ORGANIZATIONS
Though one of the more unpublicized and un­spectacular of the governor's duties, the responsibility of looking after the welfare of the many state-supported colleges is very important and re­quires a great deal of attention.

The condition of the state's schools is directly related to the labors of the governor and other of­ficials.
Tech Students Organize Archery Club

The Archery Club is another one of the newly-tormented clubs on the Tech campus this year. Students who are interested in the sport are encouraged to join.

This organization has already sponsored one contest at which the Tech club and clubs from several other colleges around the state competed. Another meet is being planned and will probably be held before school is let out for summer vacation.

It is not uncommon to see members of the club out practicing on warm days. They practice both in groups and individually.
Agri Day One Of Tech's Big Events

Arkansas Tech's Agri Club sponsors one of the biggest events of the school year in their annual Agri Day. The club publishes an annual Agri edition of the Arka-Tech along with the other happenings of the day, including a dance, picnic, and special programs. An Agri King and Queen are chosen for the occasion. Membership in the organization is open to students enrolled in the Division of Agriculture. Promoting ideas for the improvement of farming, developing leadership, and giving its members an opportunity for self-expression are the principle aims of the organization.
Engineers' Day is one of the highlights of the year for the Engineer Club. On that day it puts out its own edition of the Arka-Tech, the school paper, and sponsors various other activities, such as the perilous rope-pulling between the slide-rule boys and the agris.

Saint Patrick’s Dance and the annual tour to points of interest around the country are other high points of the year.

C. E. PADGETT, JR.
Sponsor

Engineers Sponsor Various Activities

FIRST ROW (left to right): Bill R. Green, Ronnie Jordan, Joe Jack Heird, Jim Bainbridge, Ronnie Ross, John Charles Carrick, James E. Hicks, Rondal Godfrey, Mohammad Ali Pirpour, Jerry Grubbs.


THIRD ROW (left to right): Vernon Humphrey, Allen Hinsley, Milton Hardin, Charles Powers, Glen McClain, Ray Pigg, Frank Barborek, Del Miller, William Lewis, Akbar Sadeh.

FOURTH ROW (left to right): Wade Sherrill, Ken Garrett, Tom Hudson, Kenneth Patton, Kelton Grubbs, Carl Staley, Tim Krone, Jr., Doil Haney, Ray Reynolds, Skipper McDaniel, E. W. Browning, Jr.
Cheerleaders

JONI ROBERTS
Captain

BRENDA METCALF

KATHY ROGERS

BARBARA MATTOX
The "T" Club is the social organization of Tech athletes. The purpose of the organization is to promote school loyalty and spirit and to further the welfare of the school, especially in sports.

Only men students who have lettered in one or more of the major sports — football, basketball, baseball, and track — are eligible for membership in the "T" Club. Prospective members are put through a pretty rugged initiation.

This organization selects the football Homecoming royalty.

OFFICERS: Jim Argo, president; Jim Harwood, vice-president; Joe Trowbridge, secretary-treasurer; Larry Cotton, reporter.
This is a common sight around the yearbook office.

The Agricola is the yearbook of Arkansas Tech. As such, the responsibility of recording the year's highlights falls to the Agricola staff members. With this responsibility goes a great deal of hard work.

A member of the Arkansas Collegiate Press Association since 1958, the Agricola has won two firsts and a second in the yearbook contests that have been held over the past three years.

The editorship is an elected office. Other staff positions, except that of photographer which is an appointed position, are filled by volunteers.
YEARBOOK STAFF (left to right): Glenda Perry, Rosemary Smee, David Edwards, Ann Burrow.

BOB EDWARDS
Photographer

JIM DAVIS
Sports Editor
Arka-Tech Noted For High Standards

Arkansas Tech's student newspaper, the Arka-Tech, published once a week, has always held a place in Arkansas' small colleges for its high standard of reporting and vigorous editorial policy.

The Arka-Tech has won the Editorial Effectiveness division of the annual ACPA contest for the last four years. In '58-'59 the newspaper finished second in the Sweepstakes and second in the general contest.

Staff members include journalism majors and any others interested in newspaper work.

The editor and business manager are chosen in the Spring election.
ARKA-TECH STAFF (left to right): Lavan Whorton, Sandra Blank, Bob Fullen, Glenda Perry, John Scherry, Mike Lipe.
Student Council Serves As Medium

The Student Council is responsible for many of the dances held on the Tech campus.

With the adoption of a completely new set of bylaws added to the constitution in the Spring elections last year, the Arkansas Tech Student Council has acquired a great deal more authority in student and school affairs than they have had before as a medium between the administration and the student body.

The president, two vice-presidents and representatives are selected in the Spring elections. The Council appoints a secretary and reporter from the representatives chosen from each division.

Tech's Council is responsible for overseeing student entertainment and for regulating money-making projects of campus organizations.

OFFICERS: Ronnie Boswell, president; Jim Sparks, first vice-president; Bob Porter, second vice-president.
Established in 1958 under a provision of the Student Council Constitution, the Student Court is, under this same provision of the constitution, responsible for student discipline at Tech.

The chief justice of the court is the first vice-president of the student body, the second vice-president is the attorney general. The presidents of the junior and senior classes plus two students appointed by the council and the administration are the other justices.

The court works closely with the council and administration.

Student Court Is Disciplinary Body

FIRST ROW (left to right): Jim Porter, Mary Lee Boren, Agnes Villines, Charles Collum.
SECOND ROW (left to right): Bob Hendon, Roland Zeigler, Fritz Muller.
Band Standouts Compose Greek Group

Kappa Kappa Psi is a national honorary band fraternity which was introduced to Tech in 1958. The organization consists of outstanding Tech bandsmen. It was the hundredth Kappa Kappa Psi chapter initiated in the nation since the fraternity’s origin in 1919 at the University of Oklahoma.

Its purpose is to provide worthwhile musical, social, and educational opportunities for its members and other bandsmen.

Kappa Kappa Psi, in collaboration with the women’s band sorority, Tau Beta Sigma, sponsors most of the informal band parties.

OFFICERS: John Jennings, president; Mickey Barnes, vice-president; Bobby Anderson, secretary-treasurer; Jimmy Greer, parliamentarian.

Some of the Tau Beta Sigma and Kappa Kappa Psi pledges dress up the bus for the annual band tour.
Tau Beta Sigma Is National Sorority

Most of the Tau Beta Sigma girls are music majors and spend a considerable amount of time in classes such as this one.

Though organized later, on a national level, than Kappa Kappa Psi, Tau Beta Sigma exists for the same purposes: to aid the band in every way possible, and to provide recognition for outstanding bandsmen — except in this case, bandswomen.

Along with Kappa Kappa Psi the girls in this club are responsible for almost all of the band parties.

OFFICERS: Mary Anne Sawyer, president; Rosemary Sme, vice-president; Barbara Chenault, secretary; Ann Burrow, treasurer.
Music Educators Get Organized

JOHN HALL ETHRIDGE
President

The Music Educators National Conference, in its first year on the Tech campus, is composed of students who are majoring in music and plan to teach in the public schools upon graduating from college.

The main purpose of the society lies in better understanding the problems confronting the music educator and in developing practical solutions to these problems.

Several of the college's most outstanding Fine Arts students are members of this organization.

Though at present the club is fairly small, it is believed that membership will increase in a short time.

Dr. John Wainwright sponsors the club.
Student NEA Aids Future Teachers

The Student National Education Association is designed to benefit those students who plan to teach after graduating from college.

Students in this organization get a great deal of practical knowledge of the programs. Applying for a job is given serious consideration by this group. Setting up mock interviews have been a part of past programs.

Dr. Oren Rankin, chairman of Tech's Division of Education, is supervisor of the Student N.E.A.

DR. OREN RANKIN
Sponsor

FIRST ROW (left to right): Mona Robberson, Linda Syfert, Doris Martin, Jan Bufford, Doris Henson, Luana Dunn.

SECOND ROW (left to right): Jack Wright, Cecilia Broderick, Mildred Oehschlager, Sue Turner, Jimmy Duff.
AWS Council Governs Tech Women

"Lady of the Apple Blossom" candidates: Mary Lee Boren, Launa Dunn, Jo Boswell, Metta N. Plegge, Dorothy Dukes.

Tech’s AWS Council is the governing body for the women students on the campus. It has charge of electing officers and representatives from each class, dormitory, and organization.

The council coordinates the activities of the organization, setting up the rules governing the women, and trying cases of infringements of these rules.

Each year the AWS selects by popular vote the senior woman who has contributed most to the status of women students on the Tech campus. This award, "Lady of the Apple Blossom", was awarded to Jo Boswell, a Russellville senior and Tech’s first speech major, this year.

A get-acquainted party at the beginning of the year starts off the AWS activities and a tea honoring senior women ends them.
Colhecon is the club for Tech Home Economics majors. Since the Homec program was recently expanded into a four-year program, this club has acquired a new importance among Tech organizations.

The primary purpose of the club is, naturally, to foster interest in Home Economics, but it also stresses the development of creative leadership in the home and community.

Colhecon club members actively participate in local, state, and national homec conventions.

They also sponsor Agri Day and the annual FFA-FHA meet in cooperation with the Tech Agri Club.

An annual Colhecon Christmas party is one of their traditional social events.

**Colhecon Club For Home Ec Majors**

**FIRST ROW (left to right):** Kay Crocker, Alice Bradley, Gayle Weatherford, Wilma Blevins, LaVonne Ott, Reba Posey

**SECOND ROW (left to right):** Judy Reeder, Jerry Gaarner, Brenda Upton, Junie West, Patsy Smith, Pat Johnson.

**THIRD ROW (left to right):** Mrs. Elizabeth Bryson, Zoe Claunch, Sue Snaderson, Jo Ann Dunn, Lila Jackson, Joyce Plumlee, Dorothy Dukes.
Les Danseurs Modern Dance Group

CLOCKWISE: Wanda Hollabaugh, Jean Owens, Barbara Chenault, Ralph Nichols, Judy Sammons, Nancy Hockersmith, Betty Niemeyer, Brenda Metcalf.

Les Danseurs is in its first year of existence at Tech. It is a modern dance group composed of students who have had at least one semester instruction in dancing. Prospective members are voted on by the club before being allowed to join.

The group performed at the Dad's Day assembly last semester and has a major recital planned for later on this spring.

Miss Margaret Wilson, instructor in physical education, sponsors the group. Miss Wilson also teaches the dancing classes here.

Three of the modern dance group strike a pose for the photographer.
Primarily for art majors, this organization is a direct result of the rapid expansion of Tech's art department.

The purpose of the Guild is to induce a greater amount of contact and interest among art and design majors, and to provide recognition for the art work being done on campus.

Campus programs concerned with art or design are often sponsored by this organization. The last art show put on by the guild was very successful. It was well attended and several works done by Tech students were sold.

The Guild is sponsored by Mort Smith, head of the art department.

A work of art does not necessarily have to be recognizable.

FIRST ROW (left to right): Betty Neimeyer, Ann Weston, Georgianne Burnett, Shirley Boswell.

SECOND ROW (left to right): Elva Lee Rogers, Leo Wesley, Jim Fitzgerald, Terry Boswell, Jett Jones.
FIRST ROW (left to right): Sandra Blunk, Ethel Burton, Genele Gammile, Ralph Nichols, Jo Boswell, Bobby Pullen, Carolyn Wells, Laquita Wood, Betty Hayward.

SECOND ROW (left to right): Margaret Lemon, Jerry Canarday, Fred Micelli, John Back, Don Wolfe, Jackie Wood.

All Theater Guild's Plays Successful

The errant husband pleads for forgiveness from his spouse in "The Constant Wife".

Tech's Little Theatre Group has produced two plays so far this year and another is planned for the very near future.

"Ghosts" by Hendrik Ibsen was the first production of the year, and "The Constant Wife" by Somerset Maugham the second. Both plays were well-received though Tech students seemed to prefer the Maugham comedy over the dramatic "Ghosts".

"The Constant Wife" was directed by Jo Boswell, senior speech major.

Third on the list of plays for this year is "The Cave Dwellers", slated for some time in April.

All theatrical activities are under the direct supervision of Wallace Sterling, head of the Tech speech department.
"Ghosts" was the first production of the year.

Applying make-up is an important job in the theatre but one that rarely gets publicized.

Things start jumping when the complete cast gets together in one of the climactic scenes of "The Constant Wife".
Blue Key Known For Leadership

A few characters always show up at the Blue Key Variety Show.

Blue Key National Honor Fraternity is one of the most active organizations on the Tech campus. Open only to outstanding junior and senior men, Blue Key is naturally a select group.

The purpose of Blue Key is to recognize leadership among college men. Emphasis is also placed on scholarship and moral character.

Blue Key presents a variety show in the spring of each year. This is one of the outstanding events of the semester for the student body as well as the fraternity.

Tech's chapter also has as a major project a high school leadership conference in the fall.

A spring semester scholarship is awarded to a freshman male student.
WRA Promotes Physical Activity

The chief goal of the Women's Recreational Association is to promote intramural sports and other recreational activities for Tech's women students. Membership is open to all women students participating in intramurals.

An award is presented each year to a male athlete on the basis of good sportsmanship.

Awards are also presented to Tech women who letter in a sport and to the cheerleaders.

One of the most outstanding occasions of the school year, the "Miss Arkansas Tech" contest is planned and carried through by this club and its director, Miss Margaret Wilson.

Barbara Patterson and Barbara Mattox of Tech are state W. R. A. officers.

FIRST ROW (left to right): Barbara Mattox, Kathy Rogers, Carol Griffith, Sandra Silver, LaDonna Kinder, Elizabeth Niven.
SECOND ROW (left to right): Marilyn Combs, Shirley Rollans, Kalynn Wilson, Ann Biddle, Judy Magness, Dorothy Barton, Mary Beth Wright, Jean Owen.
THIRD ROW (left to right): Carolyn Combs, Linda Syfert, Lou Ann Lee, Sue Sanderson, Linda Wood, Jerry McMullen, Sue Turner, Pat Tripp, Margaret Wilson, sponsor.
Cardinal Key Aids General Welfare

Shirley Boswell ________________ President
Carol Griffith ________________ Vice-president
Burla Hedden __________________ Recording and corresponding secretary
Marilyn Woodson ____________ Alumni secretary
Sara Ebersole ________________ Treasurer
Dot Dukes ____________________ Reporter

Cardinal Key is a national honorary sorority, the purpose of which is to recognize leadership in college women. Only junior and senior women of high scholastic and personal ability are accepted. The club votes on each prospective member before he is accepted. Tech's chapter of Cardinal Key is devoted to worthy projects and endeavors to aid the welfare of the college in any manner that it is able. Cardinal Key assists Blue Key with the high school leadership conference which is held in the fall of each year.
Tech PEMM Club

Accents Phys Ed

Though there is now no rule against male students joining the PEMM Club, all members are, at present anyway, girls.

The Physical Education Majors and Minors Club encourage the understanding of physical education as applied to all people, the advancement of professional interests in physical education, and the broadening of information and participation along professional lines.

Officers of the coming year are always announced at the "Spring Cook-Out", a traditional event held each year by the club.

Margaret Wilson supervises the club's activities.

FIRST ROW (left to right): Mary Beth Wright, Janis Spain, Diane Ricker, mascot, Nan Talley, Barbara Patterson.
SECOND ROW (left to right): Ann Biddle, Kalynn Wilson, Dorothy Barton, Elizabeth Niven, Shirley Rollans, Scarlet Biggs, Paula Word.
THIRD ROW (left to right): Virginia Evans, Yvonne Hylton, Linda Wood, Shirlene Jones, Sandra Silver, Buelah Ricker, Dolores Ernst, Sara Matthews, Pat Tripp, Margaret Wilson, sponsor.

Candidates for the WRA Sportsmanship Award are Bill Curtis, James Davis, Frank Davis, Jim Porter, Henry Brummett.
FIRST ROW (left to right): Paula Byrom, Paula McDaniel, Mary Lou Daly, Glenda Perry, Wilma Blevins, Rita Rhea.
SECOND ROW (left to right): Judy McDonald, Brenda Partin, Janice White, Elizabeth Foster, Edwiniwa Walls, Carol Lewis.
THIRD ROW (left to right): Jennings Partin, Lois Virnau, Joyce Plumlee, Mary Ann Clark, Lila Jackson, Neil Jackson.
FOURTH ROW (left to right): Jimmy Greer, George Duke, David Huffstetler, Ralph Boen, Blake McGuire, Tom Sawyer.

B. S. U. Is Open To All Students

The Baptist Student Union, just across the street from Caraway Hall, is conveniently located for Tech students.

The Baptist Student Union represents the Southern Baptist Church of Russellville to Tech students. Located immediately adjacent to the campus, it is easily accessible to most Tech students.

The purpose of the B.S.U. is two-fold: first, it promotes the spiritual and moral growth of the student through a campus program complementing the church's ministry; second, it seeks to relate the individual student to his church and denomination.

Sponsored by Mr. Neil Jackson, the B.S.U. is partly operated by the students themselves, who lead devotionals, songs and prayers.

For the second consecutive year the B.S.U. is conducting a religious emphasis week on the campus.
All Tech students are welcome to the Wesley House.

The Wesley Foundation is a part of the Methodist Student Movement. Located just south of the campus on El Paso Avenue, the Wesley House serves as a "home away from home" for the Methodist students. "The Wesley Wonder", edited by Bobby Pullen, made its appearance on the Tech campus in January. This official publication contains articles by students and often faculty members on many moral topics.

The house includes a well-equipped kitchen, ping-pong tables, a radio and a small library for the convenience of the students. It provides an opportunity for students to become acquainted with each other through campus and regional meetings.
Many Tech Students Practice Teach

Terry Boswell assists one of the students in his art class at Russellville High School.

These twenty-six senior education majors are completing one of the requirements for their degrees. It is necessary that they spend twelve weeks teaching in area schools under the supervision of an older teacher.

Besides the practice teaching, which is worth twelve hours credit, they can take a three hour course which is divided for their benefit into two parts, three weeks before practice teaching and three weeks afterwards.

The practice teachers are not an official Tech organization.
The Newman Club at Arkansas Tech is "a club of Catholic culture and Catholic fellowship." It is designed to foster the spiritual, intellectual, and social interests of the Catholic students at Tech and weld them into a common union. It also tries to aid the college and its students whenever it possibly can.

The Newman Club is not restricted to Tech. Newman Clubs have been organized on over five-hundred college and university campuses in the United States. They have taken as their motto: "Newmanism is Catholicism on secular campuses."

Newman Club For Catholic Students

The Newman Club sponsors a banquet each year to which Members of the Tech administration and faculty are invited.