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FIRST-YEAR COUNCIL MEMBERS CHOSEN

First year representatives attended their first Davison Council meeting on September 26, the same day they were notified of their election. First year representatives are Lenny Silverstein (President), Jodell Boyle, Linda Harris, Paul "Bo" Kim, and Libby Taylor.

AIR FORCE SCHOLARSHIPS STILL AVAILABLE

Sgt. Bob Payne informed the Office of Financial Aid that there are a few 3-year Air Force Scholarships remaining. Deadline for applications is November 15, 1983. Awards are to be made by the end of December, 1983. Interested students should call Sgt. Payne collect at 1-755-4130 (Raleigh).

Davison Council Minutes

5:30 p.m. September 26, 1983

I. Roll-call and Introduction

- A. Absent - Pharr, Nichols, Wiley - studying for boards
Also - Kleiner, Rosenberg, Livingston, Smith, Rustgi, Benyunes
- B. Meetings - Meetings will be held the second and fourth Monday of each month at 5:30 p.m.
- C. Minutes approved - Minutes from the last meeting, with corrections as published in Shifting Dullness, were approved unanimously.

II. Old Business

A. Student Appointments

1. Curriculum Committee Representatives -

Fourth year: Elizabeth Livingston (MEPAC representative)
Steve Mawhorter
Paul Hatcher
Sara Stoneburner

Third year: Ginny Gibbons (MEPAC representative)
Tom Mustoe
Una McCann
Charlie Veronee

Second year: Stan Nelson (MEPAC representative)
Jillian Kleiner
Roz Bernstein
Steve Huet

First year: Tony Coles (MEPAC representative)
Kim Walsh
Aneysa Haggard
Sumit Nanda

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EDITORIAL

WHERE HAVE ALL THE MAGAZINES GONE?

The Engel Collection is a marvelous collection of books in the Lower Level of the Medical Center Library. For those who would like to peruse through non-medical journals, there are magazines, or are there? A spot check through the collection on October 6 showed only four to be present: South Atlantic Quarterly, Smithsonian, Motor Trend and Savvy. Other magazines, such as Newsweek or Sports Illustrated, make more infrequent appearances.

Several avenues of egress seem possible for these more popular publications. Library users may be able to take materials through the magnetic gate without the alarm being sounded. In a Shifting Dullness test last year, the same magazine was taken through the exit twice; the alarm sounded only once. The other possibility is that library employees sneak the magazines through their exits.

In any case, these materials should be available for the use of library patrons. Admittedly, these are items not necessary for the function of the medical library. Also, the problem is small in comparison to the use of carrels by non-medical personnel and vandalism in the library. Nevertheless, the problem should be addressed.

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II. A. 2. Traffic Committee Representative - Kip Benyunes

3. Human Experimentation Committee Representatives - Ann Calby, Joni Nichols

4. University Judicial Board Representatives - Bob St. Peter, Andrew Umhau

5. Elections Chairman - Kae Enright

6. Lounge Chairman - Lyman Smith

B. Test Date Conflicts - Bob St. Peter said he has sent a letter to Dr. Christakos on test conflicts with holidays, especially the Jewish holidays.

II. C. Shifting Dullness - Salary for editor as well as paper itself was discussed.

D. Escort Service - Was discussed.

E. Treasurer's Report

1. Budget Requests - Information was sent to student organizations regarding budget requests during the upcoming year. Requests are due Oct. 17.

2. Alcohol Policy - If there is alcohol at a class function, soft drinks must also be made available.

3. Notification - If funded by class money, a notice must be sent to every person and a poster must be put up at least one week prior to an event. Both must note that the event is being funded by the Davison Society.

F. Social Vice-President's Report

1. Happy Hours - Working on having weekly Happy Hours. However, no ETOH on campus and the Old Trinity Room is booked for every Friday in the Spring.

2. Motions Forwarded

a. Agreed: To obtain funding from the Davison Council, whether all-school or as a class, representatives must notify by fliers and by poster all members of the class/school at least one week prior to the event, with notation on the poster and fliers that the event is funded by the Davison Council.

b. Agreed: If the Davison Council/class is funding a party where alcohol is served, soft drinks must also be served.

Both motions were carried unanimously.

G. Activities Night - Will be an opportunity for representatives of all medical school organizations to present information on their functions. Activities Night is intended especially for the first year students.

- II. H: Curriculum Revisions - Many topics were discussed, especially the need for more neurology during the second year medicine rotation. Bob St. Peter added that there are four Davison Council members on Curriculum Committees as well as five students on MEPAC.

III. New Business

A. Method of passing information from year to year among Davison Council officers and committee chairmen

1. Each officer and chairman will be expected to keep a file of correspondence and a description of duties and important information.
2. The file is to be submitted to the Davison Council president at the end of the year, and he/she will distribute the files to next year's people.
3. A file will be kept in the Davison Council office.

B. Xerox Machine - When using, sign the log with your name and specific organization. If making over 75 copies, take it to the Copy Center.

C. Bulletin Board - The bulletin boards outside the mail room belong to the medical school and will be cleared and then divided into specific topic areas.

D. Foosball Table for Student Lounge - An offer to rent a table was unanimously denied.

E. Vending Machines in Student Lounge - Will investigate.

Respectfully submitted,

Kae Enright