



The Dana REVIEW

Dana College, Blair, Nebraska

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Evening School Courses Now Available to Grads at No Cost

Dr. R. J. Weckmuller, Director of Summer and Evening School at Dana, has announced plans for a new program which will make a selected group of courses taught during the regular evening school sessions available to Dana graduates at no cost to them.

These courses will be the same in quality and content as those taught during the regular college session. Graduates will be allowed to register and audit these courses free of charge.

Beginning with Second Semester Evening School on February 1 and 2, 1972, the following courses will be offered as a part of this new program:

Government and Business, Marketing Management, Child Psychology, Modern English Grammar, Personal and Community Health, U.S. History Since 1877, Mathematics for Elementary Education, Ethics, Swimming Lessons, American Government, New Testament Introduction and Christianity in the Modern World.

Graduates interested in taking advantage of this new program are invited to contact the Education Department at Dana for further details.

Showers Named Director of Admissions

Richard V. Showers, Dana's first East Coast representative for student recruitment, has been named Director of Admissions, according to an announcement made recently by President E. R. Mezoff.



Richard Showers

Showers is presently completing his work on the East Coast but is expected to arrive in Blair to assume full time responsibility for the College's Admissions program by January 1, 1972.

A native of Lancaster, Pennsylvania, Showers is a graduate of Franklin and Marshall College. Prior to coming to Dana he served as Director of Public Relations at Lebanon Valley College, Annville, Pennsylvania. Since 1969 he has also served as Consultant to the College Entrance Examination Board in New York City.

Showers has been active in college admissions work for many years, having served as Assistant, Associate and Acting Director of Admissions and Financial Aid at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Connecticut, and Director of Admissions at Franklin and Marshall College.

He is married and the father of four daughters.

Mr. Calvin Jorgensen, Dana's Director of Admissions for the past twelve years, resigned that post earlier this year to become Director of Financial Aid and Associate Director of Admissions. Mr. Greg Witte and Mr. Larry Forristall, both 1971 Dana graduates, are also associated with the Admissions Office as Counselors.

The Admissions Office has recently moved into redecorated and expanded quarters in Pioneer Memorial.

FROM THE PRESIDENT . . .

It is with great joy and happiness that my family and I extend to each of you our warm and sincere holiday greetings. While we cannot speak with or write to each of you personally, the warmth of our feelings and the depth of our gratitude for your relationship to Dana are not in the least diminished. May the joy and peace which is possible through Christ's birth be and abide with you not only during this holy season but throughout the coming New Year.

E. R. MEZOFF
President

Folk Dancers Perform at Wisconsin Festival



Seventeen members of the Dana Folk Dancers recently represented the College at the Holiday Folk Fair in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The Folk Fair is sponsored by the International Institute of Milwaukee and attracts crowds of 100,000 spectators during its three-day run. This year the Fair focused on Denmark and the Dana Dancers were invited to appear on the program as the special guests of the Institute. Dressed in their newly acquired costumes, the Dancers were featured several times throughout the weekend program.

Better Representation Sought

Alumni Council To Be Expanded To 17

Membership on the Alumni Advisory Council is being expanded, according to a decision made recently by the Executive Board of the Council. President Bud Robinson explained that in order to plan programs of broader interest and to increase representative membership, the Council is being expanded to seventeen members.

Under the new plan, the existing members of the Council will be retained and four new members will be elected. As a result, there will be one or more members on the Council representing each of the 10-year periods from 1920 to 1929; 1930 to 1939; 1940 to 1949; 1950 to 1959; 1960 to 1969 and 1970

to 1979. Every alumnus, regardless of class year, will then be represented on the Council.

Another change announced by the Council involves changing the position of Treasurer to that of Second Vice-President. This change is made because the Council as such does not have any funds to administer and therefore the position is unnecessary. The present Treasurer, Dr. R. J. Weckmuller, has been nominated for re-election but to the position of Second Vice-President.

Current members of the Council include: Bud Robinson, President '50; Karen Jensen Capel, First Vice-President '60; Ann Harms George, Secre-

tary '54; Raymond Weckmuller, Treasurer '52; Roger Petersen '61; Florence Hansen '48; Andrew Hansen '50; Melvin Rogers '58; Rodney Wead '57; Paul Olson '61; Tom Nielsen '59, and Margaret Haszard Zion '69.

Pictures and a brief biographical sketch of each of the nominees to the Council are carried in this issue of the REVIEW.

Alumni are urged to vote for the new Council members making use of the official ballot which appears on page 3. Please note that all ballots are due in the Alumni Office before December 31, 1971.

KAREN JENSEN CAPEL

Karen received her B.A. in music in 1960. She lives in Council Bluffs with her husband Bob and daughter Kimberly. She is active in several musical groups in the Bluffs and serves as director of the Jennie Edmundson Hospital Nursing Students Choir. In 1968 she was recognized as one of the Outstanding Young Women of America and in 1969 she received the Dana Alumnus Service Award. Karen has served on the Council in the position of First Vice-President and is nominated for re-election to that post.



Capel



Hjortsvang

ALVINA LARSEN HJORTSVANG

Alvina is a Sociology major who graduated in 1948. She lives in Omaha with her husband Herb, daughter Barbara and son Paul. In addition to her domestic duties, Alvina serves as Supervisor of the Social Workers for Lutheran Family and Social Services. She has also served on the Central District ALC Social Action Committee and the Omaha Conference of Ministry to Young Adults. Alvina is also nominated for the First Vice-Presidency.



Weckmuller



Gabby

RAYMOND J. WECKMULLER

Ray graduated from Dana in 1948 with a B.S. degree and then went on to earn a Master's at the University of Omaha and a Doctorate from the University of Nebraska. He lives in Blair with his wife Mary, daughters Ann Christin, Lynn Ellen, Carol Jean and son Paul Raymond. Ray's official title at Dana is Director of Teacher Education. He is involved in numerous education committees in the greater Omaha area and was recently honored by the Omaha Public Schools for his leadership in teacher training. He has served as Treasurer of the Alumni Association and is nominated for the Second Vice-Presidency.

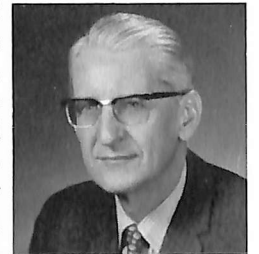
FRANK GABBY

Frank attended Dana for two years in the 50's and now lives in Blair with his wife Nancy and daughters Pamella, Kristin and Cynthia. He is Territory Manager for the Micklin Home Improvement Co. of Omaha. He is a member of First Methodist Church and the Blair Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Frank is also nominated for the post of Second Vice-President.

STANLEY M. BACH

Dr. Bach graduated from Dana in 1937 and received his M.D. degree from the University of Nebraska College of Medicine in 1941. He interned at University Hospital and served his Orthopedic residency there. He is now in private practice in Omaha, where he lives with his wife Lulu. Dr. Bach is a member of Alpha Omega Alpha fraternity and a list of professional organizations too lengthy to mention here. Dr. Bach is nominated to the Council from the years of 1930 to 1939. He is unopposed.



Bach



Scholl



Ahrendt

PAUL AHRENDT

Paul is a 1968 Dana graduate with a degree in Physical Education. He lives in Lincoln with his wife Kathy and son

Travis. Paul is employed as a salesman for Lincoln Industrial Supply Co. He is a member of Sheridan Lutheran Church and the Lincoln Dana Club. Paul is nominated for Council membership representing the classes of 1960-1969.

CAROLYN SCHOLL

Carolyn graduated from Dana in 1969 with a degree in Social Science. She is currently living in Omaha, where she works as a Field Representative for the American Red Cross. She also serves as President of the Omaha-Council Bluffs Dana Club. Carolyn is nominated to the Council representing the classes of 1960-1969.



Wilson



Nyholm

PAUL NYHOLM

Dr. Nyholm taught at Dana from 1922 to 1935 and at Dana and Trinity from 1935 to 1955. He recently retired from the ministry of The American Lutheran Church and now lives in Blair with his wife Ingfrid. He is a member of First Lutheran Church and the Dana Chapter of The American Scandinavian Foundation. Dr. Nyholm is nominated for Council membership representing the years 1920 and 1929.

ELSIE WILSON

Miss Wilson, who now lives in Herman, Nebraska, recently retired after thirty-seven years of elementary teaching in the schools of Burt and Washington Counties. She attended Dana from 1925 to 1928 and then returned some years later to attend summer sessions from 1951 through 1959. Miss Wilson is nominated to the Council representing the years 1920 to 1929.

JOHN PROUTY

John received his B.S. in art in 1970 and now lives in Omaha, where he serves as Chief Recreational Therapist at Immanuel Hospital. He is active in several professional organizations and the Omaha-Council Bluffs Dana Club. John is nominated to the Council from the years 1970 to 1979.

CLAUDIA HARRIS

Claudia is a 1971 graduate with a degree in elementary education. While a student, she was active in numerous campus activities. She is now teaching in Onawa, Iowa. She is nominated for the Council representing the years 1970 to 1979.



Harris



Prouty

DON'T FORGET TO VOTE
Mark this Ballot and return it to the Alumni Office before December 31, 1971.

Campus News Roundup

A listing of speakers, musical groups and other entertainment available to churches, civic and social groups is now available from the College. Address requests for copies of the 1971-72 listing to the Public Relations Office at Dana.

Dana recently received an educational grant from the Sears Roebuck Foundation in the amount of \$1,000 for unrestricted use and \$300 for Library acquisitions.

Several hundred Dana College and Blair High School students staged a "walk for development" on November 6 to raise money for several charitable groups. The students walked from the Blair campus to the Westroads Shopping Center in Omaha, a distance of 24 miles, and were paid a prearranged sum of money for each mile walked.

First semester classes will end on December 10 with final examinations scheduled for the week of January 13. Students will begin a two-week holiday on December 18. The four-week Interim sessions begin on Monday, January 3, and second semester classes begin on January 31, 1972.

Twenty seniors will participate in Dana's first Mid-year Commencement scheduled for Friday, December 12. An informal program is planned for 2 p.m. in Doctors Auditorium followed by a reception for the graduates and their families.

Dana will host the annual convention of the Central District of The American Lutheran Church scheduled for May 25-28, 1972.

OFFICIAL BALLOT FOR ALUMNI COUNCIL ELECTION

FOR FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT (vote for one)

- Karen Jensen Capel (incumbent)
- Alvina Larsen Hjortsvang

FOR SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT (vote for one)

- Raymond J. Weckmuller (incumbent)
- Frank Gabby

FOR ALUMNI COUNCIL, 1920-29 (vote for one)

- Rev. Paul Nyholm
- Elsie Wilson

FOR ALUMNI COUNCIL, 1930-39 (unopposed)

- Stanley M. Bach

FOR ALUMNI COUNCIL, 1960-69 (vote for one)

- Paul Ahrendt
- Carolyn Scholl

FOR ALUMNI COUNCIL, 1970-70 (vote for one)

- Claudia Harris
- John Prouty

RETURN ALL BALLOTS TO THE ALUMNI OFFICE, DANA COLLEGE, BLAIR, NEBR., BEFORE DECEMBER 31, 1971

Viking Gridders Have Best Season Since 1962

The Dana Vikings and head coach Bob Simpson finished the 1971 grid season on an optimistic note by defeating the Conference champion Doane Tigers and posting a season record of 5-4, the best since 1962. Scores of games played include:

Nebraska Wesleyan 26.....	Dana	6
Yankton 30.....	Dana	7
Dana 14.....	Northwestern	10
Concordia 23.....	Dana	0
Hastings 16.....	Dana	6
Dana 19.....	Midland	0
Dana 14.....	Sioux Falls	0
Dana 24.....	Doane	14

Several records were broken during the 1971 season, including quarterback Kirk McLaughlin's six touchdown passes which surpassed the record of five set by Ron Andersen in 1964. Ron Schneider rushed for 154 yards against Westmar College, breaking the record of 151 yards set in 1969 by Greg Hayes. A final record, the most penalty yards enforced against a Dana squad in one game—94 yards, surpassed the old record of 91 yards.

Several Vikings have been named to Conference and District teams as a result of their performances during the 1971 season. Voted to the All-Conference team were Phil Tegeler, guard; Ron Schneider, running back; Dan Smith, halfback, and Steve Hines, lineman. Honorable mention went to Kirk McLaughlin, Mike Krivokucha, Lew Houser and Gary McMullen.

The NAIA District II All-Conference team includes Phil Tegeler at offensive guard and Dan Smith at defensive halfback. Kirk McLaughlin, Ron Schneider, Steve Hines and Gary McMullen received honorable mention.

NAIA District II official statistics show Dana as first in both passing and total defense and second in rushing defense. The Vikings' strong defensive unit was ranked 28th in the nation.

Basketball Season Opens on Note of "Guarded Optimism"

Head Basketball Coach Jerry Rainforth is "cautiously optimistic" about Viking basketball for the 1971-1972 season.

Four seniors were lost through graduation. However, their departure does not leave the Vikings completely devastated. Players returning from last year accounted for 69 percent of the team's rebounding and 73 percent of its scoring.

The Vikings' greatest strength this year, as last, will probably be in rebounding. This was the only statistical category where the Vikings outdid their opponents in 1970-71. To become a "better than average team," the Dana roundballers will need to improve their shooting percentage and team defense.

Schedule of games for 1972 includes:

Jan. 5	Northwestern College.....	at Blair
Jan. 7-8	Westmar Tourney.....	at LeMars, Iowa
Jan. 11	Buena Vista College.....	at Storm Lake
Jan. 19	Morningside College.....	at Blair
Jan. 22	Concordia College.....	at Seward
Jan. 25	Westmar College.....	at Blair
Jan. 29	Hastings College.....	at Blair
Feb. 1	Nebraska Wesleyan Uni.....	at Lincoln
Feb. 5	Midland College.....	at Blair
Feb. 8	Doane College.....	at Blair
Feb. 10	Wayne State College.....	at Wayne
Feb. 12	Concordia College.....	at Blair
Feb. 15	Hastings College.....	at Hastings
Feb. 17	Nebraska Wesleyan Uni.....	at Blair
Feb. 22	Northwestern College.....	at Orange City
Feb. 26	Midland College.....	at Fremont
Feb. 29	Doane College.....	at Crete

Wrestling

January		
1	Doane.....	7:30 p.m.
3-4	Doane Invitational.....	
9	Midland.....	7:30 p.m.
11	Concordia.....	7:30 p.m.
17	Briar Cliff.....	7:30 p.m.
21	Westmar.....	7:30 p.m.
26	Buena Vista.....	7:30 p.m.
29	Midland Invitational.....	9:00 a.m.
February		
1	Briar Cliff.....	
3	Nebraska Wesleyan.....	7:30 p.m.
8	Northwestern.....	
15	Doane.....	7:30 p.m.

CHOIR TO VISIT WEST COAST IN JANUARY

The 60-voice Dana Choir will spend the month of January touring on the West Coast. The tour itinerary, as this issue of the REVIEW goes to press, includes the following:

Tuesday, January 4

Trinity Lutheran Church
Ft. Collins, Colorado, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, January 5

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church
Twin Falls, Idaho, 8 p.m.

Thursday, January 6

Peace Lutheran Church
Pendleton, Oregon, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, January 7

Bethany Lutheran Church
Portland, Oregon, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 8

Open

Sunday, January 9

Bethesda Lutheran Church
Eugene, Oregon, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, January 10

Elementary School Auditorium
Ferndale, California, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, January 11

All Saints Lutheran Church
Novato, California, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, January 12

Fairfield High School Theatre
Fairfield, California, 8 p.m.

Thursday, January 13

Faith Lutheran Church
Castro Valley, California, 8 p.m.

Friday, January 14

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church
Oakland, California

Sunday, January 16

St. Paul Lutheran Church
Lodi, California, 8:30 and 11 a.m.
Bethel Lutheran Church
Fresno, California, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, January 17

Olivet Lutheran Church
Inglewood, California, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, January 18

Trinity Lutheran Church
Norwalk, California, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, January 19

St. Olaf Lutheran Church
Garden Grove, California, 8 p.m.

Thursday, January 20

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church
San Diego, California

Friday, January 21

American Lutheran Church
Tucson, Arizona, 8 p.m.

Saturday, January 22

Christ Lutheran Church
San Antonio, Texas

Sunday, January 23

Open

Monday, January 24

Open

Tuesday, January 25

Open

Wednesday, January 26

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
Brenham, Texas, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, January 27

Bethany Lutheran Church
Tulsa, Oklahoma, 8 p.m.

Friday, January 28

Bethany Lutheran Church
Ruskin, Nebraska, 7:30 p.m.

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