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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends,

I'm pleased to announce that PASFAA has become incorporated as a non-profit educational association. The corporate name is, "Pa. Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, Inc." Our trade name continues to be Pennsylvania Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators. We are presently pursuing state and federal tax exempt status. The executive council is reviewing and codifying our operational procedures to ensure the effective governance and management of the association.

The committees of PASFAA have been diligently working on behalf of the membership. The conference committee has selected the Mariott in Pittsburgh as the fall 1980 conference site. They are at this time developing the program agenda. The government relations committee has met on several occasions with PHEAA and has presented view points concerning related issues and pending legislation. The committee has also responded to federal proposed rules, final regulations and reauthorization.

Needless to say with the creation of the Department of Education we will be kept busy in the months ahead. We will do our best to adequately represent you.

Sincerely,

Sal Ciolino

P.S. Just received word (3/5/80) that the national appeals deadline has been extended to March 20.

At the Eleventh Annual PASFAA Conference held in October, 1979, at King of Prussia, elections were held. A listing of PASFAA Executive Council Members for 1979-80 follows:

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MEMBERSHIP LISTING

Enclosed with this issue of the Newsletter is a copy of the current 1979-80 PASFAA Membership List. Please note that for the first time an attempt has been made to identify the type institution by member. Please review the listing, if there are any errors, please forward corrections to the Corresponding Secretary. Also, as you scan the list, check to see if the names of the financial aid personnel from neighboring institutions appear on the list. If they do not, invite them to become a member and/or forward their name/s to Renee Saleh.

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Executive Council met on November 16, 1979, and January 7 & 8, 1980. Meeting dates for the balance of 1979-80 are as follows:

March 14, 1980 (OE in Philadelphia)

May 16, 1980 (PHEAA Board Room)

July 25, 1980 (1980 Conference Site)

September 15, 1980 (PHEAA Board Room)

Members are welcome to attend meetings.

COMMITTEES

Members of the Government Relations Committee are: W. Arthur Switzer, Chairman

Anthony Athens
James Caskey
William Irwin
Arthur James
Gayle Knight

Kristl Mehnert

Members of the 1980 Conference Committee are:

Milosh Mamula, Chairman Frank Dutkovich, Jr. Mary Ann Burtner Father Charles J. McFadden Barry Zembower

POSITION AVAILABLE--Assistant Director of Financial Aid, Div. of Admissions and Student Affairs. Bachelors required, master's in Counseling, Bus. Admin. or Student Personnel Administration desirable. One year Fin. Aid experience in a professional capacity. Submit resume and reference to Dr. Robert S. Kurzinsky, 104 Lawrence Center, West Chester State College, West Chester, PA 19380. Deadline for receipt of applications: April 1, 1980. Appointment date: July 1, 1980.

POSITION AVAILABLE--Assistant Director for Student Services. Apply by March 15, 1980 (starting dare April 1, 1980). Forward resume, three current references and salary requirement to: Shirley Binder, Director, Office of Student Financial Aid, University of Texas at Austin, P. O. Box 7758, Austin, TX 78712.

<u>POSITION WANTED</u>--Individual with B.S. in accounting seeks entry level position in financial aid. Telephone: (215) 295-6562.

POSITION WANTED--Individual seeks position in financial aid. Contact: M. D. Higgins, 407 Dudley Avenue, Narberth, PA 19072

EDITORIAL COMMENTS

Although 1980 has gotten off to a bad start for yours truly, we hopt to get back on schedule with the newsletter. Tentative publication dates for the remainder of the year are: May 15, July 15, and September 15. Please forward your items at least two to three weeks prior to these publication dates to: C. D. Kratzer, Director of Financial Aid, Northampton County Area Community College, 3835 Green Pond Road, Bethlehem, PA 18017

VOLUNTEERS

If you wish to assist PASFAA, serve on a committee, etc. Please contact the President, Sal Ciolino at Gettysburg College.

GOVERNMENT RELATIONS

At their December meeting the Government Relations Committee compiled a 14-page report dealing with current and proposed regulations, including the reauthorization bill. Copies of the testimony presented at the January 10 hearing held in Philadelphia are also available. Members who desire a copy of either of the aforementioned should please forward their requests to the Corresponding Secretary (for the mailing address, please refer to "Editorial Comments". OR, you can get the latest update from Art Switzer -- he's planning to make a presentation to the Pa. Community College Financial Aid Administrators at their meeting on March 21. Art's presentation is scheduled for 10 a.m., March 21 at Harrisburg Area Community College.

SSFAT TRAINING by John Brugel, State Trainer

The State Student Financial Assistance Training Program for 1979-80 is entering the last phase of training for this academic year. During March, eight Regional one-day meetings will be held for clerical/secretarial/supportive staff. A separate mailing has been forwarded outlining these training opportunities.

The Summer Workshops had 212 participants, the novice workshop held in conjunction with the PASFAA Conference had 59 participants and the Winter Workshops had 159 in attendance.

The balance of the training calendar for the 1979-80 year is outlined below:

Spring Clerical Workshops	East Mar. 4	Wilkes College Wilkes Barre
Basic Educational Opportunity Grant (BEOG)	Mar. 18	Valley Forge Sheraton Inn Valley Forge
	Nar, 25	St. Joseph's University Philadelphia
State Grant Program (PHEAA)	West Mar. 18	Sheraton Inn - Shenango
Guaranteed Student Loan Program (GSL)		West Middlesex
	Mar. 26	Sheraton Inn on-the-Mall Monroeville
	Mar. 27	Sheraton Inn on-the-Mall Monroeville
	Central Mar. 13	Millersville State College Millersville
	Mar. 25	Lycoming College Williamsport
Spring Management Development Workshop (Experienced)	April 2	Host Inn Harrisburg