



SHIFTING DULLNESS

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Special-For Y'all

SQUARE DANCE

It's time to choose your partners and get out to the Jordan Center (off Oregon St. behind central campus apartments) on Friday, Feb. 16, from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. for the Medical Center Square Dance. Expert caller, continuous live music, beer, coffee and hot chocolate will be provided for all. There is no admission charge. So put on your dancing shoes and join us there!

AMSA

Information regarding this summer's AMSA trips to China and Cuba have been posted outside the Medical Center Post Office. Anyone interested in more information or applying for these delegations should contact Mike Rocco (Box 2791, 682-4403) as soon as possible.

The Davison Society, AMSA, and the Medical Center student body would like to express their thanks for the fine seminar on health care in China which was presented this past Saturday. It would not have been possible without the efforts of Verna Gibbs and the panel of speakers--Linda Chiu, Jackie Rutledge, Drs. Stead and Anlyan and Dean Wilson. Thanks again.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

CARROLL L. BIRCH AWARD

The American Medical Women's Association announces the Carroll L. Birch Manuscript Award for 1979. A cash prize of \$200.00 is given for the best scientific research paper written and submitted by a medical student. There is no obligation to pick a winner annually and the award is presented only if there is a manuscript deserving. The absolute deadline is July 31, 1979. The procedure for applying is to submit a covering letter with the manuscript. The letter should state that the attached manuscript is for the Carroll L. Birch Manuscript Award. You should include your medical school and graduation date as well as a permanent mailing address. The manuscript should be sent to:

The Carroll L. Birch Manuscript Award Committee
 American Medical Women's Association
 1740 Broadway
 New York, New York 10019

An expense paid trip (minimum \$500) to the annual meeting of AMWA in Albuquerque, New Mexico, in November 7-11, 1979 for presentation of the award is also part of the prize. For further information please see Dr. Shirley Osterhout.

NAVY SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Lt. Joe Bryan, a Navy representative will be in the 6th floor lounge on Tuesday and Wednesday, February 20 and 21, to discuss the U.S. Navy Scholarship programs with all interested medical students.

Externships, etc.

CLINICAL CLERKSHIPS IN FAMILY MEDICINE FOR SENIOR MEDICAL STUDENTS

A one month (4 or 5 weeks) clerkship in family practice is available to senior medical students from accredited American Medical schools. The clerkship is located at the Family Practice Residency Program at Merced Community Medical Center in Merced, California. The clerkship will be primarily serving as an active intern on the medical service of MCMC in the Family Practice Center. The clerk will be assigned to function with a second or third year resident on the in-patient service, the Family Practice Center and the emergency room. The learning opportunities can be arranged both in and out of the hospital depending on the needs and interests of the students.

To apply write to: J. E. Hughell, M.D., Director
 Family Practice Residency Program
 P.O. Box 231
 Merced, CA 95340

For more information, contact Judy Goetzl, Coordinator of Educational Programs, Dept. of Community and Family Medicine, Box 2914 DUMC.

residencies

-- we have received a letter from Dr. J.C. Johns, Chairman of the Department of Medical Education at Akron General Medical Center. Dr. Johns is interested in distributing information concerning their residency programs to interested students. If any student is interested in a residency program at the Akron General Medical Center, please do not hesitate to write him at your earliest opportunity.

--Information on the following residencies is available in the 6th floor lounge:

- Brown University Medical School--Psychiatry
- St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac, Michigan

PATHOLOGY PUZZLE

The answers to last week's puzzle are: AUTOPSY, PATHOLOGY, SLIDES, FORMALDEHYDE, GROSS, MORGUE. Congratulations to Karen Long, MS IV, winner of a gift certificate to Baskin-Robbins, as well as 3 other correct answers. Please leave your answers in the mail room ballot box by noon on Monday.

The bottom's falling out: -----

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SPARSEY _ _ _ _ _

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TELSCECOY _ _ _ _ _

PRINEMUE _ _ _ _ _

