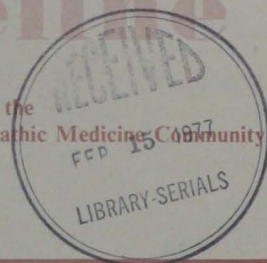


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Public Health Seminar opens today

The annual Public Health Seminar sponsored by the Texas Department of Health Resources and Texas Osteopathic Medical Association opens today in Dallas and three TCOM faculty members will serve as speakers. The seminar is being held at the Dallas Marriot Motor Hotel Feb. 11-13.

Participating on the program will be Dr. Richard Baldwin, associate professor of general and family practice; Dr. Neil Pruzzo, clinical assistant professor of osteopathic philosophy, principles and practices; and Dr. Linton Budd, professor and vice-chairman of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology. Continuing medical education video tapes will be presented during the seminar courtesy of the TCOM Department of Instructional Technology.

Other speakers include Dr. Richard T. Galeel of Chicago Osteopathic Hospital; Dr. Jerome Greenburg and Dr. Charles Sweet, both of the Texas Department of Health Resources in Austin; and Dr. Ivan J. Barber of Highland Hospital in Lubbock.

All day Saturday, Feb. 12, TCOM will sponsor a hospitality suite and the Alumni Association will host a happy hour from 6-8 p.m. that evening. According to Ray Stokes, director of development and alumni affairs, the room number of the hospitality suite will be posted at the registration desk. He said all participants and their guests are invited to come by the suite and visit with representatives of TCOM.

SPA to sell roses

In case you haven't looked at your calendar and noticed what next Monday is, it is Valentine's Day. And the Students' Spouses Auxiliary will be selling red roses that day to benefit the Osteopathic Progress Fund and Student Loan Fund.

Representatives from SPA will be selling the flowers at 11 a.m. at Fort Worth Osteopathic Hospital and at

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noon in the lobby of TCOM. Cost of the roses is \$1 per stem, \$5.50 per half dozen and \$11 per dozen. Coordinating the rose sale is Julie Fletcher, wife of second-year student Stephen Fletcher. If there is someone special you would like to send you a rose, drop a hint about the SPA rose sale.

Library offers new service

The Department of Osteopathic Philosophy, Principles and Practice (OPP&P) has placed three portable treatment tables in the Library for use by students and faculty, according to Dr. John Harakal, chairman of the Department of OPP&P. The tables can be checked out for three days at a time and arrangements should be made through the Library.

SGA elects officers

Second-year student Gerhart Smith has been elected to the office of president of the Student Government Association from January 1977 through December 1977. Serving with Smith as leaders of the SGA are Dennis Graham, vice-president; Larry Price, secretary; and Irv Zeitler, treasurer. Graham and Price are first-year students and Zeitler is a second-year student.

Rummage needed for sale

If you have started thinking about cleaning out your closets and drawers, but don't know what to do with your rummage you are in luck. The Students' Spouses Auxiliary is collecting items for its annual Rummage Sale. Scheduled for April 2, the Rummage Sale will benefit scholarships. If you have items to donate to this year's sale, contact Nan Sailsbury, wife of second-year student Danny Sailsbury.

People, places, things

Three TCOM senior student-doctors screened about 100 persons for glaucoma Jan. 27 at the St. Francis Village in Crowley. Participating in the two-hour project were Dennis Kost, Gary Wolfe and Steve Farmer. The students worked under the direction of DR. BILL RANNELL, chairman of the Department of Ophthalmology. DR. RAYMOND CONN, chairman of the Department of Psychiatry, spoke to the Students' Spouses Auxiliary Jan. 20 on medical student marriages... DR. WARREN ANDERSON, assistant dean for medical education, and DR. JOEL ALTER, associate professor of surgery, attended the American College of Surgeons convention in Chicago Jan. 21-22. DR. ANDERSON also attended the Congress Medical Education meeting Jan. 28 in Chicago and spoke at a concurrent meeting of the American Association of Osteopathic Examiners in Chicago... DR. RUSSELL GAMBER, associate professor of general and family practice, and DR. ANDERSON attended the preceptor training workshop for physician preceptors at the Oklahoma College of Osteopathic Medicine in Oklahoma City Jan. 29-30... L.L. LARUE, associate dean for administration, and BILL HUTTON, director of accounting, attended the annual meeting of the Texas Association of State Supported College and University Business Officers Jan. 24-25 in Austin... DR. ROBERT KAMAN, assistant professor of biochemistry, presented a seminar on serum enzymes at the Institute for Aerobics Research Feb. 8 in Dallas... DR. ELROY CANTRELL, assistant professor of pharmacology and DR. EDWARD BECKA, chairman of the Department of Otorhinolaryngology, will speak at the Southwest Council of Optometry's Educational Congress Feb. 19 in Dallas... DR. STEVAN CORDAS, clinical associate professor of medicine, will speak at the International Academy of Preventive Medicine Joint Spring Conference Feb. 23-27 in Dallas.

NEW EMPLOYEES: KATHLYN PARISH, Admissions Office; JANE HUDSPETH, Dr. Virginia Ellis' Office; TOM COX, Audio-Visual; ANITA COLIN and GRACIE SALAZAR, Central Clinic; JO ELLEN BALL, Justin Clinic and MARY DUQUE, Northside Clinic.