

NEWSLETTER

Upsala College Wirths Campus

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Newsletter Club

By Scott Mele

As you can see, Wirths Campus now has its own Newsletter. This is the first issue, for which a name has not been selected.

The Newsletter will be published bi-weekly, (with luck) in a form similar to this issue. We, the staff, will keep you abreast of happenings both here and in East Orange, and will print articles of interest to both school and community.

At present, there are other things we contemplate doing. Bulletin boards will be erected at the Bank and High School classrooms. We would also like to develop social activities for the school. Anyone with suggestions or offers of help should drop a note in the suggestion box outside our office on the second floor of the Bank. If you prefer, drop by yourself to attend our meetings at 1:30 p.m. on Mondays. Anyone interested in joining our staff should also drop by at that time, no experience necessary. Remember, this is the Newsletter of your campus; let's make it the best we possibly can!

What's In a Name?

By Ed Gaffney

Welcome to the first issue of Upsala's Newsletter. The staff of the Newsletter would like your help in trying to name our paper. We are having a contest for the best two or three word title or simple logo.

Anyone interested in winning a prize and going down in the history of Wirths Campus is asked to submit written suggestions to the Newsletter office located on the second floor in the National Bank of Sussex, across from the classrooms. Come out and support Your school Newsletter!

# Interview with Wallace R. Wirths By Mary Gebhard

On September 6, the Wirths Campus of Upsala College began its first classes, thanks to Upsala's largest donor, Mr. Wallace R. Wirths.

Mr. Wirths has lived in north Jersey all of his life, being born in Englewood. A former Westinghouse executive, Mr. Wirths has a degree from Lehigh University in business administration. After spending 25 years at Westinghouse, last November Mr. Wirths left on sick leave and remains undecided whether he will return.

For the past 25 years Mr. Wirths has lived on his farm, which started with 70 acres and eventually grew to 300 acres, 270 of which he has donated to Upsala.

Mr. Wirths chose to donate the land to Upsala because of the tremendous impression Dr. Rodney Felder, Upsala's President, made upon him. Mr. Wirths feels they closely share beliefs, ideas and philosophies on what a school should and shouldn't be.

Mr. Wirths is pleased and takes great satisfaction in watching the school develop and he predicts that next fall there will be about 500 students enrolled. Mr. Wirths also feels that the school will become a cultural center for the entire county.

When asked about his impressions of the professors, he has met, Mr. Wirths feels that they have fantastic backgrounds and he was very impressed with all of them. As a student himself, Mr. Wirths enjoys tremendously his Greek Philosophy class.

This has been a year of ups and downs for Mr. Wirths. His father passed away this year at the age of 93. On the brighter side, he is very happy now that he has officially become a father. His adoption of Harold was approved a short time ago. Harold is 14 and is attending Franklin High School. Mr. Wirths was his "Big Brother" since Harold was 8 years old.

After donating such a large asset, Mr. Wirths is taking great satisfaction in seeing the property being put to such good use. He is certain that the community will appreciate the educational growth that Upsala will bring to our county.

"I would hope that the gift...
set(s) an example to other citizens of
Sussex County to make substantial
donations to the College in the future ...
to provide the best possible education
for the people of this area."

### Wirths Campus Clubs

by Sheila Fogel and Elaine Logan

If you aren't already aware of it, we have a Tennis Club. Anyone who is interested in good exercise and a lot of fun can join their fellow classmates on Wednesdays at 1:30 p.m. at High Point Regional, or can call Jean Styger (875-3343) for more information.

Also, anyone interested in horses (whether riding or learning more about them) may want to join our newly formed Riding Club. Ms. Rebekah Pate, who has recently moved to Sussex County is helping to coordinate various activities for this group. Such activities will include riding lessons and fox hunting, as well as visits to Gladstone, observing the Olympic Equestrian Team in practice. Many other activities are under discussion. For more information contact Rebekah Pate (875-9245) or Ron Nichols at the Wirths Campus.

## Wirth Campus in conjunction with East Orange Campus Clubs

The Pre-Law Club headed by Prof. McKee, and the Political Science Club, headed by Prof. Loh will meet on alternate Thursdays at 11:00 a.m. Each club's objective will be to bring the student closer to his goal. Stimulating speakers from various law schools will be invited to discuss the requisites involved in law school admission. Visits to the Legislature are anticipated in Political Science.

Pre-Law Meetings: Old Main, 3rd Floor Political Science: College Center Conf. Rm., Main Fl.

The Womens Organizations' group which met on Oct. 1 at 11:00 a.m. will interest women in business who are taking courses at Upsala.

#### SUSSEX COUNTY UPCOMING EVENTS

Walkathon

Sunday, October 21

This is a county-wide undertaking. It's a 10 mile walk for the hungry of the world. Anyone interested in either walking or sponsoring a walker may contact Ron Nichols, Administration Building (875-7187). By the way, Ron is looking for sponsors as he's planning to be one of Upsala's walkers. Why not join him!

### EAST ORANGE UPCOMING EVENTS

Upsala Homecoming

Saturday, October 13

All students are welcome to attend Upsala's

Homecoming. It'll be a day full of festivities. There will be a parade in the morning, a coffee hour, an Upsala vs. Delaware Valley football game, a theatre production, an alumni/student art show and more. Further information is available through the Administration Building at Wirths Campus, or contact Elaine Logan (764-3689).

# Schedule of Athletic Events For October By Lew Gale

Our football schedule is shown below. We have a good team and very tough opponents. This is for the balance of October:

Saturday	Oct	13	Delaware	Valley -	(Homecoming
Saturday	Oct	20	Juniata	_	
Saturday	Oct	27	Lycoming	(Parents	Day)

The Soccer Schedule for the balance of the month is shown below. Coach Fred Wieboldt hopes to improve our record in this great sport:

Saturday	Oct 13	Lycoming
Tuesday	Oct 16	Scranton
Thursday	Oct 18	Bloomfield
Saturday	Oct 20	Rutgers-Newark
Monday -	Oct 22	Delaware Valley
Wednesday	Oct 24	N.J.I.T
Saturday	Oct 27	FDU Madison

The Championship Women's Volleyball Team hopes to continue their great record. Here is the balance of their schedule:

Saturday	Oct 13	Stocton State
Friday	Oct 19	Rider
Tuesday	Oct 23	Trenton
Thursday	Oct 25	FDU-Madison
Friday	Oct 26	Monmouth
Monday	Oct 29	Livingston

Sue Simon, who took over our Women's Tennis Team last year, expects a winning season for 1979. She almost made it last year with a 5-6 record.

Monday	Oct 15	Rutgers-Camden
Wednesday	Oct 17	FDU Teaneck
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(Tournament	Oct 19	NJAIAW
Wednesday	Oct 24	Concordia
Saturday	Oct 27	MAC Tournament at Franklin & Marshall

For any further information about tickets, time and place, call me at 266-7224.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Emergency School Closings will be announced on radio stations WSUS, Franklin, N.J. and WNNJ, Newton, N.J. When High Point Regional High School is closed, we will automatically close both day and evening classes even if the weather should improve during the day. Also note that we will be separate from the East Orange campus as far as emergency closings.

I.D. Pictures will be scheduled on Oct. 22, 23 & 24, only, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Administration Building on Wirth's Campus. They will be available at High Point Regional High School in the evening of October 24 only, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

EVENING HOURS FOR ADVISEMENT: Tuesday and Thursday at High Point Regional High School, Prof. Reed will be available in the Office on the 2nd floor. Also by APPOINTMENT, advisement, can be scheduled from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursdays at High Point Regional High School.

We have been requested to remind all students that PARKING is a problem in Sussex. <u>Do not</u> park on the street in the store front area. <u>Do not</u> park on the lot behind the National Community Bank Building. <u>Do</u> park on side streets or on Newton Ave. (on the other side of Rt. 23).

Prof. Cross has agreed to lead us on a glorious hike to view the fall speldor via a section of the Appalachian Trail. We would begin at Crigger Rd. and hike to Culvers Gap on 206 (Sunrise Mountain - 1653 feet included) . . approximately 6.2 miles. We have been in touch with Dunn's Bus Service and plans are underway for the HIKE on Saturday, October 20. Meet at Wirth's Campus at 10:45 a.m. where we will be "bussed" to Crigger Rd. and picked-up approximately four hours later (3:00 p.m.) at Culvers Gap on 206. BRING YOUR LUNCH, comfortable shoes, a small fee for bus service and we're off. Please call Wirth's Campus Office if interested -- 875-7187.