

Official COURT DECISION

INVESTIGATION OF FORTY NINER DANCE:

As referred to this Court by the Chairman of the Student Conduct Committee, this Court has taken the written letter of the Chairman of aforementioned dance as to be his statement. Upon this statement, the statement of complaint by the Student Conduct Committee, plus the Court's investigation and attendance at said dance the following decision of findings is rendered:

WHEREAS, the Forty-Niner Day Committee was unaware of the area to be patrolled, and the Dean of Activities along the Activities Advisor did not cause them to be aware that students from other schools would attempt to enter the dance, and cause a disturbance, nor was mentioned that previous dances had shown that the minimum number of supervisors was not sufficient, nor was any measure caused to be placed into effect that could prevent reoccurrence of the two previously decided cases, but this does not relieve the chairman of his responsibility to the Student Body, and one such Chairman as capable and successful as the one in question should have been aware that such activities would be taking place, and therefore this Court cannot access the full responsibility upon those it feels are really the cause. It is the job of responsible people to guide those in their respective protectorate, and show them the failings of those who have passed before them, and in this respect they have been negligent.

THEREFORE, this Court Recommends to the Dean of Students that the recommendations of the proceeding two cases be caused to be effected, and

FURTHER, that to allow responsibility to be placed equally upon the two parties aforestated, and reprimands be forthcoming from the Dean of Students Office to said parties.

Chief Justice, Paul R. Steinman
Justices, Lemley, Burns, and
Mattox concurring.