TO THE BRYANT COLLEGE ALUMNI:

As you are aware, the Smithfield campus is currently undergoing a period of intense unrest; students and faculty are making their views known in increasing numbers. The Board of Trustees of the College will be hearing these various viewpoints from time to time in an attempt to come to a reasonable and mutually satisfying conclusion.

Representatives of the Bryant Alumni Associations's Executive Board will be attending these meetings whenever possible in order to keep the Alumni as informed as possible at all times.

Please be assured that the Alumni Board will make every effort to help alleviate this frustrating situation and improve the image and atmosphere of Bryant College.

Sincerely,

Bryant College Alumni Association Executive Board
Paula (Pascone) Iacono '69
Vice President

The Executive Board of the Bryant College Alumni Association presents the following Constitution and By-Laws revision in accordance with Article IX, which states that "formal notice of any proposed changes must be sent to each member of the Council and communicated to members of the Association at least twenty days prior to action by the Council."

BRYANT COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I — NAME

The name of the organization shall be: The Bryant College Alumni Association (hereinafter called "the Association").

ARTICLE II — OBJECTS AND PURPOSES

The objects and purposes of the Association are to promote the welfare of Bryant College (hereinafter called "the College"), to inspire, develop, and maintain the interest of its members in the College. Specifically, the Association shall help to organize and encourage: (a) activities that enhance the reputation of the College and interpret it to the public; (b) activities that will stimulate the interest of prospective students who would benefit from its unique education program; (c) activities which will encourage financial support by alumni and assist the institution in obtaining funds from other sources; and (d) activities that include raising and controlling funds (excluding the Annual Alumni Fund) for the Association to assist in carrying out its goals and programs as described in (a), (b), and (c) of this Article.

ARTICLE III — MEMBERSHIP AND VOTING RIGHTS

Section 1. The following persons (hereinafter called "the Alumni") shall be members of the Association.
   a. All graduates of the College.
   b. All recipients of advanced degrees other than honorary.

Section 2. Associate Membership
   A. Recipients of honorary degrees from the College.
   b. Trustees of the College.
   c. President of the College.
   d. President of the Student Senate.
   e. All existing Associate Members as of June 30, 1975.

Section 3. Voting Rights and Eligibility for Office.
   a. All members referred to in Section 1 of this Article III shall be entitled to vote and to hold office in the Association.
   b. Associate members as designated in Section 2 of this Article III shall not be eligible to vote or to hold office in the Association.

ARTICLE IV — GOVERNING BODY: THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

Section 1. Powers. The management of the Association shall be vested in the Executive Board, which shall conduct the business of the Association under this Constitution and By-Laws.

Section 2. Composition and Terms. The Executive Board shall be composed of the Following; the terms to begin on September 1, following election or upon appointment:

   Voting Members
   a. Twelve Members-at-Large elected by the Association, four elected each year for three-year terms. The President may appoint a member of the Association to fill an unexpired term of a Member-at-Large.
   b. Two members may be appointed at the discretion of the President for one-year terms.

   Non-voting Members
   a. The President of the College or his designate and Director of Alumni Affairs of the College.

Eligibility

Any members of the Executive Board who has served a full elected term to serve as either a Member-at-Large or an appointed member shall be ineligible for a term beginning within two years of the expiration of the last full term served by such person.
ARTICLE V — NOMINATIONS AND ELECTION OF EXECUTIVE BOARD

Section 1. Nominating Committee. (Chairman appointed by President of Association). Also see Article VIII—Standing Committees. This committee shall annually select nominees for vacancies on the Executive Board. The vacancies are to be filled at the next election. The chairman of the Nominating Committee must appoint four voting members from the Executive Board.

Section 2. Nominations.
   a. The Nominating Committee shall nominate at least twice as many persons for membership to the board as there are vacancies to be filled at the next election.
   b. Additional nominations may be made by petition signed by 25 voting members of the Association. Such petition must be filed with the Director of Alumni Affairs no less than 30 days prior to the printing of the ballot.
   c. All persons nominated shall receive the same publicity and be placed on the ballot in the same manner as other nominees, except that the Executive Board may provide that nominees be designated “nominated by petition” and/or “nominated by Executive Board.”

Section 3. Election. The annual election shall be by ballot under regulations prescribed by the Executive Board. Ballots shall be made available to all voting members of the Association. Ballots shall be returned to the Secretary of the Association within 30 days of mailing. The results of the election shall be tabulated and made known by the Executive Board at its June meeting.

ARTICLE VI — OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION AND THEIR DUTIES

Section 1. Election and Terms. The officers of the Association shall be elected annually by the Executive Board at their first regular meeting and shall consist of the following: President, one or more Vice-Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer, and any other officers as the Board may, from time to time, decide upon. The officers shall hold office from time of such election until their successors shall take office.

Section 2. Eligibility. All officers of the Association shall be voting members of the Executive Board.

Section 3. President. The President shall preside at all meetings of the Association and the Executive Board. The President shall have general supervision of all affairs of both the Association and the Executive Board. He is empowered to establish committees within the Board as provided in Article VIII. The President shall be an ex-officio member of all committees.

Section 4. Vice President. The Vice President shall perform the functions of the President in his absence and any other duties assigned to him by the President and/or the Executive Board.

Section 5. Secretary. The Secretary shall perform the usual duties of the office, including the recording of the minutes of all meetings of the Association and the Executive Board; notifying the Association and the Executive Board of all meetings; controlling and tallying the returns from all elections; and any other duties assigned by the President and/or the Executive Board.

ARTICLE VII — MEETINGS

Section 1. The Executive Board shall meet monthly during the academic year.

Section 2. Special meetings may be called by the President or by a majority vote of the members of the Executive Board.

Section 3. Quorum. One half of the voting members of the Executive Board shall constitute a quorum for transaction of all business pertinent to the Executive Board.

Section 4. Notice of all meetings shall be mailed not less than one week prior to convening date.

ARTICLE VIII — STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

Section 1. Definition. Standing Committees shall be any committee established by the President of the Association or by a majority vote of the Executive Board members.

Section 2. Terms. Standing Committees shall be continuous through one academic year or until fulfillment of their duties.

Section 3. Membership.
   a. The President of the Association shall appoint the chairman from the Executive Board.
   b. The chairman may appoint other committee members, as deemed necessary, from the Executive Board and/or the Association.

Section 4. Standing Committees
   a. Alumni House
   b. Alumni Events
   c. Nominating
   d. Alumni Fund
   e. Bulletins and Publications
   f. Student Events
   g. Long Range Planning

ARTICLE IX — AMENDMENTS

This Constitution and these By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the Executive Board provided that formal notice of any proposed changes has been sent to each member of the Executive Board and communicated to members of the Association at least twenty days prior to action by the Executive Board.

REMARK

ANNUAL ALUMNI DINNER DANCE, Saturday evening, April 26, 1975, 7 p.m. to 1 a.m., Salzman Dining Hall, $15 per person. Reservations will not be accepted after April 17, 1975. Make checks payable to Bryant College Alumni Association and mail to Mrs. Louise Ruvolo Scott, Chairman, Alumni Office, Bryant College, Smithfield, RI 02917.

GENERAL FUND

It's not too late...send in your contribution to the 1975 Annual Fund.

Karl F. Ericson '58
General Fund
Focusing on two stimulating seminars, the weekend program will be complemented by social events with a theme of Bryant College nostalgia.

SUGGESTION:

Why not use the Alumni Weekend Program as an opportunity to get together with college friends, even those whom you haven't seen in recent years. The Alumni Office will be happy to help you with addresses, if you need them.

WEEKEND SEMINAR TOPICS

I. Communications Analysis

Focusing on Transactional Analysis (TA), participants will learn to analyze communications and to communicate more effectively in any situation where people deal with people. TA is a new and proven approach to communications and human behavior, and was originally developed in the book *Games People Play* (Eric Berne), and *I'm OK - You're OK* (Tom Harris).

II. Investment Objectives and Financial Planning

Designed to assist individuals in managing personal money and assets by setting personal investment objectives and establishing financial plans. The seminar will discuss economic outlook and forecast analysis of financial resources, risk-taking, investment alternatives, and estate planning.

Seminar Faculty:

Selected on the basis of experience and expertise in their respective areas.

RESERVATIONS:

Return the form at your earliest convenience to insure your reservations. The entire program is only $39.50 per person, including the seminars, social hour, dining and entertainment. Those who require lodging for Friday and/or Saturday night may reserve suite accommodations at $8 per person, per night.

For further information, contact:

Center for Management Development
Bryant College
Smithfield, RI 02917
401-231-1200, Ext. 314

RESERVATION FORM

Please reserve space for ______ people for the Alumni Program. ☐ A $10 deposit per person is enclosed.

☐ The full amount per person is enclosed.

Name _____________________________ Class Year _____________________________

Address: _____________________________ Phone: _____________________________

City: _____________________________ State: _____________________________ Zip: _____________________________

1. Accommodations Arrangements Desired: ☐ Single Occupancy
 ☐ Double Occupancy

2. To survey the interest of attending Alumni in the seminar topics, which may you want to attend: ☐ I ☐ II

Please cut out and return to: Center for Management Development
Bryant College
Smithfield, RI 02917
ALUMNI TRUSTEE

At a meeting held on March 19, 1975, the Bryant College Board of Trustees approved a proposal regarding the nomination of an Alumni Trustee to the Board. This trustee will be chosen by the Bryant College Alumni Association and will serve as a full-fledged voting member of the Board with all of the inherent rights and privileges.

OUR NEXT ISSUE

The next regular issue of the Bulletin will include information on proposed tours for the Fall, feature articles, and specific information on how an Alumni Trustee is to be chosen.

SENIOR SUPPER

The Senior Supper which has proved to be a very popular and successful event will be hosted by the Bryant College Alumni Association in the Salmason Dining Hall on May 16, 1975, on the day prior to Commencement. Charles Bradley is chairman of the committee arranging this affair. Alumni interested in serving as hosts and hostesses for this affair, are requested to leave their names with Mrs. Rose Ovoian at 231-1200. Extension 216.

THE BRYANT ALUMNI CALENDAR FOR 1975

April 18
"Managing and Motivating Employees" — Center for Management Development

April 23
"Communications and Managerial Effectiveness" — Center for Management Development.

May 14
Alumni Tour to The Orient.

May 16
Senior Supper.

May 17
Commencement.

May 20
Alumni Tour To Spain.

May 29-30
"Organization Renewal" — Center for Management Development.

June 1-13
"Middle-Management Program" — Center for Management Development.

June 4-7
"Leadership and Organization Development Laboratory" — Center for Management Development.

June 18-20
"The Managing Woman" — Center for Management Development.

July 10-11
"Internal Consulting" — Center for Management Development.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

Officers of the Bryant College Alumni Association are:
Donald Lopes '58, President
Paula Iacono '69, Vice President
Brian Drought '66/'73, Secretary
Charles Bradley '69, Treasurer

Program suggestions and news from alumni are always welcome. Write to any of these officers or a Member-at-Large in care of the Alumni Office, Box 14, Bryant College, Smithfield, RI 02917.

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