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THE HOLTON-ARMS SCHOOL 7303 River Road Bethesda, Maryland 20034

JANUARY 15, 1975

The Potential of Women

Schedule of Events

8:30 A.M.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER M. ELIZABETH TIDBALL, Ph.D. Professor of Physiology George Washington University Washington, D. C.

The purpose of the Potential of Women Day is to give the students of Holton-Arms School the opportunity to become more aware of the career possibilities open to them and to gain a better understanding of matters that are of special concern to women. The Day was planned by interested students with the help and support of the Faculty and Administration.

MORNING PROGRAM: CAREERS

9:45 A.M. to 10:45 A.M. — First Session 11:00 A.M. to 12:00 A.M. — Second Session

LUNCH IN THE DINING ROOM

12:00 GUESTS, FACULTY AND SENIORS12:20 JUNIORS12:40 SOPHOMORES AND FRESHMEN

AFTERNOON PROGRAM: CONCERNS

1:00 P.M. TO 2:00 P.M. FIRST SESSION 2:15 P.M. TO 3:15 P.M. SECOND SESSION

RECEPTION

FOLLOWING THE PROGRAM RECEPTION ROOM

Morning Program

Careers

ARCHITECTURE - Room 301

Ms. Lelia E. Imas Architect Mrs. Jonathan Lusher Administrative Assistant, Commission of Fine Arts Mrs. Chloethiel Woodward Smith Architect

ARTS - Room 303

Mrs. Arline Benswagner Art Consultant and Gallery Director
Mrs. Fran Chapman Artist
Ms. Sara Masterson Artist
Dr. Ruth Mondschein Staff Assistant for Special Project to the Assistant Secretary for Education
Ms. Andrea S. Schmertz Designer

BUSINESS — Room 300

Ms. Myrtle Brickman Stockbroker Ms. Marion R. Gurfein Head of Circulation Department, American Chemical Society Ms. Rheta L. Smallwood Real Estate Broker

EDUCATION - Room 305

Dr. Dorothy A. Moore Associate Professor of Education, George Washington University
Ms. Irene Potts Adult Counselor, George Washington University
Mrs. Nancy H. Taylor Mathematics and Science Teacher
Ms. Sherry Lynne Stargel .

Elementary School Teacher

FASHION AND MERCHANDIZING - Room 310

Mrs. Maxine Tanous General Merchandizer, Rizik Brothers

Ms. Marion Tatem Associate Manager Regency Room, Saks Fifth Avenue Mrs. Mariorie S. Windt Director of Advertising and Public Relations, Garfinckel's GOVERNMENT --- Room 308 The Honorable Idamae Garrott Former President League of Women Voters, Montgomery County; Former Member Montgomery County Council The Honorable Carol Laise Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs, Department of State Ms. Barbara P. Rosing Legislative Specialist, Environmental Protection Agency JOURNALISM --- Room 311 Ms. Myra Barrer Publisher of Women Today: Publisher and Editor of Women's Organizations and Leaders 1973 Directory Ms. Ruth Leon Director, Cultural Programs, WETA TV Mrs. Roberta Faul Editor, Museum News Magazine LAW (PANEL I) - Room 309 Ms. Catherine East Executive Secretary, Citizens Advisory Council of Status of Women Ms. Ruth Van Cleve Lawyer, Federal Power Commission Mrs. Charles L. Gildon, Jr. Sergeant, Patrol Division, Metropolitan Police, Washington, D. C. LAW (PANEL II) --- Room 312 The Honorable Bess B. Lavine Juvenile Court Master for Prince Georges County Ms. Elizabeth Tennery Lawyer Mrs. Virginia G. Watkin Lawyer, Partner of Law Firm of Covington and Burling MEDICINE (PANEL I) - Room 202 Ruth Alice Asbed, M.D., M.P.H. Director of the Division of Infant and Child Services of Montgomery County Carol Schulman, M.D. Pediatrician Jeanne C. Sinkford, D.D.S. Associate Dean and Professor of Dentistry, Howard University

MEDICINE (PANEL II) - Room 204 Mary Lou Barker, M.D. Anaesthetist Miss Virginia C. Davis Medical Student and President Elect, Student National Medical Association Joan Gillespie, D.D.S. Assistant Professor of Dentistry, Georgetown University Mary B. Tierney, M.D. Pediatrician PSYCHOLOGY — Room 203 Ms. Janet Ament Ph.D. Candidate in Psychology Betty McElroy, M.D. Psychiatrist Martha Shuch Mednick, Ph.D. Professor of Psychology, Howard University Mona Shevlin, Ph.D. **Psychologist** SCIENCE — Room 205 Ms. Ruth B. Field Ph.D. Candidate in Biochemistry, University of Maryland Dr. Elizabeth Freese Research Biologist Dr. Natalia Meshkov

Physicist; Member of Executive Board, Association of Women in Science

SOCIAL WORK --- Room 314

Mrs. Dave Freeman Legislative Associate, D. C. City Council
Ms. S. Richmond Instructor in Psychiatry, Georgetown University
Ms. Elizabeth Zinner Graduate Student for Master's Degree in Social Work

VETERINARY MEDICINE Room 207

Sandra Korn, D.V.M. Brenda Stewart, D.V.M.



Afternoon Program

Concerns

ALTERNATE LIFESTYLES (PANEL I) - Room 203 Ms. Patti Bissell Certified Public Accountant, P.A. Ms. Barbara Kilby Administrator, Children's Hearing and Speech Center, Children's Hospital Dr. Harvey Kupferberg Pharmacologist, National Institutes of Health Ms. Carolyn Feinglass NOW Legislative Office, Treasurer of the Washington Area Feminist Federal Credit Union Ms. Lora Elise Mackie Pre-Med Student, George Washington University; Volunteer, Bethesda-Chevy Chase Rescue Squad ALTERNATE LIFESTYLES (PANEL II) - Room 207 Ms. Rene Carpenter Everywoman, WTOP Ms. Sonya Herman, R.N., M.S.N. Independent Nurse Practitioner; Divorce Counselor Ms. Charleen Murphy Bicentennial Coordinator, U. S. Department of Justice; Member of Federal Women's Speakers Bureau, Washington, D. C. Ms. Maureen Smith Lawyer; Co-ordinator of Group Youth Home for Young People in Need of Supervision CONSCIOUSNESS-RAISING GROUPS - Room 204 Mr. Dan Capps Traffic Dispatcher; Member of the National Organization for Women Ms. Peggy King Partner, Show-off Sales, Home Furnishings; Member of the National Organization for Women Ms. Roberta White Consciousness Raising Coordinator, Executive Board, Montgomery County EDUCATING YOUNG WOMEN - Room 202 Ms. Andrea Kraus Art Teacher HEALTH CARE --- Room 309 Ms. Carolyn Glover Community Relations Director, Sigma Reproductive Center Ms. Marv Moulten, R.N.

Head Nurse and Counselor, Sigma Reproductive Center

Ms. Carol J. Reese Public Health Nutritionist Nina Vann Jeanes, M.D. Obstetrician and Gynecologist

MINORITY WOMEN - Room 300

Ms. Jo Benoit Black Feminist Miss Virginia C. Davis President Elect, Student National Medical Association

Ms. Joan R. Thompson Senior Program Officer, Women's Program Staff, U. S. Office of Education

SEX ROLE STEREOTYPES — Room 305

Dr. Jessie Bernard Visiting Fellow, National Institute of Education
Dr. Jean Lipman-Blumen Director of Research on Women, National Institute of Education
Ms. Allenna Leonard Maryland State Co-ordinator, National Organization for Women

WOMEN'S ECONOMIC PROBLEMS - Room 308

Martha Blaxall, Ph.D. Economist and Senior Professional Associate, Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences

Ms. Jane Roberts Chapman Co-Director, Center for Women's Policy Studies, Washington, D. C.

Ms. Ana Mahoney Vice President, Washington Area Feminist Federal Credit Union

WOMEN AND THE LAW (PANEL I) - Room 310

Ms. Elizabeth Cox National Organization for Women, Legislative Office
Ms. Marsha Gardner Final Year Law Student, Georgetown University
Ms. Margaret Gates Co-Director, Center for Women's Policy Studies, Washington, D. C.
Ms. Rita Rosenkrantz

WOMEN AND THE LAW (PANEL II) --- Room 311

Attorney

Ms. Deborah Drudge Counselor and Attorney-at-Law Ms. Peggy Anne Hansen Program Director, YWCA Montgomery County

Ms. Jan Liebman Coordinator on Reproduction and Population, National Organization for Women WOMEN AND THE LAW (PANEL III) - Room 312

Ms. Judith R. Larsen Third Year Law Student, Georgetown University Ms. Beverly Pearson Attorney and Chairman, Board of Zoning Appeals, Montgomery County Ms. Mary Ann Largen National Task Force Coordinator on Rape, National Organization for Women WOMEN IN POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT (PANEL I) Room 301 Ms. Julia Block Legislative Assistant, Senator Percy's Office Ms. Carol Burris President, Women's Lobby, Washington, D. C. Ms. Judy Vandergrift Instructor in Political Science, Montgomery College; Montgomery County Commission for Women WOMEN IN POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT (PANEL II) Room 303 Ms. Elizabeth Scull Member of Montgomery County Council

Member of Monigomery County Council Ms. Holly Knox Director, Project on Equal Education Rights

Ms. Doris Meissner Assistant Director, Office of Policy and Planning, Department of Justice; Former Executive Director, National Women's Political Caucus, 1971-1973

WOMEN IN RELIGION - Room 205

Rev. Lee McGee Chaplain, American University Rev. Joyce Smith Minister, River Road Unitarian Church Rev. Lee Wiesner Assistant Minister, St. Margaret's Episcopal Church

WOMEN IN SPORTS - Room 314

Ms. Pauline Betz Addie Former World Tennis Champion; Tennis Professional, Cabin John Indoor Recreation Center; Faculty Member, Sidwell Friends School Ms. Dorothy McKnight Coordinator, Women's Athletics, University of Maryland Mrs. William Parks Bronze Medal Winner 1956 Olympic Games Ms. Barbara Reimann Coordinator, Women's Athletics, American University

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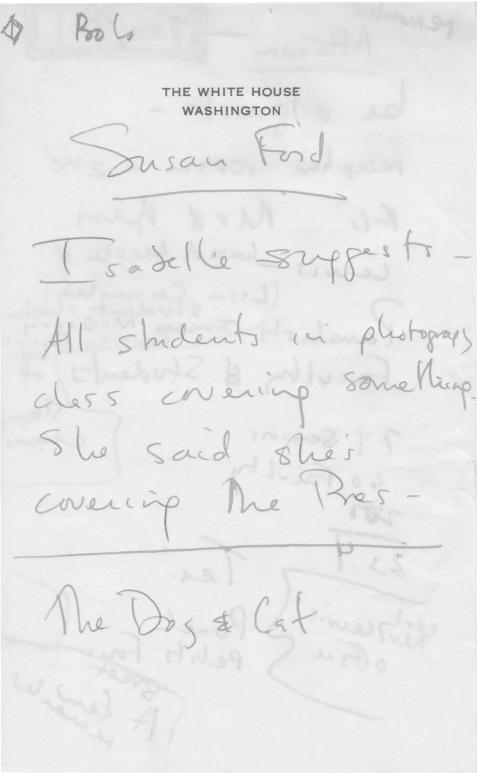
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The Steering Committee would like to express their appreciation and thanks to Mrs. Harold Lefevre for secretarial assistance.

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Holton Arms has always had a reputation for encouraging girls to reach for their potential. And so I think today -- tied in with International Womens Year -- marks the realization of what was once an impossible dream for women. We are on the brink of a new generation of women today. Never has there been so much awareness of the potential of women. I wanted to come today because I feel so strongly about womens role and because I would encourage women everywhere to reach for their potential in whatever direction they choose to go.

Press Release From Holton Arms School, January 15, 1975

In keeping with 1975 International Women's Year the Upper School of Holton Arms has set aside January 15th as a day of seminars. The subject: Potential of Women. Ninety-nine guest speakers, experts in their individual fields, will handle seminars on thirty separate subjects. Classes will be closed for the day so that the students of the Upper School may participate in the seminars of their choice.

Believed to be the first program of its kind to be instituted at the secondary school level, the day was planned by interested students with the help and support of the faculty and the administration. Two main topics will be under consideration: Careers for Women and Concerns of Women. Each area is broken down further into individual subjects of interest. A poll of the students was taken to determine these areas of interest and the subjects to be discussed.

According to Mrs. Mary Jane Puckett, Dean of Students, the purpose of this day is to give students a awareness of the choices and challenges that await them in the future. "As an all-girls' school, Holton Arms recognizes the potential of women in today's society, and this program has been enthusiastically endorsed by our Head Master, Mr. James W. Lewis."

Among the discussion topics for the day are the following: in Careers--architecture, the arts, business, education, fashion and merchandising, government, journalism, the law, medicine, psychology, scientific research, social work, and veterinary medicine; in Concerns--alternate life-styles, conscience-raising groups, education of young women, health care, minority women, sex role stereotypes, women's economic problems, women and the law, women in politics and government, women in religion, and women in sports.

The Steering Committee for the Potential of Women Seminar is headed by Lisa Camalier, student chairman; and assisted by Phyllis Carter, Gail Ehrlich, and Marcia Johnson. Faculty members are Mrs. Irene McGarry, faculty chairman; Mrs. Margo Dunlavey, Mrs. Shelley Levi, and Mrs. Mary Jane Puckett. Keynoter for the day's event will be guest speaker Dr. Elizabeth Tidball, Professor of Physiology at George Washington University.

Holton Arms School is located in Montgomery County, Maryland, and has been educating young women for almost 75 years. An independent day school enrolling girls in grades 3-12, Holton Arms offers a broad pre-college program designed to provide sound preparation for education beyond the secondary years. The school believes in the importance of a structural, sequential curriculum which allows for individuality of teaching methods and an increasing number of course options at each grade level. Holton Arms believes in preserving continuity even as it affects change.

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