Life on campus — We’ve got it good!

The residents of Georgia Tech residence halls have never had it better. Techwood has finally been granted its wish — A/C — installed this past summer. Now, almost all the residence halls are equipped for those sweltering hot Atlanta days. But it took quite a while for the campus to get this way. The first air conditioning unit wasn’t installed until the summer of 1965. Perry was the lucky recipient that time. But before that ... things were radically different.

Between 1900 and 1920, a small book existed entitled Regulations for Students. Included were thirty-seven rules governing all aspects of the students’ life. One of those aspects was residence halls, more commonly known as dormitories. Wake-up was at 6:15 am promptly every morning, except Sunday, of course, which was at 7:15 am. Next came inspection every morning, including Sundays. Floors had to be swept, beds made, and the rooms were to be neat and tidy. And you thought the RA checking your room once or twice a quarter to make sure you only had one refrigerator in there was harsh!

At the other end of the day, the lights out alarm sounded at 10:30 pm. Imagine life without our favorites — David Letterman, Jay Leno and Arsenio Hall. During the day was another story too. Want to see your family, your sweetheart or just take off to unwind at the end of the day with a group of your best friends? That could only happen if you were fortunate enough to obtain a “leave” privilege. Also, they just didn’t do all the fun things we expect today. Those wild women of Glenn are setting their sites on Paris. Residents of Woodruff, both North and South, have their annual ski trip. Area II residents are off to find all corners of Atlanta from Whitewaters to Stone Mountain to Six Flags. One thing Tech was big on back then was football. These days, Folk’carries on that tradition by being the only residence hall to receive flashcards.

Speaking of traditions, Towers has started their own with the BARE ASS 500. Several other new traditions have also found their roots. Those infamous Woodruff fire alarms anytime and all the time are just an example. The results of a campus wide residence hall survey are in and here are the winners. PJ’s has been voted as Atlanta’s best pub, basketball is our favorite sport, and “Days Of Our Lives” is our favorite soap. The best concert around was the Rolling Stones which had east campus rocking and, as our favorite comic strip — well, there was a toss up between “The Far Side” and “Bloom County.”

Exciting events are going on lately and not just because our RA’s and AAC’s are twisting our arms. We’re visiting museums, cooking new-fangled recipes and helping those less fortunate than ourselves — although that doesn’t leave too many people since we are, after all, college students. We’re also more aware of the environment we live in. Don’t act surprised, we’ve all seen those recycling collection points for glass, plastic and paper. But most important is that we’ve met a lot of new people and made many new friendships without whom all those study breaks just wouldn’t be the same.

Yes, dorm life is wild and wonderful. We’ve come a long way from the early 1900’s and just as well — it’s only a decade away from the year 2000. But there is still one issue left to be resolved — will there ever come a time when we can all park next to our hall? We may never know.
Just passing time . . .
Study, study, and ... laundry.
Area II

Top Eleven (not Ten) Reasons To Live In Area II.

11. Our Hall Council has more money than anyone else’s!
10. The name.
9. Within crawling distance of Third Street pub.
8. I didn’t know any better.
7. All that parking!
6. I can’t cook.
5. We don’t have an ARA cafeteria.
4. Because of Hopkins.
3. There is no Area III.
2. We can watch the C&S Tower turn.
1. Because it reminds me of Stonehenge!

Armstrong

During the past year Armstrong, the school’s smallest male residence hall, greatly improved the quality of life for its residents. Armstrong finished second in RHA Week and Homecoming Week, and hosted the very successful first Armstrong Open Golf Tournament in the lovely Burger Bowl Hills. Athletic teams excelled in all areas including a championship volleyball team and a second place football team. Armstrong also held the prestigious Vanderhaus Cup for three years running, and has also sent representatives to the 1988 Olympics in this field. Academically, Armstrong claims an average GPA of 3.5 on all its residents’ resumes. The active efforts of a large doughnut sale provided funds for thirty residents to visit the Physics Physiques Pose-Off in St. Croix the Virgin Islands. Openings are limited reserve your space in Armstrong now. (Who needs a top ten list?)

From top left to bottom right: Mike “Eaglet” Holman, Jody Sobczak, John Snider, Casey D. Bruce, Butch Ceiler, Tim Williams, Scott Webb, Michael Buchberg, Andy Holland, Kevin Hallerty, David Rogers, Jeff “Tooz” Coble, Keith Johnston, Bob Kahlscheuer, David Hickin, Brent Zelnak, Gary Moore, David Kipp, Sam Gorron, Chris Carter, Soup, Bill Dunmon, Jason Griffin, Scott Mason, Phil Osophy, Jeffery Teasley, John Rone, Joe Schuch, Javier Hernandez.
Caldwell

Welcome to Caldwell: Cheapest housing inside the perimeter, and worth every penny . . . Ether . . . Jim, quit ringing that bell . . . who took the eight ball? . . . Greg and Ed, the best father-son team . . . Ricky, your car's on fire . . . Don't worry, I'm NOT an Eagle Scout . . . Victor, the next Ralph Lauren . . . I'm not gonna mention any names . . . there was a girl in here and nobody told me? . . . Beau's Indonesian Gifts . . . Microwave, what microwave? . . . it was a pool stick, once . . . I don't want to know anything about it . . . D.T., a true legend . . . we hit that machine as hard as we could, and the glass still didn't break . . . but I don't want a Diet Coke . . . cold shower — what a surprise . . . no, the ice machine STILL doesn't work . . . I can do anything I want, who's gonna bust me? . . . RA, what RA? . . . How 'bout them Hawks . . . Guido the killer pimp . . . of course, if I don't see it, I can't possibly enforce it . . . It's on the way, Shenin, I promise — Oh, hi Dawn! . . . I promise, I'm not with the rowing club . . . the soccer team will have a practice, eventually . . . don't give me a hard time, I can greensheet you till you puke . . . keg, what keg? . . . the world's most original Christmas tree . . . zoom, schwartz, perfigliano . . . anybody wanna be Hall Council president? well, Ed's not here . . . yes, Bob, there is a Santa Claus . . . if there's a water fight, I expect to be involved . . . it couldn't possibly be Fred's fault . . . yes, the guy uses it, Ed . . . pool shark Sammy . . . it needs to be in by 10 a.m. Friday or she castrates me . . . bottoms up!

From top left to bottom right: J. Todd Fitzgerald, Scott Brandes, Chris Poole, Shannon Pilcher, Jan Braam, Jeff Rice, Eric Panning, Edward Neal, Jon Holmes, Andy Rentz, Rickey Matthews, Glenn Williams, Thom Akins, Brent Langford, Snehal Shah, Patrick Brock, Mark Drewry, Bill Rodgers, Donald Nuckolls, Brent Bryan, Joel Johnson, Brian Niece, Jonas E. Barlow, David Cunnold, Allen McCarley, Shawn Willis, Larry Steven Swafford, Fred Flintstone, Gus Demetriades, Jay Johnson, Jim Burt.
Top 10 Reasons To Live In Cloudman

1. No ugly girls live in Cloudman.
2. Top quality carpets which absorb any and all substances, and yet never lose their fun-loving colors.
3. Late Night Entertainment courtesy of extremely loud and effective fire alarms.
4. Fire extinguishers with the break-glass hammers resting safely behind the glass enclosures, Hit it, Anton!
5. Being able to throw an assortment of fruits, eggs, vegetables, water balloons, portable electronics, couches, recliners, desks, and much, much more, off a 3½-story tower.
6. Communal showers add that certain something to hall closeness.
7. Getting to sleep on a loft bed that's 5½ feet off a carpeted concrete floor. Yikes!
8. That great Cloudman sport's motto: "Just show up and play!"
9. Prime Time viewing into Glenn room windows.
10. The enviable location for the appreciation of early Saturday morning rehearsals of the World's Most Dangerous Marching Band.

From top left to bottom right: Hiroki Idonama, Michael Lloyd, Scott Bohanan, Alan Whiter, Spaceman Spiff, Jason K. Smith, Camran Dibai, Kevin L. Buchanan, David C. Purinton, Frank Young, Mike Maxwell, Brendan Perry, James Liang, Tim Groves, P. Warren Schultz, Wade George, Mike Martin, Kirk Deas, Tom Murphy, Houston Iby, Robert L. Byers, Sean Davison, Reid Matthews, Andrew J. Gomez, John Andrew, Patrick Sun, Stu Greenbaum, Sean O'Hanlon, Jose E. Calderon, Manuel Torres, Eric Garris, Dan Hince, Scott Carter, Scott Bryant, Gavin Hulme, Don Walters.
The year 1990 will forever be remembered as the time Fitten came of age as a residence hall, a cultural hotspot, and a place where chivalry was not forgotten. This is, of course, due to the fact that Fitten is the only all graduate student, co-ed residence hall on campus.

Due to the efforts of more than our fair share of future world leaders, the newly formed Hall Council prospered and grew at an exponential rate. Functions such as the hallowed Halloween party provided a well deserved outlet for all residents. The atomic punch was a hit with everyone; even the Georgia Tech Police liked it. Also, if it had not been for Kevin Bryant of the AA, Hall Council would have been able to provide block seating for the basketball games.

Even intramurals flourished under the direction of the properly conditioned graduate athletes. The football team, known as The Flying *** from Fitten Hall, was led on offense by a wide-out nicknamed "The Terminator." After several injury riddled games, an ambulance was kept on stand-by for all of Fitten's opposition.

We hope that the fine precedents set by Fitten in 1990 will continue to stay with the Hall throughout the new decade and into the next century. Eat right, take vitamins, drink a beer, and try to study.

Folk Residence Hall remains the most active hall council on campus. Although its budget is small compared to other halls, Folk offers some of the most extensive programming at Tech. Current and past events include the West Campus Volleyball Pit, the Slam Dunk Contest, Bobby Cremins Appreciation Day, and the largest flashcard section of any organization at football games. Besides programming, Folk has consistently provided top teams in all intramural sports with many teams competing in the school play-offs. The combination of these endeavors and Folk’s consistent first place finishes in Homecoming and RHA weeks is what makes Folk the reigning three-time RHA champions.

*From top left to bottom right: Craig Graham, Paul Cassady, Bryan Acree, Anthony Spaduzzi, Johnathan C. Davis, Scott Culpepper, Howie Bruce, Bubba Gibbs, Chris Miranda, Charles Corn, Justin Tracy, Michael Hampson, Mace, Gary Gray, Joe Kellman, David Glantzberg, Thomas Rainey, Alan McKenzie, J. J. Knitis, Greg Schwartz, Jae Kim, Scott McKinley, David R. Carrel, Jason Green, J. P. Cuzzort, Clay Dempsey, Dalton V. Richards, Marc Chester, Kevin Cargill, John Bure, Tom Derricks, Greg Thompson, Allen Dees, Chuck Wilson, Craig Olson, Chris Bishop, Stouf, Bert Palmer, Anthony Priest.*
FreeMont and Fulmer residence halls are excellent places to live. The most exciting feature for the males is that they are outnumbered two to one by females. We are far enough away from mid-campus to have some needed peace and quiet, but close enough to get involved in campus activities. We're a close-knit group with a very active Hall Council and a superb group of RA's. Some of our favorite activities are Pizza Parties during dead week, hosting a Spring Party in the Burger Bowl, resident get-togethers for all major holidays, and Casino Night. Our AAC, Teresa, keeps us in line and all things running smoothly. Basically, we have a wonderful group of people who like to have a great time with each other. We wouldn't want to live anywhere else!

Glenn

Glenn is the largest female residence hall at Georgia Tech, housing 336 students. Through a very strong Hall Council and Resident Assistant Staff, the Glenn women stay active. They enjoy activities such as the Towers-Glenn Tuck-In, seasonal parties, educational seminars, RHA Week, and many other hall-sponsored programs.

From top left to bottom right: Kristen Hardeman, Elisabeth Munsey, Marlene Lou, Christy Darden, Wendy Davis, Karina Zaveri, Lorieen Brock, Juli Oh, Tracy Freeman.
Brown, Harris, Howell

Brown, Harris and Howell, commonly referred to as BH2, is an active and exciting area of campus. The Hall Council of BH2 is always busy planning events and programs. We had our annual Halloween party held in Harris with prizes for the best costume. A Mardi Gras party, tie die party and study breaks were also planned. BH2's 326 residents make it a fun place to live. Howell was renovated last summer and looks great. Everyone is very impressed with the new look.

Hefner, a distinguished member of Tech Estates, has a deep and rich tradition flowing through its halls with new carpet, new air conditioners, and new paint. Besides the TV room overflowing with third and fourth place intramural trophies, Hefner also has consistently participated in homecoming and RHA Week events. Our motto, "Just give us the points" describes us the best. Hefner residents' other philosophies include ... "No pain, no gain" and "Women, can't live with them, pass the beer nuts." Yes, residents of Hefner are proud to say "I am a student at Georgia Tech."

The Ten Best Reasons For Living In Smith . . .

1. It beats dying in Smith.
2. (fill in your excuse here)
3. AIR CONDITIONING??? REAL men don't need air conditioning.
4. Techwood blocks the bullets.
5. No need to fight for a low lottery number.
6. Sit on roof. See Mick.
7. Overlooks Howell beach.
8. Close to CHEZ JUNIOR'S.
9. Friendly and efficient staff. (they paid us to say this)
10. It's always Miller time.

From top left to bottom right: Danimal Benton, Tim Flanagan, Tim Cooper, Jaime Cham, Steve Jones, Philip "GS" McDonald, Brian Davis, Carl Hartshfield, Rudolph M. Ohme III, Bob McCarthy, Pete Gess, Jechun Chio, Durwood Graddy, Carlos Miranda, Justin Parker, Peter Davidson, Kenneth Dodson, David Bergeron, John M. Dahl, Jordy Nichols, Jason Duffer, Haoshen Hsu, Seth Wheeler, Winn Borras, Adam Hazell, Cary Cook, Lee Hendricks, Miller Templeton, Robert Berry, Bobby Bramlett, Abhijit Bhattacharya, Jay Cha, John Shedd.
We apologize for the apparent brevity and general obnoxiousness of the following; however, as of this writing and after much deliberation, we at Techwood sincerely believe that this slogan correctly describes the attitude of our residents and one which we would like to convey to the other residence halls and to the rest of the Georgia Tech community.

TECHWOOD!! What more can we say?

Towers-Harrison, "Where you don't have to be dead to be stiff," proudly presents The Top Ten Events For 1989-1990 . . .

10. Safety Awareness Week.
8. Bare Ass 500.
7. Trick or Treat; "Hey little girl, want a piece of candy . . .?"
6. Cable, thank God, is finally here!
5. "Watch out for the girls next door!"
4. Big Mo's "brief" meetings.
3. Elections, elections, elections.
1. Constitution, constitution, constitution!!!

Woodruff, fire alarms, facilities for the physically challenged, fake co-ed, expensive cafeteria, semi-private bathroom, four person suites, straight and crooked, W from the sky, M the other way, athletes, presidential scholars, men watching women's closed curtains, women watching men play volleyball, fish-bowl study lounges, women closing any and all curtains (especially in the study lounges), "An Exclusive Adult Community On The Far Side," attitude, lots of attitude, the men of suite 510.

The primary goal of the Department of Housing is to enhance the educational experience of our residents. The purpose of the program is to work with residents to create safe conditions for the students, faculty and staff living and working in the areas of residence hall housing, and to make sure that each resident’s experience is as pleasant as possible.

From top left to bottom right: Valerie Jersey, Mary Ariel, Gary Schwartzmueller, Russell Earnest, John Campbell, Abby Jay, Jerie McTyre, Page King, Laurie Furr, Deborah Rafe, Kathy Griffin, Mary Dee Boemker, Maureen Gagnon, Theresa Johnson.

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