



"What about Nutrition?"

Don't forget to attend "What about Nutrition?," a day-long seminar Saturday, April 7, in Room 506 of Med Ed I. Sponsored by Sigma Sigma Phi and the Office of Continuing Medical Education, the seminar will feature three NTSU/TCOM faculty members: Dr. Stevan Cordas, clinical assistant professor of medicine; Dr. James Marshall, associate professor of pediatrics; and Dr. Irwin Schussler, associate professor of psychiatry.

Dr. Jaime Davidson, medicine instructor at the University of Texas Health Science Center at Dallas/Southwestern Medical School; Dr. Ivan Danhof, professor of physiology at Southwestern; and Dr. John Locke, internal medicine consultant to Grand Prairie Community Hospital and Hurst General Hospital, also will speak at the seminar.

Topics on the agenda include neonatal nutrition, hyperalimentation, the importance of nutrition in diabetes, anorexia nervosa, obesity and fad diets and modern methods of understanding food and tolerance.

The seminar qualifies for 6.5 hours of continuing medical education credits in either Category 1-A of the American Osteopathic Association or Category 2 of the American Medical Association.

Registration is free to the NTSU/TCOM community, \$40 for other physicians and \$20 for non-physicians. For more information, call Nancy Smith, 735-2539.

S/Ds win national SOMA offices

George Cowan, first-year student, was recently elected national vice president of the Student Osteopathic Medical Association at its annual meeting in Denver, Colorado. Cowan currently is serving as vice president of NTSU/TCOM's SOMA chapter.

Student-doctors Gary Polk, chapter president, and Ann Williams, national SOMA delegate, also attended the convention.

S/D Williams was elected to the board of the SOMA Foundation, a non-profit organization which offers preceptorship programs, student research scholarships and internship evaluation guides.

Her primary responsibility will be to aid in seeking funds for Project SOMA (Student Overseas Medical Assistants), she said. "The project provides money to send student-doctors abroad to study with D.O.s," she explained. Persons interested in donating to the project may contact Ann at 338-0116.

NTSU/TCOM to participate in health exhibits

Be sure to visit NTSU/TCOM's exhibit in honor of the Year of the Child at Ridgmar Mall Saturday, April 7, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

"The theme of the booth is normal growth and development of pre-school children," Dr. Virginia Ellis, coordinator of the exhibit, said.

Student-doctors will operate the booth, handing out literature and weighing and measuring children. A nurse from the public health department will be on hand with literature on behavioral problems, courtesy of Ross Laboratories.

Student-doctors also will be representing the college at "Health Fare," sponsored by the County Extension Service, in Town Hall at Seminary South April 18.

They will distribute literature about the school and provide glaucoma screening.

The "fare" also will include "Dietcheck," a computerized evaluation of individual eating habits.

A representative of the American Dietetic Association, called "Nutribird," also will be available to give advice on proper nutrition. Marilyn Haggard, a nutrition expert from Texas A&M, will add her expertise to the operation.

Police hit the bull's-eye

The results are in! NTSU/TCOM's police department ranked exceptionally high on its twice-yearly shooting examinations taken recently at Carswell Air Force Base.

Chief Don Beeson, Sgt. Glen Elder and Patrolman Eddie Sanders qualified as expert marksmen. Sgt. Jack Pack and patrol officers Lonetta Wallace, Lee Montoya, James Meinen, Olen Petty and Gene Bartoo received the rank of sharp shooter.

Coming soon: a race and running seminar!

The Annual A.T. Still Memorial-San Jacinto Day Run and Seminar are scheduled for April 20 and 21.

The seminar will be April 20 from 4:30 to 9:45 p.m., and will include a banquet. Dr. Charles Ogilvie, chairman of medical humanities; Dr. Ivan Danhof, associate professor of physiology at Southwestern Medical School; Dr. John Kauzlarich, assistant director of the Rehabilitation/Sports Medicine Clinic; and Dr. Thaddeus Kostrubala, author of **The Joy of Running**, will discuss various aspects of running.

The seminar qualifies for 3 hours of continuing medical education credits in either Category 1-A of the American Osteopathic Association or Category 2 of the American Medical Association.

The 6-mile run will begin April 21 at 10 a.m. at the Duckpond in Trinity Park. An alternate 3-mile course also will be available.

The seminar and run, sponsored by the Atlas Club and the Office of Continuing Medical Education, are dedicated to Andrew Taylor Still, the founder of osteopathic medicine, and Sam Houston, leader of the Texas army at the San Jacinto battle in the Texas War for Independence.

Registration for the seminar, including a fee for the banquet, is \$25 for physicians, \$15 for non-physicians and \$5 for students and their spouses. Registration for the run is \$10 for physicians and faculty, \$5 for students and other eligible runners.

The deadline for registration is April 18.

For more information, call Nancy Smith, 735-2539.

Show some school spirit!

NTSU/TCOM's coed softball team, the Cadavers, will be playing the Armouredillos April 11 at 9:30 p.m. at Oakland Field. Show your support by showing up and rooting! For directions, call 735-2334 and ask for The Coach—better known as Dr. Tom Yorio, assistant professor of pharmacology.

Yearbook order deadline approaches

This year's edition of **Speculum**, NTSU/TCOM's yearbook, must be ordered prior to April 30 for delivery by the fall semester, according to Laurie Wayman, student services.

A \$20 fee for each yearbook ordered must be paid in advance, she said. A name may be embossed on the face of the book for an additional \$2.50 charge. For more information, contact Laurie, 735-2209.

Pharmacology announces seminars

The 1979 Pharmacology Seminar Series will present two speakers in the coming weeks. Sheri Mason, master's degree candidate in pharmacology/toxicology, will speak on "Therapeutic Drug Monitoring" April 11.

Dr. James Caffrey, assistant professor of physiology, will lecture on the "Theory and Practical Applications of RIA" April 18. Both seminars will be held at 4 p.m. in Room 406 of Med Ed I.

Sexuality seminar wrap-up

A few copies of **Male Sexuality**, by Dr. Bernard Zilbergeld, are available in the Student Affairs Office, according to Juanita Luke.

Dr. Zilbergeld and Dr. Carol Rinkleib presented "Clinical Management of Sexual Problems" at NTSU/TCOM recently. While in town, Dr. Zilbergeld was interviewed by **Fort Worth Star-Telegram** reporter Kay Holmquist for an article scheduled for publication April 9.

Those who assisted in organizing the seminar would like to thank Dr. Raymond Conn, chairman of psychiatry, for his aid, Ms. Luke said.

The latest word on senior activities

Plans for the Senior Awards Banquet and commencement are almost complete, according to Louise Tomlinson, Office of Student Affairs.

The banquet is scheduled May 18 at Ridglea Country Club, Mrs. Tomlinson said. A reception will begin at 7 and dinner will be served at 8, followed by dancing until midnight. Ron Fink of the NTSU music faculty and his band will provide entertainment.

Tickets will soon be available from Laurie Wayman in Student Services for \$15 per person

Commencement rehearsal is set for the morning of May 19. Ceremonies begin at 2 p.m. in Tarrant County Convention Center Theatre, with Rep. Gib Lewis of Fort Worth as the featured speaker. The President's Reception will be held immediately following commencement in the theatre foyer.

Senior students may contact Jan Moore in the Registrar's Office, 735-2201, to order caps and gowns.

Wanted: cooperative kids

The department of general and family practice needs children to participate in physical examination courses for first-year students April 20 from 8 to 10 a.m.

The children will receive free general pediatric examinations by student-doctors under the supervision of faculty physicians. To volunteer, call Alaire Hayes, 735-2440, or JoAnn Durham, 735-2433.

Six Flags to hold college night

Still a kid at heart? Take advantage of discount ticket prices for College Night at Six Flags Over Texas, April 11 from 2 to 11 p.m.

All students, faculty and staff members are eligible for \$7.25 tickets. The Kingston Trio will be performing at 7 and 9 p.m. For more information or to buy tickets, visit Laurie Wayman in the student lounge, Room 110-C, or call 735-2209.

Tips from Personnel

Dr. Walter Brake, director of personnel, reminds all NTSU/TCOM faculty and staff members that vacation leave must be requested and approved before it is taken. Faculty members should use the "Request For Leave From Duty" form and staff members should use the revised version of form CPO-7.

People, places and things

Dr. Robert J. Wordinger, assistant professor of anatomy, presented "The Ultrastructure of Some Histopathological Changes Seen in Oviducts of Mice Continuously Fed Diets Containing Diethylstilbestrol" at the 23rd Annual American Osteopathic Association Research Convention in Chicago March 15.

Dr. Raymond A. Conn, chairman of the department of psychiatry, spoke on the "Differential Diagnosis of Depression and Grief" at St. Joseph Hospital's quarterly general staff meeting and dinner March 27.

Dr. James G. Matthews, clinical associate professor of obstetrics and gynecology, has been named chairman of the postdoctoral committee of the American College of Osteopathic Obstetrics and Gynecology.

Dr. James R. Marshall, associate professor of pediatrics, recently presented "Nutrition in Premature and Full-term Neonates" at a meeting of the Oklahoma Osteopathic Association in Oklahoma City.

Dr. Paul A. Stern, chairman of the department of anesthesiology, has been appointed to a three-year term on the American Osteopathic Board of Anesthesiology.

Dr. Irwin M. Korr, professor of medical education, presented three lectures on the autonomic nervous system as a factor in disease in relation to manipulative therapy and with referred pain at the Annual Convocation of the American Academy of Osteopathy in Colorado Springs, Colorado, in March. Dr. Korr also was a panelist at the Conclave of Fellows that traditionally follows Academy sessions.

Fern Motheral, fiscal affairs, and **Louise Tomlinson**, student affairs, attended a regional competition of Sweet Adelines in Little Rock, Arkansas, recently. Fern and Louise sing with the Westside Edition Chapter of Fort Worth, which placed 11th in a field of 28 choruses. Their group will present a free barbershop concert May 3 at Mayfest.

Dr. Judy Alter, medical information consultant, published "Doctors and Dalliance: Fact or Fiction?" in the January issue of *Medical/Mrs.*

Dick McGuire, director of physical therapy at the rehabilitation/sports medicine clinic, and his wife **Karen** became the parents of a baby boy, **Garrett**, March 22. Congratulations!

Student-doctors **Dennis Graham**, **Dale Brancel**, **Eric Simmons**, **Harold Nicolette** and **Ed Luke** attended the Annual Convocation of the American Academy of Osteopathy in Colorado Springs in March.

Staff members of the Institute for Human Fitness provided medical care for the Fort Worth Arts Council's Run for the Arts March 24. **Dr. Bob Kaman**, acting director of the institute, coordinated the medical team; and **Dr. Pat Marshio**, assistant professor of surgery, served as

chief medical officer. Other members of the team were **Elmer Brown** and **Peggy Weiss**, athletic trainers at the institute, and student-doctors **Ed Luke**, **Randy Rogers**, **Jens Skarbovich** and **Sam Copeland**.

Dr. Irwin Korr, professor of medical education, has been named to the editorial board of *The Journal of Orthopaedics and Sports Physical Therapy*.

Student-doctors **Pete Davidson**, **Jerry Davis**, **Ken Phillips**, **Phil Isabell**, **Malcom Lyon**, **Jeff Davis**, **Larry Bumguardner**, **Mike O'Neal** and **Robert McFaul** led tours of Med Ed I for approximately 60 Texas Woman's University physical therapy students during March.

Dr. Jay Shores, associate professor of medical education, was at Eastern Kentucky University last week as a federal evaluator for a competency based program in dietetics, funded in part by an HEW Department of Health Manpower grant.

Second-year student **Jim Froelich** and **Deidre Lumpkins** of the Kimbell Museum found a

unique way to announce their engagement to Jim's classmates — at a get-together on the Carter Museum parking lot during the lunch break a couple of weeks ago. Since then, word of the August 4 wedding has been spread far and wide since Tony Slaughter mention it in his column Sunday since Tony Slaughter mentioned it in his Sunday column in **The Fort Worth Star-Telegram** this past weekend.

The November 1978 issue of **The North Texan**, NTSU's quarterly publication which included a special section on NTSU/TCOM, was given the Grand Award for Editorial Design by the 5-state Region 4 of the Council for Advancement and Support of Education.

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