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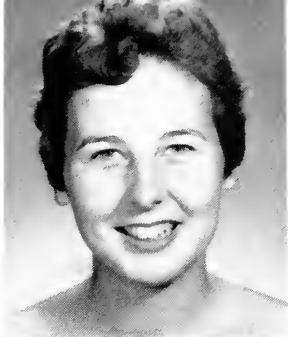


Becoming a University student involves both privilege and responsibility. Never again in your life will you have such a golden opportunity to find out what kind of a person you are and develop the potentialities of your mind and spirit. "Know yourself", said Socrates centuries ago, and his advice is still the best and still the hardest to follow. We hope that you will keep this goal always before you and through your studies develop keenness of mind and a sensitive understanding of yourself and others.

The development of self-discipline, respect for the rights of others, responsibility, and above all a sense of honor and integrity are also marks of the mature and truly educated person. The residence and University rules are designed for the safety, well-being and health of the majority of students and are liberal and sensible. You are on your honor to know them, and to abide by them, and you will find your house directors, student government officers and counselors eager to help you and concerned for your welfare. The more responsibility you can take, the more freedom and respect you will earn.

A University education is a privilege which depends on your maturity, reliability and willingness to exert your mind. It can be a wonderful experience and we wish you all the best of luck!

Miss Julia Billings
AWS Advisor



Four exciting and challenging years are opening their doors to you as a new student at Maryland University. Experiences and knowledge are unlimited—yours for the asking. Among these experiences is the opportunity for self-government.

Each woman student is automatically a member of the **Associated Women Students**. For her, this membership is both a privilege and a responsibility, the responsibility to carry through self-government to the best of her ability—thus making the campus community one in which learning can be equally beneficial to everyone. One of AWS's most challenging functions is helping you develop an understanding of your role as an educated woman, your role as a citizen of our university as well as the world, and your part in forming student values and opinions. Come join us in proving **Aren't Women Something**, for within our structure there is a place for **you** with your interests and talents.

It is with these thoughts in mind that I extend a very hearty welcome to you—prospective coed. The AWS executive council joins me in inviting you to make full use of the opportunities for intellectual discovery, participation in extra-curricular activities, and an increasing number of lasting friendships. We are always open to your questions. Remember we are here to serve **YOU**.

Pat Messer
AWS President

Note from the Editor

The Class of 1964! What a familiar ring those words will soon have for you as a member of the Freshman Class of Maryland University! It will represent a myriad of things throughout your four years here, all of which will become symbolic of the Maryland way of life.

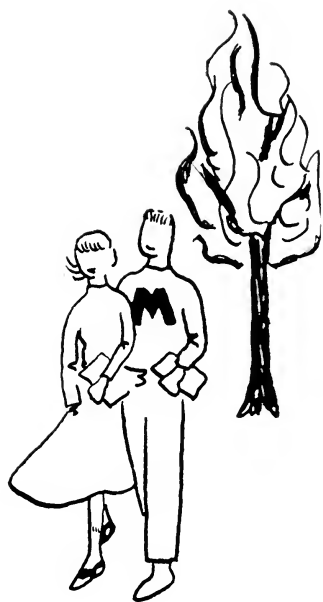
Our purpose in preparing this book is to help you plan these years. In these pages you will find the rules and regulations which will govern your stay here and advice on how to conduct a successful academic life. On the lighter side, you will discover tips on dress and social behavior, a plea to join our extra-curricular activities and thereby become an active part of Maryland's life, and a description of the honoraries that wait as rewards to your endeavors here.

We hope you will read our book and profit by what we have tried to assemble here for you, we hope this will be for you a true guidebook to help you through your stay at Maryland.

It is also our wish that you remember that Maryland is, above all, a friendly campus, its students and faculty are anxious to make you feel happy and at home here. Anyone will be flattered by your plea for assistance—so don't hesitate to ask for help. With this in mind and a desire to develop your talents fully, you can't help but succeed and treasure your years at Maryland!

Lynn Andretta

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MARYLAND AND YOU

Hit the Books

First and foremost, the University of Maryland is a community for learning. During your years here, much of your time will be devoted to developing yourself academically, as well as socially. Set up a study schedule and stick to it. Then there will be hours for extra-curricular activities and social life.

Get That Friendly Feeling

The University of Maryland is a huge place with students coming from all over the world. Be friendly and interested in everyone around you, for you will cherish these friendships during your college life and afterwards.

Group Living Takes Work

Dormitory life is fun, but large group living calls for extra consideration of others. One of your first and most important friends is your roommate. Respect her ideas and she'll return your cooperation with true friendship. Remember—those walls are thin—gossip and loud conversations carry far.

Your College Room

Your room will probably contain beds, desks, straight chairs, a floor lamp, dressers and closets. You'll need to bring your own blankets, pillows, irons, extension cords, desk lamps, etc. You may bring your own towels and sheets or rent them from the laundry service. As for curtains, spreads, and rugs—why don't you wait and plan the colors and style with your new roommate. Washing machines, dryers, and ironing boards can be found in the laundry rooms of each dorm.

"Big Sis" Can Help

Your Big Sister in the dorm can be a helping hand. Do not hesitate to confide in her and ask her advice. She can be of invaluable assistance, particularly during orientation, registration, and the first hectic days of classes.

Another Helping Hand

The student counselors in your dorm have been trained to help you with some of the more baffling little problems that often turn up. Whether it's dates or grades, or what to do in general, you will find them sympathetic listeners. With someone to talk with, your problem is half gone!

Forget Your Car

Due to the inadequate parking facilities, it would be advisable not to bring your car on campus unless it is a physical or financial necessity. You will soon find that tires and text books don't mix.

Take Your Pick

The panorama of activities is so broad and varied that your every interest and talent can be satisfied. But **don't spread yourself too thin**. Join in activities sparingly your first semester as you adjust to your studies and college living. **The wise and capable coed does a few things well.**

Mind Your P's and Q's

Most of you know what to do and when to do it, so just a few special words of college etiquette advice. **Stand up** whenever a dean, housemother, or older woman enters the room, especially a guest. **Always** introduce your guest to the housemother. **Avoid** chewing gum in public, smoking while walking across campus, embarrassing yourself and others by your conduct in the Dining Hall and at parties with public displays of affection. **Love is grand, but . . .!**

Go to Church

An important aspect of college life is a faith to live by and a belief in God. Our chapel on campus is available for students of all denominations. On Sunday, Catholic masses are held at 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. An Interdenominational Protes-

tant service is held at 11:00 a.m. In addition to the chapel, there are many other churches in the College Park area waiting to have you in their congregations.

What to Wear

The question of clothes, always a big one, is easily solved at Maryland University where the dress is traditionally casual. To alleviate the closet problem and to fit in best with other Marylanders, bring a limited, but adjustable wardrobe. For classes most girls prefer light cottons when it's warm and skirts with sweaters or blouses in the fall and winter. For casual footwear tennis shoes, loafers, and saddle shoes with ankle or knee socks are worn. Casual wear is preferred at basketball games and neighborhood movies, but suits or wool dresses and heels are appropriate for football games, weekend parties and trips to Washington. Do bring a few dressy dresses for special dates, and for teas and church. Gloves and hats are a must for the latter two. To a Md. U. coed the word "formal" means anything from a cocktail dress to a full-length gown, so bring your favorites. And above all **don't forget** your trench coats and boots—unfortunately you will be needing them. (Also see p. 31)

Put in a Nutshell

To sum it all up, be friendly, study hard, be considerate and discreet, participate in the activities that interest you most. Above all, **don't be afraid to ask questions.**

Remember, your fellow students, your house-mother, the deans and the faculty all want to be your friends. Make the most of your college life—you'll never regret it.



AWS AND YOU

AWS is YOU

—daydodger, independent or sorority woman! The Associated Women Students is the coordinating and governing body for all women students at Maryland—and it is also the voice of Maryland's women students in this college community. On a national level, our AWS is an active affiliate of the Intercollegiate Association of Women Students. On a local level, it is YOU!

The programs of AWS include setting up and enforcing the standards of conduct and residence rules enumerated in this book and sponsoring social, academic and cultural activities for Maryland coeds. This is a form of self-government for it is you and your classmates who make up the boards and committees of AWS and it is these boards and committees which carry out the aims and programs of AWS.

We think we are fortunate to be allowed to participate in making the rules and regulations which affect us and we hope you will feel the same. Become active in your dorm, sorority and daydodger government and take advantage of this opportunity to govern yourself within our grant of powers from the administration.

The "ship" on the next page illustrates the organization in AWS—it needs YOU to keep it afloat. On the next few pages the boards and committees of AWS are described. Also included are examples of a few of the many honoraries that are worth striving for. For further information or applications for positions on any AWS committee, talk to your dorm president or contact Pat Messer, AWS president, at Worcester Hall.



The AWS Executive Council

The Executive Council is the central, coordinating body of AWS. It passes upon all AWS legislation, approves committee chairmanships recommended by the AWS president, and delegates funds for AWS activities from their SGA appropriations. The weekly meetings of the Council are open to all women students. Girls who want to take an active part in AWS activities are invited to attend these meetings.

The Judicial Board

Campus Judicial Board has jurisdiction over all violations of women's regulations, hears more serious cases referred to them by the residence judicial boards, coordinates judicial policy in all residences, and acts as an appeals board. Extreme violations of University rules and those which need immediate consideration are referred to the Dean of Women.

The Academic Board

The purpose of the Academic Board is to encourage good scholarship and to improve faculty-student relations. Aiding freshmen to adapt to college studies, handling of tutoring arrangements in women's residences, publicizing job placement forums and sponsoring the Dormitory Scholarship Cup, which is given to the dorm with the highest scholastic average, are a few of its activities.

Dormitory Government

Each dorm has a council consisting of a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and committee chairmen plus class or floor representatives. The House Director is the council advisor.

These councils, as the administrative bodies, supervise conduct and scholarship within each dorm and promote extra-curricular activities.

The officers are elected in the spring. The chairmen and members of the committees are appointed by a committee composed of the new officers, the incoming and retiring president and the House Director, from applications entered by interested students.

The Dormitory Council

The Dorm Council consists of all the women's dormitory presidents, who meet regularly to discuss problems of dormitory government. Ideas are exchanged concerning the different programs carried out in each dorm. Any dorm resident may offer suggestions to the dorm council which may in turn make suggestions to the AWS Executive Council.

The Sorority Council

The Sorority Council, as the liaison with the Executive Council, discusses and acts upon the proposals and problems brought to its attention by the house presidents of the various Sorority Houses.

The programs and activities (and the chances for membership on the committees which sponsor them) which represent just a few of the many opportunities in AWS, are described on the following page.

Big Sister Program—Each new Freshman woman at Maryland—whether Dorm Dweller or Daydodger—is assigned a Big Sister who will try to answer her questions and help her become acquainted with Maryland customs. During Orientation Week you will attend coke dates and dinners with your Big Sister—during the year we hope you will still be consulting her when you need help.

Freshman Counseling—This service is under the auspices of the Counseling Center as well as AWS. Those who serve as Counselors take a course in which they learn how to help you solve your problems. They also know the sources for academic and social information and are willing to help with difficulties in these areas as well as others.

Leadership Workshop—Working in cooperation with the Men's League, this group invites an outstanding person to speak to them on leadership. After the speaker, discussions are held on such topics as campus problems, SGA, activities versus leadership and many others.

Christmas Pageant—Groups of carolers from all the Dormitories, Sorority and Fraternity Houses meet at the Chapel for the Pageant which is held on the Chapel Steps. The Pageant includes a tableau of the Christmas story, songs by the Women's Chorus, a speaker, and the lighting of Maryland's Christmas trees by the Dean of Women. After the Pageant, the Women's Chorus sings the Ceremony of Carols by Benjamin Britten. All the Carolers are invited to President Elkins' for punch and cookies after the ceremonies.

Bridal Fair—In the spring a young girl's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of a bridal gown, trousseau, china, crystal, silver and everything else that goes to make up a wedding. Even the girls who are not planning summer weddings enjoy the displays

set up by the various companies and the style show of exciting fashions. Brand names on articles displayed here are easily recognized as the best and many a rather reluctant young man can be seen making the rounds of the various booths, helping his girl decide what **they** want for **their** wedding.

Women's Employment Conference—This Service is an invaluable aid to graduating senior women and those seeking summer jobs. At the two teas held annually, representatives of all types of employment speak and interview interested and qualified girls. A style review of appropriate "work clothes" is held and Miss Future Success—the senior woman with the most potential for being a success—is chosen.

Membership in the following honoraries is the reward for academic and extra-curricular endeavor.

Alpha Lambda Delta—All Freshmen women attaining a 3.5 average or above in their first semester here are eligible for membership in ALD. The chapter works to stimulate "Intellectual Living" among freshmen women. Its activities include hosting at cultural events and co-sponsoring a tutoring program.

Diamond—The members of this honorary are selected on the basis of outstanding leadership and service to their respective sororities. Each sorority may have three active members in Diamond. Tapping is held twice annually, at Harmony Hall and the Interfraternity Sing.

Mortar Board—The members of Mortar Board are chosen because they have displayed excellence in scholarship, leadership, character and service. Membership in this honorary is the highest honor a Maryland coed can attain.

May Day, the scene of the annual tapping of Junior women for Mortar Board, also honors the most outstanding Junior woman with the Adele H. Stamp Award and the most outstanding Senior woman with her crowning as the Queen of the May. Outstanding Freshmen and Sophomore women also participate in the festivities.

Phi Kappa Phi—Those who are tapped for Phi Kappa Phi are Seniors who rank in the top ten percent of their class academically. This group dedicates itself to the maintenance of unity and democracy in education. Each year a scholarship is granted to the graduating Senior with the highest average.

	Monday	Tue
Earliest one can leave the residence.	6 a. m.	6 a.
Latest time one can sign out, or change a sign out.	Before 10:00 p. m.	10:30
Dormitory is closed.	10:00 p. m.	12:45
Quiet Hours.		
Men's Calling Hours Dormitories	12 noon to 9:45 p. m.	12 n to 10 p.
Sororities		1 day 1 day 1 day 1 day
Recreation Room Calling Hours (According to your Residence)		Begin no End no
Calling hours in Fraternities.	none	nor

* Officially registered parties only.

** Only when house mother is present and has given her pe

Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday

6 a. m.	6 a. m.	6 a. m.	6 a. m.	6 a. m.
10:30 p. m.	10:30 p. m.	12 midnight		10:45 p. m.
12:45 a. m.	12:45 a. m.	1:00 a. m.	1:00 a. m.	12:45 a. m.
10 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.		11:00 p. m.	to 12 n.	
10 p. m. to 11:30 a. m.			11:00 p. m.	to 12 n.
10 p. m. to 4:30 p. m.				10:45 to Mon.
12 noon to 10 p. m.	12 noon to 10 p. m.	12 noon to 12:45 a. m.	12 noon to 12:45 a. m.	9 a. m. to 10:30 p. m.
10 p. m. to 10 p. m.		12 noon to 12:45 a. m.	12 noon to 12:45 a. m.	12 noon to 10:30 p. m.
10 p. m. to 8 p. m.				
10 p. m. until dinner served				
earlier than 1 p. m.		1:00 p. m. to 12:00 a. m.	1:00 p. m. to 12:00 a. m.	1:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m.
earlier than 9:30 p. m.				
none	none	**4:30 p. m. to 7 p. m. (until 12:45 a. m. *)	**1 p. m. to 7 p. m. (until 12:45 a. m. *)	**2:30 p. m. to 7 p. m.

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N.B.—

Be sure to read the AWS Regulations carefully — they explain the preceding Chart—you will be held responsible for knowing these rules and must be able to pass a written test on them.

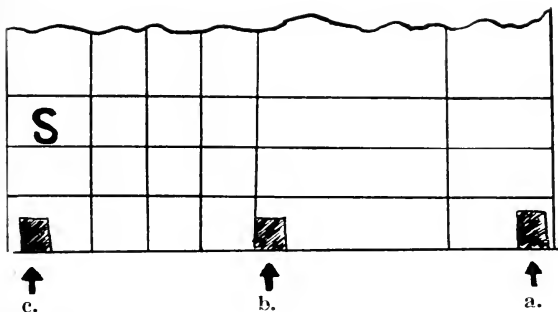


OFFICIAL AWS RULES

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SIGNING OUT AND IN

- A. **Definition:** Signing out and in consists of recording required information on individual forms at the residence desk **upon departure from the campus at any time and from the residence after 8 pm** and upon return. By "Campus" we mean the area including the University buildings and grounds, sorority and fraternity houses, and the College Park commercial district.
- B. **Procedure:**
1. Each student must **personally** sign herself out and in.
 2. The following minimum information must be included:
 - a. Time of departure (according to the official dormitory clock).
 - b. Expected return (usually 10:30 pm or 12:45 am).
 - c. Destination (address and telephone, if known).
 - d. With whom and how (indicate **last** name).
 - e. Exact time in (according to the official dormitory clock).
 3. Move red tab accordingly:
 - a. Tab at extreme right indicates that the student is in residence.
 - b. Tab at extreme left indicates an overnight.
 - c. Tab at middle indicates that the student will return before closing hour that evening.



- C. Each woman is on her honor to sign out correctly, to obey the University and state regulations which apply to conduct even if signed out for the weekend, and to behave with consideration and politeness wherever she may be. **It is essential to know where she is in case of emergency.**

SPECIAL SIGN OUTS

- A. **Phoning in and Leaving Late:** See chart on pages 18 and 19 in column **Latest time one can sign out.**
- B. **Illness:** In case of illness or serious family emergency be sure to see the House Director. Sign out an indefinite time. Bring back a note from parents or doctor to your House Director and instructors.

CLOSING HOURS



A. When the front door is locked the residence is officially closed. (See Chart pages 18 and 19)

B. **Return after closing hours:** In emergency cases when delayed or unable to return before the residence closing hour, a student must call her director, (in sorority

houses, the House Director, manager or president may be called.) The campus police must also be notified. After 10:30 pm all calls to the University go through the campus police. If a student does not return to the dormitory, her parents and the campus police are notified; a call will help to avoid much worry and confusion.

LATENESS

A. **Definition:** A student who returns to her residence after the expected time of return that she has recorded on her card is considered late. Note: Sign out for the latest possible time. (If you have late minutes you may use them up to 10:40 pm)

B. **Procedures:** All latenesses of less than thirty minutes are reported by the girl herself or by the desk worker to the residence judicial board. All unexcused latenesses of more than thirty minutes are referred by them to the campus judicial board.

C. Penalties:

1. Penalties vary with circumstances but generally consist of revoking 10:30's or late leaves, assigning approved odd jobs in the residence, or "campusing".
2. A "campus" may be defined as:
 - a. **Residence Campus**—confinement to residence after 7 pm with no callers permitted.
 - b. **Room Campus**—confinement to residence room after 7 pm with no phone calls or visitors permitted.
 - c. **Sign-in Campus**—student signs in hourly all day when not in class and is confined to room after 7 pm.
3. Judicial Board must be attended before all other meetings.

D. Accumulated Latenesses:

1. Each woman student is granted the privilege of **ten** accumulated late minutes for each semester. A woman student may not be late more than **three** times even if this totals less than ten minutes.
2. If a student has accumulated more than ten late minutes or has had more than three latenesses, an automatic Saturday night campus will be given which must be taken the Saturday after the lateness.
3. When latenesses total fifteen to thirty minutes, there will be an automatic Saturday night campus, plus whatever penalty the residence judicial board decides upon.
4. If a student has been late more than five times, the residence judicial board must refer her case to the campus judicial board.

LEAVES

A. General Leaves:

1. **Closed night**—All women students must be in their residences by 10 pm on Monday nights. No overnight leaves are allowed.
2. **Weekly Leaves**—All women students have unlimited 10:30 pm leaves on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.
3. **Weekend Leaves**—
 - a. Friday and Saturday—All women students may stay out until closing hour. (See chart, Pages 18 and 19).
 - b. Sunday—All women students may stay out until 10:30. Sunday overnights are free.

B. Late Leaves:

1. **Definition**—A “late leave” permits a student to remain out of the residence after 10:30 pm but no later than 12:45 am unless she is staying away overnight. (See Chart, pages 18 and 19).
2. **Late Leaves by Classification**—In addition to 10:30 pm leaves, late leaves are granted according to a student’s academic classification as listed in the Student Directory, provided the student has at least a 2.0 average. (Physical education and hygiene credits are not included.)

ACADEMIC STANDING

Freshmen—less than 28 credits
Sophomores—28 credits
Juniors—56 credits
Seniors—88 credits

LATE LEAVES

5 per semester
9 per semester
14 per semester
Unlimited

A senior with less than a 2.0 average will have 14 late leaves per semester, a junior will have 9 per semester, a sophomore, 5 per semester.

3. **Appeal**—Appeal may be made to the Academic Board or the Dean of Women's Office for special circumstances.
4. **Transfer Students**—Transfer students use the academic classification of their previous school until they are officially classified at this University.

C. Overnight, Weekend, and Holiday Leaves:

1. **Permission Forms**—Overnight leaves are granted only when the "Parents Authorization Form" has been signed by a woman student's parents and returned to the Dean of Women's Office.
2. **Weekday Overnights**—Overnight leaves may be taken any night Tuesday through Thursday but not on a closed night. Each **weekday overnight is considered a 12:45 late leave**. This includes visits to sorority houses.
3. **Weekend Leaves**—Weekend leaves may extend from Friday after the last class until Monday before the first class. They are not considered late leaves unless a student returns to her residence on Sunday night after 10:30 pm.
4. **Holiday Leaves**—All women have free late leaves on the nights preceding **one-day** holidays and on the nights closing all vacation periods.

D. Special Leaves:

1. **Early morning leaves**—
 - a. To leave a residence before 6 am for any reason, a student must secure the permission of the House Director at least 12 hours before she signs out.
 - b. She must sign out the night before, before the closing hour.

2. Leaves for University functions—

a. All women students are granted special leaves of 15 minutes after the end of the following functions. (Sign out: “**Special Leave.**”)



- 1) Aqualiners Water Show
- 2) Band and University Orchestra Concerts
- 3) Gymkana Show
- 4) Harmony Hall
- 5) Interfraternity Sing
- 6) Modern Dance Concert
- 7) University Theater Plays in Central Auditorium

8) Suburban Symphony Concerts

9) AWS Christmas Pageant and Chapel Choir Concert

10) SGA cultural events

b. **Reminder**—If a student comes in after 10:30 and is not signed out “**Special Leave**”, this counts as a 12:45.

3. **Basketball Games**—10:15 pm leaves are granted for Monday night basketball games only if the game should extend past 10:00.

4. **Off-Campus Cultural Activities**—Free late leaves may be granted for attendance at off-campus cultural activities (i.e. symphonies, plays) approved by the AWS Executive Council, if the student presents her ticket stub to her House Director. Functions at Constitution Hall, National Theater, and Arena Stage come in this category.

5. Special Permissions—

- a. Late leaves for extra curricular activities, personal necessity or exceptions not covered by these regulations can be secured through Miss Billings' office.
- b. **Special late leaves are granted only to students with a 2.0 overall average.**
- c. The list for special free late leaves should be taken to Miss Billings at least **three days in advance**. Free late leaves are not retroactive.

QUIET HOURS

Quiet hours are those times set aside in each residence for sleep and study. Without them, continuous chaos would prevail. Would it not be upsetting for you to be studying for a big exam, while the rest of the floor is having a pizza party? Be considerate. Keep your doors closed and your voices low. Don't type from 12 o'clock to 8 am. Radios and phonographs should be turned off at midnight also.

Quiet hours will be enforced by the residence judicial board and executive council.

There are also times set aside and referred to as "noisy" hours. Consideration is the key word during these periods also. "Noisy" hours are for the purpose of study-breaking. However, it should still be quiet enough in the Dorm for those not interested in taking a break to continue studying. Show proper consideration and sometime when you're trying to study you'll appreciate having set a good example. (For times see chart on pages 18 and 19).

VISITORS

Be sure you know just when your beau may come visiting—for there are definite calling hours. If you don't, it can prove quite embarrassing to that girl who gets caught in her pajamas and to yourself. (For the specific hours see the chart on pages 18 and 19.)

Men callers who arrive at times other than those specified may wait for their dates in the reception hall or lobby (but no longer than five minutes) at the discretion of the House Director.

If you freshmen have a caller in the lobby or recreation room after 8 pm you must sign out. It is considered a date.



OVERNIGHT GUESTS

You may invite guests to stay overnight on weekends and the night before a holiday only with the permission of the House Director. Day-Dodgers may stay occasionally for some University function if there is space available for them and the House Director gives her consent.

If you are planning for an overnight guest, secure a guest card from the House Director and return it filled out together with the guest fee 24 hours prior to the guest's arrival. The guest fee is fifty cents per night (one dollar if dormitory linens are used). No guest fee is charged if the guest is a resident of another campus dormitory. When your guest arrives, you must introduce her to the House Director and show her how to sign in and out.

Remember—you are responsible for your guest, infractions of the rules she commits and must be in residence during her stay. She is allowed the same

leave permission as her hostess and must abide by the closing hours and other residence regulations such as signing out and in during her stay. Arrangements for guests who stay more than a few days must be made through the Dean of Women's Office.

VISITING A FRATERNITY

Women students may attend only those functions registered on the University Social Calendar which is sent to all residences by Friday of each week. Desserts on week nights may last until 8 am and women students may not go to fraternity houses during intermissions when attending campus dances. (For Calling Hours see chart on pages 18 and 19.)

The housemother or an approved chaperone must be present at all times that coeds are in the house. Before a member may bring a coed into the house, he must obtain permission from the house mother. These rules are for your safety and protection. Please help us by obeying them fully. The risk of impulsive, unwise action is obvious.

WOMEN VISITORS IN MEN'S RESIDENCES

Women are not permitted to visit the men's dormitories or rooms except at special registered parties in the recreation room or living room. Parents and relatives desiring to visit residents of the dormitories should call at the dormitory office.

HOW TO DRESS

Women students may wear **Burmuda shorts** or **tailored slacks** in the lower level of the Student Union, on campus and in the College Park area on Saturdays only. Active sports wear of any kind even

when covered by a coat is **never** allowed in the Dining Hall, Library, Classroom Buildings, Administration Buildings or Chapel. The immediately preceding statement also applies to reception halls and lobbies during men's calling hours, although sports attire may be worn in the recreation room, if the Executive Council approves.

Sports wear **must** be covered by a long coat or skirt when en route to physical education classes or to buildings or courts where active sports are being played, except on Saturdays. If these rules are not strictly adhered to, our Saturday privileges will be revoked. We feel that you tend to act like a lady if you are dressed like one.

SUN BATHING

You may sun bathe only in those areas set aside for this purpose by the Dean's Office. (Special notices are sent.) Dress is in keeping with the usual standards of good taste.



FIRE DRILLS

There is no need to explain why we must have fire drills. The student fire marshal and House Director of each residence will be responsible for scheduling one fire drill a month. Don't gripe and complain when that bell goes off. It's for your own safety. When the time comes, leave your light on and your door open, put on a long coat and outdoor shoes, then walk quickly and quietly to your assigned exit for roll call. You may return when the signal is given.

GENERAL REGULATIONS

Entrances and Exits—Because so many of the residences are situated close to the street, all doors except the front door must be kept locked from 8 pm to 8 am.

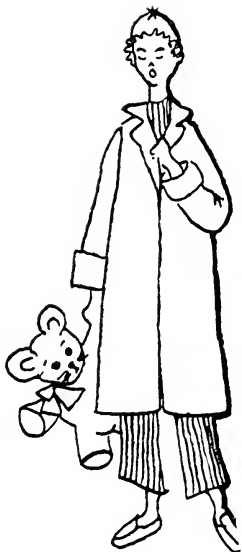
Reception Halls and Lobbies may be used for study after closing hours with the House Director's consent. Although it is late there will be no smoking and the room must be kept tidy or the privilege will be withdrawn. **Remember**—pull down the shades!

The lobby and recreation room are public so be discreet and avoid embarrassing others and yourself by your behavior. Remember—you are also responsible for the conduct of your guests.

Smoking Regulations are employed for safety and not just to inconvenience or annoy you. Smoking is permitted everywhere in the residence except the lobby, is avoided while walking across campus and is prohibited in the classrooms.

Pets are fine at home but have no place at college. Don't feed that stray cat, he'll fall in love with your dorm and sneak in at every chance. He can't stay, so why encourage him?

Telephone Calls may be received from 8:00 am to 10:00 pm on Mondays, to 10:30 pm on other week nights and to 11:00 pm on weekends. Em-



ergency calls will be transmitted by the University Police who cover the switch board at all other times. You may call from the dorm extension phones to other campus extensions before 4 pm. Keep your neighbor in mind and limit the conversation to five minutes—she wants to hear from her boyfriend too.

House and Room Regulations—As the Homemakers of tomorrow, we should practice tidiness. Beds must be made and rooms in order by 10:00 am for room inspection by the House Director. Don't wait until you hear the rattle of her keys to start scrambling around the room. A neat room breeds a neat person.

A dormitory House Committee with the House Director may set up house rules and endorse those required by the University. These are for safety and health reasons.

1. Food and dishes may not be taken from the Dining Hall.
2. Coke bottles must be returned to the cases provided for this purpose.
3. The only electrical appliances allowed in rooms are fans, hair-dryers, electric clocks, radios, and phonographs.
4. After dark when lights are on, shades must be drawn.
5. The dormitory is not a tenement house! Calling or talking from windows is taboo.
6. Food may not be kept on window sills.
7. Food kept in rooms must be placed in metal containers with tight covers.

USE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Possession or use of alcoholic beverages, including light wines and beer, is prohibited on the campus or in any fraternity or sorority house or at any function recognized by the University as a student organization.

According to Maryland state law it is unlawful to sell or furnish any alcoholic beverages at any time to a minor under twenty-one years of age either for his own use or for the use of any other person. In Prince George's County it is unlawful for any person under the age of twenty-one:

1. To enter the premises of a holder of a class B Beer, Wine, and Liquor license between the hours of 10 pm and 6 am unless in the immediate company of one of his parents or legal guardian;
2. to enter the premises of the holder of a Class B or Class D Beer or Beer and Light Wine license, except for the purpose of obtaining or consuming food, unless accompanied by a parent or guardian;
3. to purchase alcoholic beverages or misrepresent his age to obtain alcoholic beverages or to have them on or about his person.

Safety—Although we like to think everyone is trustworthy, many strangers gain access to the University residences. Lock the door to your room when you leave. It's worth the small effort (perhaps in gold.) The University cannot be responsible for the loss or theft of articles.

Never walk alone on campus after dark—you are risking your life and safety. AWS has been lenient with the closing hours. Be satisfied—any woman student who leaves her residence hall after closing hours is liable to get into much trouble and perhaps lose the privilege of living in the dormitory.and it is a privilege! If you put your best into this wonderful opportunity, you will love it. We hope that you will always remember Maryland and the friends you make here with happiness. It's up to you!

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