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# **Record Enrollment Set**

Enrollment for the first summer session at The University of Texas at Tyler has set a new university record with 1,316 signed for classes through Tuesday. This unofficial total is an increase of 34 percent over the 978 headcount at the same time one year ago.

Additional enrollment is expected through seminars and workshops, including the Free Enterprise Institute which begins Monday.

## **Board To Consider Budget**

Budgets for all components of The University of Texas System will be considered when the board of regents meet June 10-11 in Port Aransas.

Three items for UT Tyler have been submitted for docket consideration at the meeting. These include a report on small classes taught in the spring semester, amendments to the 1981-82 operating budget and a 1982 summer session budget.

## **Year-End Deadlines Set**

#### **Open Market Requisitions**

The deadline for submitting Open Market Requisitions for fiscal year '82 to the Purchasing Office is June 25. Any requisitions for open market orders received after June 25 will be charged to FY-83 funds. Effective immediately until the end of the current fiscal year, any requisition which is intended to be charged to FY-83 funds should be clearly marked in red on the face of the requisition.

#### **Contract and Spot Purchase Requisitions**

The deadline for submitting fiscal year '82 contract and spot purchase requisitions to the Purchasing Office is August 10. Any requisitions received after August 10 will be charged to FY-83 funds.

#### **Rental Orders**

Rental orders are not automatically renewed at the end of each fiscal year. Requisitions for renewal of rental orders should be submitted to the Purchasing Office by June 25 or as soon therafter as possible so they can be processed through the State Purchasing and General Services Commission prior to the beginning of the next fiscal period.

#### **Maintenance** Agreements

Maintenance agreements also are renewed on an annual basis and should be requested separately on a departmental purchase requisition to the Purchasing Office by June 25.

Any orders placed from FY-82 funds for consumable items should be submitted early enough for the goods to be received by August 31. If consumable items are received after August 31, 1982, these orders probably will be paid from FY-83 funds.

If there are questions regarding this information, please contact Gwen Green, extension 304.

## **Committee Appointed**

President George F. Hamm has asked a nine-member committee to conisider the creation of an Ad Hoc Sesquicentennial Committee for The University of Texas at Tyler. The committee, to be chaired by Dr. Patricia A. Gajda, would coordinate with the Texas 1986 Sesquicentennial Commission, created by the 66th Texas Legislature, in planning the state's 150th birthday celebration.

The committee is to examine the literature and guidelines made available by the Commission and to make a recommendation to the president on whether or not to participate in the festivities as a Texas Independence Association.

Members of the committee include deans Robert L. Cox, Wendell C. Hewett, L. Lynn Sherrod and Tom G. Turns, professors Vivian A. Hicks, Thomas A. Keagy, Jeanie Stanley and Gerald L. Morris and Archie Whitfield, director of the Public Information Office.

## **68 Listed On Honor Roll**

Sixty-eight students are listed on the President's Honor Roll for the spring semester at The University of Texas at Tyler. Honored are those students who completed 12 or more semester hours of undergraduate credit with "A's" in all courses.

The 68 listed for the spring include 43 juniors and 25 seniors. Women dominate the list with 50 compared to 18 men.

Elementary education is listed as the major for 23 on the honor roll. Accounting and computer science have eight each while industrial education has five majors. Twenty-one majors are listed among the 68 students.

# **A Report On Research**

In response to a request from the Faculty Research Committee, those faculty members who have completed their research projects which were funded through the committee have prepared abstracts and informal summaries for inclusion in Intercom.

Janice D. Glascock received \$1,060 for research in "Mudejarismo in Mexico."

#### **BY JANICE D. GLASCOCK**

From July 14 through July 28 I extended photographic research on "Mudejarismo in Mexico", again following the authority of Manuel Toissaint for authenticated sites.

I began in Mexico's southernmost state, Chiapas, in the town of Chiapa de Corzo. The 16th century *mudejar* fountain in the *plaza principal* was in excellent condition, its brick work revealing its similarity with the Monasterio de Guadalupe in Caceres, Spain. San Cristobal de las Casas (reached by ascending 8000 feet in 50 miles over switchback roads above the clouds) was a disappointment from the research point of view. Only the *esgrafiado* facade of the cathedral reamins to show *mudejar* influence.

I returned to Mexico City to make rail connections for the state of Michoacan. Since accommodations were not available for Urrapan until the night of July 20, I utilized the layover time to research several small towns north of Mexico City which had to be excluded from research the previous summer. The towns covered include Texcoco, site of the first school in the Americas, founded by Pedro de Gante. It is located adjacent to the Cathedral of San Antonio and both constructions have preserved *mudejar* elements from the 16th century. Papalotla (a perfectly maintained colonial town whose name means "butterfly" in Nahuatl) has preserved the so-called *Arcadas Reales* at the entrance to the Santo Toribio de Papalotla compound. The gateways to Santa Maria Tulantongo, in the town of Tulantongo, and San Miguel Arcangel, in the town of Chiconcuac, both show the persistence of the *- mudejar* influence.

In Urupan, Michocan, 16th century *mudejar* construction and decoration was found in the Hospital y Capilla de San Francisco and the Capilla de San Francisco en el Barrio. In the Tarascan Indian village of Angahuan reconstruction and preservation work was in progress on the church of Santiago, el Apostol. The work was sufficiently advanced to enable me to get good shots. Patz-cuaro was disappointing because subsequent reconstruction done on the old cathedral and basilica, both begun in the 16th century by Vasco de Quiroga, has eliminated any *mudejar* elements. Only ruins remain in Tziztzuntzan (which means "hummingbird" in Tarascan) of the Franciscan convent also begun by Quiroga. It was destroyed by fire in 1944.

I researched the cathedral of the Coyoacan suburb of Mexico City and was happy to find perserved from its first construction in 1552 a corner of the cloister with a beautiful example of a polychrome *artesonado* ceiling.

#### FROM THE MASTER CALENDAR

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# **Scholarships Awarded**

Nine scholarships — valued at \$5,100 — have been awarded to journalism students for the 1982-83 academic year at The University of Texas at Tyler.

Receiving \$900 President's Associates Scholarships are Angie Patterson of Mineola, Becky Buford of Athens and Laura Hughes of Tyler.

Student Publications Scholarships of \$400 each have been awarded to Billie Pope of Palestine, Orien Klein of Jacksonville, Richard Douglas of Ben Wheeler, Brett Morman of Athens, Terry Brown of Tyler and Phil Hicks of Tyler.

All nine awards are for working on the UT Tyler Patriot.

### **60 Named On Deans List**

Sixty students are included on the Deans List for the spring semester at The University of Texas at Tyler. These students achieved a 3.75 or higher grade point average on nine or more hours.

Included are 16 seniors and 44 juniors. Eighteen academic disciplines are represented among the students making the Deans List. Elementary education sets the pace with 13 while psychology and computer science have six each, accounting and industrial education five each and sociology four.

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