

SHIFTING DULLNESS

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Special - For Y'all

DON'T FORGET THIS FRIDAY: THE ANNUAL DAVISON SOCIETY
HOLIDAY ON ICE CAPADES!

Time: Fri. 11/10/78 10:30 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

Cost: Skates, drinks, munchies 75¢

Where: Daniel Boone Ice-Rink (Take 85-S towards Greensboro and exit
at #164. Bear right off Famp past Hardy's. As soon as you see the
Ford Motor Co. sign on your left, turn right - Voila and Welcome!)

Refreshments include hot chocolate, cider, and doughnuts.

P.S. Volunteers needed for setup and clean up. Contact Linda Chiu 383-1622
or Mike Rocco 682-4403

FOLLOW-UP STUDY OF MEDICAL STUDENTS IN NOVEMBER

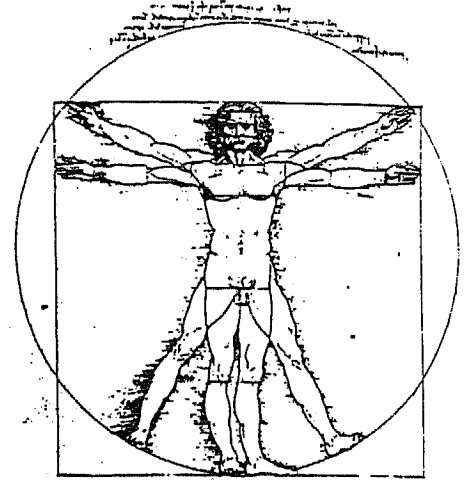
In the fall of 1975 I administered a questionnaire to all freshmen medical students at Duke University, the University of North Carolina, and Bowman Gray School of Medicine. I was very pleased with students' cooperation in filling out the questionnaire. At Duke, 92% of the students returned the instrument. At that time, I sent all the freshmen medical students the preliminary results from that study. From the analysis of the questionnaire data I was able to write my doctoral dissertation in Sociology at Duke University (available at the Duke medical library) and to publish a few articles on the professional values and expectations of first year medical students (see the April 1978 issue of the Journal of Medical Education).

Presently, I have been funded by the National Institute of Mental Health to do a follow-up study of the same medical students at the three schools since these students are in their final year of medical school. In November, I will be sending out another questionnaire to all senior medical students at Duke. I would greatly appreciate your cooperation once again. In return for your efforts I will once again send to all students some summary tables of the results.

I plan to write a book concerning change in medical students' professional orientations during medical school from the analysis of the two questionnaires. In order to write this book, however, I need your cooperation in filling out and returning the questionnaire. I will be extremely grateful for your help.

Jane Leserman - Dept. Of Sociology
U.N.C. - Chapel Hill

Come To The Renewal of Systems*



* An informal gathering of clinical faculty, housestaff, and medical students of all classes on selected Friday afternoons from 5 until 7 p.m. during the year. Beer, soft drinks, and snacks will be provided as an additional enticement.

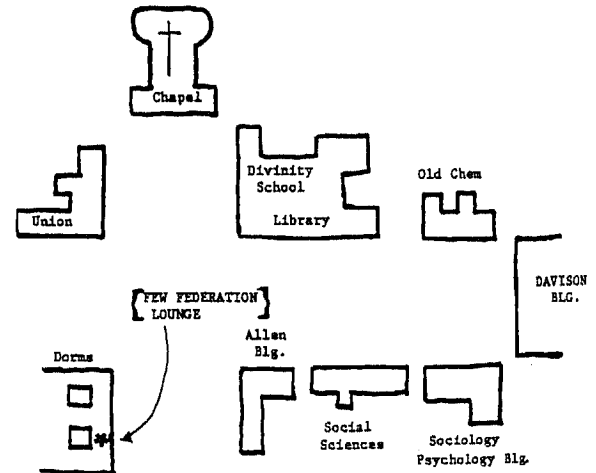
THE DEPARTMENT OF SURGERY

and the Davison Society, the medical student organization, are co-sponsoring the first reception.

Medical students are encouraged to bring housestaff or faculty from any department to the ROS. Housestaff and clinical faculty receive special invitations only for the week their department co-sponsors the gathering, but they are welcome any week.

when: FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1978
5 - 7 PM

where: FEW FEDERATION LOUNGE
First Floor
(Across from the Union Bldg.)



Renewal of Systems

Margo Theinemann, MS II, submitted the winning name for these receptions and will be enjoying two six packs of beer for her efforts.

There will be no speeches or presentations at these gatherings, just gab, beer, soft drinks and snacks.

The schedule for the rest of the year is:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Department</u>
December 8, 1978	Medicine
January 19, 1979	Obstetrics/Gynecology
February 9, 1979	Anesthesiology and Ophthalmology
February 23, 1979	Community Medicine
March 23, 1979	Psychiatry
April 6, 1979	Radiology

Watch Shifting Dullness and the bulletin board outside the mailroom for notices about the next Renewal of Systems.

See you there.

--Allan Crimm and the
Davison Council

STUDENT DIRECTORY

Everyone should have received a copy of the 1978-79 Student Directory in his mailbox. If you did not get one, please send a note to Karl Hanson, Davison Society, Box 2889 with your name and box number.

want ads

If any female medical student would be willing to share an extra bedroom for a visiting med student, (Nov. 25 - Dec. 23) please contact Mary Hicks in the Dean's office as soon as possible. She will be glad to share expenses.

Desperately needed: someone to take clinical elective in trauma surgery (Sur 303C91) during Term 3 to replace senior with scheduling impossibilities. Contact Dr. Christakos' office.

NOTICE FOR SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

The Internal Revenue Service has ruled that all amounts paid to, or on behalf of, a student receiving a scholarship which requires the recipient to perform services for the grantor following training, constitutes gross taxable income.

However, the recipient of a scholarship funded by the Scholarship Program for First-Year Students of Exceptional Financial Need are not required to perform services of any kind in return for the training received and, therefore, the entire amount of the scholarship is considered to be tax exempt.

residencies

Beginning July, 1979, the Department of Internal Medicine, University of California at Davis will offer, in addition to its previously described traditional Categorical Medicine training program, a three year program in Primary Care Internal Medicine which is a track with increased emphasis on training in the outpatient management of certain traditional non-internal medicine problems and the diagnosis and management of subspecialty medical problems in an outpatient setting. Information on this program is in the Davison Office.

Beginning July 1, 1979, General Internal Medicine and General Pediatric residents for Baltimore City Hospitals will be offered for the first time. Information is in the National Intern & Resident Matching Program, however, there is additional information in the Davison Society Office because this is a new program.

Anyone interested in Family Medicine Residency in Fayetteville, North Carolina beginning in January 1979 for 6 months or for 3 years, please contact Dr. Christakos' office before November 10, 1978.

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

- State University of New York at Stony Brook - Family Practice
- St. Louis City Hospital - Pediatrics
- Boston University Medical Center
- University of Massachusetts Hospital, Worcester - Neurology

PATHOLOGY PUZZLE

The answers to last week's puzzle: DEPRESSION, VEGETATIVE, SLEEP, SUICIDE, IMIPRAMINE, PSYCHOTIC. Congratulations to Dave Harlan, MS II, winner of a gift certificate fo Baskin-Robbins, as well as 8 other correct answers. Please leave your answers in the mail room ballot box by 9 a.m. Monday.

Many neighbors, all the same: -----

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