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Winthrop University
Counseling Center Has New Director

by Debbie Mollycheck

An interrogating "why are you here?" is not the sort of approach used by Winthrop's new counseling director, Dr. William Childers.

"When a student first comes in with a problem," said Dr. Childers, "I spend a lot of time listening to begin establishing a rapport with the student. I believe that the best way I can help other people is to first establish a relationship with that person so that they feel comfortable exposing to me whatever it is they have to say."

Dr. Childers who received his doctorate in counseling psychology from the University of Georgia in 1972, is the first full-time director of the Counseling Center.

Prior to Dr. Childers hiring, the center had been run by Dr. William Murdy, professor of psychology, on a part-time basis. Later, Dr. Murdy decided to return to full-time teaching the position Dr. Childers holds was established.

As for the Counseling Center, it was first established at Winthrop in 1972 because of student demands. It was an administration-initiated project, Dr. Childers said.

"Students wanted a place where they could talk over their problems and have help in making some decisions," he explained.

Last year the Counseling Center provided a service for over 200 students.

"Because we're changing our program from last year's emphasis on remedial to that of a preventative approach," said Dr. Childers, "we hope to be of service to even more students this year."

Dr. Childers said, for instance, that special interest workshops such as "communication skills," "friendship skills," and "leadership skills" workshops are being offered as a way of helping people deal with potential problem areas.

Before coming to Winthrop, Dr. Childers was associate professor of counseling and psychological services at West Virginia College of Graduate Studies for three years. He has also co-authored four books dealing with human relations and communication skills.

Counseling Workshops

by Debbie Mollycheck

"Going to school in today's world often brings frustration, disappointment and uncertainty. Sometimes," continues a leaflet put out by Winthrop's Counseling Center, "these problems are hard to handle alone, and friends and family aren't always ready to listen."

The Counseling Center defines its role as helping students with their problem-solving and decision-making.

To help prevent problems, special interest workshops are being offered to students during the year, said Dr. William C. Childers, director of the center.

"For example," said Dr. Childers, "three of the workshops are on communications, and friendship, and leadership skills."

"The communication skills workshop is basically a human relations workshop in which participants learn alternative ways of responding to problem situations and identify different types of questions made by other persons."

A workshop designed for students who desire to learn new ways of standing up for what they believe," said Dr. Childers, "distinction is made between assertion and aggression and assertive responses are practiced and skills refined within the safe atmosphere of the group."

The weight reduction group "is proposed for persons who consider themselves to be overweight and who seem to have the motivation to do something about their weight, who appear to be good candidates for group counseling."

"The group will be used for encouragement and for planning appropriate weight reduction programs."

Individual, group, and relations counseling are further services provided by the Counseling Center.

The Counseling Center, located in 214 Bancroft, is normally open from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. The center generally operates by appointment.

There are no charges for the services provided by the Counseling Center. This includes the counseling services provided to students, faculty and staff, and to the Central Student Counseling Center functions.

Tom Chapin To Appear

by Joey Raad

If the easy sounds of an acoustic guitar appeal to your sense of hearing, then for the most part, this week's Dickins sponsored activities are for you.

Tomorrow, September 21, guitarist/singer Tom Chapin, star of TV's "Make A Wish," and brother of Harry Chapin, will appear in concert at 8:00 p.m. in Tillman Auditorium. Tickets for the performance are $1.00 with a Winthrop I.D. and $2.00 for guests. At 3:00 p.m. that same day, Chapin will be in Dickins to meet students and to sign autographs.

On Wednesday, September 22, "Bleedins...", a local folk guitar pair, Miltin Hunzucker and Z.H. Dickert, will perform at ATS beginning at 9:00.

This week's movie will be the WATERMELON MAN. It will be shown Sunday, September 26 at 8:00 p.m. in Tillman Auditorium. Admission is 25c with a W.C. I.D. and 50c for guests.

Central Wesleyan Clips Eagles

An experienced Central Wesleyan soccer team handed Winthrop its first loss of the 1976-77 season last Wednesday, defeating the fledgling Eagles, 8-0, in NALDA District Six competition on the Weslyan home field.

Wesleyan threatened early in the game, hammering the Winthrop goal and again with shots. The Winthrop defense, led by Mackey Ravel, held on in the early going, but CW's Innoren Anqua scored four times in the first half while George Barthoma added an additional point to give Wesleyan a 5-0 lead at the half.

The Eagle defense tightened up in the second half but CW's Anqua was not to be denied. The fleet footed Nigerian led the Wesleyan offense to three more goals in the second half while the Wesleyan defense continued to hold the Eagles in check.

Coach Canada commended his players on their efforts, saying that the defeat should not have been totally unexpected. "We have twelve players who are playing soccer for the first time and they met an experienced team." Wesleyan, a week prior to the game with Winthrop, defeated last year's District Six champs 3-1. The school, located in Central, S.C., has had a soccer program for four years, and has several players who are exchange students from countries where soccer is played at a very early age.

Canada said Frankie Griffin and Mitch Long played a good, steady offensive game, but cited the Eagles lack of experience up front as the reason they were unable to generate a score.

Results of Friday's home game against Voorhees were not available when this week went to press. This week the Eagles face Wofford, (Sept. 21; away) and U.N.C.-Avenue, (Sept. 24; home) in NALDA competition.
Post Office?

Reduced post office hours, a change that took place over the summer, is gradually being noticed by some students. Some individuals have noticed the change quicker than others and have made no hesitation in informing members of the J.I. staff of their displeasure. So, some research concerning the matter was undertaken.

The normal 40 hours per week window service was cut to fifteen hours (9 a.m.-12 noon Monday through Friday) by orders of Winthrop, not the Post Office.

The main reason for the cut back was because of tightened strings on the college budget. The U.S. Post Office and the college maintain a contract on a yearly basis. The U.S. Post Office contributes an extremely minimal sum ($3600.00) to the operation of the postal service and the remainder has to be furnished by the Winthrop budget. The Post Office was told to keep up with the operation and maintenance of the boxes students use in Dinkins since they are the property of Winthrop not the U.S. Postal Service. So, the $3600.00 that the U.S. Postal Service contributes goes to the operation of the writing.

A new three year contract was written over the summer which provides for the same 40 hours per week as service per week. The contract expires June 30, 1979. The number of full time employees was cut from five to three. Students are now handling all mail deliveries. The three remaining full time employees are kept busy in the morning with the window service and from 12 noon until 3 p.m. They are busy filling out daily reports, sorting, handling bulk orders and preparing outgoing mail. The campus mail is still being delivered in the morning and afternoon.

It agreed that most anyone can understand why there was a cut back since Winthrop's budget began to undergo a period of inconvenience and sometimes delayed due to the new hours. Such problems has made it difficult to obtain stamps, packages, and mail orders in the afternoon before being broken.

Books of stamps are now being sold in the college store and individual stamps are available at Dinkins Information Center. And although the fifteen hours is a maximum for the week, the hours can be rearranged; for example, 10-12 noon and then 1-2 p.m. We were informed that the 9 a.m. to 12 noon hours were chosen not to be the easiest period of time but rather to serve on a trial basis and to see if student reaction favored it.

We on the staff know how the few who have complained feel but we do not know how the rest of the campus feels about the change. If you don't like it, please have a suggestion, or have some ideas as to how it could be better handled, we'd like to hear from you. If we don't, we will accept the change. Write: THE JOHNSONIAN, Box 6600, Winthrop College P.S. - Please don't leave package since have morning classes.

White Man Sings The Blues

Ron Layne

A few years ago, in a speaking engagement at a midwestern university, Dick Gregory, noted black humorist, was quoted as saying that the young, white male, from middle class America is the "nigger" of today's society. It is becoming increasingly more obvious that there is some real truth in this statement.

Whether it is payback or overtly, the minorities' quest for equality is taking the shackles from one pair of ankles only to secure them on another set. The atrocities being committed against the young white American man is growing and the word equality seems to be a theoretical concept that may never be proven to exist.

Equal opportunity employment is a joke when the government sets percentages of minority hirings which must be met, even though a white man may be more qualified for that job than the minority member he is competing against.

Who does the young white male bear when he interviews for a job?

Well according to your records and past experiences are quite impressive, maybe even the same.

"Well, no sir, but you have to realize, I mean, I wasn't given a chance to have a say in my parents didn't get to pick a color."

"Well, do you have any minority blood at all in your family, you know, china, speck or what?"

"No sir, except, I did fall once, and cut my head and a guy who was half Indian gave a pint of blood."

"No, I'm afraid that isn't good enough. You understand, I have to meet my quota of minority hirings or they might give one of those men my job."

"Maybe if I did my imitation of Al Jolson or Sammy Davis Jr."

"No, 'Glossie Steinem!"

"No, I am sorry...

Even the women libbers are making headway. Companies seem to be going out of their way to prove they aren't guilty of any sexual discrimination. The companies can't really be blamed since they can hardly afford to have their offices and important situations represented as being able to discriminate against any group. The companies can't really be blamed since they can hardly afford to have their offices and important situations represented as being able to discriminate against any group.

The young white male bear when he interviews for a job? Listen...

Letters to the Editor

I have a feeling you don't know what I am talking about. Anger! I can't help it.

Unless I tell you about the rusty little pizzaria on Main Street, in a small sized southern city. And I guess I will.

I know about Anger because I lived across the street from him this summer. He sits on the porch in his skinned-up rocking chair and looks at the ground. He smokes his pipe as his grandfather gave him and watching the jacked-up cars drive by. He's worn the same red suspenders as long as I can remember and no one can recall when his bushy hair wasn't gray. When he smiles the corners of his mustache get lost inside the lines in his face. And a lot of people come to see this - the smile I mean. Because the city can grow cold-hearted when the stores close up at night and even before. Some people don't know about the suburban dreams. They still see a window fan.

Then Anger lives in the part of the city that the students are from before the city began to grow inside out. Sometimes he looks at the tall shinning buildings of the city. He says that's the way it has to be, but I'm not sure.

I, still have to hear Anger explain such things is close to believing him. I remember the night I first heard him talk about the city and the way it had been. I was sitting on the porch with all the other people that always seemed to make their way to the pizzeria at night. There were some strange characters among the bunch but Anger didn't seem to know the difference between a green world and a dream world they were and a lot of them they couldn't help. So he welcomed everyone.

My city is like a baby," he said, "It begins small and beautiful. But it is weak and my dreams are for what it will become. I can wish to grow and become strong and wise. Yet if my child grows to be wild and much outside my dreams, I may wish it to be young again. "I know I can't be. Do I cry and wring my hands and turn from my child or do I love it still no matter what it has become? You know the answer well enough. So I see.

And that was all. Anger had an answer for the empty city. He had faced the question for years. Looking over his front porch. Now I've told you. But only a small part. And not even enough to make you smile. Yet...
Beta Alpha

by Ellen Dodd

"The honor society of the school of business administration, Beta Alpha, has planned several activities and projects this year," said Sallie Kappa, president of the club.

They plan to go on several field trips, one of them to the Federal Reserve Bank in Charlotte and one to the Homeite manufacturing plant. Members also plan to give blood to the bloodmobile. The group raised fifty dollars, which was the second largest amount, last year for Muscular Dystrophy Day. They hope to raise more money this year. They will also send food baskets to one of the local nursing homes, although it is not known which one it will be.

The society will provide a tutoring service to help freshmen with business administration courses and other subjects if necessary. They hope to have speakers come on campus to discuss careers, insurance, investments, and jobs in marketing. The availability and different areas of these jobs will also be discussed. No one has yet been asked to speak on these subjects. Bob Breakfield has been scheduled to talk about the income tax state of recent college graduates. The society will coordinate speakers around special topics of interest to its members.

The officers this year are President, Sallie Kappa; Vice President, Pam Sherrill; Business Secretary, Janice Ramsey; Treasurer, Dianne Redus; Reporter, Glenda Wilson; Program Co-chairmen, Hal Carter and Geretha Snider; Program Committee, Terry Jackson and Bill Hargrove. Faculty advisors are Sam Howell and Roger Weilke.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, September 28 at 6:00 p.m. in Klauder Auditorium.

Outing Club

by Christy Morris

The Outing Club held its first organizational meeting Wednesday night, Sept. 8, at 7:00 in 105 Sims.

Officers for the coming year are: Diane Meyers, President; Steve Puppiesman, Vice-President; Deborah Dutton, Treasurer; and Dan Urscheler, Publicity Chairman. A new secretary will be elected at the next meeting.

Plans were made at the meeting for the first "big" trip, probably to take place during the mid-semester break, October 9-12. Some suggestions for the holidays were hang-gliding in Boone, N.C., canoeing down the Chattooga River in the northwestern part of S.C., or mountain climbing at Mt. Mitchell. If you want to get "out," get "in" the Outing Club. Meetings will be held Wednesday nights at 6:30 in 105 Sims.

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Winthrop's Culinary Artist

by Sheila Nolan

From a football player at Wake Forest to a food service manager at Winthrop in less than ten years is somewhat of a rapid change in life style. But Fred Angerman, Epicurean Food Manager at Winthrop appears to be quite content in his new job at Winthrop.

"I went to Wake Forest on a football scholarship. I'm original from Pennsylvania. When I arrived at Winthrop I fell in love with the South so I've been in the area ever since then."

His senior year at Wake Forest, Fred was banquet captain at the Holiday Inn.

"I enjoyed it so much that I began working full time with food service after I graduated. I majored in Business Administration. I worked with the Sheraton Motor Inn before going to work with Epicure. I trained at Erskine College. Th.m I worked at Salem College in Winston-Salem. Before coming to Winthrop, I trained a guy to be manager of a food operation at a retirement community."

One of the aspects of food servicing that Fred said he considered most was making sure that students have a balanced meal three times a day. He says that he also tries to be available to the students as much as possible.

"I spend time serving on the lines and I help prepare the meals. That way, it gives me a better idea of what is going on in the cafeteria from the student's viewpoint."

One of the major problems Fred has been faced with in the past couple of weeks is the drink machines running out on the serving lines. He has added another employee to make sure that milk will always be available and he is in the process of acquiring new machines from the Pepsi company.

"I talked with the student workers and the staff a long time on their attitude while they are serving the food. I care about the food service and I want the staff to be proud of their work too."

Fred said that one of the things that impressed him the most about Winthrop was the cooperation that he has received.

"The students, faculty, staff, and the administration have bent over backwards to help me in any way that they can. All the students that I've met have been really nice."

A hobby of Fred's that people are beginning to take notice of is ice carving. He carved a shrimp boat for the Faculty/Staff Reception at President Vall's and a flower vase for the Freshman Class Reception.

"The first ice carving I ever worked on was at Erskine. It took me and this other guy over six hours and he did most of the work. Then we accidently broke it in half. The other guy made another one. I figured I'd never be able to do that."

When Fred went to Salem College, he became interested in ice carving again by carving a Christmas tree.

"It's work inside and outside the freezer with the ice. It's better to work with it in the inside as that the ice won't crack or melt."

Fred said that he plans to do a great deal of ice carving for special events and holidays at Winthrop.

Fred also said that the food service will have a special night each week.

"That doesn't necessarily mean it will be steaks every week nor will the special night be held on the same night of every week. We might have an Italian Night one week and an Hawaiian Night the next. That way more students can enjoy the specials since they won't always be on the same night or always on the week ends."

Epicurean will also have "morals breakers" during the examination period. This might include such snacks as hot chocolate, brownies, coffee, or ice cream.

And, what's Fred's attitude about student problems?

"I'm delighted to be here. We'll try constantly to correct a problem. And you can write this down; I'll never say no to a student when it comes to a problem."

The Career What?

by Nancy Donnelly

Do the words Career Planning, Career Counseling and Placement mean anything to you? They mean a lot to the students who are thinking about their future. There is a wide range of occupational literature to help you find a career of interest.

Career Counseling, available at the Placement and Career Planning Center is the most important service offered," said Doug Spain, Coordinator of Career Planning. "All students, whether they are Freshmen or Juniors need to have a degree of knowledge about the job market and the skills that they really can use. Many students go to college for four years, getting a normal education that they really can't use. Or, they major in a particular field but not know what they can do with that field."

Spain works with people who have chosen their career showing them what is available in that field. He also works with the undecided students who are classified as a particular major, but don't want to major in that field.

The center offers structured workshops to help the students decide what they are really interested in. "You can't major in something just because you like it, you have to think about what you are going to major in, what you can do with it," said Spain.

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Winthrop Field Hockey

by Susan Roberts

Mieberta Bobb begins her fifth season as coach of the women’s field hockey team. Of 17 players on this year’s team, four are freshmen. Players include Pat Bailey, Joanne Balaine, Penny Bostain, Shirley Dunford, Nicole Finkura, Pat Graham, Dinas Haemrick, Vicki Hawkins, Karen leeman, Jodye Jennings, Suzi McDaid, Jenny Norris, Debbie Oliver, Christine Sherman, Louise Smith, Sylvia Strickland, and Lynn Walker. Trainer is Rhoda Moore and manager is Vicki Costas.

With four of last year’s starters graduated, the question is whether or not WC can match up against their competition. Miss Bobb believes they will gel into a strong team this year. A drawback, however, is the lack of an experienced goalie and backfield. Given time, they will hopefully overcome the lack of experience in those two areas.

The ’76 team will be carrying a strong schedule, according to Miss Bobb. She said that WC will start the season with some of their strongest opponents. One of the stronger opponents, UNC-G, has never been defeated by Winthrop. Bobb hopes this season will prove different.

WC will also face several club teams this season. These clubs represent very experienced players. Durham, ECU, and Georgia Clubs are a few of their opponents:

All in all, Miss Bobb and her players are excited and anticipate a rewarding season.

Pool Schedule

| M, W, F | 12:00-1:00 p.m. |
| M-W | 4:00-5:00 p.m. |
| M-Th, Th | 7:30-8:30 p.m. |
| Sat, Sun | 3:00-5:00 p.m. |
| M-Th | 6:30-7:30 p.m. Beginners |
| F | 5:30-6:30 p.m. Family Night |

Equipment Room Hours

| M-Th | 3:00-6:00 p.m. |
| Sat, Sun | 1:30-5:30 p.m. |

Tough Volleyball Season Ahead

by Susan Roberts

Linda Warren is getting her second season underway as WC’s volleyball coach. Of 11 returners, four are players from last year’s squad, four are starters. The ’76 squad is composed of three freshmen, six sophomores, two juniors, and three seniors. Members include Beth Amidon, Lynn Avent, Pam Bostain, Betty Byrd, Susan Clarkson, Charlene Faggler, Adell Harris, Judy Kirkpatrick, Bert Lee, Tricia McDonald, Denise Skellet, Sandy Thompson, Sandy Tribbett, and Joby Williams. Manager is Jane Smith, and trainer is Pam Walker.

The volleyball team will face many good opponents this year. Within South Carolina, College of Charleston, Francis Marion, and USC are strong competitors. Tough teams outside the state include Elon, UNC-G, ASU, and NC State. At the West Georgia Tournament, WC will have the opportunity to play many of the top teams from NC, SC, Fla, Tenn, Kentucky, Georgia and Illinois. Miss Warren expects this tournament to be good experience for her squad.

According to Coach Warren, the volleyball team should prove to be quite strong this season. Despite the fact that two possible starters are presently injured, Warren believes that her team will be very powerful near tournament time. Miss Warren is very excited about the ’76 season, and has “nothing but positive thoughts”.

Bicentennial Relay

Winthrop’s field hockey team composed of more than 1400 women who are running two hockey sticks around the original 13 colonies and rendezvous at the Liberty Bell in Philadelphia, Pa. One stick started in Athens, Ga., on Sept. 7. The other began from Keene, N.H. Both are to meet October 18 at the Liberty Bell.

The massive effort is a bicentennial salute that is also designed to raise funds to send a U.S. field hockey team to the Tournament of the Americans in Mexico next summer. Making the runs are a series of 25-mile teams. Sponsors are being sought by each participant. Winthrop ran the stick from King’s Mountain through Gastonia and Charlotte, and met the Converse team at the N.C. state line, September 18.

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Drama On The Move

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Freshman Class Events

The freshman class elected Ruthie Ayers president of the class Thursday, September 9, in a run-off election with Donna Mussey.

Class senators elected for 1976-77 are Jody Guy, Mark Huguley, Jimmie Williamson, and Laura Williamson. Jennifer Davis and Rose Brewer were chosen class cheerleaders.

The remaining elections for vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and pianist will be held Wednesday, September 22. Members of the freshmen class may vote in Thompson cafeteria.

The annual freshman-junior class party was September 9 at the Shack. The juniors began the evening by enacting their sympathy for the freshmen in a series of skits. The freshmen were portrayed by the juniors during the traumatic moments of "rat week." Included in the skits were the rats' capers, hazing by sophomores, and adjusting (7) to the cafeteria's food and dorm life.

He remained over the evening was spent meeting numbers of the sister class. This was done easily as the freshmen and juniors taught each other the twist, shuffle, and even different hustle. Each class sang out their class song and brought the first sisters' class party to an end.

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"We will do anything here to help a student--and do it with a smile," said Nancy Forrester, Student Counselor since July. She and Graduate Assistant Beth Lowman work full time in advising students in the School of Arts & Sciences, as well as students undecided in their major.

The Advising Office also handles forms necessary for transferring credit, changing majors, and withdrawal from Wiltthrop.

In order to alleviate some of the rush involved with the usual pre-registration advising, the office extended its hours and took on 14 peer advisers. Even so, it is difficult to give all students maximum attention, says Forrester, who suggested that students contact the advising office before the pre-advising week of November 15-19. This will allow ample time to talk about scholarships or complications with someone whose job it is, to find solutions.

The Arts & Sciences Advising Office is located in 106 Kinard and open from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The extension is 323-2159.

THE AMERICAN DREAM

SEPTEMBER 20, 1976

by Mary Thomas

The drama department has switched from a yearly format of four major productions, to four showcases and two major productions, in order "to offer more people, more opportunity," said Blair Beasley, the new drama instructor and producer, who has come to Wiltthrop from Maryville College.

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Campus Ministries

by Su Taylor

Helping the individual find out more about God, life and himself is the aim of the Winthrop College Campus Ministries.

WCCM is a conglomeration of six various faiths–Episcopal, Methodist, Presbyterian, Catholic, Baptist, and Lutheran– geared at reaching out to Winthrop students. This is accomplished by weekly meetings, dinners, fellowships, films, seminar groups and just rap sessions. One can become involved by attending one of the weekly meetings held every Tuesday at 6 p.m. at either Westminster House, Newman Community or Wesley Foundation, and every Thursday at 6 p.m. at the B.S.U. Another regular activity is the WCCM sponsored 97° Commuter’s lunch, which is held every Thursday from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Baptist Student Center.

Upcoming activities include a free supper and program on bettering communication skills at The Wesley Foundation Sept. 21 as well as a B.S.U. sponsored trip to Clemson on Oct. 1. Various seminars will be hosted by the B.S.U. along with 50¢ soup and sandwich prayer lunch every Tuesday at 12:15 p.m.

Franklin Symposium

The timetable for the community symposium on Ben Franklin, scheduled Sept. 23 at Winthrop College, has been revised to allow participants to view the Ford-Carter television debates that evening. Entitled “Ben Franklin and Our Times: A Bifocal View,” the symposium will begin at 3 p.m. A 5:15 p.m. dinner meeting will feature guest speaker Bruce Granger. The final session will begin at 7:15 p.m.

Human Development Center

by Craig Tabler

The Human Development Center, an interdisciplinary services and training center which primarily serves those disabled by epilepsy, mental retardation, cerebral palsy, autism and other neurological handicaps, is beginning its second year as a big operation on the Winthrop College campus.

“...This year the emphasis is on training,” said Dr. Reid Johnson, coordinator of clinical services for the center. “We are going to be developing more structured, in-depth, interdisciplinary training experiences for the students who come here.”

Last year the center’s concentration was on services that would attract attention from both the professional community and from the training programs. “We didn’t really concentrate that much on in-depth training of the students last year. We mostly concentrated on the services and exposed them to as many people as possible,” cited Johnson. Last year there were over 400 students who received training experience at the Human Development Center, but it was mainly of an observational nature.

The center, federally funded as a University Affiliated Faculty under the Developmental Disabilities Act, is set up like a training center not only for Winthrop students but also for students from other colleges and universities who plan to work in professions involving the mentally disabled.

Dr. Johnson commented that all the programs started last year are also going full steam ahead.

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