Fall Dean’s List Total Highest In Rice History

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The news isn’t all bad. Out of a total undergraduate enrollment of, approximately, 1569, the fall Dean’s List claimed 222 members, or 14.1% of the student body.

This number, according to Mr. McEnany, registrar of Rice University, is the highest (by two) in Rice’s history, almost double the number of Dean’s Listers from the same period last year, 117.

BUT ON to the statistics that appeal to morbid curiosity. The total number of persons on scholastic probation of some sort this year totaled 137, or 8.69% of the student body.

On first probation were 114, compared to 107 last year; and on second probation, 23, compared to 22 last year.

Twenty-nine persons, 1.85% of the student body was required to withdraw, while the total number of withdrawals this year for “all reasons” totaled 77, or 4.9% of the student body.

Mr. McEnany pointed out that the totals were not as high as general campus opinion would have it.

In the freshman class specifically, 73 of a class total of 455, 16%, were on Scholastic Probation, while 34, or 7.45%, were on the Dean’s List.

The following break-down of sectors of the freshman class with respect to numbers on scho-pro could provide an interesting insight. Of 23 Architects, seven or 23% went on Pro.

Of 176 Academic students, 21 or 12% went on Pro.
Of 217 Science Engineers, 32 or 14.7% were on Pro. Of 23 Commerce freshmen, 10, or 31.2% went on Pro. And of 7 P.E. freshmen, two or 28.6% met the same fate.

At this writing, reports from the colleges are not available.