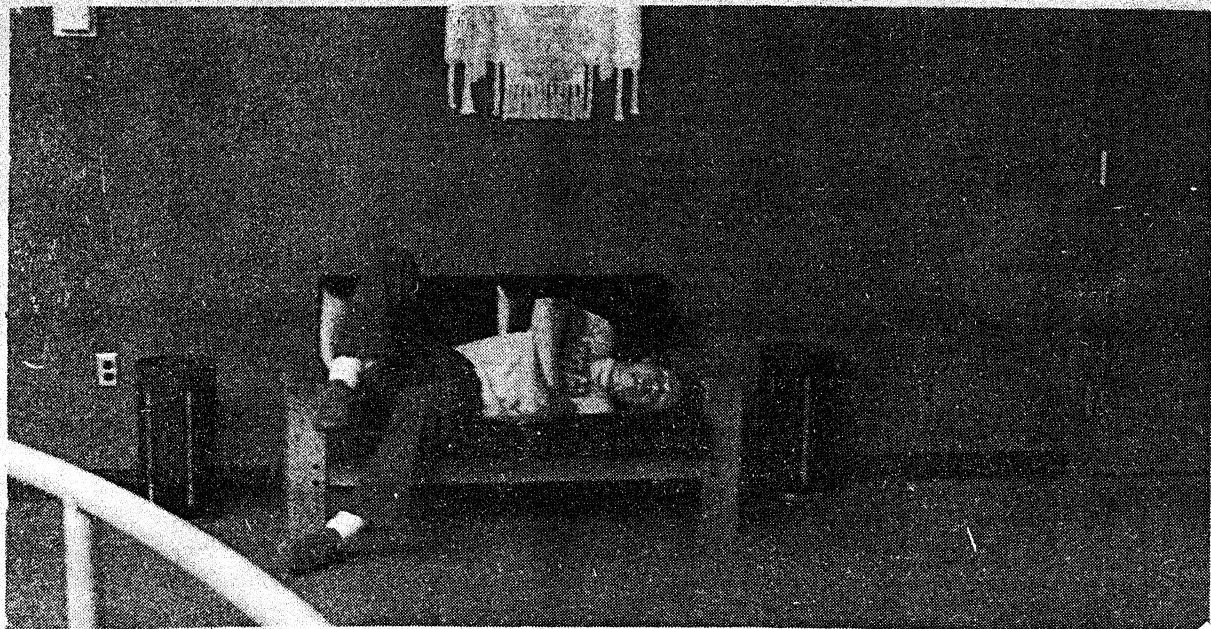


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ATTENDANCE WAS GOOD AT THIS WEEK'S G.D.I. MEETING

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## Cab Info.



### CAB LECTURE

Again, it is my pleasure to invite you to another fine evening of entertainment at Southern Tech. The Campus Activities Board will present on April 15, a lecture by Frank W. Abagnale, author of *Catch Me If You Can*.

The lecture will take place in the Student Center Ballroom at 8 p.m. Admission will be free for all students, faculty and staff. The general public will be charged \$1 admission.

Frank William Abagnale, Jr., once one of the world's most-sought con men and fraudulent check writers, is today one of the most respected authorities on white collar crime.

Abagnale, now heads his own firm in Houston, Texas; ranks as one of this century's greatest imposters.

In the course of five years, Abagnale cashed over \$2.5 million dollars in bogus checks in some 16 foreign countries and all 50 states, while successfully posing as an airline pilot, doctor, lawyer, college professor, stock broker, and other professional persons.

Abagnale served six months in French prison, six months in a Swedish prison, and nearly four years in a U.S. Federal prison before being paroled in 1974. Before he was finally imprisoned by U.S. authorities, Abagnale escaped from custody three times.

Abagnale is now retained by leading institutions, department stores, hotels, airlines and other vulnerable big business entities to lecture and conduct seminars on methods to prevent white collar crime. He is also lecturer on criminology at both Rice University and the University of Houston, and is an instructor on the staff of seven police academies.

He instructs in such matters as check forgery, counterfeiting, bogus documents, credit card abuse, hot checks, internal fraud, short change artist, all crimes he once was so expert at executing. These days, Abagnale instructs on methods to expose such frauds and prevent such crimes.

### MEN! IMPROVE YOUR LOOKS (YOU NEED IT!)

At 12 noon on April 17, 1981, the program "Super Men's Haircuts for Interviews" will be held in Room 120 of the Student Center. Four men students will be selected to have their haircuts done by Hair Sensations, the hair specialists in Marietta. All volunteers should see Sue Konrad as soon as possible. So if you want to look sharp for your next interview, come to this program!

### CAB PRESENTS

CAB lectures present "Dress for Success for Men" a slide program at 7 p.m. Room 119/120 in the Student Center on April 20. Learn to dress for interviews. Help yourself get that special job by looking right. Make the transition from student to businessman in one easy lesson!

### SCI-FI RADIO

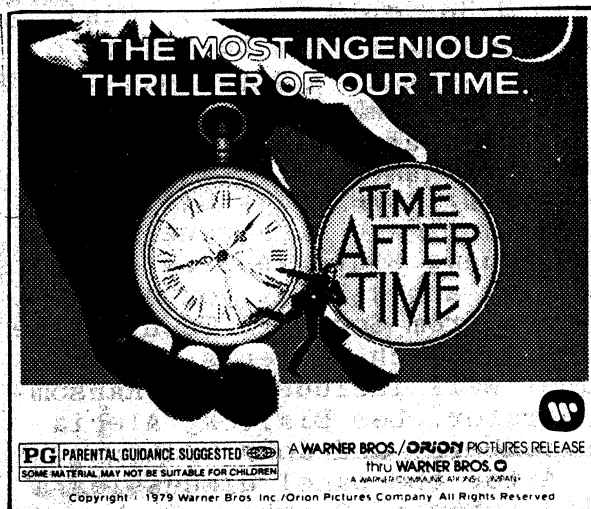
WABE-FM is running two science-fiction radio series: a dramatization of "The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy" on Sunday night and a radio version of "Star Wars" starring some of the original cast, on Monday nights.

### ATTENTION, OUTDOORSPERSONS!

We will have an organizational meeting for the Southern Tech Adventure Group on Thursday, April 16, at noon in Conference Room A of the Student Center. If you are interested in getting together for rafting trips, canoe trips, hiking trips, etc., be sure to come.

### REGISTER YOUR CAR TODAY!

NOTICE TO ALL STUDENTS: You have until Friday April 10, 1981, to register your vehicle, after this time you will be ticketed. You must pay your tickets before you will receive a decal. Decals are \$2.00 and may be purchased in the Police Dept. or the Cashier's office. Decals go on the front windshield passenger side lower right hand corner. If you need to replace a decal you must bring in the pieces of your old decal to the Police Dept. or the Cashier's office and it will be replaced without any charge.



### SPRING MOVIE SCHEDULE

April 16	-	Time After Time
April 23	-	Emmanuelle
April 30	-	Animal House
May 7	-	Gumball Rally
May 21	-	Blazing Saddles
May 28	-	Frisco Kid

All films are shown at 4 and 9 p.m. in the Student Center Ballroom. Admission is 50¢.

## CRIME CRACKDOWN:





# What's happening - On Campus

## VISITATION DAY PLANS FINALIZED

Plans have been finalized for Southern Tech "Visitation Day" to be on campus, Friday, April 24 from 9:30 a.m. to 2:15 p.m.

The one-day visitation schedule is designed to orient prospective students and their parents to the academic, social, and extra-curricula life at Southern Tech.

A highlight of the program will be the performance of the Southern Tech Band during the reception between 9:30 and 10 a.m.

The day will open with a coffee and doughnut reception from 9:30 to 10:00 a.m. Gini Smith, Assistant Director of Admissions, will give an overview of the program followed by a welcome from Dr. Cheshier. Paul Smith will give a brief talk on career placement for STI graduates, followed by a panel discussion of Southern Tech students talking about "What you can expect from Southern Tech." The Southern Tech students on the panel will include Sandy Ransom-Moderator, Lee Blalock, Alecia Fortenberry and John Cochran.

After the panel discussion a slide show on Southern Tech and its programs will be presented.

From 10:45 to 11:30 participants will meet with department representatives. Each Degree Granting Department in addition to Special Studies, will be represented.

After a lunch break, representatives from the college will speak briefly on admissions, financial aid, cooperative education and student life at Southern Tech. The days events will conclude with a tour of the campus from 1:30 to 2:15 p.m., weather permitting.

Any students with names of friends or relatives who might be interested in attending this program should contact Gini Smith in the Admissions Office.

### HEIN

Virginia H. Hein (History) has been elected to the Board of Directors of the Public Broadcasting Association of Greater Atlanta (PBA) which was incorporated in 1979 as a successor to the Public Broadcasting Council of the Atlanta and Fulton County Public Schools. PBA works for the development of station WABE (National Public Radio) and WETV: 30 (Public Broadcasting System) in the areas of program policy, community awareness and participation, and financial development. Mrs. Hein has been a member of the Citizens' Advisory Committee of PBA since 1979.

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## APRIL ACTIVITIES CALENDAR

- April 12, 1981 - Inauguration of Dr. Stephen Cheshier, First President of Southern Technical Institute, 2 p.m., Gymnasium.
- April 13, 1981 - BSU meets every Tuesday, 12 noon, Room 12 in the Student Center.
- April 15, 1981 - Catch Me If You Can author Frank Abagnale tells how he posed as a doctor, lawyer and Pan Am pilot, 8 p.m., Student Center Ballroom, Admission free to students, faculty and staff, Public: \$1 Let him con his way into your heart!
- April 16, 1981 - CAB Cinema presents "Time After Time" 4 & 9 p.m. Student Center Ballroom, Admission: 50¢
- April 17, 1981 - Baseball vs. Mercer University, home, 1 p.m. GO HORNETS!!!
- April 19, 1981 - Easter
- April 20, 1981 - CAB lectures presents "Dress for Success for Men" 7 p.m., Room 119/120. Program by the Professional Image Co.
- April 21, 1981 - Red Cross Blood Drive sponsored by Sigma Pi Fraternity, 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., Student Center Ballroom  
- Baseball vs. Georgia Southwestern, home, 1 p.m.
- April 23, 1981 - CAB Cinema presents "Emmanuelle" Student Center Ballroom, 4 & 9 p.m., Admission: 50¢
- April 24, 1981 - Southern Tech Visitation Day sponsored by the Admissions Office  
- April 24 - 26, State BSU Spring Conference at Rock Eagle

## THE SOUTHERN TECH JAZZ ENSEMBLE

The Southern Tech Jazz Ensemble is currently seeking talent for their Spring performing season.

Rehearsals begin March 31, 1981 at 7:30 PM in the Student Center on the Southern Tech campus, Marietta, Georgia.

Collegiate or High School aged musicians with previous background playing trumpet, trombone, saxophone, drums, guitar (electric or bass), or piano are needed. Jazz experience, while desirable, is not a prerequisite for membership.

While most of the musicians in the group are Southern Tech students, there are still several openings for talented and motivated musicians in all areas of the band.

The Jazz Ensemble is a campus sponsored activity that offers students the opportunity to develop and expand their musical skills while providing the Southern Tech community and surrounding areas with exposure to a wide range of quality jazz music performances. Although participation with the band is non-credit, students devote a minimum of four hours of their own time each week for planned classroom rehearsals in addition to the many hours they spend in preparation and performances outside the rehearsal hall.

The group is directed by Chuck Adams, who is a part-time faculty member, and full-time Electrical Engineer with the Georgia Power Company's Telecommunication Department. Mr. Adams, a native of North Carolina, is a graduate of Tennessee Technological University, and brings with him band directing experience from Virginia, Tennessee, and California.

Persons interested in performing with the Southern Tech Jazz Ensemble should contact Mr. Adams during the day at 447-8111, in the evening at 396-7151 or attend the March 31st rehearsal.



# GREEK NEWS

## TAU BETA ALPHA

A new club on campus? Yes! TBA is a newly organized club formed by a group of 12 girls, interested in the sisterhood of a sorority. And we're off to a great start.

TBA would like to thank Lambda Chi Alpha and Sigma Nu fraternities for all their support and help in the Skit Night activities. We were very proud and honored to receive 1st place in the skit contest.

We would like to congratulate the banner committee for all their work and effort that resulted in the 3rd place award.

We were also honored to have three TBA sisters in the Homecoming court. They are Sherri Holland, 2nd runner up; Greta Miles, 3rd runner up; and Suzzane Sitherwood, 4th runner up. Congratualtions to all of you.

Carol Woodruff  
Kathy Dixon

## SIGMA NU

Welcome to all the returning brothers of Sigma Nu Fraternity. Spring break was really short, wasn't it? Sigma Nu has many activities planned for this quarter. Rush Week is already underway. We have had several great parties so far. The Film Festival and Contest parties were really successful. Sigma Nu plans to have several more parties during Rush Week. Any student interested in joining a fraternity is encouraged to come to these parties and see what Fraternity Life is really like.

Another event Sigma Nu is greatly involved with this quarter is the Spring Bath Tub Race. Sigma Nu sponsors 4 tubs for this race. This is the largest number of tubs sponsored by any one group. Everyone is encouraged to participate. The annual Sigma Nu social, the White Star, will be held on April 18. All brothers are encouraged to come. Bring a date! There will be a full course meal and an open bar. A great band has been provided.

Officer elections for Sigma Nu were held at the end of Winter quarter. The results are as follows: Commander-Larry Fleming, Lieutenant Commander-Jay Chesnut, Treasurer-Alan Caddell, Recorder-Bruce Warren, and Rush Chairman-Greg Walker. Congratulations guys, and good luck. Sigma Nu would also like to congratulate Sidney Kay, Glenn Mitchell, and Jeff Powers for completing pledge education.

Warner Paris

## TAU ALPHA PI

Tau Alpha Pi was founded in 1953 to provide recognition for high standards of scholarship among students in technical colleges and universities and to engender desirable qualities of personality, intellect and character among engineering technology students.

Tau Alpha Pi would like to congratulate it's new members on their achievements at Southern Tech and for participating in the initiation held for them on March 13, 1981, at Southern Tech. The following is a list of those who participated in winter quarter initiation.

The members of Tau Alpha Pi would also like to take this opportunity to thank Dan Gallagher and his wife Donna, for their tremendous effort in preparing for the celebration held at their home following the initiation ceremony. Tau Alpha Pi would also like to thank the Gallagher's for the exclusive use of their home that evening. The party was a fantastic success.

The officers of Tau Alpha Pi hope that everyone that was able to attend thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Again, congratulations new members and thank you Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher, Susan Aligood, Daniel Anderson, Donald Baston, Allen Bearden, David Berfield, Jack Braden, Edith Burruss, Daniel Byrd, Kenneth Chappell, Joyce Clyne, Joe Cross, Michael Dean, Jeanne Donaldson, John Findley, Mark Gilmore, Linda Jaskowski, Sharon Nardo, Tommy Nowell, Robert Reynolds, Chris Rogge, Keith Thompson, Catherine Waters, Gregory Wilkinson.

Lance Caine  
Vice President  
Tau Alpha Pi

## GAMMA PHI BETA

Congratulations goes to Dana Manning for being our new initiate. We are looking forward to working with you this quarter. Our new officers for this year are:

Alecia Fortenberry	President
Pam Pitner	Vice President
Jea Summers	Secretary, Rush Chairman
Robin Sutton	Chapter Development
Tina Brininger	Treasurer
Diane Smith	Pledge Director
Dana Manning	Social Chairman
Carolina Melton	Scholarship Chairman

Congratulations and good luck girls!

The Sigma Phi Epsilon kidnapping was a great success. The sisters were a great help in bringing food for a needy orphanage. Special thanks to Sigma Phi Epsilon for taking the time and effort in helping out the orphanage. Let's not forget that Sigma Phi Epsilon took Alecia out for dinner!

Many thanks goes to Sigma Phi Epsilon for having such a good social last quarter. Gamma Phi's had a great time.

Gamma Phi's enjoyed the Pi Kappa Phi party on March 6. Many thanks to the Ransoms for the use of their home. The social was a success thanks to Pi Kappa Phi.

Gamma Phi's Area Leadership Conference was held at Memphis State during spring break. We received an award for being most involved in campus activities. Linda Jaskowski received an honor for having one of the highest G.P.A.

Our rush parties were a great success. We had a large turn out at the ice cream party and cowboy cookout. Out Atlanta Alumnus are

a big help and we send them a special thanks for everything.

It's great to have you back Kaye Fowler! Gamma Phi's wishes all fraternities lots of luck during rush.

## BSA

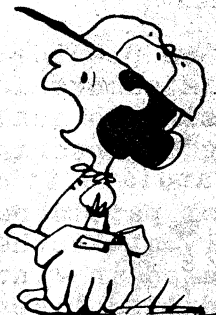
### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR SPRING QUARTER

DATE	Place and Event	Time
April 2	Meeting, Nomination of Officers for 1981-82 Classroom Building, Room 213	12:00 Noon
April 9	Speaker, Ron Sailor. Public Affairs, WAOK, Atlanta Student Center Ballroom	12:00 Noon
April 16	Meeting, Elections Library Seminar Room	12:00 Noon



# Sports

## WILSON'S BASEBALL REVIEW



The Baseball Team is now about half-way through their season. Although our record is above average at 11 wins, 7 losses, the team has twenty-two games left and every player is ready, both physically and mentally.

A fine pitching staff and a hard-hitting lineup has just begun to reach their goals and expectations. Once again the cliché, "optimism and hard work" will continue to make the Southern Tech Baseball Team winners.

Also, a box score will be featured in each edition publicizing players' progress.

Roy Wilson

### BASEBALL

Since the Sting's last publication, the Hustlin' Hornets have played twelve games, four of which were conference games. Southern Tech stands with 1 game won and 3 games lost in the conference, but stand with 10 games won and only four lost in non-conference games. The overall total is an 11-7 record with twenty-two games left in the season.

The scores were as follows:

Southern Tech	6	3
St. Norbert College	2	4
*Southern Tech	8	6
Georgia Southwestern	9	7
Southern Tech	2	4
Armstrong State	4	12
Southern Tech	14	
Urbana College	4	
*Southern Tech	7	5
Georgia College	4	7
Southern Tech	2	9
Siena Heights College	1	2
Southern Tech	4	
Mercer Univ. (Macon)	10	

\* indicates conference games

Roy Wilson

FRONT ROW(L-R):Johnny Barrett,Lamar Knight,Kenny Howard,Johnny Couch,Greg Grier,Hal Holloway,Wesley Haines, Tiger Harrington,Mike Smoker.  
BACK ROW(L-R): Coach Charlie Lumsden,Blake McCrary,Brian Good, Roy Wilson,Hank Chavous,Brian Brumby,Tony Key, Alan Ball,Mickey Dunn,Danny Mann,Jay Butler.

### BASEBALL TEAM LEADING HITTERS AND TEAM HITTING

	At Bats	Hits	Sing.	Doub.	Triple	H.R.	AVER.
Hank Chavous	45	18	15	1	2	0	.400
Danny Mann	48	19	8	1	5	5	.396
Jay Butler	44	15	8	5	2	0	.341
Tony Key	39	13	10	2	1	0	.333
Tiger Harrington	23	7	5	0	2	0	.304
TEAM SCORES	402	116	79	15	17	5	.289

Note: statistics are complete for the first 15 games

### 1981 SOUTHERN TECH 'RUNNING HORNETS' BASEBALL TEAM

### REMAINING BASEBALL SCHEDULE

April 11, 1981	Saturday	* Georgia College (2)	Home	1:00 P.M.
April 14, 1981	Tuesday	Georgia State	Home	3:00 P.M.
April 17, 1981	Friday	Mercer Univ. - Macon	Home	3:00 P.M.
April 18, 1981	Saturday	* Piedmont College (2)	Home	1:00 P.M.
April 21, 1981	Tuesday	* Ga. Southwestern (2)	Home	1:00 P.M.
April 25, 1981	Saturday	Lee College (2)	Away	1:00 P.M.
April 28, 1981	Tuesday	* Shorter College (2)	Home	1:00 P.M.
May 1, 1981	Friday	Tennessee Temple (2)	Away	1:00 P.M.
May 5, 1981	Tuesday	* Piedmont College (2)	Away	2:00 P.M.
May 8, 1981	Friday	Armstrong State	Home	12:00 Noon
May 9, 1981	Saturday	Armstrong State	Home	12:00 Noon

\* - Indicates Conference Games

Charlie Lumsden - Coach    Office - 404-424-7225    HOME - 424-7241    GYM 424-7349



# Sports

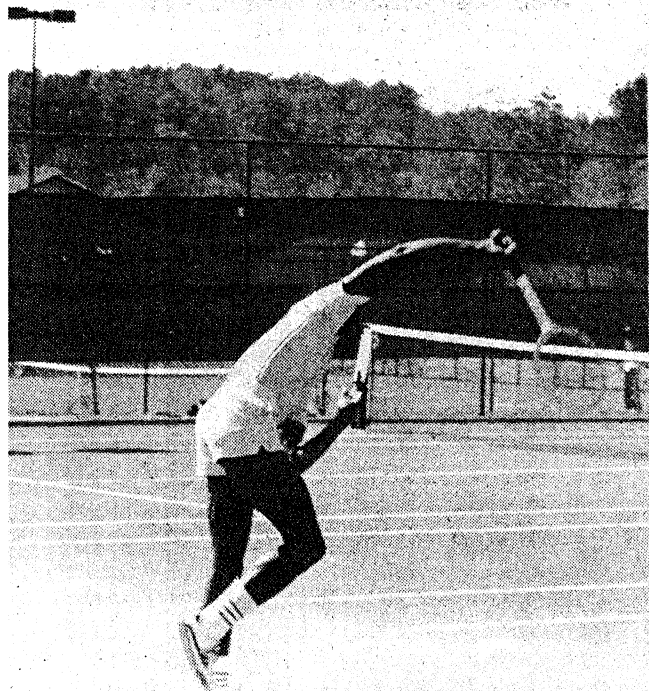


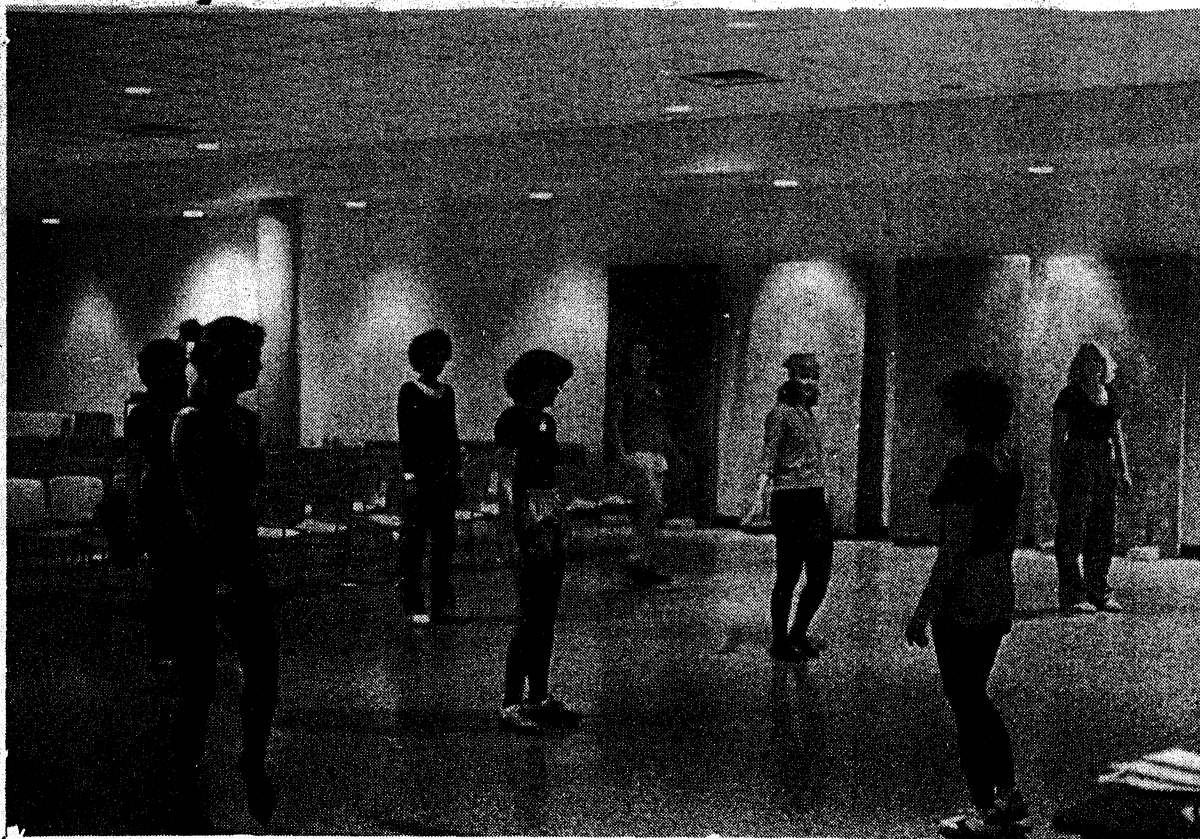
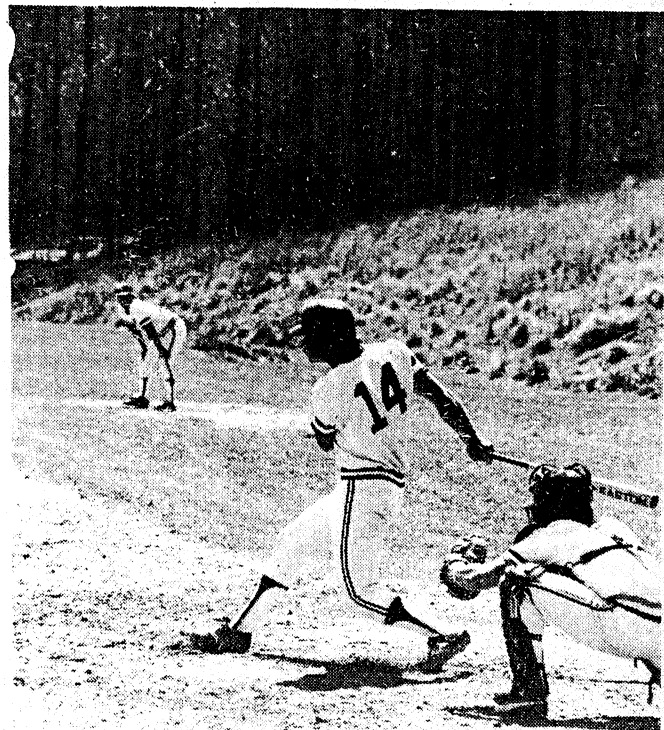
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**TENNIS**

Spring quarter has not only allowed for golf and baseball here at Southern Tech, but also tennis. The tennis coach has a vigorous all conference schedule which began March 30th and ends May 9th. This will include 19 regularly scheduled games, the OIAAC Conference game at Berry College May 4, and the District OIAA game May 8, 1981, in St. Augustine, Florida.

For those of you who are tennis fans, you may or may not know that home games are not played at Southern Tech. These games are played at Laurel Park which is near the downtown Southern Bell office.

Anyone interested in playing tennis for Southern Tech should contact head tennis coach Lee Tucker. Keep those balls bouncing!

Roy Wilson



## AEROBIC DANCE CLASS

Sponsored by STI Intramural Dept.  
Instructor - Roie Shields  
Starting date - April 1, 1981  
Days - Monday and Wednesday  
Time - 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.  
Six week course, two days/week.  
Fee - Students - ID card  
Faculty and Staff - \$10.00

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Registration for Course -  
Dean of Students Office  
Student Center Office  
Intramural Office  
For further information call  
Ron Wofford at 424-7349. All  
classes are held in the Ballroom  
of the Student Center.

## GOLF

The newly developed Southern Tech Golf Team led by Professor Van Hoy, began their season with an unofficial match with the University of Northern Iowa. Because it was an unofficial match, score cards were not heavily relied upon and Southern Tech held their own with the match ending very close to a tie.

There are six active members on the golf team: Paul Jabaley, Johnny Roland, Benny Cook, Don Baston, Bobby Edmunds and Steve Warren.

Anyone interested in playing for the Southern Tech Golf Team should contact Professor Van Hoy. Happy putting!

Roy Wilson



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April 10, 1981

## Intramural Basketball Results

The semi-finals matched up the Who's and the Geechee's & Lambda Chi Alpha & the Wheels. In the first game the Who's were able to out rebound the Geechees's on both end's, which aided them in out scoring the Geechees 91-72. High point man for the Who's was Tony Merrill with 19 also Clarence Bailey and Vince Minor had 18. The leading scorer for the Geechee's was Chris Howell with 21 and Andy Womack with 17. The second game was a see-saw match with the Wheels coming out on top 76-75 over Lambda Chi Alpha. Leading scorers for the Wheels were Danny Parson with 33 & Charlie Johnson with 26. The Chi's leaders were Carl Cochran with 24 and Randy Carpenter with 17.

In the finals the Wheels gave the favored Who's a run for their money in a run and gun game of 97-85. The high point men for the Wheels were again the duo of Parson and Johnson with 29 and 34 points. For the champion Who's team Merrill & Bailey lead with 23 points a piece. Minor added 18 Dept Kelley with 16.

Danny Parson came out on top of the tournament shooters with an average of 30.33 points per game and a total of 91 points in 3 games. The leading free throw shooter for the tournament was Jose Mendes with 9 of 11 for a 81.81%

Ron Wofford

### INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL

Intramural softball season began Monday, April 6th, the fraternity teams involved this season are Lambda Chi Alpha, Pi Kappa Phi, Sigma Nu, Sigma Pi, & Tau Kappa Epsilon. The independent teams are Geechees, Muff-divers, Los Quedaos, Mavericks, Tapps-Kegga-Bru, Reb's, Who's, and "the new gang other wise known as the faculty. Each team will play a ten game schedule this season.

### TET CAMPUS JOB

Spring Quarter - \$3.35 hr to \$3.80 hr. Based on experience Will work for the Textile Dept. establishing a textile manufacturing laboratory and a textile quality/testing laboratory. Will be responsible for the installation, start-up and miscellaneous work necessary on all processing and lab equipment in order to make these labs operational. Flexible work schedule. Call John Linn or Walt Thomas 424-7272 or 424-7273 (Rm. 610 or 612)

April 10, 1981

### ROAD ATLANTA

Road Atlanta opens their 1981 racing season with the International Motor Sports Association Camel GT, April 11 and 12. An array of cars will be debuting at the 12-turn, 2.52 mile road racing course.

Porsches, Datsuns, Corvettes, and BMWs--Fitzpatrick, Moretti, Ongais, Hobbs, Newman and the Whittingtons start the season off with a bang as the International Motor Sports Association (IMSA) Camel GT series comes to Road Atlanta April 11 and 12. Included in the racing weekend will be a GTU race, Champion Spark Plug Challenge and Kelly American Challenge. The Champion Spark Plug Challenge is a real crowd pleaser for two reasons. A spectator is watching a car similar to his in competition, and the field is extremely large. The Kelly American Challenge features Atlanta's own Gene Felton who took the pole and won all races in 1980.

Bob "Hurricane" Hanna, the winningest motorcyclist in the history of motocross, will be at Road Atlanta May 9 and 10 for an American Motorcyclist Association (AMA) sanctioned National Cham-

### MOMENTUM BUILDS FOR MASSIVE UNITED MARCH ON PENTAGON MAY 3

The People's Anti-War Mobilization (PAM), a broad Coalition of hundreds of organizations and individuals across the country as well as other antiwar and progressive groups have joined forces to call for a massive demonstration on the Pentagon on May 3rd. The activity will protest the U.S. war build-up, the increased U.S. intervention in El Salvador, and the wide budget cuts by the Reagan administration.

Campuses nationwide have been one of the largest mobilizers for the May 3rd activity. Student coordinator Ray Nandar, stated, "The response of the campuses and students has been phenomenal." Student government and other campus organizations at schools like Norfolk State, Fisk in Tennessee, in Madison, Wisc., in Boston and Amerst Mass., and the University Senate of CUNY (which covers over 170,000 students) have seen the importance of this march and have actively begun building for it. It can be the largest national march in a decade.

PAM has available materials, speakers, and is available for interviews. Funds are also urgently needed. Please call (202) 462-1488 or (212) 741-0633.

The National Third World Students Coalition of USSA also will be holding a Third World student conference in Washington, D.C. on Saturday, May 2nd.

For more details and information about the conference contact numbers above.

pionship race. Mark Barnett, 1980 National Champion and Broc Glover, National Champion in 1977 1978 and 1979 will indeed provide a thrill-a-minute.

### GOODY'S 500

A major program of professional road racing will kick off the 1981 World 600 week at Charlotte Motor Speedway on May 15, 16, 17.

A press conference was held in the modern racing facility's press box Tuesday, March 10, to announce the plans for the "Goody's 500 Roadracing Spectacular" featuring 500-kilometers of racing and kicks off the season for four professional racing divisions of the Sports Car Club of America (SCCA).

Featured event of the activities will be the season's inaugural CRC Chemicals Trans-Am Championship race for cars like the Porsche 924 and 911, Corvette, Datsun 280ZX, Monza, Mazda RX7, Mustang and Jaguar in 160 kilometers of racing over the speedway's 12-turn high banked quad-oval and road course facility.

All of the events will be conducted over the 3.62 kilometer (2.25 mile) road/oval combination.

### LIVING THROUGH ANOTHER CUBA

Living through another Cuba, it's 1961 again and we are piggy in the middle while war is polishing his drum and peace plays second fiddle!

Russia and America are at each others throats but don't you cry, just get on your knees and while your down there, kiss your ass goodbye.

We're the bulldog on the fence while others play their tennis overhead; it's hardly love at all and somebody might wind up red or dead.

Pour some oil on the water quick, it doesn't really matter where from. He loves me, he loves me not; he's pulling petal from an atom bomb.

This phenomenon happens every 20 years or so; if they're not careful, your watch won't be the only thing with a radioactive glow.

I'll stick my fingers in my ears and hope they make it up before too late, if we get through this year their due for replay 1998.

Andy Partridge  
XTC

### CRAFT ART SOUTH

Thomson, Georgia--a small town with a big city commitment to the arts--announces CRAFT ART SOUTH '81, a nationally recognized art and craft market, for the weekend of April 24, 25, 26th in the historic depot district of downtown Thomson.



SGA ELECTION RESULTS

Total Ballots Cast	298
Enrolled students	2400
Voting Percentage	12.5%

Officers Elected

President	
Sandy Ransom	167
Mike Cersiello	111
Vice-President	
Tobin McTyre	193
Secretary	
Mary Kay Smith	128
David Richards	110

Representatives Elected

Night School	
Paul Gordon	174
Co-Op	
Leon Cleghorn	156
Dorm II	
Stanley Hill	141
EET	
Tommy Stripling	144
IET	
Charles Nix	125
CET	
David Stuart	127
At Large	
Randy Carpenter	138
David Hansard	129
Allen Barrow	105

RUNOFFS

Anyone receiving write-in votes for a representatives' post must submit petitions to the SGA by April 21, 1981. In the case of multiple submission, there will be a run-off election. Single submittles will come before the council for approval.

If you know any of these people, please inform them of this notice. Petitions for office are on the door of the Sec-Treasurer's office. Fill it out and slide it under the door.

Sincerely,  
John Cochran  
SGA President

BARNUM

Dr. Carol Barnum, Assistant Professor of English, presented a paper on John Gardner, a contemporary American novelist, at the Twentieth-Century Literature Conference in Louisville in February. She also presented a paper on teaching technical writing at the Conference on College Composition and Communication in Dallas in March. Dr. Barnum teaches technical writing, business communication, composition, and literature at Southern Tech.

# Placement and Co-op

Campus interviews scheduled to date for spring quarter as follows:  
Monday, April 13, Reliance Electric Co. - EET, MET  
Monday, April 13, Eagle Shirtmakers - IET, AMET  
Tuesday, April 14, Plantation Pipeline Co. - EET  
Tuesday, April 14, Robins AF Base - EET  
Wednesday, April 15, Robins AF Base - EET  
Wednesday, April 15, Factory Mutual Engineering - AET, CET, EET, IET, MET, TET  
Thursday, April 16, Fulton Supply Co. - IET, MET, IDT  
Thursday, April 16, Georgia D. O. T. - CET  
Monday, April 20, Ceco Corp. - AET, CET  
Monday, April 20, Ecology & Environment, Inc. - CET  
Tuesday, April 21, Continental Forest Industries - EET, MET  
Wednesday, April 22 - Philip Morris - IET, MET  
Thursday, April 23 - Philip Morris - IET, MET  
Monday, April 27 - Amdahl - EET  
Tuesday, April 28 - Hewlett Packard - CET, EET, IET, MET  
Tuesday, April 28 - Kawneer - AET

NOTEBOOKS FOR THE ABOVE INTERVIEWS ARE POSTED ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE INTERVIEW DATE. READ INFORMATION IN NOTEBOOK BEFORE YOU SIGN UP AND LEAVE YOUR RESUME IN NOTEBOOK IF SIGNING.

SIGN UP FOR INTERVIEWS AS SOON AS THE NOTEBOOKS ARE POSTED. These companies call a day or two in advance to check on the schedules and will cancel if the response is not good.

Campus interviews are held in Interview Rooms A, B and C. Come to the placement office literature room (125) to wait for your interview; the recruiter will come out and call your name when it is time for your interview.

Students interviewing through the placement office should turn in a REGISTRATION CARD, CLASS SCHEDULE and RESUME (see Mrs. Howard in Room 122 to obtain forms).

Information about resume preparation can be obtained in placement office room 125 (on counter).

Several video cassette films to assist graduates in preparing for interviews are available for checking out in the placement office. About one hour is required to view all films. They should be taken to the front desk in the Library to obtain permission to use one of the two video playback machines. Instructions for proper use are posted on the machines. See Mr. Smith or Mrs. Howard in Room 122 to check out cassettes.

NIGHT SCHOOL STUDENTS who need to use placement office after 5:00 PM can see Mr. VanGorder, Night School Coordinator.

The next LENDMAN CONFERENCE will be April 24, at the new Holiday Inn, Powers Ferry Road. Watch placement bulletin board for more information.

PART-TIME JOBS are posted on bulletin board in Room 125. Make direct contact on these.

GRADUATES should also check the blue job folders in bin on counter and follow instructions in folder. These companies will not be interviewing on campus.

IMMEDIATE JOB OPENINGS are posted in the bin also--many of these are full-time but do not require a degree. If you are not a graduate but need a full-time job, be sure to check these folders with the gold tabs.

CO-OP CO-OP CO-OP

The Co-op Office is located in Room 125, Administration Building. Mrs. Regenia Doyle is the Co-op Coordinator; Mrs. Dot Cochran is the Secretary.

Thursday, April 16, Georgia Department of Transportation will be on campus to interview Civil students for summer Co-op Jobs. Sign up with Mrs. Cochran.

The following other companies also have co-op jobs for summer:  
Northern Telecom - EET  
C. W. Matthews - CET  
Stanley Furniture Co., Stanley, VA - IET

STUDENTS REGISTERED WITH THE PLACEMENT AND CO-OP OFFICES SHOULD CHECK POST OFFICE BOXES FREQUENTLY. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A POST OFFICE BOX, BE SURE WE HAVE A CURRENT PHONE NUMBER AND ADDRESS FOR LOCATING YOU.



# Classifieds

Classified ads are free to all students, faculty and employees of Southern Tech. All ads must be left in the STING mailbox before April 21, at 1:00, if they are to appear in our next issue.

## FOR SALE

1971 Yamaha 125, AT series. Box 8322, or call 429-8070 after 5 p.m. New battery, cycle in excellent condition.

## ATTENTION

Anyone living in vicinity of Austell please call John S. Brock at 948-0976. I need a ride to and from STI. Will pay.

## NEWSPAPER STAFF POSITIONS OPEN

You! can earn college credit, 2 hours per quarter, as a Sting staff reporter enrolled in English 304, 305 or 306. Positions are open for spring and summer quarter. Students who wish to receive credit must attend meetings each Tuesday at noon, help with the layout every other Wednesday and write at least one article per issue, with five issues per quarter. Persons interested in writing without taking the course are also encouraged to do so.

Three salaried positions are also coming open spring quarter. Ad manager, (commission, 50% of each ad), graphic artist (\$50 per quarter) and typist (\$25 per issue, 6-8 hours of work).

Anyone interested, please drop your name, phone number and scope of interest in the Sting mailbox near the television in the Student Center.

## BACK ISSUES AVAILABLE

Back issues of the following magazines for sale, cheap. TIME, NEWSWEEK, PEOPLE, US, SPORTS ILL., SOUTHERN LIVING, ATLANTA MAG., and Old Marvel Comic books. Call 433-9959 after 5:00. Ask for Richard Maurer.

Roommate needed to share 3 bedroom, 2 bath apartment at Tempo Forest Apts. ( $\frac{1}{2}$  rent +  $\frac{1}{2}$  utilities.) Only furniture needed is your own bedroom furniture. If interested call Michael Harris at 427-9869 any time you can get him.

# GRAPHIC ART CONTEST

In response to the call for more artwork in your newspaper, the STING announces a student Graphic Arts Competition. The competition is open to all enrolled Southern Tech. students and the rules/requirements are as follows:

1. The work must be in black ink or pencil
2. " " " " on white-surfaced paper, no larger than 14in.X 10in.
3. The subject matter or theme must deal with science, technology, science fiction, or fantasy.
4. A title, quote, or explanation of your work must also be submitted.
5. All artwork must be signed and the registration form below must accompany your entry.
6. All entries will be judged solely on quality and content (subject matter or theme), by the staff of the STING.
7. Deadline for submission is April 28, Tues. at 1:00 and the winner will be announced in our 3rd issue.

## WINNER WILL RECEIVE \$20.00 !

Place your entry in the mailbox outside the STING office and don't forget the entry form below. All entries become the property of the STING and will not be returned.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Class \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Box No. \_\_\_\_\_ Tele. No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Title: \_\_\_\_\_

# CREATIVE WRITING CONTEST

In response to the call for more student input in your newspaper, the STING announces a student Creative Writing Contest. The competition is open to all enrolled Southern Tech. students and the rules/requirements are as follows:

1. The Article must be legible and have your signature.
2. A minimum of 250 words is required.
3. There is no maximum word requirement.
4. We suggest that your entry deal with a subject of student interest.
5. All entries will be considered and the winner will be judged on how well the article reflects student interest by the staff of the STING.
6. Deadline for submission is April 28, Tuesday at 1:00 and the winner will be announced in our third issue.

## WINNER WILL RECEIVE \$10.00

Place your entry in the mailbox outside the STING office and don't forget the entry form above. All entries become the property of the STING and will not be returned.