

● Planning and Management Agency

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"What is the ESS?" To this question, what would you answer? Or, perhaps, many of you were asked this kind of question at the very beginning of April, at the so called invitation period. Then, what was your answer?

For one thing, you might answer, "of course it is the circle in which all the members can enjoy themselves in various activities with a use of English." "So in order to enjoy", you might continue, "some hard training of English is necessary. In this sence, our club life is attended with a kind of severeness".

Yes, you are quite right. But are these all true to our society as it is? Are there any differences between what you desire and what you see or between what it should be and what it is? I am sure there are. For some members, participation to activities is a mere obligation. Anything wrong with the activity itself? It is the ESS where we debate or discuss several problems and make speeches in English.

Do you take a wrong circle? Again, what is the ESS? It is the circle composed by each one of you who wishes to be a good command of English for a certain purpose of your own.

Then, aren't you a part of ESS?

Yes, you are! ESS is you, yourself! so naturally, "what ESS should be" is nothing but "what you should do for yourself".

As the slogan of WESS'69, "Forward, little by little through English!" symbolizes, we have tried to tackle many difficulties facing with the Campus disputes. And when we look back upon the past days, we can find ourselves going at a snails-pace, yet ahead step by step through many discussions and committee meetings.

Now I conclude that the English activities are the life of our society and which shall never be given up in any difficult situation.

TRACE OF ACTIVITIES '69

*April	19	TIDL Home to Home (vs Tokyo W.C.C.)
	20	Welcome Meeting & lecture by Mr. Togo
	23	Discussion with Kansai Univ.
	27,29	ISA All Japan Debate
*May	2	TIDL (vs Nihon Univ.)
	3	ISA Welcome Discussion
	6.7.8.	Oral Interpretation Contest (Elimination)
	9	TIDL Model Debate
	10	Oral Interpretation Contest (Final)

	11	Bus Trip
	14	Orientation for Drama
	17	TIDL (vs Dokkyo Univ.)
	18	ISA (final)
	19	Lecture by Mr. Mann
	20	TIDL (vs MESS)
	21	All Waseda Discussion
	22	Junior Discussion with Japan Women's Univ.
	24	Four Univ. Freshman Dis.
	27,28	All Waseda Speech Contest (Elimination)
	30	All Waseda Speech Contest (Final)
*June	2—7	Kansai Expedition
	12.13	TIDL Championship Debate (Waseda Elimination)
	16	Four Univ. Junior Speech
	17	Dance
	28	General Meeting
	29	All Japan Speech Contest (Mainichi Trophy)
*July	2	Orientation for Summer Camp
	5.6.	TIDL Championship Debate (final)
	28	Orientation for Summer Camp
	30 Aug. 4	Summer Camp
*September	13.14	IEC All Japan Debate
	20	Waseda Keio Speech Contest
*October	5	Four Univ. Drama Joint Rehearsal
	10	Inter H.M. Junior Debate
	12	11th Inter H.M. Debating Contest
	20	Discussion with Ritsumeikan
	24.25.	Drama Camp
*November	7.8.11.	All Waseda Speech Contest (Elimination)
	15	All Waseda Speech Contest (Final)
	20	Last Stage Rehearsal
	21—23	Drama Performance
	22	East-West 6 Univ. English Oratorical Contest
	29	Drama Performance in Waseda Festival International Section, Friendly Meeting
	30	Sophia Invitational Debating Tournament (Elimination)
*December	3	Sophia Invitational Debating Tournament (Final)
	5	All Waseda Discussion
	6	Junior Discussion with Tsuda School of Business
	13	All Kanto Speech Contest
	22	JIDL Discussion

MANAGING STAFF IN 1969

Executive Committee

Chairman	Naoto Miyamoto	Treasurer	Kenzo Ohkubo
Vice Chairman	Yukio Ishikawa	(Assistant)	Etsuko Hamada
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(Assistant)	Yoko Nogami	men Agency	Akira Ueki
		(Assistant)	Akihiko Tanimura

Selections

Audio Visual Aids.	*Hideaki Mizuo Shinya Tomioka Kenichi Yamakawa	Home Meeting ...	*Yoichi Kobayashi Yuriko Tsunekawa Kilichi Ono
Debate	*Tomozo Hiroki Kyoichi Ohashi Yasuko Kobayashi Kyoko Seyama Yuichi Kojima	International	*Setsunobu Takubo
Discussion	*Eiichi Matsuzaka Yukiko Matsune	Public Relations .	*Nobuhiro Matsui
Drama	*Hiroshi Tanaka Takayuki Takahashi Takashi Matsuura Noriyuki Uchida	Recreation	*Tatsuo Wakatsuki Etsuko Sato
Tohmonkai		Study	*Tatsuya Toyama Mitsue Ohmori
Delegate to Cultural Federation		Speech	*Takeshi Suzuki Toshikatsu Ishizaki
Delegate to 4 Univ. ESS Association			
Delegate to ISA			
Advisor			*Toshio Okada *Ken Fukuda Junichi Koyama *Hitoshi Suzuki *Takao Ohkuma Tamotsu Ikeda
			Prof. Katsumi Ito

A MEMBER LISTS TELLS

	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Senior	Total
Akihabara	33	17	10	7	67
Koenji	36	18	10	10	74
Shibuya	21	18	11	9	59
Shinjuku	53	16	11	7	67
Mejiro	30	20	9	6	65
Johoku	29	18	11	9	67
Yokohama	21	18	12	5	56
	203	125	74	53	455
Literature	29	20	12	10	71
Education	25	12	7	4	48
Law	36	23	13	13	85
Commerce	53	30	18	12	113
Politics & Economics	44	22	15	11	92
Science & Engineering	16	17	8	3	44
Social Science	0	1	1	0	2
	203	125	74	53	455