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Personal Statement

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Rush Week Changes Form; Class of ’73 Names Oute June 13

The IFC Rush Committee and house rush committees met April 20 to discuss the rules for Rush Week and changes in Rush Week. Last Sunday, the rules for Rush Week were finalized at another meeting of the Rush committee.

Two proposals to change the pick-up schedule and the airport were approved. A Clearing House will be set up at the airport manned by the IFC. All incoming freshmen will report to the Clearing House before they can be contacted by a house. The second proposal allowed a shuttle bus service to be established from the airport to the Clearing House in the Student Center. Provision will be made for both the specific transportation at the airport Clearing House and take them to the main Clearing House. Since the entire freshman class will be coming to Residence/Orientation Week, this provision will help alleviate the problems of congestion and confusion that arose last year.

The list of names of admitted freshmen will be released Friday, June 13. There was considerable concern among the Housing Office and the Dormitory Council that a pledging time of noon on Thursday would not allow them enough time to give out pledges and time to move into their rooms before that time. Another consideration was that a house would get feedback on the success of its Rush Week sooner if the pledging date were earlier. Consequently, the pledging time has been changed to 7:00 a.m. Wednesday morning.

This full text of next year’s Rush Week will be faxed on page 3 of this issue.