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A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Friend,

I am thrilled you are reviewing this information about the role and purpose of The Salvation Army's Evangeline Booth College. The college has been charged with serving the Southern Territory with a variety of ministry, leadership, and educational development resources and experiences. Our mission statement is "To equip 'Blood and Fire Salvationists' with the skills and experiences necessary to fulfill their calling from God to become effective Salvation Army officers." From our online AMP (Advancing Mission Preparedness) courses, to divisional, regional, and local workshops and seminars, to our two-year residential School for Officer Training, and our annual Officer Foundations week, we have something for every volunteer, employee, soldier, and officer of The Salvation Army. In other words, **we have something for YOU!**

"Blood and Fire Salvationism" is the DNA of our movement. It reminds us of our Salvation through the blood of Jesus, and our Sanctification through the Fire of the Holy Spirit. It reminds me of Moses' experience in Exodus chapter three, when God told him He was standing on Holy Ground as he received his calling to rescue the people of God from oppression and to lead them into the promised land. This College campus is holy ground because it is where men and women, Salvationists, receive and wrestle with their calling, and ultimately surrender themselves to God's will for their lives.

The resources and experiences offered at the Evangeline Booth College allow for continual growth and transformation as individuals travel along their paths of service, perhaps even including future candidacy, cadetship, and active officership. We invite you to come experience this Blood and Fire Salvationism for yourself. We promise, you'll never be the same.

Your calling is waiting, and we're ready for you!

Major Anthony Juliana
President/Principal





EQUIPPING **BLOOD AND FIRE** SALVATIONISTS SINCE 1927

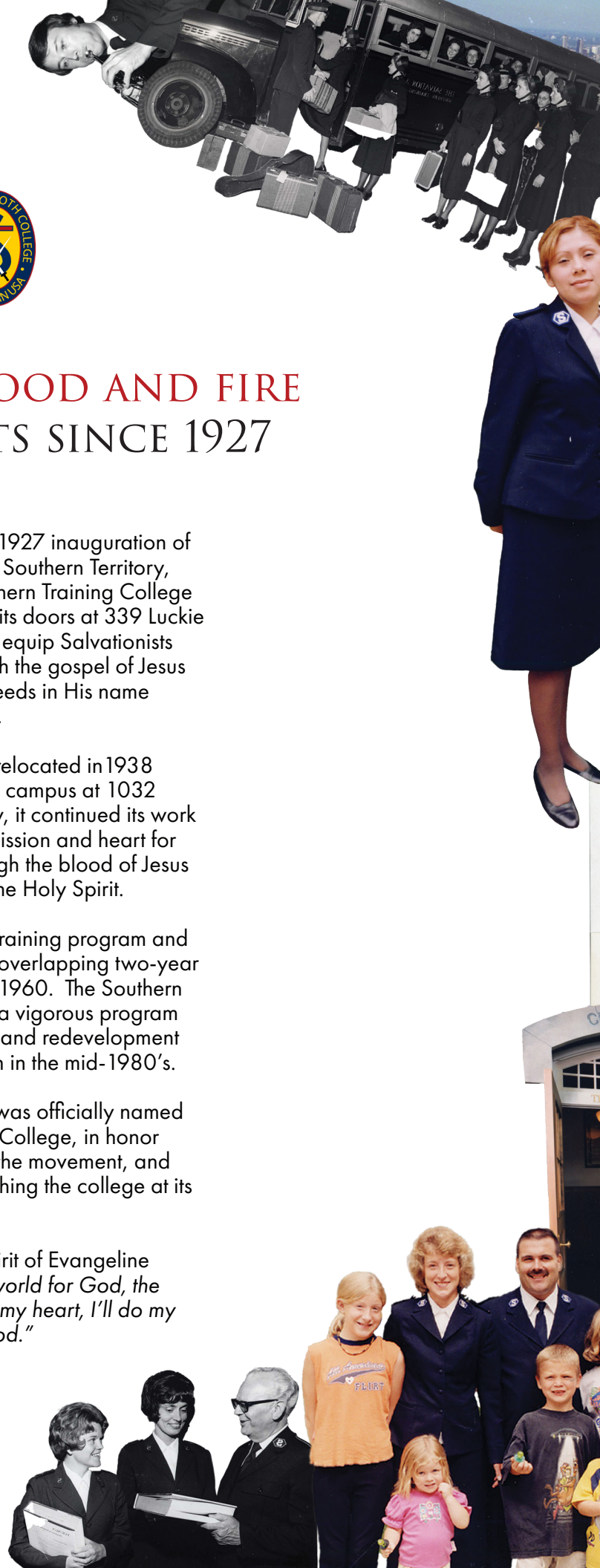
Upon the 1927 inauguration of the USA Southern Territory, the Southern Training College opened its doors at 339 Luckie Street to equip Salvationists to preach the gospel of Jesus and to meet human needs in His name without discrimination.

Although the college relocated in 1938 to the present 17-acre campus at 1032 Metropolitan Parkway, it continued its work instilling passion for mission and heart for service all done through the blood of Jesus Christ and the fire of the Holy Spirit.

The expansion of the training program and curriculum resulted in overlapping two-year sessions beginning in 1960. The Southern Territory commenced a vigorous program of campus expansion and redevelopment under a unified design in the mid-1980's.

In 2005, the college was officially named the Evangeline Booth College, in honor of her significance to the movement, and particularly in establishing the college at its present location.

We continue in the spirit of Evangeline Booth's words, *"The world for God, the world for God; I give my heart, I'll do my part. The world for God."*





ADMINISTRATION BUILDING



YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED
TO ATTEND THE
PRINCIPAL'S RECEPTION
IN HONOR OF THE CADETS
OF
THE "GOD'S MESSENGERS" SESSION
SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 1982
AT THE
SCHOOL FOR OFFICERS' TRAINING
1032 STEWART AVENUE, S.W.
ATLANTA, GEORGIA
2:30 PM

CENTRAL CORPS HALL
THE SALVATION ARMY

OUR HISTORY, THEN...

...AND NOW



POWELL ADMINISTRATION BUILDING



CHALLENGERS OF GRACE

EVANGELINE BOOTH COLLEGE
SCHOOL FOR OFFICER TRAINING
PRINCIPAL'S AWARD
to
Karim T. Shuaib II
Director of Business Services
2023
For an excellent spirit to succeed despite the
challenges of the marketplace
in embracing the service spirit of
Our Lord Jesus Christ
throughout the training experience



1927
FOUNDED



17
ACRES



241
MUSEUM
VISITORS



ALL 8
DIVISIONS
REPRESENTED



22
FACULTY

CALLED BY GOD

The Evangeline Booth College School for Officer Training equips Blood and Fire Salvationists with the skills and experiences necessary to fulfill their calling from God to become Salvation Army Officers while "DOING THE MOST GOOD." There are four Salvation Army Colleges across the United States, one per territory. The Evangeline Booth College services soldiers who become cadets from the entire Southern Territory.

Accreditation

We are in compliance with the requirements of the Nonpublic Postsecondary Education Commission of the State of Georgia.

A Diverse Community

Our cadets boast a variety of backgrounds from ged's to master's degrees.



What Does It Mean to be *Called by God*?

Discovering your calling from God is a personal and spiritual journey, and The Salvation Army framework offers guidance and structure for those who testify to having received this call.

Deliberate and thoughtful decision-making, along with prayer and mentorship, is crucial to embracing the call. As you navigate this process, reflect on your faith, motivations, and calling through prayer and conversation.



Cadets Ryan and Sarresa Thorson being fitted for their official officer portraits during the first week of training.

CAMPUS LIFE

While here, you'll experience unique education with top-notch facilities for good habit development and integrated learning, quick access to Atlanta's vibrant cultural scene, including theaters, museums, galleries, concert halls and more.

Chapel

Cadet chapel takes place three mornings a week. Here, cadets can practice planning a service, leading a congregation through preaching, leading songs, managing audio visuals, creating PowerPoints, orchestrating physical programs, sharing personal testimonies, reading Scripture and more.

Cadet Dining Room

Our Dining Room offers a variety of lunch and dinner options with healthy menu choices. Our weekly meals feature local and sustainable ingredients for a healthier planet.

Historical Center

The Salvation Army Historical Center is the official historical repository of the USA Southern Territory, featuring museum exhibits, territorial archives, and research services.

Family Life Center

No matter where you are in your parenting journey, our Family Life Center is equipped and ready to support and encourage children from birth through high school. The FLC takes individualized and personal assessments of each child to determine what will best help their overall development.

Evangeline Booth College's relationships with our partnering schools span across 30 years combined. Young children who aren't in school are taken care of by our wonderful FLC staff, and school-aged children are shuttled to and from school daily.

Our teen center is the perfect space to relax and have fun and has a pool table, meeting space, computer lab, games and more.

Housing

Cadets live on campus in fully furnished, apartment-style dorms suited to meet the needs of cadets in varying life stages.



g. Being located in Atlanta's Pittsburgh neighborhood provides an intimate, cozy atmosphere with

Library

The Hicks Memorial Library houses a vast collection of 22,000+ resources, including books, journals, and audio materials, along with computer and printing facilities. Cadets have access to computers, printers, and the virtual library GALILEO. Regular workshops on research and writing are available, and our helpful staff is here to support your research, editing, and writing endeavors.

Health and Wellness

We have a dedicated Nurse and Wellness Director committed to cadets and their families' well-being, offering medical advice for improved health during and after training. In your first year, each cadet undergoes a fitness assessment with the Wellness Director to set health goals. There are various opportunities to stay active, such as pickleball, basketball, bike club, and running club.

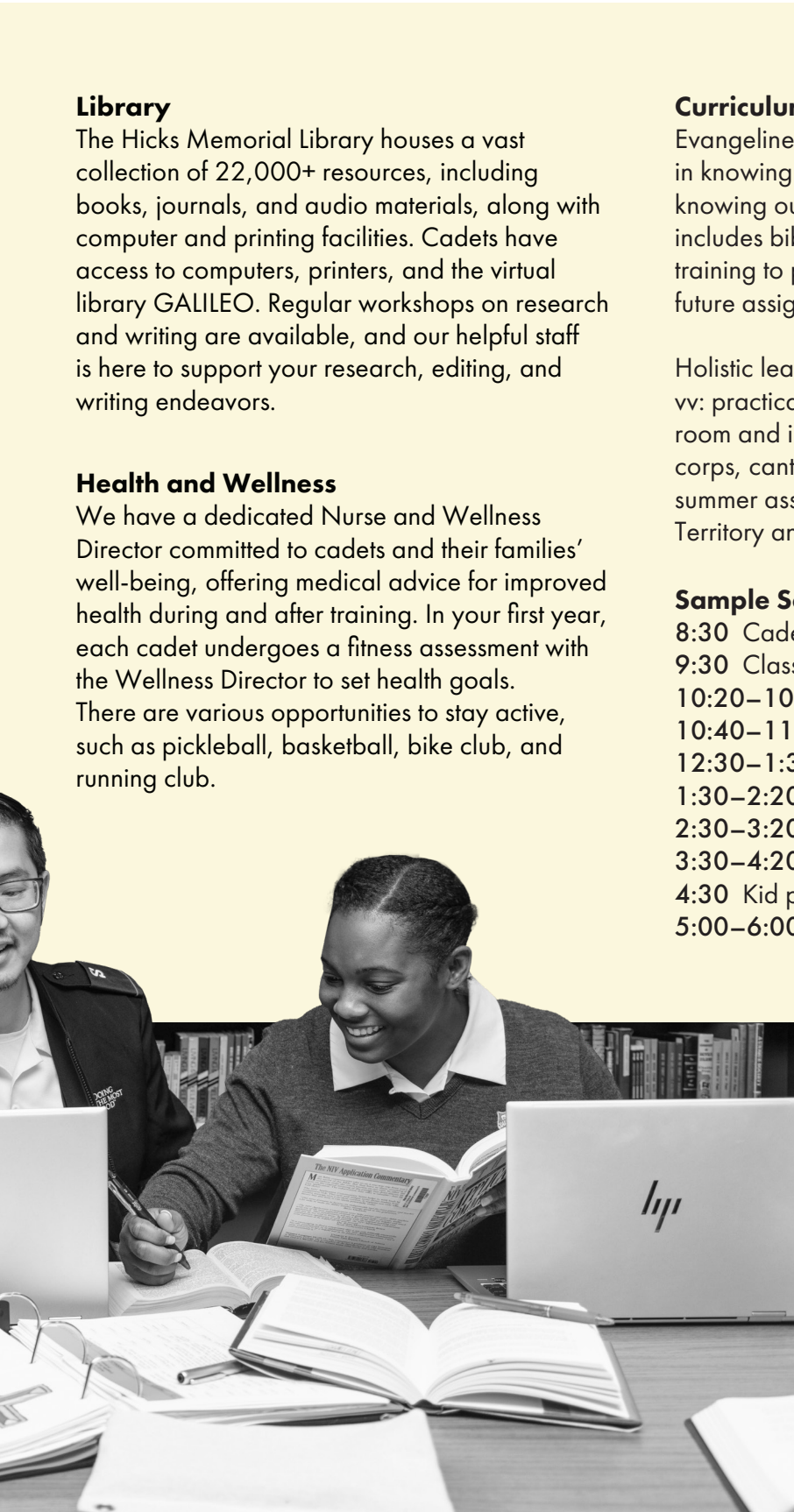
Curriculum

Evangeline Booth College guides cadets in knowing God, knowing themselves, and knowing our mission. Our holistic approach includes biblical studies and practical skills training to prepare cadets for operating their future assignments effectively.

Holistic learning and ministry opportunities vv: practical assignments both in the classroom and in the field, soldiering at local corps, canteen, cadet chapel, Christmas and summer assignments throughout the Southern Territory and more.

Sample Schedule

- 8:30 Cadet Chapel
- 9:30 Class (Doctrine)
- 10:20–10:40 Break
- 10:40–11:30 Homiletics
- 12:30–1:30 Lunch
- 1:30–2:20 Class (Ministry Skills)
- 2:30–3:20 Intensive Study
- 3:30–4:20 Class (Health and Wellness)
- 4:30 Kid pickup from Family Life Center
- 5:00–6:00 Dinner





YOUR TIME HERE

Over the course of your two years here, you'll be tested across 730 days receiving rigorous training to strengthen your dedication and fortitude towards fulfilling your calling. While the journey will be stretching, the final outcome is certain to be worth every ounce of effort.

For first-year cadets, the priority is foundational development in doctrine, leadership, and service. You will experience campaigns, serve our partners across Atlanta and support service opportunities in tandem with your classroom experience. To practice all that you've learned when your first year ends, each cadet embarks on a six-week summer assignment within the Southern Territory for real-life experience of what it is like to be a Salvation Army corps officer.

During your second year, the focus shifts to administration, presentation of sermons, and preparing you for your transition to officership. After two years of training, as a first-year Lieutenant, you will be sent to your first appointment – the start of a meaningful journey where you will fulfill your calling to full-time ministry.



730 Weekend

730 WEEKEND IS AN ANNUAL OPPORTUNITY TO EXPERIENCE LIFE AS A CADET AT EVANGELINE BOOTH COLLEGE.

During this weekend, you'll have an opportunity to ask current cadets questions about their lives and experiences, hear from local corps officers and current campus instructors, enjoy a campus tour, be encouraged by our time of Vespers, and put yourself in the shoes of a cadet by serving our community through a prayer walk or canteen service. 730 Weekend takes place twice a year, the first being our fall session filled with activities, q&a's and more. Our spring session often serves as a more reserved, focused opportunity to help soldiers determine if God truly is calling them into officership.

IN THE FIELD



Commissioning and Beyond

At the end of your two-year journey, there's so much that awaits you! As a newly-commissioned Lieutenant, you'll work closely with us in a five-year continuum to further enhance your capacity and enthusiasm to serve others.

Degree Information

There are two degree programs offered at Evangeline Booth College. Cadets can either pursue an associates degree or a bachelor's degree. We partner with Trevecca Nazarene University where credits received from Evangeline Booth College are transferable and can be applied to further degree pursuits.

From Candidate to Cadet

Applying to Evangeline Booth College is unique because application deadlines are based on seasons, not specific dates. While the process may vary for each individual, you'll land where you're supposed to be in the end.

730 WEEKEND

FALL



A dedicated time to immerse in cadet life



Begin the application process with your DC; take your AMP courses

NEXT STEPS

How to Apply

Submit your application via the 730 Weekend Application portal, or via paper document provided to you by your corps leader and pay the \$25 application fee. Application fees may be waived for eligible applicants.

Financial Aid

During the application process, candidates work with their division on completing a cadet budget. During this process the division will work with the candidate on any available financial aid.

We are excited to help you on your path to officership and service within The Salvation Army. In addition to your corps officer, our staff are available to answer whatever questions you may have. Email us today at ebcinfo@uss.salvationarmy.org to learn more.

On the Fence?



Take the "Am I A Candidate" quiz today!



WINTER



Submit your documentation

730 WEEKEND
(SPRING EDITION)



A slower-paced immersion into cadet life to clarify the call

SUMMER



Finalize outstanding paperwork and confirm lodging

ENROLLING
FALL



Arrive on campus and begin your 730 days towards officership



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Cadet
Danielle Farrington

Cadet
Chelsea Carter

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Cadet
Danielle Farrington



Women of the
Champions of the
Mission.

My Covenant

CALLED BY GOD

to proclaim the Gospel of our Lord and
Savior Jesus Christ as an Officer of The Salvation Army

I BIND MYSELF TO HIM IN THIS SOLEMN COVENANT

To Love and serve Him supremely all my days;
To Live to win souls and make their salvation the first purpose of my life;
To Care for the poor, feed the hungry, clothe the naked, love the
unloved, and befriend those who have no friends;
To Maintain the doctrines and principles of The Salvation Army
and, by God's grace, to prove myself a worthy Officer.
Done in the strength of my Lord and Savior, and in the presence of the
Territorial Commander, the Training Staff, and fellow cadets.



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