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What's our favorite day on the school calendar? It's gotta be Bar-b-que day for sure! This year's barbeque will be held September 21st at Heiberg Forest. Due to the schedule change and consequent shortening of the school semester, it was inconvenient to course programs to take a full day out for the event. So the 58th annual Bar-B-Que, sponsored by the Woodsmen's Team and Forestry Club will be held on a Saturday, the 21st of September.

Once again our students at Wanakena will be attending and plan to challenge each class in the woodsmen events. Guys and gals will be able to compete in a wide variety of events ranging from axe and saw events to rope climbing and sack races.

Tickets will be available with an ID and are free to all full-time, part-time, graduate and undergraduate students. Faculty, staff and guests will be able to purchase their tickets for a small fee.

Bus transportation to and from Heiberg will be provided and bus runs will be posted later.

Of course there will be a great chicken barbeque and tickets will be necessary to get your meal.

Heiberg Forest will be a great place to get away from the bustle of Syracuse life. Free food, woodsmen's events, activities all day long and a chance to see your professors, TA's and fellow classmates compete should add up to make the day really worthwhile. Read the Knothole for further details and watch for posters regarding tickets and bus runs, etc. And plan to be there!

Mary LaLonde

FREE F'BALL PARKING PASSES

Beginning with SU's September 7th football game with Oregon State, the Security Department of the College of Environmental Science and Forestry has instituted an experimental program, designed to allow Forestry students desiring to see the game to park on campus. Forty passes will be issued for each game, each pass enabling the holder to park during one of the six scheduled games. Primary concern will be for grad students and undergraduate students at the College of Environmental Science and Forestry.

Passes will be issued in Room 8, Bray Hall, between 8:30 AM and 3:30 PM on the Wednesday, Thursday and Friday preceding each game. Forestry ID cards must be produced at the time of issuance. There will be no charge for this parking privilege.

Entrance to parking will be through the campus gate on Stadium Place, at the west end of the campus. ID cards and passes must be shown.
DOGS OUT

Last year, we had a problem at this College with dogs—there were too many of them, and they were largely uncontrolled. Last week during registration, I noticed that a lot of people were bringing their dogs into the buildings, and this is where the trouble begins.

To start with, dog owners should be aware of the fact that there is a city ordinance in Syracuse, which states that dogs are not allowed in the city unless restrained. Furthermore, dogs are not allowed in any of the buildings on the forestry campus. So please, save security the trouble of telling you about it and escorting your dog outside. If you must bring your pet to campus, please tie him up somewhere outside.

MOOSEWOOD’S NOTEBOOK

The Adirondack Guides flourished while the wilderness was largely roadless with few trails, still unmapped; and about the only access was by railroad. The guide-client relationship was taken very seriously by these woodsmen who were responsible for the very lives of the mostly well-to-do city people who came to fish and hunt.

One of the most famous of the Cranberry Lake Guides was Wilfred Morrison. He was of Scotch-Irish descent; but having been brought up by French-Canadians, he had fascinating speech patterns. One of his famous sayings was, "When you have fall t'ru de ice wid de snowshoe on, your troubles dey have just begun!" He spoke from experience.

One time he had a Mr. and Mrs. Jesup at a side camp from the Indian Mt. Club. One night Mrs. Jesup went out back to use the "convenience," and in the dark had the very great misfortune to sit down on a porcupine that was probably there to gnaw on the wood made salty by human perspiration. Although attempts were made to keep the incident quiet, the story finally leaked out to the other guides who undertook to pump Wilfred for details.

Guides: "Say, Wilfred, we hear Mrs. Jesup sat on a porky."

Wilfred: "Yes, she have sit on a porky."

Guides: "What happened? What did you do then?"

Wilfred: "We have pull out de quills wid de plier."

Guides, closing in for the kill: "Who pulled them out?"

Wilfred greatly affronted: "Mr. Jesup he have pull dem out."

Guides: "Gol, what would you have done if Mr. Jesup hadn't been there?"

Wilfred staring off into the distance: "My lan, I do not know!"

Aside from the Victorian modesty angle, let this be a warning to you. Take a flashlight, and look before you sit. These and several other Wilfred Morrison storied were told to me (c. 1935) by Professor E.F. McCarthy, for many years head of our Silviculture Department.
25 years ago they would have given us some dumb reasons for not smoking.

"Nice girls don't smoke" or "It'll stunt your growth."

Now we know:

Women who smoke are dying of lung cancer and other smoking-related diseases at twice the rate of women who don't. These days there's no such thing as a dumb reason for not smoking.
The ES&F Calendar of Events is a service of the Knothole intended to list all faculty and College related events for the week in one place. If your organization is having a meeting, speaker, movies, special event or whatever that you want publicized, contact the Knothole by student mail.

SCHOOL OF CONTINUING EDUCATION SHORTCOURSES:

**Backpacking - Principles and Practices**
September 11 - October 20. Moon Library Conference Room, CESF Campus

A series of five lecture-discussions covering equipment, foods, techniques of use, and overnight trips and trails, safety, search and rescue, and winter camping. Emphasis on conservation ethics and recreational use impact on the environment. Two weekend overnight trips. E. Ketchledge, Coordinator, CESF

*Saturday, September 21*

Annual ES&F Barbecue at Heiberg Forest, Tully. Class competition, and a chicken barbecue put on by the Forestry Club. Buses available.

**FORESTRY CLUB**

There are many clubs and activities on our campus. The Forestry Club and Woodsmen's Team are two groups which may appeal to you as a forestry student. The Forestry Club will be sponsoring the annual Bar-b-que and other activities such as lecturers and films on forestry related topics.

Working as a faction of the club is the Woodsmen's Team which is concerned with the use and care of various logging equipment. They learn to work with axes, chain saws, bow saws, cross-cuts, peaveys, cant hooks and other equipment. They also compete in meets throughout the year. They plan to travel this year to Montreal for a large winter intercollegiate meet, to West Virginia to win back the axe in the annual Tri-State meet and are now preparing for the New Brunswick meet in October. Both men's teams and a women's team are available and everyone is encouraged to attend a few practices. Generally, the teams practice on Saturday and Sunday, 1-4 PM behind Walter's Hall. Stroll around sometime and watch or join in.

Meeting times for both groups will be posted around campus or can be found in the Knothole.

Mary LaLonde