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Students from KDES and Sidwell Friends School share a moment of communication. Ten Sidwell students spent four days at Kendall to get acquainted and participate in theater games.

Sidwell students make new friends during four-day visit to Kendall

Every spring, students at Washington's Sidwell Friends School break from their classroom routines for a "Mini-Master"—a group learning experience on a topic of popular choice.

This year, they choose to interact with deaf kids their own age from KDES. For four days, 10 5th through 8th grade students in Karen Bralove's drama class came to KDES's eurythmics dance room, where they met with 10 intermediate students for a day of theater games, role playing, and improvisation, as well as to eat lunch together and just get acquainted. No interpreters were used. The only outside influence in facilitating communication came from KDES Fine and Applied Arts Instructor Pauline Spanbauer.

"The whole point was twofold: to do drama together, but mainly for the kids to relax together and communicate," Bralove said.

"It was incredibly exciting," she added. "We didn't want it to end. We're definitely psyched to do it again."

On March 20, the first day the students met, Bralove said "there was the typical shyness" that most kids experience when they face strangers. But once the ice was broken, "we found it was amazingly easy to communicate."

Mini-Masters of the past for students

at the 106-year-old private Quaker-sponsored school have included working in soup kitchens, bicycle touring on the Eastern Shore, backpacking on the Appalachian Trail, and delving behind the scenes with television reporters and camera crews.

The idea to get to know deaf youngsters came after Bralove met MSSD's Theatre Production Coordinator Tim McCarty at a Very Special Arts workshop last fall and discussed the Mini-Master program.

McCarty suggested that she contact Maral Taylor, Mainstream Program coordinator in Pre-College's Affiliated School Program, about the possibility of the two schools working together. Bralove followed up on the idea, and in December, she brought a group of 7th and 8th graders to MSSD, at McCarty's invitation, for the school's Theatre Showcase Festival. The group spent the night in an MSSD dormitory and attended workshops the next day.

"It was wonderful and it spurred me onward" to pursue having a Mini-Master program here this spring, Bralove said.

Her students were excited about the idea then, and their enthusiasm has not waned.

"They are hungry for more. Unfortunately, there just wasn't enough time" to develop friendships completely, said Bralove.

But the Sidwell students have plans to see their new acquaintances from KDES again. Bralove said that they are planning to invite them to the school to see their spring musical, "Damn Yankees."

Parents' Phone-A-Thon successful

Gallaudet's spring Parents' Fund Phone-A-Thon netted more than \$12,000 in pledges and brought the yearly Parents Fund goal of \$55,000 within an attainable reach.

"We did extremely well. I think we're going to make [the goal]," said Angie Hollingsworth, coordinator of annual giving for the Office of Development, following the Phone-A-Thon.

The event, which was held March 5-9 and 20-23, is a bi-annual effort to reach parents of Gallaudet students to solicit financial support for the University's college and pre-college endowment funds.

Alumni are now being contacted through their bi-annual Phone-A-Thon, which continues through April 13.

Hollingsworth said that a total of 31 volunteers worked several hours each night and contacted almost 500 parents. Forty percent of the parents who were reached made pledges.

"Most parents are very receptive to us calling, even if they aren't always in a position to give," said Hollingsworth. "The Phone-A-Thon is also an educational program for parents, to tell them about the programs that the money is needed for."

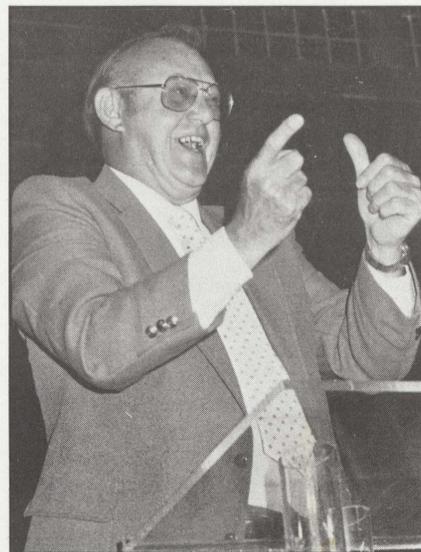
This year, each school has specified the program toward which their share of the Parents' Fund money will go. KDES chose its loaner hearing aid program; MSSD selected the Close Up civic awareness program, video equipment for its Athletic Department, and its Performing Arts Program; the Northwest Campus has opted to buy a computer for its school newspaper; and

Gallaudet has selected the Center for Enhancement of Learning and Teaching, a center where students can get additional help in the areas of critical thinking, reading, and writing.

Memorial service held for Norwood

A group of about 250 people gathered in Chapel Hall on March 27 to remember Dr. Malcolm Norwood, Class of '49, who died of a heart attack on March 22.

"Mac touched upon the lives of people—in fact, hundreds of thousands of them—through closed captioned TV programs and movies," said Frank Sullivan, a member of Gallaudet's Board



Malcolm Norwood

of Trustees and a close friend of the Norwood family.

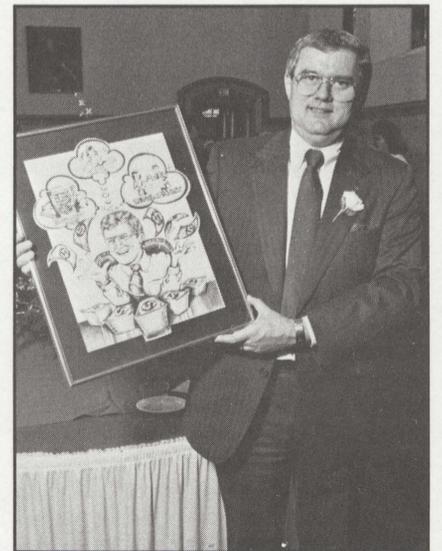
Norwood, the first deaf professional to work in the U.S. Office of Education, was chief of Media Services and Captioned Films for the Deaf when he retired last year. He received an award for distinguished service from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Norwood devoted much of his time to the National Association of the Deaf and received its Distinguished Service Award. He was also active in the Gallaudet University Alumni Association (GUAA), where he was instrumental in establishing guidelines and policies for the Office of Alumni Relations and Advancement. In 1988 the GUAA's Laurent Clerc Cultural Fund awarded Norwood the Alice Cogswell Award for valuable service on behalf of deaf people.

Last September, Norwood received yet another award. He was recognized for 25 years of advancement in communication technology at the National Conference on Deaf and Hard of Hearing People held in El Paso, Tex.

Norwood lost his hearing at five after having scarlet fever and measles.

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Lou Markwith holds a drawing by artist Charles Robertson depicting activities of units in his division during a farewell reception held March 31. Markwith leaves his position as vice president for University Relations to become vice president for Institutional Advancement at Longwood College in Virginia.

Announcements

The Infancy Research Group of the Center for Studies in Education and Human Development in the Gallaudet Research Institute needs mothers of infants (under 9 months of age) for a study. Parents and infants can be deaf or hearing. They will be videotaped during several one-hour visits to a KDES research lab. The study also includes an interview and questionnaires. Parents will receive copies of the videotapes. For information, call Robert MacTurk or David Deyo at x5206.

Two ad hoc committees of the Staff Advisory Committee will hold small campus forums April 10-13 and 17-30 to hear concerns about compensation and benefits. Staff members will receive letters telling them which forum to attend. All forums will be held in the Ely Auditorium from 4-4:45 p.m. April 10-13 and 17-20. People who cannot attend their scheduled forum can call committee members Maral Taylor, x5340, KDES 3404; Mary Louise Stansfield, x5050, EMG 101; or Janet Hoke, x5218 (TDD), HMB 118, or respond in writing or by E-mail.

Parents of young children are invited to attend a brown-bag lunch to discuss childcare and childrearing on Wednesday, April 12, from 12:15 to 1 p.m. in the Ely Center Art/Exhibit Room. For more information, call Eileen McCartin at x5550 (TDD).

The Deaf Way is sponsoring a Pictionary tournament on Saturday, April 22, from 7:30 p.m. to 2:30 a.m. on the second floor of the cafeteria to raise funds for The Deaf Way Scholarship Fund. Entry forms are available at The Deaf Way and Student Body Government offices, the University Center, and the Abbey. Each eight-member team must submit entry forms and fees (\$5 minimum/ member) by April 17. For information, call Natalie Brown at x5035.

The Gallaudet Sertoma Club invites the campus community to an all-you-can-eat breakfast on Friday, April 21, from 7:30 to 10 a.m. in "Ole Jim." Tickets for the waffle, sausage, juice and coffee breakfast cost \$4 each and

can be purchased in Ely Center on April 17 and 19 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., and at the door. Raffle tickets will also be sold for \$1, and door prizes will be awarded. Proceeds will go to MSSD and Gallaudet student scholarships. For Sertoma Club membership information, call Chuck Mann or Peter Goodman at x5353.

The GUAA Reunion Variety Show Committee needs a stage technician/crew, lighting technician/crew, and designers for its July 7 performance in Elstad Auditorium. To volunteer, call Hilary Ainbender at x8-5823 or x8-5825.

The Gallaudet members of the Capital Chapter of Professional Secretaries International invite the University's secretaries to celebrate Professional Secretaries Week. A service at St. Matthews Cathedral on April 23 from 1 to 2 p.m. will be followed by a tour of the cathedral. A lunch at G & G Villa on April 29 at 11:30 a.m. will be followed by the play "In a Room Somewhere" at Gallaudet from 2 to 3 p.m. Reservations and payment for the lunch and play, \$20 per person, must be received by April 21. Children under 12 can attend the lunch and play for \$6. For more information, contact Barbara Williams, x5350; Joyce McPherson, x5299; or Ethelyn DeStefano, x5200.



Barbara Harrison, Channel 4 News anchorwoman, speaks March 30 at the Careerathon sponsored by the Career Center. This year's program included academic departments, employers, graduate programs, and summer job information.

Norwood received numerous awards

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He graduated from the American School for the Deaf near his home in Hartford, Conn. He earned a master of education degree from the University of Hartford, received his doctorate in education from the University of Maryland, and received an honorary doctor of laws degree from Gallaudet in 1972.

Norwood taught at the Texas School for the Deaf, the American School for the Deaf and the West Virginia School for the Deaf and Blind. In 1957, he coached the West Virginia School's basketball team to its first conference championship.

He is survived by his wife, Marjorie, and their five children.



The rewards and frustrations of writing a book were explored by five deaf authors March 24 at KDES: (from left) Ernest Hairston, Black and Deaf American; Frances Parsons, I Didn't Hear the Dragon Roar; Bernard Bragg, Lesson in Laughter; Sharon Wood, Deaf Women: A Parade Through the Decades; and (not shown) Rachel Stone-Harris, Let's Learn About Deafness.

Logo contest held for TDD symbol

Telecommunications for the Deaf, Inc. (TDI) and Deaf Artists of America (DAA) are sponsoring a logo contest to develop a standard international symbol to show the location of TDDs in public places all over the world, such as airports, train stations, and government buildings.

The contest is open to hearing impaired people of all ages and nationalities. The grand prize winner will receive \$400, and five honorable mention ribbons also will be awarded.

The deadline for submitting entries is June 30, 1989, and entries will be judged during The Deaf Way July 9-14. The jury will be composed of three professionals in the graphic design field, at least one of them hearing impaired.

The logo should be clear and easy to understand. No words and letters can appear on the logo because it will be used in many different countries. Logos must be done in black ink on white illustration board measuring 11"x14". The logo must be no larger than 8" from top to bottom or from left to right.

Names, addresses, and phone numbers must be attached to the back of each entry, and each artist must submit an entry fee of \$5 (check or money order payable to Deaf Artists of America). The fee permits an artist to enter up to three different logos.

For more information, contact Tom Willard, Executive Director, Deaf Artists in America, 87 North Clinton Ave., Suite 408, Rochester, NY 14604.

Classified Ads

CLASSIFIED ADS are printed free as a service to Gallaudet faculty and staff. They must be submitted in writing only to *On the Green*, MSSD, Room G-37. Ads may be run for a maximum of two weeks, if requested, and if space permits. The deadline for submitting advertisements is Friday, 10 days before the desired publication. Ads received by Friday, April 14, will appear in the April 24 issue.

WANTED: Nonsmoking female to share spacious 3-BR apt. in Silver Spring, Md., near bus, shopping, 7 mi. to Gallaudet, W/D, AC, DW, renovated eat-in kitchen and bath, pool, balcony, avail. April 16, \$265/mo. plus 1/3 util. and \$150 security deposit. Call 434-7280 (V/TDD) eves./weekends.

WANTED: Housesitting for summer, will clean, care for house, garden, pets. Call Lisa Johnston, 547-1323, P.O. Box 835, or Barbara O'Connor, 547-3982, P.O. Box 1204.

FOR SALE: Full-size futon w/wood frame and mattress, \$350/BO. Call 547-0536 (TDD) after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: 17-yr.-old Cable-Nelson piano, \$500; 6 ft. long walnut stereo cabinet (no stereo) \$75; 4-yr.-old 10 cu. ft. freezer, rarely used, \$150; small table saw w/motor, \$40; 6 bowling balls, \$5/each. Call 490-0084 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: '77 Rinkerbuilt trailer for lake, bay, ocean, 19 ft. V-Hull, 140 Mercruiser I/O; Sears riding mower, little used; both BO. Call Harvey, x5315 or 472-4759 (V/TDD).

WANTED: Responsible roommates to share house in Lanham, Md., w/2 nonsmokers who have no pets; 2 rooms avail., W/D, telecaption decoder, TDD, other amenities; \$200/mo./room plus util. Call Amy, x5373 or 552-3624 (V/TDD) after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: '86 Dodge Conversion Van B250 w/automatic, AC, power steering, windows, and brakes; captain's chairs, bed, table; good body and engine, tan w/accnt; \$8,500/BO. Call Darnese, x5538.

FOR SALE: Canon camera, EOS 650, 35-70 mm, flash 300 EZ, service manual, box, \$500/BO. Call Thao, x5117.

WANTED: Share full-time baby care w/family w/sitter who would like another baby to care for, Colesville/Silver Spring, Md., 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Mon.-Fri. Call Susan King, x5400 or 680-9589 (V) eves.

WANTED: Housesitting position for 3 medical drs. from Mo. taking a summer course at Walter Reed July 10-Aug. 18. Call Glenda Ennis, x5375.

FOR SALE: Poconos timeshare w/international exchange, sleeps 6, take over payments. Call 890-8665 (V/TDD) after 6 p.m.

Job Openings

Some of the advertised positions may already be filled. The list below includes only new staff and faculty openings and does not represent all jobs available. To get a recorded message describing the complete list, call x5358 or x5359 (TDD).

APPLICATIONS PROGRAMMER: User Services

DIRECTOR, NATIONAL ACADEMY: National Academy

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR: Educational Foundations and Research

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