

# TECH TALK

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CHEER UP, STUDENTS. THE BEST IS YET TO COME.  
*This smiling hornet is Cynthia Edge, Head of last year's cheerleading squad for GTI's basketball team.*

What does GTI have to offer? Besides the fact that you are now attending school here, GTI has a distinguished faculty and staff (26 hold Masters degrees and 6 are working on their Masters, 3 hold doctoral degrees (1 Ph.D., 1 L.H.D., and 1 D.D.S.) while 6 are progressing toward either their doctoral degree in philosophy or education.

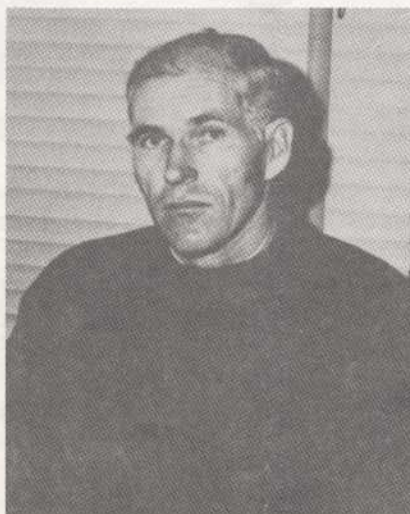
Last August, GTI conferred 165 adult high school diplomas, 104 vocational diplomas, and 53 Associate in Applied Science degrees.

GTI is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Universities and had the fourth highest total enrollment in the entire community college system, and if you think those are all of our good points, wait till you read the rest of this first issue of TECH TALK.

## HI!!!



Dr. Luther R. Medlin  
 President, GTI



Mr. Ray Dickson, Chairman  
 GTI Faculty Council

*The administrative staff and the faculty join in welcoming you to G.T.I. and promise you that this will be G.T.I.'s biggest year yet.*



# The Green Hornets Strike



The Green Hornets are an exciting basketball team to watch. Last year the Hornets, a member of PACTI (the Piedmont Athletic Conference of Technical Institutes), played 10 conference games and plan approximately 20-24 games this year. Wayne Gibbs, named the Hornet's Most Valuable Player, was also named to the All-Conference team while John Earles was given the Hornet's "Hustler" award and Woodrow Webster was named the Hornet's Best Defensive Player.

This year the Hornets will be coached by Mr. Ken Vaughn, assisted by Mr. Lynwood English and Mr. Roger Nelson. Miss Bailey will serve as adviser to the cheerleaders.

Interested in playing? In being a cheerleader? Contact the faculty members named above. Hornet practice will start around October 15, and the Hornets will be off for another year of excitement, enthusiasm, and just plain fun.



## G.T.I. SPEECH FUN

*Dramatics, competition in all types of speaking, and DEBATE are all part of GTI's extra-curricular speech program. Participation in speech activities qualifies the student for membership in Phi Rho Pi, a National Forensic Honorary.*

*Phi Rho Pi was founded in Michigan in 1928. The local North Carolina Omicron Chapter was begun in 1968 for the purpose of recognizing achievement of students who have demonstrated distinction in all forms of public speaking.*

*The history of GTI's chapter is a distinguished one. Phi Rho Pi students have appeared at various civic organizations, have directed and participated in plays, have appeared on television, and have won regional and national speaking honors, including 2nd, 3rd, and 5th place in three national speaking contests.*

*Try-outs for the debate teams and plays will be posted in the library and outside Miss Menke's office in Old Main, but any student interested in becoming a part of the GTI speech program may contact Miss Menke, Mrs. Avett, Mrs. Hallberg, Mrs. McGlohon, or Mr. Jenkins (all members of the English faculty).*



GEORGE GARST serves as the narrator in "The Gift of the Magi"



JOHN DAVIS, National Speech Finalist (1968, 1969) and Business Administration Graduate appears on WSJS-TV

# Again: Activities Unlimited...

## HARPER

PAUL NEWMAN—LAUREN BACALL—JULIE HARRIS  
ARTHUR HILL—JANET LEIGH—PAMELA TIFFIN  
ROBERT WAGNER—SHELLEY WINTERS

(Color by Technicolor) Paul Newman has gained such stature as an actor and hero for the under-30 age group, that to say simply, as the ads did, "Paul Newman is Harper," is a guarantee of a packed house for every showing. As a matter of fact Paul Newman is Harper, and what a film it is. Harper is a cynical private eye in the best tradition of Bogart. He even has Lauren Bacall. Yes, Paul Newman is Harper, and excitement clings to him like a dame.

**AWARDS:** Top Grossing Film; Film Daily's Famous Fives: Paul Newman for Best Actor, Julie Harris for Best Supporting Actress; Ten Best of the Year: Judith Crist, New York World Journal Tribune, and Film Daily.

### CRITICAL COMMENT:

"Bogey's back and Baby's got him... a slam-bang mystery yarn that could be right off the Raymond Chandler shelf... The screenplay crackles, snaps and pops with all sorts of familiar surprises and bubbles of biting dialogue."—Bosley Crowther, New York Times

"Harper gives Newman his feistiest role since Hud."—Time  
"picture moves because it is loaded with action... with dialogue that is laconic, pointed and just a bit cynical... has much of the impressive crispness and proficiency of such minor masterpieces in the milieu as The Big Sleep and The Maltese Falcon... superior merchandise... Newman as the hard, sardonic 'shamus' works with the same skill and consistency that marked his performances in Hud and The Hustler."—Arthur Knight, Saturday Review

"Paul Newman becomes Harper, turning in a zinger of a performance that is easily his best since Hud."—Robert Salmaggi, New York Herald Tribune



PAUL NEWMAN  
IN "HARPER"

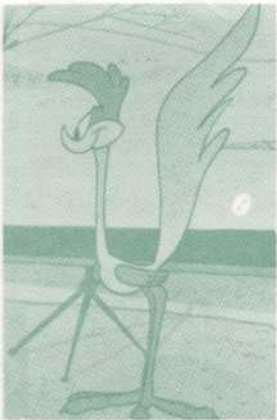


W. C. FIELDS

### PAUL NEWMAN ATTENDS GTI?

This year students and faculty will be able to view a number of outstanding films as part of the GTI FILM FESTIVAL. Films, such as those below, will be shown throughout the year in the GTI auditorium. Any GTI student with one guest will be admitted FREE TO ALL showings. Any faculty member and one guest will be admitted free to most showings.

The first film showing will be HARPER starring Paul Newman. The film will be shown Friday, September 11, in the GTI auditorium at these times: 12-1:45; 2:15-4:00; 7-8:45; 9-10:45. All GTI students and faculty (and one guest) will be admitted FREE.



THE ROADRUNNER



RAISIN IN THE SUN



THE JUNGLE BOOK



ON THE WATERFRONT

### MORE AND MORE ...

In addition to the many activities already devised, GTI has the yearbook (THE WHISPERING PINES), the newspaper (TECH TALK), the art club, the active Black Student Union, the Cosmetology Social Club, the GTI Dental Hygienist Association, the Ten Pins Bowling League as well as dances and parties.

One of the newest activities organized is a part of the community as well: the Jamestown-GTI Little Theater. Called, cleverly, "The Embryonic Stage," the little theater has tentative plans for 2 children's plays and 3 adult plays.

The Student Government Association of GTI attempts to provide activity opportunities for everybody. If you have an idea, a suggestion, if you want to organize a new group--- let us know. GTI means all sorts of learning, including learning to understand and to work with everyone.

# New Ideas at GTI

## DATA PROCESSING AND ASSOCIATE DEGREE NURSING: TWO NEW PROGRAMS

Two new, exciting curricula have recently been approved and initiated as a part of the Associate in Applied Science degree offerings at GTI. The two-year Registered Nursing curriculum was given provisional accreditation by the North Carolina State Board of Nursing and approval by the Department of Community Colleges. Enrollment is open to both men and women. Upon successful completion, the graduate will receive the Associate Degree in Registered Nursing.

As a part of the Business Education program, a two-year curriculum in Data Processing has also been approved by the Department of Community Colleges. The GTI program will be operating through a "computer tie-in" with the North Carolina Research Triangle. Graduates of the curriculum will receive the Associate in Applied Science in Data Processing. Employment opportunities in nursing or data processing are excellent.

## Get Togethering: A Course?

Of Course! Sociology 200, An Introduction to Occupational Education, is designed this fall with the student in mind. "Get-Together-ing" places emphasis on the interaction of students with each other and with the school through discussions, skits, and question/answer sessions.

In what other course could you cheer for your school, clap for your dramatic faculty, hunt for treasures, and stick around for a flick? This is your world---and welcome to it.

Heap your garlands of compliments\* for a successful three days upon the brave and adventuresome Soc. 200 committee members:

Barbara Long, Carey Ward, Patty Rydbert, Mildred Dohm, and the zillions of other faithful student leaders who have shared the burden of "Together-ing." ...Mr. Lochra, Director of Student Personnel and all of his staff; Miss Menke, Chairman of English and Social Studies and all her faculty members; Mrs. Avett, Co-Chairman of the whole shebang and all the instructors who served faithfully and unselfishly in planning and putting together our new approach.

\*For the physical well-being of any critics, any criticisms should be saved and given to next year's committee members---not to those weary mortals listed herein. Thanks and Peace.

*P. S. The cartoon at the right was done by another GTI new idea, Betty Mabe, 1970 Commercial Art graduate, who is GTI's first, full-time "Audio-Visual Technician."*



"We GOT togethering..."