

# Residence Hall History at JMU

## 1969 — 1983



### Chappelear Hall

Named for the former head of the Biology and Agriculture department, George W. Chappelear. The Hall opened in 1968 and is one of the nine Village residences.

### Dingledine Hall

Named for Agness Dingledine, former housemother with the nickname "Mama Ding." The Hall opened in 1968 and is one of the nine Village residences.

### Hanson Hall

Named for Geography professor Raus M. Hanson, the Hall opened in 1968 and is one of the nine Village residences.

1968

1973

### White Hall

Last constructed Village residence erected in 1973. Named for a 1925 alumna, Helen Mugler White who was also a member of the school's Board of Visitors.

1974



### Chandler Hall

Constructed by Newman Lake in 1974, the Hall housed 230 students. Named for Wallace L. Chandler who was a member of the school's Board of Visitors.

1982



### Bell Hall

One of three eventual residences located on the Hillside Area of campus. The Hall opened in 1982 and is named after Francis Bell Jr., a local banker and member of the school's Board of Visitors.

### Garber Hall

The Hall opened in 1969 and is named after Dorothy Garber, former teacher and Dean of



Women in the 1940s and 50s. Garber Hall is located in the Village Area.

### Eagle Hall

Built in 1970 as a men's hall above Newman lake, its namesake was Education professor Alfred Eagle.

### Weaver Hall

Built in 1971 as one of the nine Village residences. Named in honor of local attorney and member of the school's Board of Visitors, Russell M. Weaver.



### Ikenberry Hall

The Hall opened in 1972, and is one of the nine Village residences. Its namesakes are Dr. J. Emmet Ikenberry and his wife Katherine, former Vice President for Academic Affairs and a member of the English faculty, respectfully.

### Greek Row & Treehouses

This cluster of buildings housed both sororities and fraternities when it first opened in 1978. Since then, the complex has been expanded, and several of the buildings were converted to residence halls called the "Treehouses," after fraternities moved off campus.

