

# SHIFTING DULLNESS

DAVISON SOCIETY NEWSLETTER  
DUKE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Box 2889, DUMC

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## Did You Know...?

....that the Davison Society office hours have been changed to Mondays and Wednesdays, 1:00 - 5:00. Announcements for Shifting Dullness must be in by Monday morning to appear in that week's issue.

...that we are starting a new column of pathology puzzles? Please sign your solution and deposit it in the white Davison Society Ballot Box in the p.o. We will publish the winners and solutions the following week.

...that 96 small lockers with combinations are available in the library stack study areas for storing term project materials? Contact circulation desk, M-F 8:30-5 to sign up for up to 8 weeks.

## Special-For Y'all

### MEDICAL SCHOOL EXPENSES

During the student body meeting in December with Drs. Anlyan and Busse, numerous questions were posed regarding expenses of the medical school vis-a-vis our tuition increases. In the subsequent weeks adequate answers have been sought. Realizing there are still numerous issues to be addressed, this procedure will be pursued:

1. A disclosure within the next few weeks in the Intercom of the medical school's expenses and revenues.
2. If necessary, after that publication, there will be another student body meeting where Drs. Anlyan and Busse, Mr. McGinty, and students will attempt to address any questions still unanswered.
3. A procedure will be instituted where students will get information as to suggested tuition increases before the final decision has been made.

Any questions should be directed to Shifting Dullness, Box 2889, or Jackie Rutledge, Box 2843.

### THE MEDICAL LETTER

For the past few years the Medical Letter has been furnished to the students financed through a joint effort between the Davison Society and some departments. This year the Davison Council has contacted the departments, pharmaceutical companies, instrument companies, insurance companies, the administration, and private foundations in an attempt to procure the necessary funding. Unfortunately we have not found any external

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sources of income and, thus, the Medical Letter will not be supplied this year. The Davison Society will act as a clearing house for any students who do want to individually purchase the Medical Letter. The cost is \$9.50 per year. If you have any questions, see Ed Buckley or Jackie Rutledge, or write Shifting Dullness, Box 2889.

#### SUGGESTIONS FOR THE COMING MONTHS

The second half of the year has begun. If there are any suggestions for social or service projects or ombudsman activities which are needed, contact any member of the Davison Council:

President: Jackie Rutledge  
Service VP: Ed Buckley  
Social VP: Ben Carey  
Treasurer: Anthony Limberakis  
Secretary: Madeline Duvic

Class of 1977  
President: Mike Magill  
Representatives: Linda Bishop  
Steve Cochi  
Millie Hooper

Class of 1979  
President: Arn Eliasson  
Representatives: Sid Gospe  
Gary Humphrey  
Wayne Jonas  
Ken Slate

Class of 1978  
President: Kurt Newman  
Representatives: Jodelle Groeneveld  
Byron Hodge  
Jeff Johnston  
Matt Stern

Class of 1980  
President: Harry Severance  
Representatives: Billy Andrews  
Barbara Hall  
Michael Rocco  
Hadley Wilson

## class notes

#### 3RD AND 4TH YEAR STUDENTS:

Burroughs Wellcome Co. has invited the members of the junior and senior class to visit the facilities of Burroughs Wellcome at Research Triangle Park. The object of the visit would be to acquaint students with what a Pharmaceutical House does: the type and amount of work that goes into developing a new drug. Members of each department will give a brief discussion on what their role is in the development of a new drug. There will be lunch and a conducted tour through the laboratory facilities. The visit would end about mid-afternoon. All interested juniors and seniors, please sign up with Cathy in Dr. Bradford's office.

Practice teaching before residency. Invest your free time introducing 1st year studs to clinical medicine. As a sequel to the optional evening lectures this term, some upper-classmen are needed to act as informal teachers on the wards evenings, weekends or lunch hours during term 3. This is in the organizational stages, but send you name, box number, specialty/interest, available day(s) and time(s), optimal group size, and number of times you are willing to "teach" to Jodelle Groeneveld, Box 2761. Groups to start the end of Jan. or early Feb.

DAVISON SOCIETY ELECTIONS

Election of Davison Society President, Social Vice President, Service Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer as well as the five representatives from each class will take place during the next four weeks. Place all nominations in the white ballot box in the mail room. A list of those nominated will be posted in the bulletin board outside the mail room. A ballot will be sent to each student for election of Davison officers, and one will be sent later for the class rep. elections.

Deadline for nominations for Pres., Social VP, Service VP, Sec. and Treas:  
March 20.

Elections for Pres., Social VP, Service VP, Sec. And Treas:  
Wednesday, March 21 - Thursday, March 29

Deadline for Class Rep nominations (5 in each class, 3 from combined degree students): Monday, April 2.

Elections for Class representatives:  
Tuesday, April 3 - Wednesday, April 11.

Students in the MD-PhD, MPH and MHA programs after their third year will be sent ballots for combined degree candidates as well as third or fourth year class representatives. Only one of these ballots is to be marked and placed in the ballot box.

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Nominations

President	_____	Secretary	_____
Social VP	_____	Treasurer	_____
Service VP	_____		

Class of 1980 representatives	_____	_____
Class of 1981	"	_____
Class of 1982	"	_____
Class of 1983	"	_____
Combined degree program representatives	_____	_____

## FINANCIAL AID

On Thursday, February 22, the medical school financial aid committee presented the recent changes in financial aid policy to the student body. The reason for the meeting was to increase in the student base loan from \$4,000 to \$5,000. Since many students could not attend, we (your student representatives) are writing a series of two articles for Shifting Dullness to cover the material presented at that meeting.

At the meeting Mrs. Andrews, Coordinator, Financial Aid, spoke about the student budget. The ten month budget for a freshman is as follows:

	<u>Single</u>	<u>Married</u>
Tuition (4 quarters, enrolled 5)	\$5,760	\$5,760
Accident & Sickness Insurance	95.30	222.10
*Instruments	300	300
*Lab Fee	150	150
*Lab Coats	60	60
**Annual cost of books	336	336
*Special Health Fee	50	50
Basic Health Fee	143.75	143.75
Student Government	15	15
Motor Vehicle Registration	20	20
Lodging	1,608	2,712
Food	1,411	2,446
Miscellaneous	1,299	2,067
	<u>\$11,248.05</u>	<u>\$14,281.85</u>

\*Freshman Expense Only

\*\*This figure varies for each class

Most of the fees are fixed. Last year an extensive survey was conducted with the student body to determine student expenses. The mean costs for food and miscellaneous items were determined. Lodging was set as the cost of 3 people in a 3 bedroom Central Campus apartment. It was agreed that increases each year would follow the percent increases in living expenses published in the consumer price index by the Department of Labor. Thus lodging rose 13%, food 12% and miscellaneous 6% from last year's budget. We on the Financial Aid Committee are trying to keep the student budget in line with actual expenses here in Durham.

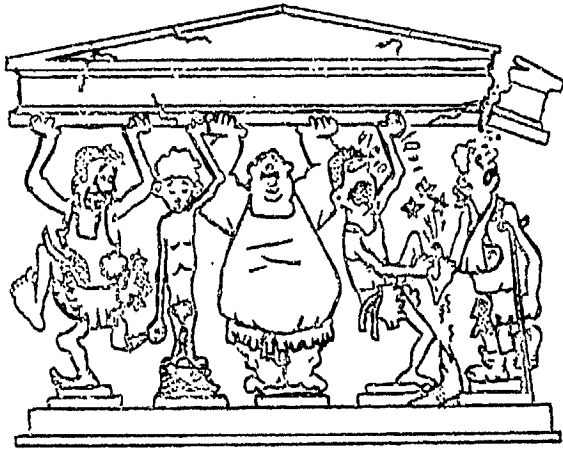
Dr. Thompson, Associate Dean for Allied Health, next talked on the financial package offered the student. The package for 1978-79 was as follows: the first \$4,000 of need was met by loan (\$2,00 from the federally insured student loan program (FISL) and \$2,00 from Duke Loan). This \$4,000 is called the base loan. The remainder of need was met by 1/2 Duke Loan and 1/2 Duke gift. Starting in the year 1979-80, the base loan will be increased to \$5,000. (Next year's senior class will keep the \$2,000 base loan.)

The following example will clarify how this will affect your loan and gift financial aid. A student needing \$7,000 for 1978-79 had a base loan of \$4,000 (\$2,000 FISL; \$2,000 Duke loan). The remaining \$3,000 was met as \$1,500 Duke loan and \$1,500 Duke gift.

Summary		
1978-79	FISL	\$2,000
	Duke Loan	3,500
	Duke Gift	1,500
		<u>\$7,000</u>

PATHOLOGY PUZZLE #1

Send solutions with name and box number to Box 2889 or deposit in the D.S. ballot box in the post office. The prize is a gift certificate to Baskin-Robbins or McDonalds. In case of multiple winners, a drawing will be held. Winner and solution will be announced next issue.



Everyone knows them.

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med jocks

MED SCHOOL BEGINS VACATION BEHIND BIG WIN

The Med School was not exactly carolling, but it was Silent Night for DTD as the Med School erased them 82-44. The victory also broke the two year jinx of playing within the confines of Card Gym; the only loss this season was a two point defeat within that cavity.

The game was clearly a total team effort as five players scored in double figures. The Med School jumped off to a quick lead behind how outside shooting and a devastating fast break. The halftime lead was a very comfortable 46-18. The Deltas tried to get inside help from a 6'4" escapee from the Primate Center, but the Med School defense limited the creature to picking fights and grunting four letter words. An undisclosed source said the escapee had an enrollment card, but this could not be confirmed.

Califf and Beardsley led all scorers with 18 points each. Bell followed closely with 16, McClees had 11, Buff 10, Gorman 4, and Simmons who returned to the lineup had 5. Tom Beardsley clearly had his best game, and it is hard to imagine the team playing any better. Joey Buff will be lost for the rest of the season due to an externship after vacation. With Kurt Newman back this loss may be abated.

The team is looking for a nickname or a mascot. Any ideas or volunteers will be appreciated. Call ext. BR549.

-Byron Hodge, Jr.

## residencies

Information on the following Residency and Internship programs is available for review in the Davison Society office, Mondays and Wednesdays, from 1-5.

### Family Medicine

Bon Secours Hospital Grosse Pointe, Michigan  
Fairview General Hospital Cleveland, Ohio  
Grant Family Practice Center Columbus, Ohio  
Mayo Graduate School of Medicine Rochester, Minn.  
Memorial Medical Center Savannah, Georgia  
Northridge Hospital Foundation Northridge, Calif.  
University of Pennsylvania Philadelphia, Pa.  
Texas Tech University Health Sciences Centers Lubbock, Texas

### Psychiatry

University of Florida Gainesville, Florida  
Maimonides Medical Center Brooklyn, N.Y.  
University of Mississippi Medical Center Jackson, Miss.

### Medicine

Saint Francis Hospital Roslyn, N.Y.  
Saint Thomas Hospital Akron, Ohio

### Surgery

Saint Francis Hospital Roslyn, N.Y.  
Southern Illinois University School of Medicine Springfield, Ill.

## SEMINARS

### ISSUES IN HEALTH CARE

A seminar and follow-up discussion group on the serious problem of child abuse will be held on Thursday, Jan. 20, at 7:30 pm in the Administrative Conference Room, 1st floor, red zone. Susan Quinn and Ann Cresswell, who are directly involved in the coordination of social work at Duke Medical Center, will be present to discuss the role of the hospital social worker and the Department of Social Services in assuming the ultimate responsibility for investigation of each case. The rehabilitative program for parents offered by the local Parents Anonymous groups will be openly discussed by Beth Schubert, director of Durham's Child Abuse Program, and a parent who is now intimately involved in the program.

Coffee will be served and everyone is welcome to attend.

On Jan. 27, the program will be Dr. Larry Churchill, a Medical Ethicist from UNC Med School. He will speak on the Ethical Dimensions of the Doctor-Patient Relationship, at the same time and place as above.