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DEADLINE FOR APPLYING FOR FLEX EXAM CHANGED

N.C. STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS ANNOUNCES A CHANGE IN THE DEADLINE FOR APPLYING FOR THE FLEX EXAM. ORIGINALLY THE DEADLINE WAS APRIL 10, 1985 AND IT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO MARCH 25, 1985. TAKE NOTE.

1985-86 Financial Aid Application Packets Available

Mrs. Nell Andrews from the Office of Financial Aid announces that financial aid application packets for 1985-86 will be available in the Office of Financial Aid beginning Tuesday, February 12.

The packets contain all of the necessary forms (except FI/GSL applications) for reapplication or first-time applicants.

DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF COMPLETED FORMS IS APRIL 1.

<u>Graduate</u> and <u>Professional</u> <u>Student</u> <u>Positions</u> <u>Are</u> <u>Open</u> on <u>Committees</u>

You can give Graduate and Professional students a voice on university committees. Graduate and professional student positions are or will be open on the following committees:

Library Council University Schedule Committee University 1986 Commencement Committee Traffic Appeals Board Board of Trustees Subcommittees (1985-86)

If you are interested in serving on one of these committees contact your school or department's Graduate and Professional Student Council (GPSC) representative or Scott Midkiff at 684-3123. The Medical School GPSC representative is Jim Walsh, Box 2884, 684-5316.

AMSA News

Lecture Series

February 28, "GPEP" -- Lecture and Curriculum Survey. Noon-- Duke South Ampitheatre.

April 16, "Women in Medicine"--film and discussion. Noon, CTL-410, Brown Bag Lunch.

AMSA Convention on Medical Education/Human Sexuality

Duke representatives will attend the AMSA Convention in Chicago, March 19-24. If you wish to express concern or ask questions please contact delegates:

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Gene Branum 489-4048
Preston Reynolds 386-4861
Jennifer Hoock 684-6737

Convention report will be available in late March.

Scholarships Available to Medical Students From Baltimore City, Maryland

The Baltimore City Medical Society Foundation, Inc., is accepting applications for scholarship awards for the 1985-1986 academic year. Applications are available at the Financial Aid Office or by writing the BCMS Foundation, Inc., 819 Park Avenue, Baltimore, Maryland 21201.

The applicants must have Baltimore City, Maryland as their permanent address and all applications must be received no later than April 1st.

Children's Hospital of Los Angeles' Oncology Fellowship for Medical Students

The Children's Hospital of Los Angeles--University of Southern california School of Medicine will offer summer fellowships in oncology for medical students or pre-doctoral fellows during the period May 15 to September 15, 1985.

This program, in its 13th year, attempts to provide an oncology-related research project for each student, as well as orientation in clinical oncology. Fellowships may be eight, ten or twelve (or more) weeks in length. Partial support is available for students in the program from an NCI Grant, at the rate of \$100/week (maximum \$1,000).

The Cancer Education Program has evolved from a relatively structured summer project to one in which the primary emphasis is upon the completion of an individual research proposal by the trainee. Se Opportunities Book for details.

The North Carolina Student Loan Program for Health, Science, and Mathematics

In an effort to increase the number of selected health, science, and mathematics professionals, the North Carolina General Assembly appropriates funds for student loans. These funds are administered by the Student Loan Program for Health, Science, and Mathematics in the Office of State Budget and Management. Financial assistance is provided to qualified loan applicants to help them attain their educational and professional goals. The subsequent employment of these Program participants in health care shortage areas, State facilities, or educational institutions benefits our citizens by enhancing the State's health care delivery system and educational institutions. See the Opportunities Book for details.

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Please submit to election box in Post Office before]2pm on Monday. No winner last week. I vow not to make up any more Puzzles at the Hideaway. The solution was A CUTE ABDOMEN: pain colic flushed diarrhea burning vomiting SORRY

The 1985 Student-Faculty Show

Singers, dancers, actors, and actresses: come one, come all! It's time for auditions for the 1985 Student-Faculty Show. This is your chance to abuse, ridicule, intimidate, and/or impress your attendings. No experience nor talent required!

Auditions for speaking parts and singing will be held Sunday, February 24th. Dance auditions will be Monday, February 25th. Everyone is welcome to participate in the chorus without auditions. Times and locations will be posted on the Student-Faculty Show poster board by the mailroom. Any questions and/or problems: call Sophia at 493-3343.

Announcement

The Student National Medical Association will have a bulletin board during the last week of February featuring famous Black American physicians in honor of Black History month. Please stop by across from the mail room and read it.

<u>Davison Council Minutes</u>

11 February 1985 5:30 P.M.

- I. <u>Service</u>—Ann Calby—Miller noted that 42 of 44 positions for Sex Ed. teachers have been filled. Also, a third/fourth year get—together on February 28 will be held to discuss residencies.
- II. <u>Faculty Awards</u>—Discussion was held on the writing of letters to those in the Medical Center who have won major awards. This project will be under the purview of the Secretary.
- III. Vogel Cook-Out--A date of Sunday the 14th of April was set.
- IV. Renewal of Systems—The repeat OB/GYN-Pediatrics Renewal of Systems will be held on April 5.
- V. Weekly Socials—A series of weekly get-togethers will be started. Dave Spach will check on locations; beer and soft drinks will be served.
- VI. Movie Night -- Dave Petruska is checking on film rental for a medical school party.
- VII. <u>GPEP Report</u>--Don Frush requested that all Council members read the report and then offer comments in 2 weeks for presentation to MEDSAC.
- VIII. Roz Bernstein gave the 6 month fiscal report to the Davison Council.
 - IX. Kathy Merritt has continued to work on procuring student lounge space.

Respectfully submitted,

Walter D. Pharr Davison Society Secretary

Absent: Jones, Silverstein, Taylor-Albert,

Duke in the Eyes of the World?

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"Screw Hopkins "

"I've looked North, and I've looked South, Positively everywhere."

'Duke?''

- "I've been to Duke, Now there's a place that's almost the match of the Tower, aesthetically "No!"
- "Yes, said Iggy, wagging his head. In all honesty the place is impressive Manicured lawns, inspired architecture-not as inspiring as the Tower, but nice-and outstanding people. The department is dynamite, full of young, smart people. But, 's aid Iggy, pausing for effect, holding everyone riveted, "it; in Durham, North Carolina!"
 "Nowhere!

"It's cloistered," shouted Iggy, "Positively cloistered "

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"I mean, in Manhattan you've got the world's most beautiful women roaming around free on the streets. Of course you never meet 'em, and you're too tired to go out at night, but you know they're out there."

"Right!"

'At Yale, everyone's married. At the General everyone's too hyper. At Duke, you're a Monk!"

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