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Graduate gives scanner, printer to department

A 1979 public relations graduate has donated nearly $3,000 of equipment to the Department of Journalism. Sheila Garvin decided to give an Apple Scanner, Hewit·Jet Printer, and software to the department after her husband died a few months ago.

Her husband was an artist and used the equipment for work.

The scanner converts photo and art to lines and halftone for publication. The printer is capable of printing color.

The equipment will be kept in the PR computer lab (Gordon Wilson room 307). All students are allowed to use the scanner and printer if they know how. Students wishing to learn how to use the equipment should see journalism professor Robert Blann.

Teams design catalog for Speigel Company

Two teams will compete for the right to have their catalog they designed for Speigel Company entered in the annual direct marketing association Wednesday at 3 p.m. in Gordon Wilson room 312.

The catalog is titled "Ready to Wind Down."

The teams consist of Sara Adams, Brett Mayberry, Amos Gott, Melody Morris, Rowena Cameron, Joe Neal, and Shannon Creasy.

PRSSA honored at New York convention

Eight PRSSA Kelly Thompson Chapter members attended the 15th annual PRSSA National Conference Nov. 3-7 in New York.

Representing Western were Jody Carmack, Tina Howard, Nina Kissinger, Karl Miller, Janet Moorefield, Todd Sanders and Beth Struck.

The conference was held at the New York Penta Hotel and more than 800 students attended making it the largest in the conference's history.

Each day 10-16 different sessions were offered, and students could attend the ones that interested them. The topics ranged from your first job to PR and environmental concerns, crisis communication and video news releases. There were also question and answer session, international tele-conferences, and district meetings.

The Kelly Thompson Chapter was recognized for it second place ranking in the NutraSweet Campaign during the Chairman's Luncheon.