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DAVISON SOCIETY NEWSLETTER DUKE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

HOSPITAL BOX 2889

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BEER AND PIZZA MEETING: The next "Beer and Pizza" meeting will be held on Tuesday February 22, 1972. Dr. Jane Elchlepp will be discussing plans for Duke Medical Center. A sign-up sheet will be posted at noon on Wednesday, February 9 for those interested in attending this meeting.

DAVISON SOCIETY ELECTIONS: The ballots have been tallied for the Davison Society Elections and the results have been posted on the bulletin board in the mailroom.

NAVAL PECRUITING TEAM: On February 8, 1972 members of the Navy Recruiting Team will be in the Medical Student Lounge from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Students wishing to discuss opportunities available in the Navy may stop by the lounge during the hours to talk with the members of the team. As in the past, a medical officer will accompany the team. Also, information regarding the following programs may be obtained from the Office of the Associate Director for Undergraduate Medical Education, 295 Baker House: Reserve Officer Candidate, Naval Flight Officer program, Ensign 1915 Program, Ensign 1925 Dental Student Program, Officer Candidate School Program (MEN).

DUKE UNIVERSITY COUNCIL ON AGING AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT: presents a seminar on Tuesday, February 8 at 4:00 p.m. in the Hospital Amphitheatre. The speaker will be Marie Callender, Ph.D., Special Assistant for Nursing Home Affairs, U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare. Dr. Callender's topic will be "New Directions in Nursing Home Care Policy." Everyone is invited to attend.

ANATOMY SEMINAR: The Department of Anatomy will present a seminar featuring Dr. Clifford Jolly, Associate Professor of Anthropology, New York University. The topic of Dr. Jolly's discussion will be "Diet and Masticatory Function in African Hominoidea." The seminar will be held on Thursday, February 10, 1972 at 4:00 p.m. in Room 262 Bell Building. Coffee will be served at 3:30 in 264 Bell.

STUDENT FELLOWSHIPS IN EPILEPSY, 1972: A number of fellowships will be awarded in 1972 in the amount of \$300 per month, not to exceed \$900 per student. Fellowship recipients may pursue their studies during any eight to twelve week free period during the year and are not restricted to study at their present institution. Interested students should submit letters of application prior to March 1, 1972 in order to be considered for the current year's program. For further information see announcement on Student Lounge bulletin board or contact the Office of Financial Aid, 706 Davison Building.

UPJOHN AWARD: The Upjohn Company provides a cash award in the amount of \$200.00 and a certificate to a luke medical student for the best essay discussing some aspect of the social, cultural, economic, or other parameters of health. Deadline for receiving applications for this award is January 15, 1972. Entries should be submitted to the Office of the Associate Director for Undergraduate Medical Education, 295 Baker House.

SOPHOMORE STUDENTS: This is a reminder that a few of the pocket notebooks from Burroughs Wellcome have not been claimed from the Office of the Associate Director of Medical Education, 295 Baker House. If you want your book please stop by the office before March 1, 1972 as they will be discarded on that date.

REMINDER—AAMC/PHS FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM: The Association of American Medical Colleges and the Public Health Service announce the Health Training Fellowship Program to be conducted in Israel. The study programs are offered at the following institutions:

Hadassah Medical School

Jerusalem, Israel

10/11 - 12/15/72

Chaim Sheba Medical Center

10/15 - 12/22/72

Tel Aviv, Israel Chaim Sheba Medical Center

Tel Aviv, Israel

2/19 - 4/27/73

Each study program will accept 10 students. Therefore, a total of 30 fellowships are available. The aim of the project is to provide U.S. medical students with research training in medicine and medical care techniques unique to Israel, and thereby improve their knowledge of and familiarity with various problems in medical diagnosis and treatment, and with specific medicine in Israel. All applications must be received in the AAMC Washington Office on or before February 20, 1972. Application forms are available in the Office of the Associate Director for Undergraduate Medical Education, 295 Baker House.

SAMA-UTMB: The 1972 SAMA-UTMB National Student Research Forum will be held in Galveston, Texas, April 20, 21 and 22, 1972. In addition to the Mead Johnson Awards, this year five additional awards are being offered in conjunction with the SAMA-UTMB National Research Forum. They are as follows: The Roche Laboratories Award in Neuropsychiatry; the Gip A. Hudson Memorial Award; Houston Multiple Sclerosis Society Award; The Bay Area Heart Association Award; and the McLaughlin Awards. Also, the 1972 SAMA-Squibb Scientific Exhibit Awards and the 1972 SAMA-Eaton Art Salon Awards will be held in conjunction with the 1972 SAMA-UTMB National Student Research Forum. The Forum is open to medical students, graduate students associated with medical schools, interns and residents. It is designated to include papers on research in the areas of the basic sciences and clinical sciences. The Mead Johnson Awards are a grant award of \$400.00 plus an attractive plaque. Second, third and fourth place awards and honorable mention are also given. Abstracts must be submitted by all participants in every category and the application abstract (200 words or less) must be submitted prior to February 23, 1972. The Gip A. Hudson Memorial prize is an award in the amount of \$100.00. This prize will be awarded for meritorious presentation related to the liver and its diseases. The Houston Multiple Sclerosis Society Award is \$100.00 to be awarded to the author of the best paper dealing with multiple sclerosis and other demyelinating diseases. The Bay Area Heart Association Award is for first (\$100), second (\$75), third (\$50) and honorable mention. The Awards are for the best papers in the field of cardiovascular research. The McLaughlin Awards are for first place (\$150) and second place (\$100). The awards are for the two best papers in the fields of infectious diseases and immunity. The Roche Laboratories Award in Neuropsychiatry are first award (\$150), second award (\$100), third award (\$75), and honorable mention. Separate awards are also made for interns and residents. For additional information on the proposed program, travel arrangements, and rule for entries, contact the Office of the Associate Director for Undergraduate Medical Education, 295 Baker House.

ATTENTION ALL STUDENTS: The following materials have not been claimed and will be available to all students on a first come basis: medical tables and calculators, the electrocardiogram in myocardial infarction; and Introduction to the Clinical History. Materials not claimed by March 1, 1972 will be discarded.

ATTENTION SENIOR STUDENTS: The book Judicial Council Opinions and Reports has been received from the American Medical Association. The books may be picked up in the Office of the Associate Director of Medical Education, 295 Baker House.