



SHIFTING DULLNESS

DAVISON SOCIETY NEWSLETTER
DUKE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

HOSPITAL BOX 2889

October 29, 1974

* ATTENTION *
* The Medical Committee on Human Rights and other groups are *
* screening the people of the Walltown community on Saturday, Nov. *
* 16 and Sunday, Nov. 17 for hypertension, diabetes, sickle cell *
* trait, anemia, proteinuria, pyuria, bacteruria, hematuria, obstruc *
* tive lung disease, visual acuity, strabismus, hearing acuity, *
* dental caries, oral cancer, and breast cancer. An orientation *
* for people wanting to work on the project will be on Wednesday, *
* Nov. 13 at 7:30 pm in the Walltown Recreation Center in the park *
* at Club and Onslow. At the orientation, workers can sign up for *
* one or more of the following shifts: *
* Sat., Nov. 16 10 AM to 3PM *
* Sat., Nov. 16 3PM to 8PM *
* Sun., Nov. 17 1PM to 6PM *
* People are needed to explain the symptoms, the tests, the conse- *
* quences, and the prevention of the diseases to the people. *

MEDICAL COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RIGHTS FORUM - MCHR will sponsor Forum #1, a discussion on Durham County Health Care Issues. The Panel will consist of Bruce Dixon, MD from the Duke Outpatient Department, Inez Gooch from Edgemont Clinic, Tim McGloin of Health Education at NCCU, and Steve Thacker, MD from the Duke-Watts Family Medicine Program. The forum will be Monday, November 4th at 7:30 pm in the Duke Hospital Amphitheater.

MICROSCOPES - Anyone still wishing to sell a Steindorf microscope should contact Ed King in the CTF.

YEARBOOK - The Davison Society has to date been unable to find a senior willing to edit a yearbook. If you're interested please contact Mary Ann Forcica at Box 2764

TRANSLATOR: Dr. Bradford would like to compile a list of students fluent in foreign languages to give an occasional assist to ward staff throughout the year. If you are interested, please register in the Office of Undergraduate Medical Education.

SYMPOSIUM - The American College of Nutrition will have its first annual interim meeting November 16-18, 1974 at O'Hare International Tower, Chicago, Illinois. The program topics are : I. Nutrition in Medical Schools: Utilizing Nutrition in Quality Health Care and II. Scientific Review of a New Sweetener. For further information, check in Dr. Bradford's office.

MEDICAL STUDENT RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS - Research Fellowships in Pharmacology-Clinical Pharmacology are being awarded by the Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association Foundation. A stipend of \$5000 is offered to medical students who have interest in research and teaching careers in pharmacology-clinical pharmacology and who are willing to spend one year full-time in a specific research effort within a pharmacology or clinical pharmacology unit. Every candidate must have finished at least one year of the school curriculum, and must be sponsored by the pharmacology or clinical pharmacology program in which the investigative project is to be undertaken. Information concerning application for the fellowship is available in Dr. Bradford's office.

(OVER)

FOUND - Army Green Knapsack: Assorted notes and some paperbacks, and tortoise shell sunglasses. Now in lost and found, third floor, Paul Scopac's office.

SAMA-EATON MEDICAL ART AWARD PROGRAM - The SAMA-Eaton Medical Art Award competition offers national recognition to anyone in the health care field with an interest and talent for graphics. The 1975 award competition will present cash prizes and plaques to first, second and third prize winners in medical photography and medical illustrations. First and second prizes in photomicrography will be presented. Anyone in the health care field may enter in the competition in the open division. Professionals compete in a separate category. Entries are judged in medical photography, photomicrography, electron photomicrography and medical illustration. Additional information and official rules are posted on the bulletin board in the medical student lounge. Deadline for entries is December 1, 1974.

BELA SCHICK AWARD - The Women's Auxiliary of the American College of Allergists announces the Bela Schick Award, to be presented at the ThirtyFirst Annual Congress of the American College of Allergists convening from March 15-23, 1975. The Bela Schick Award consists of a cash prize of \$150 and an appropriate certificate. It is to be awarded to a medical student of any accredited medical school submitting the best paper on any aspect of allergy or its related fields. The winning essayist will be invited to present his paper and to receive his award in person during the Annual Congress. Papers competing for these awards must be submitted on or before January 1, 1975. Further information concerning applications for this award is available in Dr. Bradford's office.

INTERNSHIP AND RESIDENCY INFORMATION - Information has been received on the following postgraduate training programs and is available for review in Dr. Bradford's office:

Medicine

Primary Care Residency-University Health Center of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, Penn.

Pediatrics

Primary Care Residency-University Health Center of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, Penn.
Rutgers Medical School Picataway, N. J.

Family Practice

Meharry Medical College Nashville, Tenn.
The Altoona Hospital Altoona, Penn.

No areas specified

The Medical Center Columbus, Georgia
George Washington University Medical Center Washington, D. C.

Clinical Clerkships

Medical Oncology- American Oncologic Hospital of Fox Chase Philadelphia, Pa.
Cancer Center
The Medical Center Columbus, Georgia
Bauer Hospital- St. Mary Medical Center Long Beach, Calif.

Externships

Family Practice - PHS Indian Hospital Sacaton, Arizona