

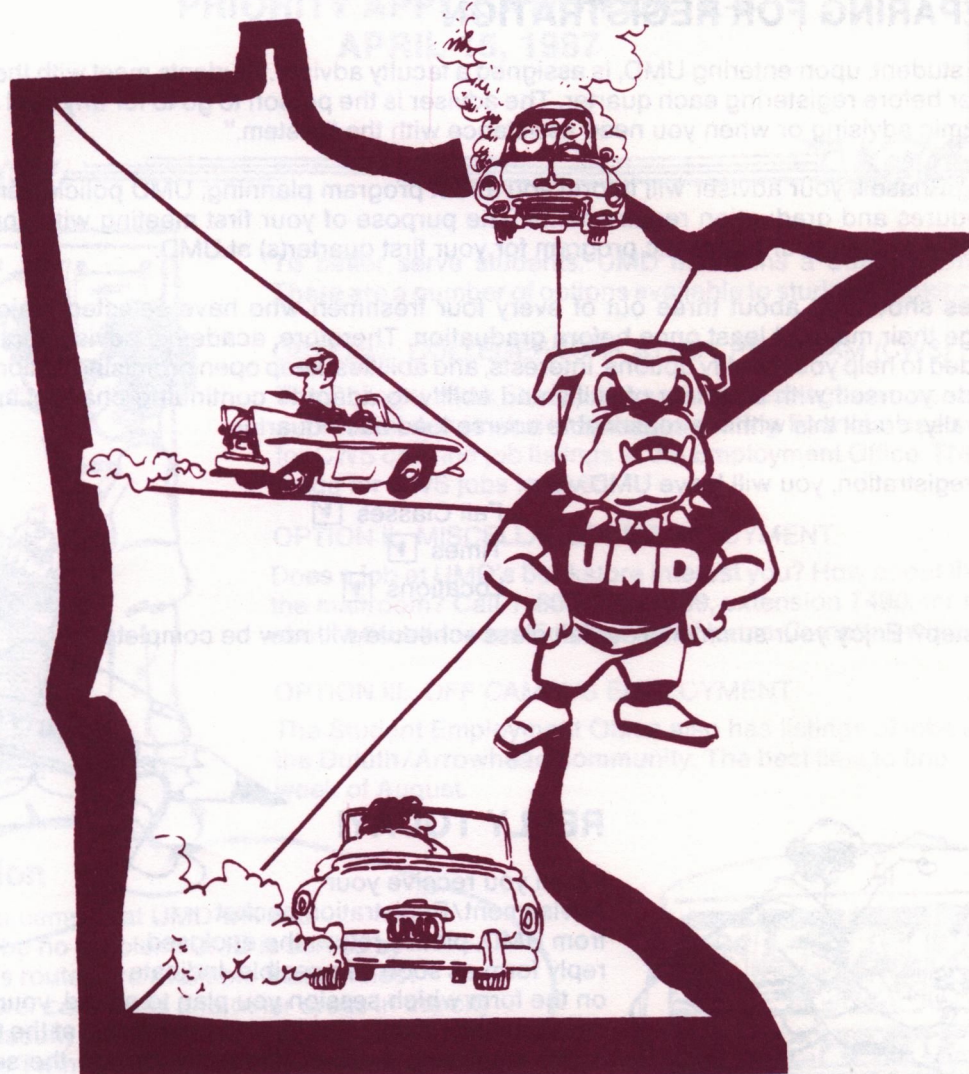
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THE BULLDOG BRIEF

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA, DULUTH

April, May 1987

WELCOME NEW STUDENTS!



All Roads Lead To UMD

FINANCIAL AID UPDATE

Students receiving letters from the Financial Aid Office requesting missing data—like taxes, an Institutional Verification Form, or transfer information from previous schools attended — please reply promptly — missing information will delay processing.

If you have received a Student Aid Report (SAR) from Pell, this is your reply for federal aid. This form should be forwarded to the UMD Financial Aid Office. The state award letters will be mailed out in June depending on legislative action, and UMD award letters will be sent out in June.

Students not eligible for need-based money may consider a Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students (PLUS) or a Supplemental Loan for Students (SLS). Forms for these loans can be picked up at your local bank. The FFS packet must be processed and is required in order to apply for a PLUS/SLS.

Financial Aid checks will be distributed the first week of classes.

PRIORITY APPLICATION DATE— APRIL 15, 1987



To better serve students, UMD maintains a Student Employment Office. There are a number of options available to students looking for employment.

OPTION I: COLLEGE-WORK STUDY PROGRAM (CWS)

The College-Work Study program is a special government program in which aid is awarded to students demonstrating financial need. Students eligible for CWS can find job listings at the Employment Office. The minimum hourly wage for CWS jobs is \$5.65.

OPTION II: MISCELLANEOUS EMPLOYMENT

Does a job at UMD's bookstore interest you? How about the library? Maybe the mailroom? Call 1-800-232-1339, extension 7490, for more information about Miscellaneous Employment. Norma Campbell will help you.

OPTION III: OFF CAMPUS EMPLOYMENT

The Student Employment Office also has listings of jobs available through the Duluth/Arrowhead community. The best time to find jobs is the second week of August.

Transportation

Students living on campus at UMD will find transportation to be no problem. UMD is served by city bus lines. Bus routes are available that connect the upper and lower campuses and other areas in the city where students, faculty, and staff live. Express Greyhound bus service to the Twin Cities is available, leaving campus on Friday nights and returning Sunday evenings.

So, if you're coming to UMD without a car, don't worry. About 92% of UMD freshmen don't have a car at school.



Gearing Up For Registration

CONGRATULATIONS

You've made it through PSAT's, SAT's, ACT's, endless paperwork and many campus visits. Finally the payoff—Orientation.

At UMD Orientation is made up of two phases. Phase I is Advisement and Registration and will primarily take place in March, April, and May. Phase II is Welcome Week with September slated for this event.

Many of you have probably already opted for an Advisement/Registration date. Soon you will be receiving a packet confirming this date and listing times and locations. **If you haven't received information about Advisement and Registration yet, don't panic. If you've been admitted to UMD, Advisement and Registration will soon follow.**



PREPARING FOR REGISTRATION

Every student, upon entering UMD, is assigned a faculty adviser. Students meet with their adviser before registering each quarter. The adviser is the person to go to for *any* kind of academic advising or when you need assistance with the "system."

During Phase I, your adviser will inform you about program planning, UMD policies and procedures and graduation requirements. The purpose of your first meeting with your adviser is to plan your academic program for your first quarter(s) at UMD.

Studies show that about three out of every four freshmen who have selected majors change their major at least once before graduation. Therefore, academic advisement is intended to help you identify options, interests, and abilities; keep open promising options; provide yourself with a variety of skills and ability to adapt to continuing change; and generally, do all this within a reasonable course load each quarter.

After registration, you will leave UMD with:

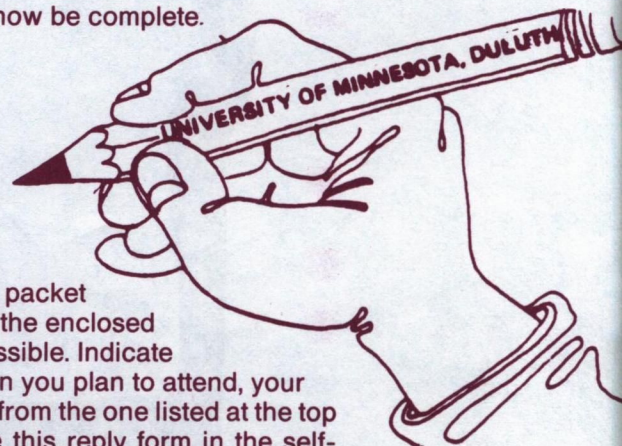
- Fall Classes
- Times
- Locations

Next step? Enjoy your summer! Your fall class schedule will now be complete.

REPLY TODAY!

When you receive your Advisement/Registration packet from UMD, please return the enclosed reply form as soon as possible. Indicate on the form which session you plan to attend, your desired major if different from the one listed at the top of the form, and enclose this reply form in the self-addressed stamped envelope that is provided. Please respond before the deadline; late replies will be accepted, but given lower priority.

**Registration
Headquarters**



UMD REGISTRATION DICTIONARY

ID (i - de') number

An ID number is your personal University identification number. During Advisement/Registration you will get an ID card which will contain your ID number, name and photograph. You can use this card when cashing checks, checking out library material, audio visual aids or sports equipment. Many Duluth businesses offer student discounts and require the ID card for verification of student status. **DON'T LEAVE HOME WITHOUT IT!**

tuition (too - ish' un)

1. Your tuition is the amount of money paid for instruction. You will not be required to pay any tuition/fees until school begins in September.
2. UMD does offer a partial payment plan. If you opt for the payment plan you will be billed at the end of the second week of school for the balance of all tuition. Look for details during Advisement/Registration.

student service fee (fe')

The Student Service Fee is a fee all full time students pay each quarter while attending UMD. Covered in the Student Service Fee are Intercollegiate Athletics, Kirby Student Center, Kirby Program Board, KUMD-FM, UMD Theater, STATESMAN (student newspaper), and the Student Association.

The Student Service Fee is part of what makes UMD the extra dimension. Enjoy these services!

credit (kred' it)

A credit is a unit of work. A credit usually refers to an hour of class work. A three hour class, for example, would typically meet three times a week for one hour each day.

12 credits means that you are a full time student. Most types of financial aid require students to take a minimum of 12 credits per quarter. A normal credit load is between 14-16 credits.

A general rule of thumb is to expect to spend two hours of study time for every hour of class time.

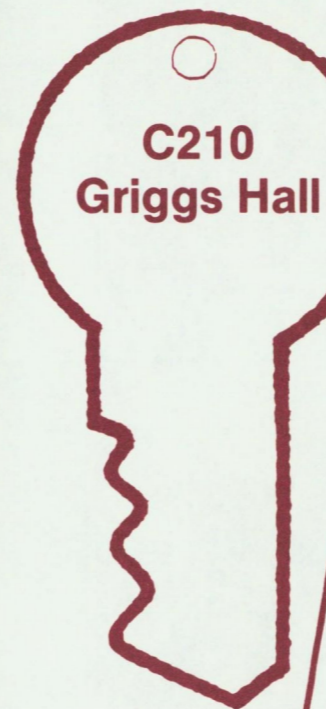
At Your Service

THE STUDENT HEALTH CLINIC: Now that you're a college student, you may find that your mom isn't waiting for you with chicken soup every time you get sick. However, the next best thing to mom is UMD's Student Health Service. Medical services provided include acute illnesses, gynecological services, immunizations, allergy injections, and physical examinations. The Student Health Service offers a number of programs covering topics like alcohol/drug problems, sexual assault, CPR training, smoking cessation, stress management, and nutrition and food needs.

UMD's Student Health Service may be the best health care facility you'll ever find. Where else can you pay about \$17 per quarter, have access to one of the Health Service's 15 staff members, and only have to walk about half a block from your dorm room to reach?

REC SPORTS FACILITY: It's like belonging to the best health club in town! Use the swimming pool, fieldhouse, indoor & outdoor tennis courts, weight room, gymnasium, outdoor field and track.

CONCERTS and RECITALS: The Department of Music at UMD provides a variety of programs for the UMD community. The orchestra, bands, jazz ensembles, choral groups, and opera workshops present numerous concerts each quarter. Guest performers, conductors, and clinicians appear in many of the outstanding music programs which appear at UMD.



HOUSING ASSIGNMENTS

You've visited the campus, seen the residence halls, sent in your contract — what next? Toward the end of June the Housing Office will assign you a room and a roommate. Your new roommate's name, address, and phone number will be on the housing assignment. If you don't know your new roommate, look forward to meeting him/her via the telephone or, if distance permits, in person.

You should also be looking forward to Labor Day Weekend. On Sunday, Sept. 6 and Monday Sept. 7, you will actually be moving into your new dorm or apartment. The Housing Office will send you information about the move-in times and dates.

REMEMBER: SECOND HOUSING INSTALLMENT (\$150.00) DUE MAY 15, 1987

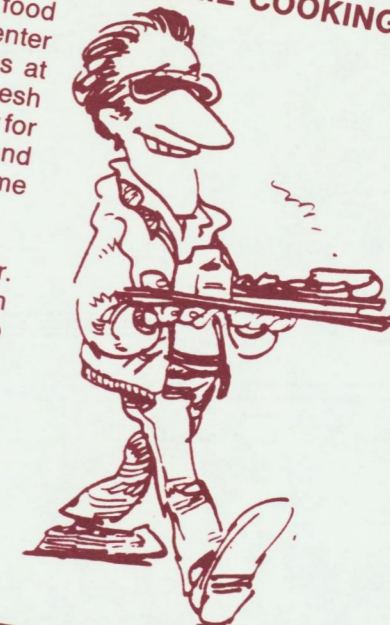
DORM FOOD: THE NEXT BEST THING TO MOM'S HOME COOKING

Rumors you may have heard about "bad" dorm food do not apply to UMD's Residence Hall Dining Center (RHDC). The RHDC features a variety of entrees at breakfast, lunch, and dinner. How about some fresh baked caramel rolls prepared at UMD's own bakery for breakfast? Help yourself to some french toast and bacon with your roll. Not too hungry? Maybe just some cold cereal and toast.

By lunch time your appetite may grow even heartier. How about a burger? In a hurry? Try a sandwich from the sandwich bar. Watching those calories? Take a trip to UMD's well stocked salad bar.

Dinner is no different. Eat to your heart's content before you hit those books. Don't worry about the portions; it's all you can eat.

Breakfast, lunch or dinner, UMD's RHDC is something to look forward to.



HOUSING

STILL WAITING?

FROM THE DESK OF JOHN WEISKE, ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR OF HOUSING

Beginning the week of January 26th, prospective students requesting University housing accommodations for the 1987-88 academic year have been placed on a waiting list. All residence hall spaces were reserved at that time for students who submitted housing application-contracts prior to that date.

The Housing staff anticipates that some spaces will become available due to contract cancellations. **Students on the waiting list will be contacted by April 15th to update them regarding their status on the waiting list for University housing.**

Prospective students who wish to live in University housing during the 1987-88 academic year but have not submitted the housing application-contracts should contact the Housing Office (1-800-232-1339), extension 8170 immediately.

—John Weiske
Associate Director of Housing



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DATELINE DULUTH



MARCH 17 Faculty Chamber Music Recital, 8 pm, Bohannon 90
MARCH 25-29
APRIL 1-4 UMD Theatre: "The Real Thing"
APRIL 1, 8, 15, 22, 19 Planetarium Program, "Realm of the Galaxies," 7 pm
APRIL 12 Tweed Museum of Art Exhibition: Annual Student Show
APRIL 15 Priority Date for Financial Aid
APRIL 28 UMD Women's Tennis vs. UM-Morris
MAY 15 Housing Installment Due (\$150.00)
MAY 23 Commencement: Class of '87
SEPTEMBER 6-7 Move into Campus Housing
SEPTEMBER 8 Fall Classes Begin



THEATER DEPT. MOVES CENTER STAGE
UMD THEATER TRIUMPHS AGAIN!

"Homesteaders," the school's sparkling production of Nina Sengold's comic drama, has been chosen to be one of the six plays produced in April at the American College Theater Festival in the Kennedy Center for Performing Arts in Washington DC.

"Homesteaders" was chosen from among more than 500 college shows competing nationally.

'DOGS DRIBBLE WAY TO NATIONALS IN K.C.

Congratulations to UMD's men's NAIA tournament-bound basketball team. The team had a great season and worked their way to the Nationals in Kansas City.

WRESTLERS TAKE TOP HONORS IN W. VIRGINIA

UMD wrestlers came out on top at the NAIA championship in Wheeling, W. VA. UMD's Mike Hirschey became UMD's first national champ in wrestling and Jeff Dravis became the school's first two-time All American.



And the Winner is . . .

UMD STATESMAN WINS AWARDS

The UMD STATESMAN was honored with several awards during the annual Minnesota Newspaper Association Convention in Minneapolis.

The newspaper won six awards in all with three first places, two second and one honorable mention. Of these awards, two were given in general categories and four were bestowed upon individuals.