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On Accreditation

# **Faculty Must Now** Resolve Problems

by Howie Ginsberg

"Most of the items have been resolved to some extent", said President Ralph E. Gauvey, listed by the accreditation committee.

According to the President, some now are being communicated to the faculty including the proposal

for the All College Council. The President said the faculty needs to elect representatives to it and that it is impossible to apply for referring to the eight weaknesses reconsideration if the All College Council isn't functioning at that

The President, however at this items concerning accreditation time, has not made an official public announcement whether he

# Problems Given Top Priority

Black Student

Several Top administrators including Dr. Barbara Uchling, Academic Dean will meet this Tuesday with representatives of the Afro American Society of RWC in an attempt to develop programs and to meet requests and suggestions they have made.

U.W.W. Applies For Accreditation

by Ted Fuller

The Roger Williams unit of the Colleges and University Without Walls has been chosen as one of eight U.W.W. units elected to represent the entire U.W.W. concept created by the Union of Experimental Colleges and Universities in it's bid for accreditation.

According to Robert Leaver, assistant director of the Roger Williams unit of the U.W.W., the year evaluation status. Union is in the process of applying for a "corresponding status" for accreditation to the

North Central Association for Secondary schools. This status is the first of three steps a school must take to become accredited. Once this step has been achieved, a school must then file for status as a recognized candidate for accreditation, then if recognized, the school gains full accreditation for a short term before beginning it's ten

Two reports are being sent to the accreditation agency, one is a (Page 3)

"There is no black problem at RWC", said members of the Afro American Society. "It's the white situation reflecting on the black situation", they said.

"We're tired of being harassed", claims a female member. "We've tried to get on to boards, it's impossible to get on them because there are so few of us here."

There are about thirty-three black students registered on the Bristol campus. Representatives of the Afro American Society met with Dr. Leonard Goldberg, Bristol Dean of Students prior to the vacation break and presented to him requests which included an all black coed dorm unit for Sep-

tember at least one black cook and more black instructors.

The blacks claim they are blamed for most everything including ripoffs and noise. They say they have had previous meetings with the dorm director and with Dr. Goldberg. But one member said, "Goldberg will pass the buck onto someone else", and she added, "I don't know why anyone should be surprised because it's been happening all over the U.S. with black students in schools. Other colleges write to us; we're ashamed it's that bad."

"We pay just as much as anyone else; it's no free ride", she added. "There's no activities for us. We don't dig the Beach Boys or the

Byrds", she said. Members claim they tried to talk

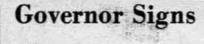
with Dr. Goldberg. One said, "That's like talking to a brick wall. I don't think the administration takes the Afro American Society seriously", said another. "Everything we do is always as a

whole; we all think alike", they say. They reiterated the fact that this college doesn't provide them with anything. One member said, "We don't have nothing, it's as simple as that and when we do get together there is always a complaint"

The blacks claim that many white students are ignorant of them. They say the white students have never been exposed to some blacks, to their norms and their social backgrounds.

They also say there are no black counselors to direct them when in

college.



"Age of

Majority Bill"

into Law

Student: "Bartender, I'd like a beer please"!

Bartender: "Are you over twentyone?"

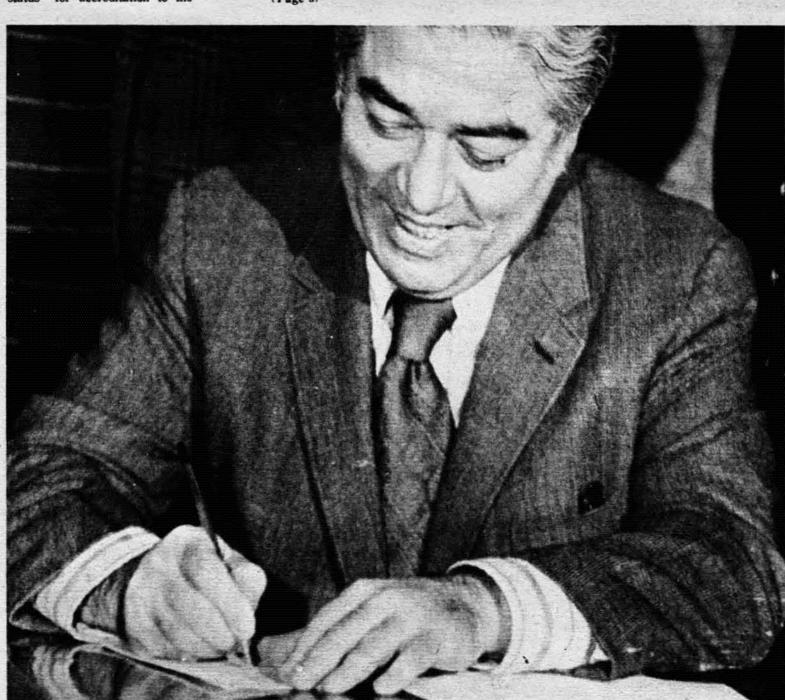
That proverbial reply, "Are you over twenty-one?" will no longer chime in peoples ears in the state of Rhode Island as Governor Frank Licht last week signed into law the

historic R.I. Age of Majority bill. The signing coming just past twelve noon on March 29, was witnessed by nearly 100 state officials and students. The students burst into applause as the Governor signed the bill.

Two students from RWC were on hand for the brief ceremony that took place in the Governor's reception room.

The Governor said, "I believe that we are doing the right thing. I have always felt that young persons of 18 should be allowed full participation in our political process. This bill, as you know, not only creates rights but also produces responsibilities. As I sign it I am satisfied that the young people of this state are mature enough to handle both the rights and responsibilities wisely.'

On Friday, March 24, the Quill sent a letter to Governor Licht



### **Editorial**

# **Black Demands**



Individuals in a society tend to be ethnocentric, that is, to identify positively with their own groups and to react negatively to others. Because black people are considered a minority group their ability to influence decisions are decreased. Black students comprise less than three percent of the total student enrollment at Roger Williams College. A black has a problem — where does he turn? — with whom does he seek help? — a white faculty or a white administrator? Not likely!

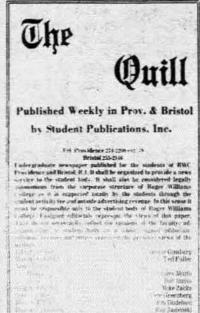
There are no full-time black instructors on the Bristol campus. In Providence one black instructs full time. A mutual effort by the administration, it seems, to change these conditions have been put off for three years. It looks as if this administration at RWC hasn't given a concerted effort in recruiting sensitive educated people to meet the needs for the blacks at this college. As one member of the Afro American Society said, "Wé don't have nothing, it's as simple as that."

The blacks are requesting an all black coed dorm unit for September, a black cook, some black faculty. Perhaps a black dorm director for the additional dorm is needed. One thing is certain the blacks need someone they can turn to. It is imperative that this college hires at least a part time black counselor qualified in handling the wants and needs of the black students at this college.

In 1619 twenty Negroes were first sold at Jamestown. In 1972 about thirty three in Bristol are once again being sold....sold short.

# Grass Cools

(CPS) — The U.S. Department of Agriculture has reported that one acre of grass will release about 2,400 gallons of water on a summer day through evaporation and transpiration. This provides the comparable cooling effect of a 70 ton air conditioner.



# The New Sound Cools Under Your Sun

"The New Sound Under Your Sun" WATER leaves Rhode Island for good - Radio" ... and that's the line that greeted WXTR listeners every hour until the new cal letters (WGNG) and a specially created musical concept began Saturday morning, March 25th at 6:00 a.m. The Music concept, "Gold 'n Great", created in Hollywood, California by Ted Randal of the broadcast specialist firm of Randal/Sharon was specially designed for WGNG and is the first of its kind in the nation. Additionally, WGNG features a complete news staff headed by Mike Shepherd, a veteran newscaster of the New England Newsbeat, and six of the area's most talented performers. WGNG now broadcasts 24 hours a day.

The new call letters are being heralded by a vast promotion campaign, exactingly prepared by WGNG by Broadcast Design of Studio City, Cal. The promotion concept is "The New Sound Under Your Sun". WGNG's new music format (Gold 'n Great) is a unique blending of the world's greatest music and is designed specifically for adults.

Broadcast Schedule:

5: 30 to 9: 00 a.m. Larry Hall 9: 00 to 12: 00 n. Bob Grossi 12: 00 to 4: 00 p.m. Ray Brown 4: 00 to 8: 00 p.m. Terry Michaels 8: 00 to 12: 00 m. Gil Lawrence 12: 00 to 5: 30 a.m. Mark Davis

### Raffle Winners

The following people won the RWC raffle sponsored by the Providence Senate:

1st Place: No. 3746
Rene Lucier
43 Eton Ave.
Warwick, R.I.
2nd Place: No. 5885
M.A. Foley
18 Cote St.
Attleboro, Mass.
3rd Place: No. 1125
Donald White

39 Texedo Ave. Prov.R.I. 4th Place: No. 5690 L. Santilli 1345 Bald Hill Rd.

Warwick, R.I.

## ACLU Endorses Arcaro's Bill

The Rhode Island Affiliate of the American Civil Liberties Union has long felt that the Rhode Island twenty-six month primary statute amounts to a "pro tanto" disenfranchisement of the Rhode Island voter and believes that it is both desirable and consistent with democratic principles and Constitutional intent that maximum participation by the voter in all election activities, whether it be voting in a primary or the signing of nomination papers, be permitted.

Such narrow political ends as may be served by restrictive primary laws should NOT be served at the expense of the fullest use of the franchise. Such legislation is particularly crippling to the independent voter who is frequently prevented from backing the man of his choice because of a primary vote or a nomination signature given to a candidate of another party and many times prefers to avoid voting for fear of disqualification in some future contest in which he might have a more vital interest.

Accordingly, the Rhode Island Affiliate of the American Civil Liberties Union endorses Senator Harold Arcaro's bill to shorten the restriction to three months, thereby at least removing the impact of the present statute from bi-yearly elections.

Jacqueline Awerman 253-5846

# **Events This Week**

MONDAY, April 3

8 p.m. — Student Government Film Series, "Singing in the Rain," with Gene Kelley, Theatre I, Bristol, 50¢.

WEDNESDAY, April 5

2 p.m. — Providence Campus Film Series, "The D.I.", Room A-13.

2:30 p.m. — Wednesday Afternoon at the Movies, "They Came to Rob Las Vegas," with Lee J. Cobb (R), Theatre

8 p.m. — Wednesday Night at the Movies, "They Came to Rob Las Vegas," Theatre I, 50¢.

THURSDAY, April 6

8 p.m. — RWC Creative Writing Series presents RICHARD YATES, novelist and short story writer, in a reading from his work, Theatre I, Bristol campus, the public is invited to attend.

FRIDAY, April 7

On this day in 1886, the voters of Rhode Island ratified a constitutional amendment prohibiting the manufacture and sale of liquor for beverage purposes.

2 p.m. — Providence Campus Film Series, "The D.I.," Room A-13.

7:30 p.m. — Providence Campus Film Series, "The D.I." Student Center.

8 p.m. — Student Government Film Series, "Cotton Comes to Harlem" with Godfrey Cambridge, Theatre I, Bristol campus, 50¢.

SATURDAY, April 8

8 p.m. — Student Government Film Series, "Cotton Comes to Harlem," Theatre I, 50¢.

SUNDAY, April 9

8 p.m. — Student Government Film Series, "Young Billy Young," with Robert Mitchum, Theatre I, 50¢.

# Selective Service Drafts Nos. One To Fifteen

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CPS) — Draft chief Curtis W. Tarr set in motion the first use of the Uniform National Call last week when he instructed local boards to issue induction orders to "1972 prime induction candidates with lottery numbers 1 through 15....with reporting dates from mid-April through May 31.

The Uniform National Call means that all eligible males with these lottery numbers will be drafted.

The introduction of the Uniform National Call signals completion of the government's year-long effort to centralize the administration of the draft.

The new procedure also affects Conscientious Objectors, who will receive notices that they have 60 days to find suitable alternate service jobs, or be assigned to jobs by the Selective Service.

Other aspects of the centralization of draft administration include the computerization of draft records in the Draft's computer, and administering of CO's on the state level.



NEWSITEM: U.N. AGENCY CLAIMS SPINACH MAY BE HARMFUL

#### On Accreditation

# **Decisions Now Rest** With Faculty

(Continued from Page 1) intends to apply for reconsideration. But according to some faculty, it is likely that he will. The President has until April 15, 1972 to reach a decision.

The President said, "I think the administration at this point, at this particular date has done everything humanly possible."

"The big problem", said the President, "is trying to get this graduating class covered by the umbrella of accreditation."

The President continued to say that, "we are at the point now

where the major problems more or less have to be resolved by the faculty one way or another.'

The President said some of the priorities have been established by the very nature of the consolidation plus the appointment of the Vice President and the one Dean. The President also said the college has launched a modest fund raising campaign to raise \$50,000 earmarked for books in the library.

The President said a lack of Ph. D's still remains a problem. "I don't know what we can do about it", he replied.

# U.W.W. Applies For Accreditation

(Continued from P. 1) general report prepared by the Union of Experimental Colleges and University and the other a more specific report concentrating on the work being done by the separate units of the U.W.W. representatives. In May of this year two representatives of the agency are expected to visit the U.W.W. facility here at RWC as they did last year with Roger Williams. Included in the report entered by the RWC unit will be goals and personal perspectives about the U.W.W. by students and facilitators working in the U.W.W.,

The following seven U.W.W. units have also been selected to represent the U.W.W. in its bid for accreditation: Loretta Heights, Antioch (San Francisco), Chicago State University, North Eastern Illinois University, Skidmore, Morgan State and the University of Massachusetts.

PROJECTS: **EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM FOR** PRISONS:

COMPUTERIZED INVENTORY FROM N.A.S.A.

A plan is now being brought before the New England states planning agencies that would give the Roger Williams unit of the University Without Walls the power to implement on a regional basis an educational program for New England Penitentiaries. This program would provide a unified

their families.

training for prison guards and

officials as well as inmates and

program as it exists now and would provide, in addition, that the U.W.W. take over all existing programs in each state in an effort to initiate an effective educational

Due to the recent wind down of N.A.S.A.'s space program, the U.W.W. here at Roger Williams has in cooperation with N.A.S.A. begun work on a computerized inventory system. With the use of N.A.S.A. computers and time allotted to their personnel for this project, the U.W.W. student will be able to review the entire learning experiences of a major field of study at the press of a button. According to Mr. Leaver, learning experiences recorded by students plus such things as job opportunities, course offerings and the like will be stored and kept up to date in these computer programs so a student will be well informed of what the learning opportunities are in his field all the

In addition to the above projects, the U.W.W. at RWC is at work on such things as a guide to alternative graduate schools. The university is making an effort to find graduate schools which have programs along the same lines as those of the U.W.W. In this behalf questionnaires have been sent to schools whom they feel may

A cooperative program is in the planning to provide an outlet for things people are doing as far as arts and crafts to give them rewards financially as well as educationally. A publishing con-The plan would bring officials cern is also in the planning for now in training into the U.W.W. those in the literary field.

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### Governor Signs "Age of Majority Bill" into Law

(Continued from Page 1) asking him "to give serious thought to signing this bill on the Bristol campus of RWC".

In a telephone conversation with the Quill on Wednesday March 29. Governor's office the acknowledged receipt of the letter. But they said they believed constitutional mandates prohibited the bill from leaving the State House.

On March 28, the R.I. Senate passed the bill by a vote of 38-3; less than twenty-four hours later the Governor signed it into law. The House of Representatives had approved it unanimously on March

The three negative responses in the Senate came from Sen. Thomas H. Needham, R-Cranston, Sen. E. Rex Coman, R-Narragansett and Sen. Patrick N. Hayes, D-Newport. Thirty-two democrats and six republicans voted for passage.

R.I. Senator Claiborne Pell praised the Genral Assembly for passing this bill. He called the move a "vital step forward for our young citizens, and indeed for all our citizens."

The Senator said, "this vital question of giving full legal rights and responsibilities to those 18 and older is one that has lingered unresolved far too long. The bill is a tribute to the abilities and intelligence of the youths of our state" who are "ready to accept the responsibilities and meet the obligations that are asked of them".

The bill was sponsored by Rep. John C. Revens Jr., D-Warwick who said, "I'm sure they'll do everything they can to live up to this trust you've placed in them". The End.

#### THE ALDEBARAN

is accepting submissions of poetry, prose and artwork. Material chosen for the magazine will be eligible for prizes awarded for the best contribution of each group. The magazine deadline is April 5.

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## **Creative Writing Series** 1972 Presents

### RICHARD YATES April 5, 6 and 7

Richard Yates has published stories in The Atlantic Monthly, Esquire, The Paris Review, Cosmopolitan, and other magazines. The widely reprinted 'The Best of Everything" won an O. Henry Award in 1956.

Mr. Yates' first Revolutionary Road, published in 1961 and was nominated for the National Book Award. It has been called "the Great Gatsby of my time" by Kurt Vonnegut.

Mr. Yates' collection of short stories, Eleven Kinds Loneliness, was published in 1962. His most recent novel is A Special Providence, published in 1969. Mr. Yates is presently on leave from the Writers' Workshop at the University of Iowa and is Distinguished Writer in Residence at Wichita State University for 1971-72. The reading will be held on Thursday, April 6 at 8 p.m. in Theatre I.



# An Interview With The Academic Dean

The Quill asked Dr. Uehling how long she had considered the post for academic dean. "I've considered going into the administration for a year or so".

Quill: Why did you come to Roger Williams?

Uehling: "I was at U.R.I. and heard about Roger Williams and became interested in some of its programs. An opening occurred at about that time in the faculty here and I took it."

Quill: How many years ago? -Uehling: "So much has hap-

pened in the last week, it seems like ten. This is my second year." Quill: You consider this school a second chance institution?

Uehling: "Right, it was certainly one of the reasons which interested me in coming here. More important I think was the fact that they were advocating experimental type programs and I have a Ph.D. in learning and I keep becoming more and more convinced that we need to do experimentation in higher education".

Quill: motivation?

Uehling: "That's part of it. Certainly in an institution like Roger Williams I've found that one of the biggest parts of the game is

getting at least some well it's hard to generalize about our students. That's another intriging thing about them I find. Because obviously some of them are tremendously motivated to do what they're doing.

Quill: In what way will you be dealing with the students directly?

Uehling: "I'm going to teach. I plan to teach at least one course a year as a regular thing. It will probably be a course in learning and memory, which I like."

Quill: Do you have any plans for any major academic changes in any department?

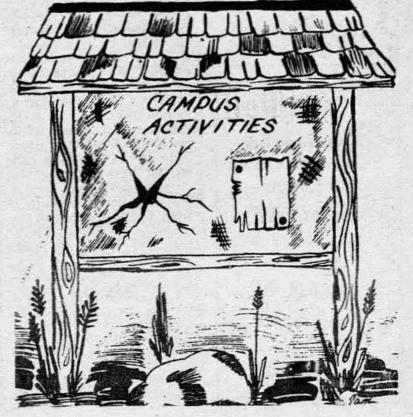
Uehling: "No, I don't. I'd like to encourage experimental programs. But as I told the faculty in a meeting, I think that the specific way this is implemented is coming from them. I don't have any right to interfere."

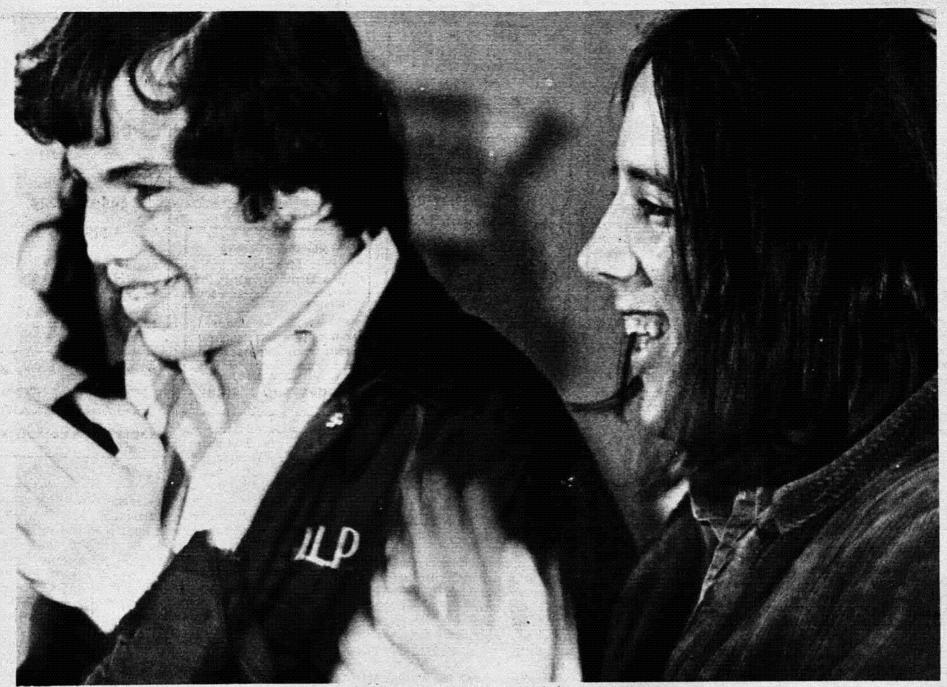
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(Ed. Note #2: Inaudible means unable to be understood through normal listening faculties)

(Ed. Note #3: Faculties in this context are those human facilities which enable humans to function)

(Ed. Note #4: Function means...Ah! Forget it!





**CHEERS!** Hic For Ages of Majority Teenagers applaud as they watch Governor Licht sign bill.

- Quill Photo

### N.A.A. Invites Students for the Night

On Monday evening, March 20, 1972, the Providence Chapter of the National Association of Accountants designated its regular meeting, a Student's night and invited students and faculty from local colleges to attend. Steve Levitt, an accounting major at Roger Williams College and Mr. Paul A. Langello, accounting area coordinator and NAA member, represented Roger Williams College at the event. Also represented were faculty and students from URI, Bryant College, and Johnson & Wales.

Following a dinner at the Governor Dyer Buffet House in Providence, Mr. David M. Lang, C.P.A., spoke to the approximately 120 students and local businessmen about the accountant and his

tuture. This event provided an opportunity for college students in the area to socialize and to become aware of accounting programs in the local colleges.

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### R.W.C. Jocks to Appear in **Outstanding College Athletes** of America

Ten Roger Williams College students have been chosen to appear in the 1972 edition of OUTSTANDING COLLEGE ATHLETES OF

Selected from the school are:

Richard Deandrea Ralph Roberti **Thomas Tetrault** 

**Dwight Datcher** James Koziara Anthony Lato Richard Johnson Mark Goerner Craig Bloomer Peter Sozek

Announcement of their selection was made by the Board of Advisors of OUTSTANDING COLLEGE ATHLETES OF AMERICA, an annual awards volume published to honor America's finest college athletes. Coaches and athletic directors from individual colleges and universities across the nation nominated the winning athletes on the basis of

their displayed abilities not only in athletics but also in community service and campus activities. Other criteria for those selected for OUTSTANDING COLLEGE

ATHLETES OF AMERICA included strength of character, leadership both on and off the playing field, and scholarship. In congratulating the athletes selected, Head Football Coach Bill Battle of the University of Tennessee pointed out that "their selection is based on qualities of leadership and character in addition to the com-

arena. These are vital ingredients for success in life after college." Star Running Back Gale Sayers of the Chicago Bears said this year's Outstanding College Athlete winners have "set goals for themselves to be the best in the field. They will fight with all they can to achieve success,

petitive drive and determination necessary for being a winner in the

and with this determination they will surely attain it." Biographies of all Outstanding College Athletes of America will be included in the 1972 edition to be published in July.

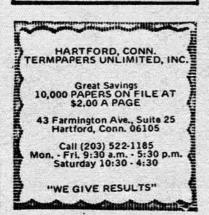
The program's Board of Advisors is chaired by James Jeffrey, executive director, Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

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### Men Volley for Women's Softballs

Softball for Men

As part of the Spring recreation program a softball league is in the process of being formed. This league will be open to all students and faculty. Games will be played on the Bristol Campus at 3:30 in the afternoon. Anyone interested in entering a team in this league must submit a roster of at least 12 players to the Athletic office by Friday, April 14th. Games will begin on Tuesday, April 18th. Schedules for the 5 week program will be posted outside the Athletic office on Monday, April 17th. Volleyball for Women

As part of the Spring recreation program a volleyball league for women is in the process of being

set up. This league will open to all students and faculty. Games will be played on the Bristol Campus at 3:30 in the afternoon. Anyone interested in entering a team in this league must submit a team roster of at least 7 players to the Athletic Office by Friday, April 14th. Games will begin on Tuesday, April 18th. Schedules for the 5 week program will be posted outside the Athletic office, Monday, April 17th.

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