

Summer Upward Bound To Feature Internship, Control by Counselors

Sixty five high school students from the Chester area will take part in Swarthmore Upward Bound this summer. The major phase of the program will be pre-college orientation.

William Dorsey, a 1968 graduate of Swarthmore now studying for a doctorate in sociology at Berkeley will succeed John Morrow as Dean of Students. He will be assisted by Danny Nussbaum and thirteen counselors.

COUNSELORS

Swarthmore Upward Bound is unique in that it is almost exclusively run by the counselors. Counselors are responsible for hiring teachers, directing independent study and generally overseeing all activity. Prudence Brown, Barbara Skavinsky, John Stevens, and Alan Robin are returning from last summer's program. Pat Connell, Nolan Jones, Sheryl Sebastian, Karen Simmons and Paul Shechtman have been selected as new counselors.

The program, in its fourth year, will be totally residential for the first time, all sixty five students living on campus from Sunday evening to Friday afternoon. As of now three classes are scheduled for the morning with the remainder of the day set aside for interest groups, cultural programs, athletic activities and study halls.

The summer curriculum will be in two phases, one aimed at juniors and seniors who will be attending college and prep school in the fall and the other for younger students entering their sophomore and junior years in high school. Seven of

this year's Upward Bound seniors have received acceptances from colleges.

Edward Collins, vice principal at Chester's Douglass Junior High School will direct the curriculum. Three area teachers have also been chosen and seniors Ron Krall and George Harrison will serve as teacher-counselors in charge of the mathematics program.

Professors Bannister of the History Department and Blackburn, English, will teach a seminar on two evenings for college-bound seniors. They plan to take various important trials in American history and study the differing perspectives of the historian and the novelist. The Dred Scott decision is one trial that may be studied.

The professors plan to finish the seminar by assigning an independent project on a recent trial. The student's findings may be written from a historical and/or literary viewpoint. It is hoped that the course will provide an insight into the workings of the historian, the novelist and the American judicial system.

The program will also include a job internship in which students will be able to work in meaningful positions while still participating in the program's academic work. Attempts are being made to find jobs for students with newspapers, photography shops and science laboratories in the county.

Upward Bound is an outgrowth of the Swarthmore-Wade House Summer Study Program which was started in 1964. The budget for the first year was \$10,000 collected from interested students, faculty and members of the community. This year the program will work with \$112,331 of which \$87,397 is paid for by the Federal Office of Economic Opportunity. The College will provide the remaining twenty percent of the budget.