Financial aid law affects students

By Gary Parsons
HC Staff Writer

A new law which was enacted in October of 1986 has dramatically changed the requirements for students applying as independents for financial aid. More changes that will affect all students are soon to follow, according to Sheila Cox, Director of Financial Aid at Clinch Valley College.

According to Cox, the only requirements for a student filing as an independent before had been that the student wasn't counted on their parents' taxes, did not live more than six weeks with their parents, or receive more than $750 of support from them.

Cox said that under the new law a student will have to be at least 24 years old unless he is an orphan, a ward of the court, a veteran, or is married and has one dependent other than your spouse.

Students will also have to produce evidence that they have earned at least $4,000 in the past two years, which Cox said would increase the paperwork for students two fold.

Cox also stated that any financial aid received above those not returning, Cox noted that national surveys of colleges found that an average of 30 percent of freshmen students don't return for their sophomore year. He added, "We're not out of line at this point."

Yet Mrs. Heise, head of the Student Aid Office, said would increase the funding for the creation of an Institute of Government at CVC. The proposed Institute would be a branch of the Institute of Government at CVC's parent school, the University of Virginia, and would serve as a

CVC included on VA budget bill

By KATHY STILL
Wise County Bureau
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WISE - The fiscal budget amendments that include appropriations for Clinch Valley College have been included in the Virginia House of Delegates' budget bill, Del. Ford Quillen, D-Gate City, said Tuesday.

Quillen said delegates Jim Robinson, D-Pound, and Bill Green, D-Lebanon, worked with him to get the funding included in the budget bill, which is scheduled to be considered today by the House.

Quillen said he is confident the appropriations will pass the House, but he would not speculate on what will happen in the Senate.

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- **Point Blank** - Professor enjoys role as Faculty Resident of Apartments

By Garrett Sheldon

As a professor of Political Science, I am assigned to be the Faculty Resident of the Honors House. This role is a crucial component of the Honors Program, as it provides a space for faculty to engage directly with students and facilitate a more inclusive and sustainable learning environment.

However, the Honors Program is not merely a priority; it is a necessity. The Honors House is a hub of intellectual activity and a place where students can engage with faculty in a more intimate setting. By living in the Honors House, students are able to develop a deeper understanding of the subjects they are studying, and faculty residents are able to mentor and guide them.

Every two weeks, the Honors House Council meets to discuss a variety of topics, ranging from academic concerns to community initiatives. These meetings are crucial for the development of a sense of community among Honors House residents and for the establishment of a close academic community.

Additionally, the Honors House is a space for faculty to engage with students in a more informal setting. Faculty residents are able to provide guidance and support to students, and students are able to ask questions and receive feedback in a more relaxed environment.

In conclusion, the Honors Program is a priority for the College, and the Faculty Resident role is a crucial component of this program. By living in the Honors House, faculty residents are able to provide a more inclusive and sustainable learning environment for students, and students are able to engage with faculty in a more intimate setting.

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Clinical College: Possesses potential to win

By Gary Purnell, Staff Writer

At the Clinical College, the focus is on academic excellence and the development of well-rounded students. The college is proud to offer a wide range of programs that cater to the needs of its diverse student body.

The Clinical College offers a variety of undergraduate and graduate programs, as well as a range of extracurricular activities. These programs are designed to provide students with the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in today's competitive world.

In addition to the academic programs, the Clinical College also offers a number of opportunities for students to engage in community service and leadership. Through these activities, students are able to develop important skills and make a positive impact on the world.

The Clinical College is committed to providing an exceptional educational experience for its students. It is a place where students are encouraged to think critically, to challenge assumptions, and to seek out new ideas. The Clinical College is a place where students are motivated to be successful and to make a difference in the world.

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New computer major established at CVC for Fall

By Pamela Norman

CVC has announced the establishment of a new computer major for the Fall 2023 semester. The new major will be offered to students who are interested in pursuing a career in the field of computer science.

The new computer major will include courses in computer programming, data structures, and computer architecture. Students will also have the opportunity to specialize in areas such as artificial intelligence, cybersecurity, and software engineering.

The establishment of this new major is in response to the growing demand for computer science graduates in the job market. With the increase in technology and the rise of artificial intelligence and machine learning, there is a growing need for professionals with strong computer science skills.

CVC is excited to offer this new major and to provide students with the opportunity to pursue a career in this exciting field. The college is confident that this new major will be well-received by students and will help to prepare them for success in the computer science industry.

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Richard Peake reviews award winning novel at faculty colloquium

By Bob Skwba

Richard Peake, a professor of English and American literature at Clinch Valley College, recently reviewed the award-winning novel "The Tractator as reference in Jolly's life of the Earth" at a faculty colloquium. The novel is a collection of short stories by Dr. Richard Peake, the Chairman of All Faiths on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 16.

"The Tractator as reference in Jolly's life of the Earth" is a collection of short stories that explores the complex and often contradictory nature of the human experience. Dr. Peake's review provided insight into the novel's themes and its significance in the field of literature.

Through his analysis, Dr. Peake highlighted the novel's unique perspective and the novel's ability to challenge traditional notions of reality. He also discussed the novel's impact on the literary world and its relevance to contemporary issues.

The colloquium was well-attended and provided a valuable opportunity for faculty to discuss and explore the novel's themes. The event was a success and has paved the way for future discussions on the novel's significance in the field of literature.


Music and entertainment to arrive at Wise and Coeburn

Lively performances of Sweet Southern Nights will be presented in Wise and Coeburn in celebration of the dance of the street and the hard time. The genre will bring breakdancers and rappers, coupers and singer to the stage as living, moving chronicles of the history of black dance.

The first performance will be February 24,1:30 p.m., at J.J. Kelly Auditorium in Wise, Virginia. The second begins at 7:30 on February 25 in Coeburn Middle School Auditorium.

Sponsoring organizations are Pre-Art-Fame, Perfect Performing Arts, the NAACP of Wise County and the Coeburn, Norton, and Wise County Community League, and Coeburn High School. The Student Senate of Coeburn will produce the performances.

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The Lindy Hop, the Black Bottom, Twist, Hustle, and Electric Boogie and a variety of other dances will be displayed.

The Video Hut

in front of Bear Claw Teller Park.

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on WNVA FM 106
CVC receives funding to conduct Bicentennial series

Clinch Valley College and the Coincise Wine Countil have applied for Virginia Foundation for the Humanities grant to conduct a series of educational and cultural events to commemorate the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution.

The series, entitled "The Supreme Court, the Bill Rights, and the Law," will consist of films, presentations by Alcoholics Anonymous and a public discussion panel. The series is being organized by the Student Activities Office and the Library.

Other events include a "Law Day" celebration on May 2 at 1:00 p.m. in the Chapel.

For more information, contact Dr. Karen Baldwin, President of the Student Government Association, at 434-780-6533.

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Attention!

How would you like to win $25.00? What's the catch you say? There is none. All you have to do is pick the four college basketball teams which will make the Final Four in the NCAA Collegiate tournament held March 27-31. No problem, huh? Then ask that question to the Hosslers of Indiana? or maybe the Runnin' Rebels of UNLV? Wait a minute, how about those Tar Heels? Just fill out the following blanks and, if you know your college hoops or maybe if you're just lucky, you'll find yourself with more pocket money.

The Final Four teams will be:

1. ____________________________  2. ____________________________  3. ____________________________  4. ____________________________

Tie-breaker:

NCAA Champion ____________________________
Margin of victory ____________________________

Rules

1. Only one entry per person. The contest is restricted only to CVC students, faculty, and administration.
2. All entries must contain the full name of the college and its nickname for each selection. The Highland Cavalier reserves the right to question any entry which is questionable in validity.
3. In case of a tie, The Highland Cavalier reserves the right to hold a drawing to determine the winner.
4. All entries are final. The winner and his picture will be announced in the April issue of The Highland Cavalier.
5. Deadline for all entries is March 1, 1987.

Intramural Basketball

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Sun., Feb. 22, 8:00 p.m.
Crawdads vs. Lakers
Muffdivers vs. Flyers

7:00 p.m.
Ex-Athletes vs. Commuters
MWHUI vs. Pacers

Sun. Mar. 1- 9:00 p.m.
Championship game

Chuck Banner goes up to block a shot as he and his Delta Flyers teammates prepare to defend their title.

What has happened to the sports page?

By Bob Sloan
HC Sports Editor

What has happened to the sports pages of our newspapers over the years? It seems like only a few years ago that the sports page was a little fantasy world where you could read about your favorite athlete and find out how many hits, baskets, or touchdowns he scored in yesterday's game. It used to be fun to sit down and read about athletes and their achievements — but not anymore.

Oh, you can still follow the plight of your favorite athlete, only these days the statistics you read are of a little bit different nature. Here in the 1980's, where million dollar salaries are a necessity, the heroic athlete figure is almost extinct.

Everyday, sports papers across the nation carry stories of basketball players entering drug rehabilitation centers, or even getting kicked out of the league because of drug abuse. Mitchell Wiggins and Lewis Lloyd of the NBA's Houston Rockets are prime examples of the later.

Drugs, undeniably, are the major topic on most sports pages these days. The cocaine induced death of Len Bias, the high-flying basketball star at the University of Maryland. The banning of University of Oklahoma linebacker Brian Bosworth from the Orange Bowl for using steroids. College athletes aren't even safe anymore.

Money is another hot item on the sports news circuit. Baseball players holding out for an extra hundred grand because their million dollar salary is just not what they think they are worth. Detroit Tigers pitcher Jack Morris complained he knew how Jackie Robinson felt when no team would sign him to a contract. You're not even close, Jack.

Or how about Larry Bird, the ex-Dallas Cowboy defensive end who decided to steal his mother's life savings a couple of years ago. Something all kids can look up to, right? The sports page is just not fun anymore.

Whatever happened to the great athletes of sports pages past? Ted Williams, Bob Cousey, Roger Staubach. These were players every fan could respect. Players that every kid on the block wanted to grow up and be like.

Athletes like Williams, Cousey, and Staubach understood the responsibility that came with being a national sports figure. These days, many athletes claim they have no responsibility to their fans, they say they have their own life to live.

There are some athletes, however, that have not let their stardom go to their heads. Chicago's Walter Payton is a person and athlete to be admired. Kareem Abdul-Jabbar is head and shoulders above many other athletes in deserving respect. Pete Rose is a player that never really stirred up much controversy. These are the kind of players I hope my son looks up to.

Wouldn't it be nice to be able to pick up a newspaper and not read about an athlete being arrested or asking for more money? Maybe someday it will be fun to read the sports page again.