



# SHIFTING DULLNESS

DAVISON SOCIETY NEWSLETTER  
DUKE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

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## Special-For Y'all

### LAW-MED COFFEE HOUSE

All medical students and residents are cordially invited to a Law School & Medical School Coffee House, 8-11 pm, Thursday, Feb. 5, at the Law School Green Room. Entertainment will be furnished by musically talented medical and law students. Any musically talented medical students who would like to provide this entertainment please contact Ben Carey, Box 2728, or 286-3805. Those who would like to be entertained, please sign the list by the Post Office.

### ON THE RECEIVING END OF HEALTH CARE IN DURHAM

A new county hospital, a new Duke hospital, new neighborhood clinics to be set up at Watts and Lincoln Hospitals -- the network of health care facilities in Durham is getting more complex but it isn't sure that area residents stand to receive any better service. Julia Borbely-Brown has long been active in organizing and representing the citizens of Durham, and the organization she heads, Citizens Concerned about Durham's Health Care, has had considerable influence in shaping future plans. Ms. Brown will talk about her experiences and the present and future state of care in the Durham area on Wednesday, Feb. 11 at 4:45 pm in the classroom of the Dept. of Community Health Sciences, basement of the Grad Center, corner of Trent and Erwin. Sponsored by HA/MD students for health education and beer courtesy of the Forum for Primary Care.

#### PARKING AT THE MED CENTER LIBRARY

We would like to point out that parking for users of the Med Center Library is available after 4:00 pm in the Ravine Parking Lot just west of the Seeley G. Mudd Building (opposite the coal pile). The gates are left up, and the lot is ighted at night. Entrance to the Library is easiest by entering the stone fire stairs at ground level just off the semicircular drive, walking up two stories, leaving at the door marked "to Library entrance" and going around the south pedestrianway to the main entrance. Some parking is also available in the X lot between the entrance ramp and the maintenance building after 4:30 pm.

#### 1976 E.A. STEAD, JR., LECTURE

This year's E.A. Stead lecture will be given by Dr. Paul B. Beeson, Distinguished Physician from Seattle V A Hospital, Thursday, February 19 at 4:30 pm in the Hospital amphitheatre. Dr. Beeson's lecture is titled "Two Centuries of American Contributions to Infectious Disease."

WANTED: Interested person to design a cooperative book purchasing plan for the Medical School. For further information, contact Linda Bishop, Box 2737.

## class notes

#### 1ST AND 3RD YEAR SKATING PARTY

In an attempt to put some creativity in the social arena, we will have an ice skating party for the 1st and 3rd year med students at the Daniel Boone Ice Skating Rink in Hillsborough on Wednesday, Feb. 4. We can only rent it late (from 10 pm - 1 am), so get your studying done early. Skates, beer, and hot chocolate are all free.

#### ATTENTION, ALL GRADUATING STUDENTS:

A subcommittee of the University Commencement Committee will soon consider applicants for nomination for student speaker at the 1976 commencement. Any student who will receive a baccalaureate or advanced degree is eligible to apply. Those wishing to be con-

sidereu should file a statement by Feb. 13 in 105 Allen Building indicating their reasons for wishing to speak at commencement and suggesting a title and the proposed nature of their presentations.

Students will then be interviewed beginning Feb. 15, at which time they will be expected to present the proposed speech in highly considered form. The speech should be approximately seven minutes in length.

Nominations will be based on the relevance of the message and the potential effectiveness of the speaker. Further information is available from Dean Wittig, 105 Allen Building.

## Externships, etc.

Information on the following programs will be available in the Reserve Room in the Med Center Library in the Davison Society guide to Electives.

Student Research Fellowship in Immunobiology, The University of New Mexico School of Medicine, Department of Medicine.

Allergy Foundation of America- scholarships for training in clinical and research techniques in allergy and immunology.

Camp Doctor needed: Employment opportunity for second year med student as camp medical officer at the Brantwood Camp, Peterborough, N.H., a camp for underprivileged boys. The job runs from the end of June to the beginning of September. Salary is \$350.00 plus all room and board.

## Symposium

The 29th Annual Symposium on Fundamental Cancer Research: "Growth Kinetics and Biochemical Regulation of Normal and Malignant Cells" will take place March 10-12, 1976. The symposium is sponsored by The University of Texas System Cancer Center, Houston, Texas. Further information is available in the Davison Society office.