




THE BELLE





THE BELLE SYSTEM

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THE BELLE SYSTEM . . .



The Bell tower Symbolizes Bennett's pride & tradition. Pic — 2 & 3: Ann W. & Angie K. always have something to talk about. Pic — 4: Art painting by Varnette P. Honeywood depicts what Belles do best.



... AND WE AIN'T TALKIN' TELEPHONE

We put Ma Bell to shame when it comes to communication. Bennett Belles are one-of-a-kind communicators. They are the grape of the grapevine. When it comes to passing the word, whisper to a Belle and hear the telephone ring. Pic. 5: Summer gives a wave to teh camera. Pic. 6: Did Not! Did too! The "Dueling Duo" DeeDee & Carolyn. Pic. 7: Quinn, Calpurnia, & Wendy. Pic. 8: Sandy, Stephanie, Tanya, & Elois. Pic. 9: Students express their views to the Search Committee seeking a new president.



"THAT'S WHAT FRIENDS . . .

*In Good
Times . . .*



*I'll Be On Your
Side . . .*



And Bad Times



.... ARE FOR

.... *Forever More,*



That's What Friends Are For.



THE TALENTED



Pic. 1: Debbie gives a moving performance. Pic. 2: Karen & Forrest play Romeo & Juliet for the camera. Pic. 3: Angie W. dramatizes the dark side of coke. Pic. 4: Play it again Tracey. Pic. 5: The UNCF fashion show brought out all the talents. Shelly M. is pictured here with former Belle Portia G., Waymon H., & local news reporter. Pic. 6: DeeDee G., dancer extraordinaire. Pic. 7: Faculty member M. Crawford and Staff O. Scarborough display their alter-egos. Pic. 8 & 9: YoYo, Adrienne, Kim, & Wanda take their talents to the street.



TENTH . . . COULD WOODSON HAVE MEANT THE BELLES?



REACH OUT . . .



REACH OUT AND TOUCH . . .

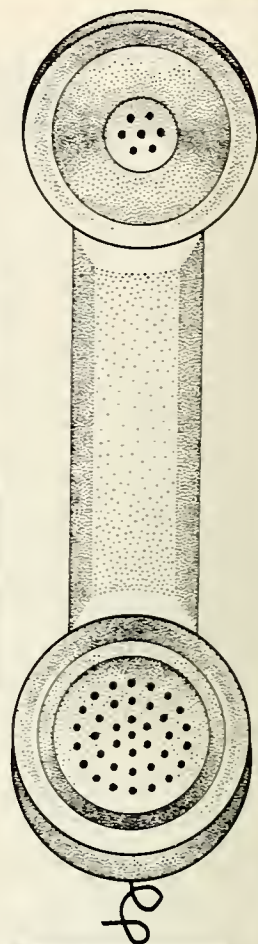


The nation's friendliest females can be found at Bennett. Whenever you see a Belle on or off campus the first word she utters is "hello". Pic. 1: Sandy and the Gettysburg Address. Pic. 2 Rev. Jackson & Karen "Starstruck" Exum. let him go karen! Pic. 3: AKA ladies do a sing-song at the tree. Pic. 4: Kim & DeeDee profile in their places with bright shining faces. Pic. 5: "You're comin' in 5 minutes?" Sibby T. is always ready. Pic. 6: Doctor Who? It's Donna Williams — aspiring M.D. Pic. 7: "Crip-n-Crutch", Alvita W. & Wanda D. bargain basement shoppers. Pic. 8: The audience beams with excitement.

CALL UP AND JUST SAY HI!



SOMEONE,



MA BELLE GETTING THE





Bennett Belles bridge the communication gap. Pic. 1: Who else but "Ma" Tucker is never never at a loss for words? Pic. 2: The Bell Tower. Pic. 3: Mr. Dudley & Rev. Addo chat after Honors' Convocation. Pic. 4: The audience at the Evening of Public Speaking. Pic. 5: Sharon M., Kim, & Angie K. Pic. 6: Tonyua L. & friend. Pic. 7: Karen & Forrest.



MESSAGE ACROSS.



FORECAST CALLS FOR

S N O W



It must be a dream. This is not Colorado. This is little Greensboro, N.C. So where did all the snow come from? Students began to wonder whether or not they were still in N.C. Pic. 1: Angie K. was shocked to hear that 8 inches of snow had accumulated while she was on the phone. The Belles took advantage of their time off from classes and did what any serious students would do . . .



THE SNOW CALLED FOR WAR!

... *They Fought*



BELLES CALLING FOR . . .



When it comes to taking pictures, the biggest hams are here at Bennett. Pic. 1: Janice S. & Angela A. Pic. 2: Petrola T. imitates a Cabbage Patch. Pic. 3: Belle audience at the X-mas Choir Concert. Pic. 4: The dramatist, Susan Hairston Pic. 5: Karen "Mushroom" Searcy. Pic. 6: Karen "Christie Brinkley". Exum at the UNCF fashion show.



ATTENTION!



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BENNETT SCHOLARS BELLE TOWER OF KNOWLEDGE



The Bennett Scholars Program is an organization comprised of young women who display high academic achievement. Women who are eligible for the reputable organization must be of high academic stature, and they are chosen from applications and interviewing process. Pictured here are a few of its members. Top pic., first row: Josefa Bethea, Annette Hunter, Bernice Scott. 2nd row: Elayne Gibbs, Elfrida Mensah. Pictured at the right is Vera Walker.



MISS BENNETT 1986-87



THE BELLE OF THE BALL.



Beauty, charm, and grace are adjectives that could only describe this year's Miss Bennett. Alicia McCollum is a graduating Senior majoring in Pre-Medicine. She is a resident of Burlington, N.C. and has pocketed many other titles such as Bennett Scholars, Who's Who Among American Colleges and Universities and Pres. of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority. This year's court consists of: Ms. Lynda Keith: First Attend., Ms. Celeste Webster: Miss Senior, Ms. Antoinette Holman: Miss Junior, Ms. Adriane Denny: Miss Sophomore, Ms. Stacey Smalls: Miss Freshman.





BELLE TOWER OF KNOWLEDGE

The Biology Club

Beauty blinded by science. These are just a few members of the noted Biology Club. Left to right: Stacey Smalls, Martha Carvin, Lenore Brathwaite, Dawnn O'Neal, Monica Wooley, Tracy Durant.



LIFT EVERY VOICE AND SING TIL EARTH AND HEAVEN RING.

The Bennett College Choir.

During its sixty-one year history the Bennett College Choir has developed a reputation of being one of the outstanding all-female choirs in the country. The members are from various academic disciplines within the college. The choir boasts of having a splendid representation of high academic achievers and campus leaders. The following are members of the Bennett College Choir: Josefa Bethea, Cynthia Brooks, Tanya Bruton, Cactrese Carter, Lisa Graves, LaLeza Harris, Ava Martien, Angela Overstreet, Monica Basil, Shirley Gibbs, Shona Luten, Kim Martin, Elois Minor, Stephanie Robinson, Gilda Waddell, Rochelle Williams, Xanthe Cook, Victoria Dunn, Betty Ellis, Michele Mackel, Dale McClenton, Valerie Rice, Stephanie Thomas, Sophia Williams, Tena Bost, Stacey Copeland, Dawnne O'Neal, Sahon Jones, Andrea Shields, Kim King, Pamela Kittrell, Audrey Speights, Tracey Watts, Shelly Ann Middleton.





LONG DISTANCE ... THE NEXT BEST THING TO BEING THERE.

International Students Club.

Variety is the Spice of Life and the International Students truly add spice to life at Bennett. Pictured left to right: Michele de la Coudray, Elfrida Mensah, Ruelit Woods, Bezunesh Demissie, Merlene Grimes, Lide Mengesha.



PSYCHOLOGY CLUB.

A mind is a terrible thing to waste so leave your mind in the hands of these young women and you'll never have to think again. The Psychology Club is pictured here with its president 1st row center Carolyn Lewis.

NAACP

With over thirty members in the clan the campus chapter of the NAACP is fast becoming a strong organization. Left to right 2nd row: Crystal S., Ms. Darby, Tonya Z., Susan H., President Elizabeth J., Valencia L.





THE LADIES OF DST

Aggression with pride is the best description for the ladies of Delta Sigma Theta. With over thirty members in the organization these women strive for the highest excellence in whatever task they undertake. The organization itself fosters seven-hundred undergraduate chapters. The mighty roar of DST is known and respected throughout the country. Pictured at the left, from left to right: April Gordon, Odessa Henderson, Leilani Mayfield, Tonya Hart, Debbie Turner, Antoinette Holman, Odette Johnson, Tonya Zarate, Dwan Harris, Wendy Jackson.



DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY INC.

Opp. pg. far left Dwan H. Prepares for an evening out. The ladies of DST have various talents, here in her acting debut is Wanda Trying to become a sweeping success. Pictured below: Gotchal Michele C. always up to something. Sisterly love at its best, pictured far below the ladies of DST share in celebration.

Above Left: Shirlisa and Tangee hitin' the books to make the grade. Below left: There is no price for friendship even if you do belong to a different sorority. Lynda K. and Marquerite B. share a walk to class.



THE LADIES OF . . . ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA

SORORITY, INC.



Style, sophistication, & class are qualities often found in the women of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority. Many a man sought after the Alpha woman and not many succeed in obtaining her. She is the epitome of what a Black woman wants to be. The organization prides itself on the more than seven-hundred under graduate chapters. Alpha Kappa Alpha also boasts the fact that it was the first Black sorority established in the U.S. Pictured left: Erica W. obtaining the best weapon a Black woman could use in society, an education. Below left: Karen S. grinning and bearing through yet another meal in the cafe. Below left: Academically gifted Alphas: Alicia McCollum, Karen Jones, Bernice Scott.





Above left to right: Summer H. Karen S. Caroline M. Martha C. Susan H. Vicky Bernice S. Lavada D. Nadine J. Jerilyn W. Monica W. Below left: Susan H. Josefa B. Below right: Donna W.



THE WOMEN OF ZETA PHI

Women of Distinguishable Quality. What is distinguishable about the women of Zeta Phi Beta? These women possess unequivocal charm, boundless grace, continuation of selfless selflessness, and other various qualities that epitomizes their theme of finer womanhood. Zeta women are academically conscientious and culturally motivated. Zeta women such as Sarah Vaugh and the late Minnie Ripperton excel in their respective occupations and succeed in reaching an ultimate goal. But whether its in the Arts of other occupations Zeta, stand out characterizing it as sorority consisting of woman of distinguishable quality. Page 28 top left: Wanda Dilworth and Shelly Middleton, Hi Ho, Hi Ho, Let's raid the fridge and go! Bottom left: Shelly M. Wanda D. working off the Pledge Blues. Bottom right Kathy "Thoroughbred" Howell.



BETA.



Top left: Wanda "Doubletake" D'ilworth. Bottom left: Ellen Fryer. Now let's get down to the knitty gritty. Shall we ladies? Top right: Kathy Howell always willing to lend an ear or sly comment. Bottom right: A glass of milk a day keeps the cows in business. Wanda D. believes in getting her calcium.





THE YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS.

Go-getters striving for success in a dog-eat-dog world of business. The Young Entrepreneurs Club have found that success doesn't come easy and it is not given on a silver platter. To reach the top one must start at the bottom. The president of this organization (not pictured) is Ms. Anna Sumpter. This organization is fast becoming a major success among the Bennett crowd.

COUNCIL EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN

Exceptional women working for the betterment of exceptional children. Three of its members are pictured here with the president Ms. Shelma Flowe.



PRE-ALUMNAE

Pre-Alumnae paves the way for the future Bennett graduates. This organization headed by Mrs. Ellease Colston heads many fund-raising activities for the benefit of the college. Pictured here above right top row l. to r. Kelly H. Josefa Bethea. Harriet H. Bottom Jocelynn R. Dawnne O. Mrs. Colston. Monica B. Taleza H.



CAMPUS GIRL SCOUTS

The Campus Girl Scouts do more than sell cookies. These young women have become true trailblazers in the community. Pictured here bottom l. to r. Harriet H., Kim M., Romina B. Tonya H. Mrs. Scarlette. Top: Josefa B., Monica B.

THE BELLE SYSTEM INVITES YOU TO 'COME SHARE OUR WORLD!'



**FACULTY
AND
STAFF**



WILL THE REAL PRES. MILLER PLEASE STAND UP!



Dedication to his race, loyal to the cause, defender of justice, and true blue to the end. This could only describe President Isaac Miller. President Miller, a highly educated man, began his career at Bennett in 1966. Perhaps he began his career as one who begins any new job, a little wet behind the ears. Through the years however he has given Bennett College and the Black community something to cheer for. With emphasis on higher education for the Black community as well as for Bennett, President Miller has been, is, and will continue to be a positive Black leader in years to come. We have enjoyed and appreciated President Miller and we wish him well in his future endeavors.



THE FACULTY OF PFEIFFER SCIENCE.

Dr. Nellouise Watkins
 Dr. Robert E. Boyd
 Dr. J. Henry Sayles
 Dr. Barbara H. Blake
 Mrs. Evelyn G. Jones
 Dr. Perry V. Mack
 Dr. Helen R. Trobian
 Dr. Sekhara Rao
 Dr. R. Lee Ponting
 Dr. Ray Treadway
 Mr. Kam-Thou Tang
 Mr. Robert Asemoto
 Mrs. Frieda Azam
 Mr. Frank H. Chen
 Mrs. Brenda Coates
 Mrs. Audrey Franklin



THE FACULTY OF STEELE HALL

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Mrs. B. Patterson
Dr. David Pinnix
Dr. Meeks
Dr. Ruth Lucier
Mrs. Betsy Simpson
Dr. Virginia A. Tucker
Dr. Martha Gleaton
Mrs. Mary Hopkins-Runyun
Mr. Michael Gaspeny
Mrs. Mary Jane Crawford





THE BELLE ADMINISTRATION OF JONES STUDENT UNION

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Mrs. Shelia M. Farmer
Mr. William McGee
Mrs. Ouida Scarborough-Hodnet
Ms. Odessa A. Darby
Mr. James Franklin
Mrs. Rosa Hooker



RACE BLDG. ADMINISTRATION

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Mrs. Margaret Gambill
Mr. James Burt
Mrs. Carolyn Mark
Ms. Vickie Gibbs
Mrs. Jean Groomes
Ms. Joycelyn Foy
Ms. Sallie Hayes
Mrs. Ellease Colston
Ms. Mildred Tucker
Mrs. Christine Bizzell
Ms. Cordelia Autry
Mrs. Marilyn Whitherspoon
Mrs. Naomi Guess
Ms. Lisa B. Mitchell
Ms. Linda T. Mason
Mrs. Glenda S. Simmons
Mrs. Betty Whitaker
Mrs. Mary Eady
Mrs. Judy Bowden





THE GOODE BELLE FACULTY

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Mr. Leon McDougale
Ms. Marcella Whidbee
Mr. Herb Jackson

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Mrs. Charlotte D. Barnes
Mrs. Mary Scarlette
Mrs. Linda Addo
Dr. Marshena Baird
Dr. John Salter
Dr. Dorinda Trader
Mrs. Rosetta Florance
Mrs. Queen H. Bell
Ms. Wilhelmina J. Gilbert
Mrs. Julia W. Covington
Mr. Robert J. Stevens
Dr. George Breathett
Mrs. Annie Purcell
Ms. Dortha Ferguson
Dr. Lovie Booker
Dr. Baffour Agyeman-Duah
Mrs. Elaine Harrigan
Dr. Amy Reynolds



CALLIN' ON EXCELLENCE,



Above picture Faculty members Mrs. Mary Hopkins-Runyun and Mrs. Carolyn Mark along with student model Shelly Ann Middleton strut their stuff during the UNCF fashion show. Lady with a variety of talents Ms. Sallie Hayes entertains the audience during intermission in the Eve. of Public Speaking. Mr. Telephone Man himself Dr. Perry Mack is always good for a conversation.



THE NEW BELLE ON THE BLOCK. SHE ANSWERED THE CALL.

Who is the new Belle on the block? It's none other than the reputable Dr. Gloria Randle Scott. She's come a long way to fill the shoes of the highest position on campus, the president. We look forward to the upcoming year.





CALLING FOR EXCELLENCE THE FACULTY AND STAFF.



CALLIN' ON EXCELLENCE



Above left: People demanding excellence. Smile Demorris! Mrs. Franklin shows Demorris how it's done. Above right: Dr. Lucier awards talented Sandy Henry for her excellent performance. Below "SING!" Who else but the ever demanding Dr. Charlotte Alston fostering the growth of talented voices. "Just too much at the College".



CALLIN' ON EXCELLENCE





The Staff of The Holgate Library: Mrs. Ednita — Bullock
 Mrs. Montez Byers
 Mrs. Addie Harrington
 Mrs. Julia Scott
 Mrs. Michele Mebane
 Mrs. Shirley Hudson

The Staff in Catchings Complex
 Mrs. Julia Anderson
 Mrs. Alice Hayes
 Mrs. Cora Waddell
 The Freshman Studies Center Staff
 Mrs. Irene Harrington
 Ms. Thelma Copeland
 The Student Interfaith Center Staff
 Rev. Peter Adotey Addo
 The Residence Hall Directors
 Ms. Carol Cheston
 Mrs. Daisy Brown
 Ms. Patricia Rembert
 Ms. Margaret Alexander
 Mrs. Geraldine Johnson
 Ms. Peanella Hughes



BELLE SYSTEM PRESENTS . . . THE FRESHMAN CLASS!



THE 1987 SENIOR CLASS





Beverly Anderson
Kinston, N.C.

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Carla Bannister
Toledo, Ohio
Philosophy: "Go at life with abandon; give it
all you've got, and life will give all it has to
you."



Josefa E. Bethea
Raleigh, North Carolina
Philosophy: "Many are called — but few
are chosen."



Cynthia 'Cyndi' Bridgett
Washington, D.C.
Philosophy: "Always believe in God! Never
take too many things seriously, because life is
too short to worry unnecessarily."



Cynthia Brooks
Greensboro, N.C.

SENIOR



The Seniors Are Livel! This year's Senior class consisted of a group of talented young women. These ladies are definitely ready to move on to bigger and better things. Top picture: Cyndi B. shares a happy moment with family on Senior day. Below: Miss Bennett, Alicia M. enjoys the Senior day banquet with her parents.

CLASS





Yeshiva Colbert
High Point, N.C.
Philosophy: "Put God first in your life and all things are possible if you believe."

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Kathy Cole
Durham, N.C.



Charlene Angela Coakley
South Carolina



Lavada May Day
Pittsburgh, Pa.
Philosophy: "If you slip while trying to jump the hurdles of success do not lie there, get up and continue to strive."



Victoria Dunn
Greensboro, N.C.

MOVING ONWARD AND UPWARD



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Patricia Ann Hairston
Winston Salem, N.C.
Philosophy: "Whatever the task, big or small,
do it right or don't do it at all."



LaLeza Harris
Charlotte, N.C.



Ruth Harris
Fayetteville, N.C.



Myra Hinton
Reidsville, N.C.



Kathy LaShawn Howell
Fort Lauderdale, Florida
Philosophy: "What you are is God's gift to
you. What you make of yourself is your gift
to God."

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SENIORS



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Roy Nanette Cowan

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J. Angela King
Mebane, N.C.

Philosophy: "There are two things to aim at in life, first, to get what you want, and after that, to enjoy it. Only the wisest of mankind achieve the second."



Lynda Keith
South Carolina



Elizabeth Kilgore
South Carolina



Tracie Faulkner
North Carolina





Kecia Lee



Laura Yvette Nelson
Kenbridge, Virginia
Philosophy: "Everyone must march to their own beat."



Alicia McCollum
Burlington, N.C.



Constance Lindsey
Maryland



Amy Simmons
Ohio





Kimberly Stanfield
Burlington, N.C.
Philosophy: "If a task is once begun never
leave it till it's done. Be the labor great or
small, do it well or not at all."



Ernestine Sharon Turner
Mebane, N.C.



Latosaka S. Stephens
Florida



Robin Janine Charity Stockham
Hempstead, New York
Philosophy: "Do the best in all your future
endeavors because that's all God and
humanity can expect."



Deiadra Underwood
Clinton, N.C.
Philosophy: "All things come from within, but
only these things are accomplished through
God."

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SENIORS

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Annette Vines

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Angela Denise Warren
Jamestown, N.C.
Philosophy: "No matter how hard life's
obstacles may seem, and no matter how
frustrated you may get, you must keep your
faith in God because in him all things are
possible."



Vera Louise Walker
Hopkins, S.C.
Philosophy: "Success is so much better when
you have earned it."



Rhonda Annette Watlington
Greensboro, N.C.
Philosophy: "Have the serenity to accept the
things you cannot change, the courage to
change the things you can, and the wisdom to
know the difference."



Celeste Marie Webster
North Carolina

SOPHOMORES ON THE RISE



FOOD, GLORIOUS FOOD!



HOME, SWEET, HOME!?



THE BELLE SYSTEM PRESENTS



VARIETY IN EVERY FORM!



THE BELLE SYSTEM ENCOURAGES CONFIDENCE . . .



INSPIRES BEAUTY . . .



.... FUELS CURIOUSITY

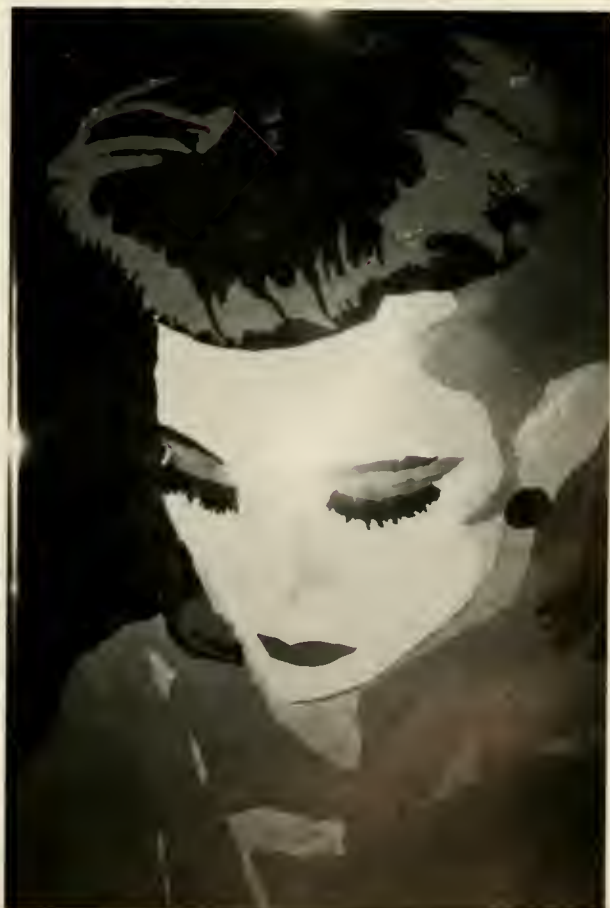


ANIMATES CULTURE!



**THE BELLE SYSTEM PLAYING
A KEY ROLE IN THE
DEVELOPMENT
OF THE BLACK WOMAN.**





BELLES SHINE ON A CLOUDY



DAY.



BELLES OFF GUARD!





PANTY RAID!



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BELLES ON THE ONE CLASSES, CLASSES AND



MORE CLASSES!



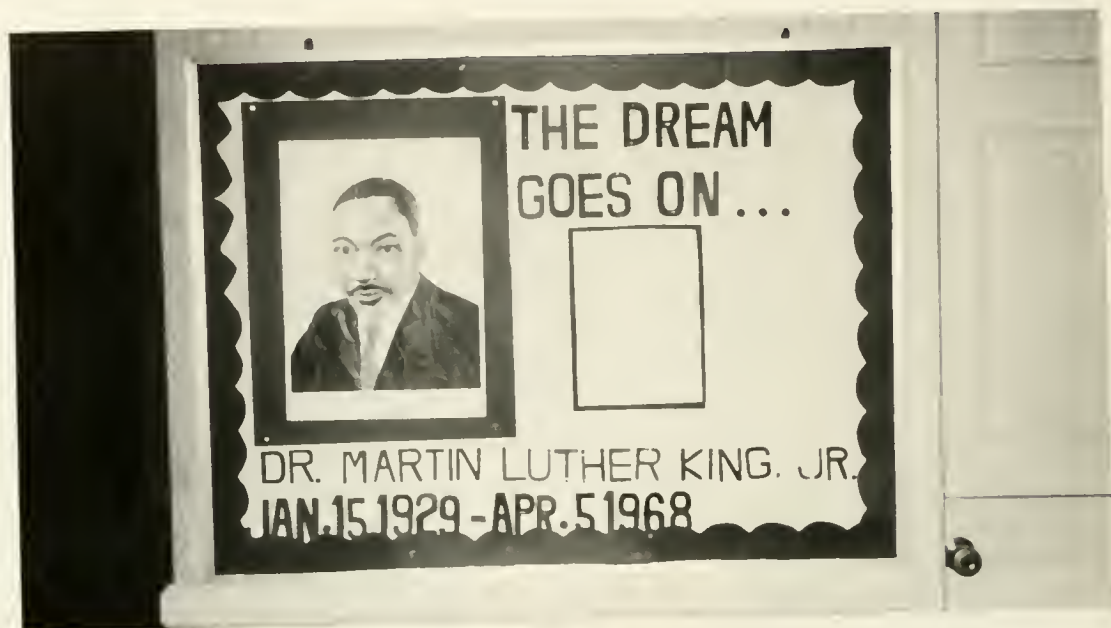
THE BELLES . . . DOIN' THEIR



THING!



THE BELLE SYSTEM, KEEPING THE DREAM ALIVE!





**THE BELLE SYSTEMS GUESTS
OF HONOR.
JAQUELYN FLEMMING.**



MR. DUDLEY OF DUDLEY PRODUCTS





ROBIN BRITT LEADS HIS CAMPAIGN TROOPS TO THE STEPS OF BENNETT COLLEGE.





TERRY SANFORD TAKING A STAND FOR EDUCATION.



THE INSPIRING REV. JESSE JACKSON







THE JUNIORS

CLASS
OF '88

Above — Leilani Mayfield and Yvonne Breece.
Pictured left — Shelly Middleton.



Yvonne Breece



Antoinette Dalton



Gladys Foster



Maxine Garvin



Elayne Gibbs



Susan Hairston



Tonya Harris



Margret Hawkins



Wendy Jacobs



Elizabeth Johnson



Leilani Mayfeild



Elfreda Mensah



Eugenia Pemberton



Dorothy Potter



Michele Roberson



Crystal Stephens



Anna Sumpter



Lavonda Tremble



Patricia Waller



Felicia Williams

THE

'88

CREW!



"Sexy Sally from the bowling alley!" Tracy Durant.

THE SOPH- -O- MORES



Rosa Williams receiving an award for excellence.

CLASS OF '89



Paulette Ashely



Monica Basil



Stephanie Brown



Deidre Burgess



Andrea Burnell



Tracy Caldwell



Yolanda Cromer



Michele de la Coudrey



Pamela Franklin



Theodosia Hall



Sonja Hendrix



Kim Howard



Joceylyn Hudson



Catrena Jordan



Angela Joseph



Nancy Leath



Kim Lopez



Ava Martine



The Belles support the right to vote.



Lidet Mengesha



Olivia Morgan



Annette Pickens



Carla Saffoe



Audra Washington

'89

COMING ALIVE IN . . .



Ruelita Woods

'89



OUR GREATEST ASSET!



"The Gossiping Duo." Tracy and Kim

THE CLASS OF 1990



Gwen Barnes



Clarista Bennett



Mona Bond



Memory Brock



Debra Bryant



Monica Burnell



Tanya Bennett



Cartrese Carter



Threthea Chance



Jackie Clark



Cynthia Collins



Amia Crom



Mary Early



Johnette Etheridge



Dana Fluellen



Pamela Kittrell



Althea King



Kenya Lewis



Michelle Mackel



Donna Massingill



Pamela Mc Coy



Tonya Mc Cray



Annette Mitchell



Jo Ann Moore



Shavaughn Neal



Angela Overstreet



Sherese Patton



Tawye Simmons



Stacey Smalls



Glenda Smith



Tamilia Stubbs



Tracy Sullivan



Kelly Terrell



"Friends of the Family."



"Happy B-Day Debbie!"



Stephanie Thomas



Petrola Torrence



Chalsea Treadway



Leann Tubbs



Adrianne Vickers



Kimberly Waller

Intensive learning at "The Z Gallery."





"Art critics at The Z Gallery."

Romell Watson



Robin Williams



Danielle Williams





Karen Williamson



Andrea Willis



Donna Wilson



Tu Juan Wood



Stephanie White



Audrea Jules

THE FRESH.

Contestants for The Evening of Public Speaking.



THE BELLE SYSTEM,

WE'LL
NEVER
FORGET . . .





... THE UNITY,

THE SISTERHOOD





... THE
LEARNING
AND THE
CARING.





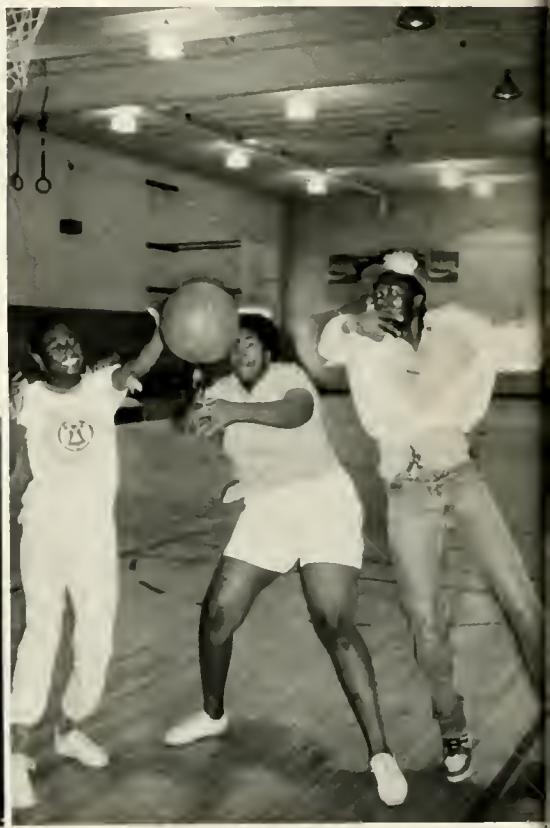


THE LIGHTER SIDE OF . . .





... FACULTY AND STAFF.





“THE SERIOUS SIDE . . .”





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**BELLE
PRIDE**

THE LIGHTER SIDE



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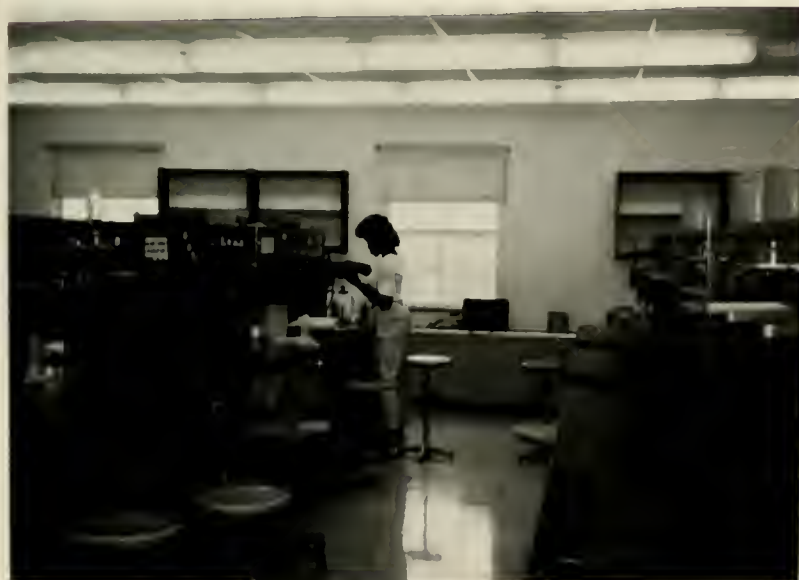
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BELLES.**

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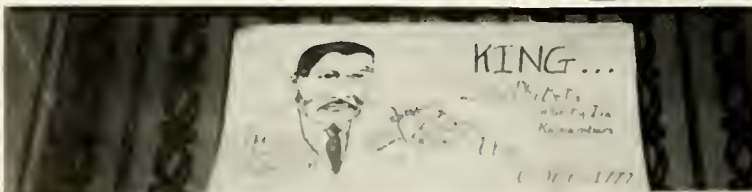
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BELLE SYSTEM.
WOMEN MAKING
A CHANGE, A
DIFFERENCE, AND
A FUTURE FOR
OUR
RACE.**





**BELLE WOMEN
MAKING A
CHANGE, A
DIFFERENCE, AND**

**A FUTURE
FOR OUR
RACE!**



THE JOYS, THE TEARS, THE MEMORIES THE SENIORS



YESTERDAY WE WERE

STUDENTS,



TODAY WE ARE

GRADUATES



**TOMORROW WE WILL
BE THE LEADERS!**



THE CLASS OF '87

THE POWER CLASS. CLASS OF '87



BENNETT COLLEGE PRESENTS BENNETT AMICAE!



**WE'RE
THANKFUL
FOR THE
MALE
SPECIES!**



A WELCOMED INVASION!



THE HAYES- TAYLOR YMCA KIDS.





**BELLE
SYSTEM. A
TRUE EXPERIENCE!**



THE BENNETT



EXPERIENCE
... MORE THAN
WORDS CAN
DESCRIBE





TEACHING, SHARING,





LEARNING, AND REMEMBERING.





THE BENNETT EXPERIENCE



THE BENNETT EXPERIENCE.



THE BELLE SYSTEM PRESENTS . . .



... THE UNKNOWNNS!





**AIMING
FOR . . .**





PERFECTION





The Belle System is a Buddy System. Above: Karen E., Shelly Middleton.

EDITOR'S PAGE

The Belle System. There seems to be so much ambiguity to this year's theme, "The Belle System." That single word, 'system' is what seems to make the title so ambiguous. During the two year plight in working on this year-book I found myself caught up in many complex systems here at Bennett and not all were positive. Don't get me wrong, it is not my intention to 'bad mouth' my soon to be Alma Mater. Bennett has taught me a great deal and if I had to dedicate this annual to one person or one entity I would dedicate it to Bennett College. It was the system that taught me to be independent of my dependencies. As an endnote I would really like to thank all those persons who were patient, loyal, and unyielding in their willingness to help me in the completion of the '86-'87 annual. — God Bless You All.



WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE? . . .



TUNE
IN
NEXT



YEAR AND SEE!

*Same Time, Same Place,
Same Bat Channel. Peace
Love, And Tranquility Always.*





