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OUACHITA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

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A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER TO THE OUACHITA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY
FAMILY FROM THE OFFICE OF THE DEAN OF STUDENTS

August 1, 1985

Dear Ouachitonian,

The summer is fast slipping away, and soon you will be coming to Arkadelphia to begin a new year in your academic career. I hope that you have had a relaxing and enjoyable summer.




1985-86 will be a very special year, for it will be the academic year that we celebrate the centennial of Ouachita. There are many special

events planned to celebrate our 100 years, including special lectures, musical programs and other on-campus events, one of which is the Ark. Baptist State Convention. Students and organizations will be participating in most of these activities. In short, it will be a memorable year, and YOU will be a part of it!

The logo above is the new centennial logo. Please note the words, Academic and Christian Excellence. This dual goal has been our tradition, but there is a new commitment to make every classroom and every extra-curricular experience one that reaches toward this goal. That is our vision! As we make this commitment, we wish to give each student the finest holistic education that can be had in a Christian university setting. Students play a vital role in reaching these goals, for you really are the goal.

As you begin the year, I hope that you will come with excitement, vigor, and commitment to BE the best that you can be as a student and as a Christian. We wish for you an outstanding, successful year!


B. Aldon Dixon, Dean of Students

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Cone-Bottoms Hall

When you arrive on campus go directly to the dorm where you have been assigned. Any students who do not remember their assignment should contact the Dean of Students Office. The dorms will open for all new students at 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, August 24th, and for returning students on Monday, August 26th. The RA's and Head Residents will be on duty during the above times.

ALL STUDENTS MUST OFFICIALLY CHECK IN WITH THE HEAD RESIDENT OF HIS/HER DORMITORY. At the time of check-in, you will receive your room door key. Remember to bring \$5, \$4 of which will go into the dormitory fund for activities there and \$1 will go to the RA Council for special dorm projects. This \$5 does NOT pay for the key.

When you check into the room, the RA will discuss the condition of your room, as stated on the CHECK IN SHEET. EACH STUDENT WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE THAT OCCURS IN THAT ROOM DURING HIS/HER OCCUPANCY. Be sure that you agree with the stated condition of the room.

No one is to change rooms without written permission from the Dean of Women or the Dean of Students.

If you are entering the dormitory for the first time, you will need to sign a HOUSING CONTRACT. Please read this document before signing it, for it is a binding contract.

LATE ARRIVALS

If you plan to arrive later than the times stated above please notify the Dean of Students in advance that you will be coming late. (501) 246-4531 Ex. 220

**What you are to be,
you are now becoming.**

Fall, 1985

August 23.....	Faculty Planning Meeting
August 24.....	President's Hour for Parents and New Students
August 24-27.....	Freshman Orientation
August 27.....	Registration of all Students
August 28.....	Classes Begin
September 11.....	Last Day to Register or Add a Course
October 10.....	Six Weeks Grades Due
October 17.....	Last Day to Drop a Course
November 26, 5:00 P.M. to December 2, 8:00 A.M....	Thanksgiving Recess
December 16, 17, 18, 19.....	Final Exams

Spring, 1986

January 13.....	Faculty Planning Meeting
January 14.....	Counseling and Registration
January 15.....	Classes Begin
January 28.....	Last Day to Register or Add a Course
February 25.....	Six Weeks Grades Due
March 4-7.....	Global Focus Week
March 4.....	Last Day to Drop a Course
March 14, 5:00 P.M. to March 24, 8:00 A.M.....	Spring Break
May 8, 9, 12, 13.....	Final Exams
May 10.....	Commencement

Student Health Plan

If you do not have a health insurance policy already, we urge you to take advantage of the insurance package offered in the enclosed brochure. For questions concerning the policy, you may call Hagan and Harris Ins. Co.

HAGAN & HARRIS INSURANCE
SERVICES

600 Prospect Building
Little Rock, AR 72207
Phone No. 501-664-4474

The first meal for new students will be lunch, Saturday, August 24th. (There will be a temporary meal ticket in your packet). Parents and others may eat by paying cash as they enter the line. Returning students may begin eating in the cafeteria at noon on Monday. The participants in the Student Leadership and RA Workshops will have special meal tickets.

Students may choose between a meal ticket for 15 meals or 20 meals per week. This will allow some flexibility. You must declare your meal ticket preference at registration.

All students who participated in pre-registration and who have no changes to make in their schedules will be admitted as follows:

8:00 - 8:15	Staff and registration workers
8:15 - 9:00	Q - U
9:00 - 9:45	V - Z (First Letter of Last Name)
9:45 - 10:30	A - F
10:30 - 11:15	G - K
11:15 - 12:00	L - P
12:30 - 1:30	Lunch Break

Registration

All students who participated in pre-registration but desire to make changes in their schedule will be admitted as follows:

1:30 - 2:00	Seniors (89 hours & up)
2:00 - 2:30	Juniors (59 - 88 hours)
2:30 - 3:00	Sophomores (29 - 58 hours)
3:00 - 3:30	Freshman (0 - 28 hours)
3:30 - 4:00	All students who failed to participate in pre-registration.
4:00	Registration closed.



If you are planning to obtain telephone service this fall, Southwestern Bell Telephone is again offering a reduced rate for OBU students. The basic charge for the installation of new service is \$31.50 and may be spread out over a six month billing period. The access line charge is \$12.58 per month plus tax; additional services will be extra. This policy applies only to OBU students who live in residence halls or apartments.

Any students who wish to place orders or have questions should call Ms. Delores Mahone at 321-3147 (collect).