

Freshman Girls To Be Feted At Non-Rush Parties

Since the policy of second semester rush is being inaugurated during the 1958-59 school year, the eight Rice Institute literary societies are using the weekends of Sept. 20-21, and Sept. 27-28 to see that all new freshmen girls get acquainted with the literary societies and their members.

The welcoming parties will be divided into two sections, 2:00-3:00 pm and 4:30 pm. New women students will be invited alphabetically, fifty per cent to each section. A standard mimeographed R.S.V.P. will be available in the Office of the Adviser to women. All those planning to attend the welcoming parties are urged to fill one out and place it in the appropriate literary society box in the Adviser to Women's office.

The Pallas Athene and Elizabeth Baldwin Literary Societies will have the first welcoming parties on the afternoon of Sept. 20. The Mary Ellen Lovett and Owen Wister Literary Societies will have their parties Sept. 21. The following weekend the Virginia Cleveland and Sarah Lane Literary Societies, on Sept. 27, and Olga Keith and Chaille Rice Literary Societies, on Sept. 28, plan their parties. All these are open-house parties.

Official rush does not begin until Feb. 7, 1959. There will be two rounds of rush, ending Feb. 23. Only those freshmen girls in good academic standing, (not on probation) will be eligible to go through rush. However, a girl is eligible to attend rush the semester she goes off probation.

Copies of the new rush rules are available in the Office of the Adviser to Women.