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ODK AT METHODIST COLLEGE INDUCTS NEW MEMBERS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Brian Michael Ravenelle was inducted into the circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honor society, at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

Mr. Ravenelle is a junior from Dudley, MA, majoring in business administration.

The Methodist College chapter of ODK was chartered in 1981.

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FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Branimir Illic was inducted into the circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honor society, at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

Mr. Illic is a senior business administration major from Jensen, Beach, FL.

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FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Jeannie Marie Denman was inducted into the circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honor society, at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

Ms. Denman is a senior fine arts management and theatre major from Slate Hill, NY.

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ODK AT METHODIST COLLEGE INDUCTS NEW MEMBERS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Colette Lorraine Gilligan was inducted into the circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honor society, at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC. Colette Lorraine Gilligan is a junior physical education major from Dublin, Ireland.

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ODK AT METHODIST COLLEGE INDUCTS NEW MEMBERS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- The Methodist College circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, a national leadership honor society, inducted eight new members December 1, 1992.

The new members are:

From Fayetteville: Robert Williams Bloodworth, Jr., assistant professor of communications at Methodist College; Robert Matthew Dempster, a senior sociology major; George Elder Lewis III, a senior political science major; and Tammy Jean Murphy, a junior chemistry and mathematics major.

From other areas: Jeannie Marie Denman, a senior fine arts management and theatre major from Slate Hill, NY; Colette Lorraine Gilligan, a junior physical education major from Dublin, Ireland; Branimir Ilic, a senior business administration major from Jensen Beach, FL; and Brian Michael Ravenelle, a junior from Dudley, MA, majoring in business administration.

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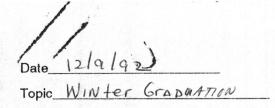
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WINTER COMMENCEMENT SLATED AT METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Methodist College will hold its 20th winter commencement exercise Friday, December 18 at 2 p.m. in Reeves Auditorium.

Dr. Ladell Payne, president of Randolph-Macon College in Ashland, Virginia, will give the commencement address.

Approximately 88 students are due to receive degrees at the winter commencement.



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METHODIST COLLEGE CHORUS PREPARE FOR BAHAMIAN TOUR

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—The Methodist College Chorus, under the direction of Alan Porter, begins a winter performance tour of Florida and the Bahamas January 9.

Chorus members have been working for over a year to raise funds for the trip. The 24-member group washed cars, raked leaves, and sold baked goods to underwrite the tour.

The chorus will depart for Florida January 9. On Sunday, January 10 the group will perform at St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Fernandina Beach and at Reeves United Methodist Church in Orlando.

The chorus will spend four days and nights in Nassau, visiting local tourist attractions, and giving additional performances at Queens College (a local high school) and a local church.

The singers have prepared a varied program which includes the Bahamian spiritual "All My Trials," "Pie Jesu" from the *Requiem* by Andrew Lloyd Webber, "I Am But a Small Voice", "Festival Sanctus", and the popular songs "Unchained Melody" and "Under the Boardwalk."

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NOTE: Chorus members are listed as follows:.

Fayetteville: Mary Andersen, Dena E. Briggs, Jason Britt, Michael Graham, Shawna Grooms, Steve Mattulat, Carolyn Owen, Louis Seymour, Bethany Surridge, Michael Thrash, Kimberly R. Weaver.

Fort Bragg: Luis Columna.

Lumberton: Andrea Connelly.

Stedman: Fredrick E. Wright, R. Bryan Wright.

Other Areas of North Carolina: Heather Daniel, Hampstead; Rachel A Juren, Henderson; John Mark Lee, Moorehead City; April Pitts, Tabor City; David A. Teague, Garner;

Areas Outside of North Carolina: Shawn Cucciardi, Helena ,MT; Anne L. Rawls, Fernandina Beach, FL; Deidra Vandervort, Newburgh, NY; Craig Wille, Cherry Hill, NJ.

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METHODIST COLLEGE SENIOR TO PORTRAY FAMOUS HEROINES

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Monarch Playmakers at Methodist College will present a coffeehouse production entitled *Year of the Woman* January 18-21.

Senior Waylinda Royal will create four heroines who have had their "year" in years past. She will be Lysistrata (411 B.C.), Saint Joan (1412), Nora (1879) from *A Doll's House* and Heidi (1974) from *The Heidi Chronicles*.

Student Director Caroline Kearns is seeking a non-traditional supporting cast, with an emphasis on minorities and foreign students. Michael Richardson will serve as technical director.

Year of the Woman will be staged at 8 p.m. each night in the Alumni Dining Room of the Berns Student Center. There is a \$2 cover charge. Coffee and pastries will be sold before the show and during intermission.

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December 10, 1992

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GOLF INSTRUCTOR AT METHODIST NAMED SOUTHEAST REGION TEACHER OF THE YEAR

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Ron LaVoie, an instructor in the Professional Golf Management Program at Methodist College, was recently named Southeast Region Teacher of the Year in the 1992 Home Pro Award program sponsored by the Spalding Company. He received a cash award and a plaque, and was listed with other winners in the November issue of *PGA Magazine*.

Mr. LaVoie joined the PGA staff at Methodist in the fall of 1991. A teaching professional, he has represented the college as a player in all the Carolina PGA's major championships and in the Chip Beck Invitational. He is also a part-time student, pursuing a bachelor's degree at Methodist.

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January 12, 1992

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WILLIAMS GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—David Dwight Williams from Raleigh, NC, graduated from Methodist College, December 18, 1992, with a bachelor of science degree in history.

Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC, is a senior, coeducational college of liberal arts and sciences with a full-time enrollment of 1,400 students.

Bill Billings

December 15, 1992

Public Relations Director

METHODIST COLLEGE RECEIVES REYNOLDS GRANT FOR PARENT EDUCATION PROGRAM

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Methodist College has received a \$15,000 grant from the Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation for continuation of a parent education project at Fayetteville's Pauline Jones Elementary School.

The grant will support a five-month instructional program designed to show parents of disadvantaged fifth graders what they can do at home to improve the reading skills of their children. Entitled SPIRIT II, the program will offer monthly workshops for parents along with free books and periodicals and access to instructional software and personal computers. The program seeks to improve the reading skills of 60 fifth graders at Pauline Jones Elementary School, students who have been identified as reading below grade level.

The acronym SPIRIT stands for Students and Parents Involved in Reading Instruction Together. The program was inaugurated at Pauline Jones Elementary in January, 1992 and targeted fourth graders reading below grade level. The Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation awarded a \$25,000 grant to Methodist College for the initial program, which involved approximately 90 parents.

"We're very excited about this additional grant," said Mrs. Sally Austin, principal at Pauline Jones Elementary School. "We now have a core of parents who we feel will stay with us. Both CAT (California Achievement Test) scores and school attendance have improved significantly over the last two years and we think parental involvement is responsible. Last year our school was one of only five in North Carolina to receive the Golden Key Award (given by the N.C. Dept. of Public Instruction) for increasing parental involvement."

In addition to the reading sessions, school personnel at Pauline Jones have offered other

workshops for parents, both during the day and at night, since 1990. "We've been averaging 40 parents at our monthly meetings this fall," noted Mrs. Austin. Mrs. Austin said additional funds from the Cumberland County school system, Methodist College, and the United Way of Cumberland County will make it possible to involve parents of **all** Pauline Jones students (grades 4-6) in the reading workshops.

The six-member team that will direct SPIRIT II consists of: Mrs. Austin; Dr. Tony DeLapa, professor of education at Methodist College; Ms. Jennifer Jerch, instructor of education and English at Methodist; Mrs. Daisy Steward, parent/school community coordinator/PTA president; Mrs. Clarie White, a parent; and Mrs. Shirley Carlyle, media specialist at Pauline Jones.

Because SPIRIT II will serve many of the same parents and students who were involved last year, school and college personnel expect that CAT (California Achievement Test) scores from Spring '93 will be significantly higher than those recorded last spring. Last spring, fourth graders at Pauline Jones—this year's target group—scored at the 41st percentile in reading ability.

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STEVENS RECIEVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC -- Trenda Sharett Stevens of Clinton, NC received a bachelor of science degree in business administration on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.





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Bill Billings

December 21, 1992

Public Relations Director

METHODIST COLLEGE GRADUATES 85 AT WINTER COMMENCEMENT

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Winter graduates of Methodist College December 18 were advised to "always be honorable, even though you may never be recognized or honored for it."

Dr. Ladell Payne, president of Randolph-Macon College in Ashland, Virginia, told 85 graduating seniors that everyone can't be a winner, but that "unsung heroes, the unrecognized, and also-rans" can be worthy of honor if they exemplify passion, sacrifice, and endurance.

Dr. Payne said he agreed with the late William Faulkner, who said, "I believe that man will not merely endure, but will prevail. He is immortal because he has a soul, capable of passion, sacrifice, and endurance."

Twenty-one members of the winter class graduated with honors—12 "cum laude," seven "magna cum laude", and two "cum laude". Dr. Elton Hendricks, college president, presented the third annual Sam Edwards Award to Mrs. Judith W. Blake, of Hope Mills, denoting her selection by the faculty as the outstanding evening student.

A senior contract specialist at Fort Bragg, Mrs. Blake received a B.S. degree in history (magna cum laude) and an A.A degree in Bulgarian. She has chaired the Fort Bragg Federal Women's Program Committee, served as secretary of the Hope Mills Chamber of Commerce, worked on the boards of the Fayetteville Symphony Orchestra Association and the Dance Theatre of Fayetteville, and done volunteer work with the Red Cross, Girl Scouts, and Boy Scouts.

In other commencement activities, Fernando Martinez, a history major from El Salvador, presented his country's flag to the college. Roger Pait, president of the Methodist College Alumni Association, welcomed the new members of the Class of '92.

Methodist College awarded degrees to the following persons December 18, 1992:

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Cape Fear Region

<u>Fayetteville</u>: Alice Freeman Cashwell, music; Tracy Powell Laudermilt, French; Ann Elizabeth Morris, writing, magna cum laude; Michael S. Richardson, business administration; Sondra M. Wolfe, criminal justice, magna cum laude.

Ft. Bragg: Michelle L. Jinnette, international studies.

Other Countries and States

Hitoshi Mori, Japan, French.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Cape Fear Region

Fayetteville: Calvin P. Andrews, Jr., business administration; Billie Renae Barefoot, business administration; Ian H. Bates, accounting; Sandra L. Bayliss-Carr, sociology; Judith Marie W. Blake, history, magna cum laude; Donna Marie Bramble, business administration, magna cum laude; Carla McNeill Brown sociology; Komkai Buranasongkram, computer science; Tanya S. Byrn, elementary education, cum laude; Dana Claudette Caulder, business administration; Robert Thomas Clayton II, business administration; Donna Michelle Combs, accounting and political science; Thomas M. Cunningham, business administration; Robert Matthew Dempster, sociology; Lester W. Ellis III, accounting; Betsy Ann Enloe, accounting; Vivian Marie Fredricks, elementary education, summa cum laude; James N. Gibney, business administration; Deanna Matthews Godwin, middle grades education; Michael Andrew Haluski, business administration, cum laude; Barnett Henry Hill, accounting; Richard W. Jinnette, business administration; Donald Spencer Kline, Jr., business administration; Patricia M. Kline, sociology and social work; Mark Lee Lange, physical education; Ronald W. Liggins,

business administration; April DeAnne MacMillan, elementary education; Fernando A. Martinez, physical education; Leonard Paul McComas, business administration; Joseph K. McCoy, business administration; Paul Daniel Palmisano, business administration; Madelyn Rene Pelchat, elementary education; Charissa Devine Perkins, accounting; Michelle Yvette Petersen-Trahan, business administration; Jamese Michelle Pilgrim, psychology; Michael Gregory Pinkston, social work; Rose Teresa Powers, accounting, cum laude; Kim W. Reeder, elementary education; Michelle Lee Reeves, criminal Justice, cum laude; Malcolm Carr Register, physical education; Barbara Jean Rhoads, elementary education, magna cum laude; Gregory D. Rhoads, sociology; Thomas E. Rittenhouse, business administration; Robert Glenn Scott, business administration; Alison Becker Shirley, elementary education; Lara Aileen Steele, social work and sociology, cum laude; Kelly Leigh Taylor, elementary education; Rodney Wayne Tolentino, computer science, cum laude; Helen Laura Christmas Vile, sociology, cum laude; Heather Blake Wheeler, accounting and business administration, cum laude; Guyla Beth Wilkinson, elementary education.

Bunnlevel: Debra Branch Byrd, business administration, cum laude.

<u>Dunn</u>: Kathryn Branch Daniels, business administration, cum laude.

<u>Elizabethtown</u>: Amy Elizabeth Currie, biology, cum laude; Lisa Charlene Taylor, business administration, magna cum laude.

Other Areas of the State

Trenda Sharett Stevens, Clinton, NC business administration; David Dwight Williams, Raleigh, NC, history; Charles Patton Thomas, Rowland, NC, sociology and social work; Eileen Joyce Guevera Perry, Sanford, NC, computer science; Lisa Carden Burgess, Semora, NC, elementary education, magna cum laude; Adam R. Hall, White Oak, NC, accounting, summa cum laude.

Other States and Countries

Sara L. Beechey, Canada, business administration with a concentration in golf management; Richard C. Foutz, Homer City, PA, history; Mark David Gleason, Alexandria,

VA, business administration; Michael Bernard Krick, Williamsburg, VA, business administration with a concentration in professional golf management; Antonio Lamont McGriff, Palatka, FL, communications; Lori Ann Pickrel, Galesburg, IL, elementary education; Brigitte Anna Roller, Summerville, SC, accounting, magna cum laude; Javier A. Saldana, Bayamon, PR, business administration; Timothy Christopher Schieffelin, Maitland, FL, physical education; Dawn Renee Thompson, Bethesda, MD, elementary education.

BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE

Cape Fear Region

<u>Fayetteville</u>: Helen Laura Christmas Vile, associate degree concentration in dental hygiene.

<u>Dunn</u>: Kathryn Branch Daniels, associate degree concentration in industrial management, cum laude.

Bunnlevel: Debra Branch Byrd, associate degree concentration in industrial management.

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

Cape Fear Region

<u>Fayetteville</u>: Judith Marie W. Blake, Bulgarian; Melissa Greer Burch, sociology; Elizabeth Beck Dickerson, general studies; Julie Lynne Dixon, biology; Tami M. Marano, Chinese Mandarin; Yuka Sugiyama, art.

Ft. Bragg: Edwin Jusino-Vega, business administration.

Other States and Countries

Kraig A. Kvalevog, Rockville, IN, health.

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THOMAS RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYEITEVILLE, NC --Charles Patton Thomas of Rowland, NC received a bachelor of science degree in sociology and social work on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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Public Relations Director

BEECHY RECEIVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYEFTEVILLE, NC --Sara L. Beechy of Cambridge, Ontario, received a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a concentration in golf management on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.



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FOUTZ RECIEVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Richard C. Foutz of Homer City, Pa recieved a bachelor of science degree in history on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.



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GLEASON RECIEVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- Mark David Gleason of Alexandria, Va recieved a bachelor of science degree in business administration on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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KRICK RECIEVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC Michael Bernard Krick of Williamsburg, Va recieved a bachelor of science degree in business administration with a concentration in professional golf management on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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MCGRIFF RECIEVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC--Antonio Lamont McGriff of Palatka, Fl recieved a bachelor of science degree in communications on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

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SCHIEFFELIN RECIEVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- <u>Timothy Christopher Schieffelin</u> of <u>Maitland</u>, <u>F1</u> recieved a bachelor of science degree in physical education on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.



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December 18, 1992

Public Relations Director

THOMPSON RECIEVES BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE FROM METHODIST COLLEGE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC-- <u>Dawn Renee Thompson</u> of <u>Bethesda</u>, <u>Md</u> recieved a bachelor of science degree in elementary education on Dec. 18, 1992 at Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC.

Bill Billings

December 21, 1992

Public Relations Director

LISA TAYLOR GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH HONORS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Lisa Taylor from Elizabethtown, NC, graduated magna cum laude from Methodist College with a bachelor of science degree in business administration.

In order to graduate magna cum laude a student must hold a minimum grade point average of 3.7.

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AMY E. CURRIE GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH HONORS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Amy E. Currie from Elizabethtown, NC, graduated cum laude from Methodist College with a bachelor of science degree in biology.

In order to graduate cum laude a student must hold a minimum grade point average of 3.4. Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC, is a senior, coeducational college of liberal arts and sciences with a full-time enrollment of 1,400 students.

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LISA C. BURGESS GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH HONORS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Lisa C. Burgess from Semora, NC, graduated magna cum laude from Methodist College with a bachelor of science degree in elementary education.

In order to graduate magna cum laude a student must hold a minimum grade point average of 3.7.

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DEBRA BYRD GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH HONORS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Debra Byrd from Bunnlevel, NC, graduated cum laude from Methodist College with a bachelor of science degree in business administration. In order to graduate cum laude a student must hold a minimum grade point average of 3.4. Methodist College in Fayetteville, NC, is a senior, coeducational college of liberal arts and sciences with a full-time enrollment of 1,400 students.

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BRIGITTE ROLLER GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH HONORS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Brigitte Roller from Summerville, SC, graduated magna cum laude from Methodist College with a bachelor of science degree in accounting.

In order to graduate magna cum laude a student must hold a minimum grade point average of 3.7.

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KATHRYN B. DANIELS GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH HONORS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Kathryn B. Daniels from Dunn, NC graduated cum laude from Methodist College with a bachelor of science degree in business administration.

In order to graduate cum laude a student must hold a minimum grade point average of 3.4.

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December 21, 1992

Public Relations Director

KVALEVOG GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH AN ASSOCIATES OF ARTS DEGREE

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Kraig A. Kvalevog from Rockville, IN graduated from Methodist College with an associate of arts degree in health.

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December 18, 1992

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ADAM HALL GRADUATES FROM METHODIST COLLEGE WITH HIGHEST HONORS

FAYETTEVILLE, NC—Adam Robert Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Hall of White Oak, NC, received his Bachelor of Science degree in accounting from Methodist College December 18.

Mr. Hall graduated "summa cum laude" (with highest honors). He has been an honors student at Methodist, maintaining an overall "A" average during the last four years. Mr. Hall took the state CPA exam in November.

He was recently selected for inclusion in the 1993 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. He was a member of the college chorus, the Monarch Quartet, and the Stage Band while a student at Methodist.

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