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GSUings...Dr. Barbara Jenkins (CE) making a presentation on "Search for Identity and Tolerance for Diversity" at a one-day conference, Moving Toward Peace: Middle East Issues in October...Dr. Joyce Patten (CAS) attending the 72nd annual meeting of the Association for the Study of Afro-American Life and History in Durham, N.C., and, as member of the association's Program Committee for 1988, seeking people intrested in being on the program of the convention to be held in Atlantic City. Also in October, serving as commentator on two papers at a session of the History of Education Association which met at Columbia University, NY...Syl Karas, food service manager at the university, whose son Paul Karas, Chicago's public works commissioner, is accepting an offer from the Port Authority of New York/New Jersey to become director of the authority...Dr. Michael Purdy (CAS) moderating a school board "meet the candidates night" in Braidwood, Ill., in October and presenting a training workshop on listening for Chicago's Senior Companions program...Dr. Lawrence Freeman, dean of the College of Education, being named to the board of trustees of the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy...Jay Kahn (A&P) being elected to a one-year term as vice president of the Illinois Library System Presidents Organization...John A. Ostenburg (UR) being appointed by Speaker Michael J. Madigan to the Illinois Advisory Council on Alcoholism and Substance Abuse...In November, Dr. Joseph Addison (CAS) speaking before the American Society of Agronomy, Crop Science Society of America and Soil Science Society of America in Atlanta.

CONGRATULATIONS VETERANS OF INNOVATION FOR NOVEMBER...The following employees celebrate their anniversaries this month: 1971—Carolyn Moore, (DPS). 1972—Shannon Troy (UL), Jordan Tsolakides (CBPA), David Burgest (CHP). 1973—Larry Bonner (DPS), Francis Kanupke, (DPS), Barbara Basler (BO/UPS), Ralph Kruse, (ICC). 1974—Barbara Smith (CCR/PROV), Sylvia Wilson (SPCE). 1975—Efraim Gil (CPBA), Marie Turak (PO). 1976—Shirley Grant (CE), Melba Fink (UL). 1977—David Weinberger (FA), John Mulder (ICC). 1978—Constance Edwards (CHP), Doris Johnson (CHP), Willia Mae Smith (PPO), Beverly Goldberg (IPPA/CPBA), Susan Davis (PPO), Harold Newling (PPO), Jay Kahn (A&P). 1980—James Massey (CHP), Judith Reitsma (A&P).

EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY SEEKS CANDIDATE...Eastern Illinois seeks nominations and applications for the position of associate vice president for academic affairs. The successful candidate will have a mature record of teaching and research/creativity which would qualify for senior rank in an academic department (doctorate preferred); administrative experience; excellent communication skills; and demonstrated leadership ability. The position will be available no later than July 1, 1988. Nominations and applications must be received by Dec. 14.

Eastern Illinois is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer. Applications from women, minorities and individuals with disabilities are encouraged. Nominations and applications should be sent to **Jon Laible**, Chairperson, Search Committee for Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs, Old Main, Room 202, Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, IL 61920.

THEOLOGY FOR LUNCH LECTURES CONTINUE IN DECEMBER... Theology for Lunch, a series of lectures on religious or ethical topics, will be given Tuesdays during December beginning at noon in the Student Life Meeting Room (A-1804). The lectures are open to the public at no charge. Participants may bring lunch or purchase one from the university cafeteria.

Guest speakers for the month: on December 1, Susan Fagin, editor of the *INNOVATOR*, who will speak about "Ethics and Journalism" and on Dec. 8, **Dr. Anthony Wei** (CAS), who will discuss "The Jesus Controversy in the Early Church."

LUNCHEON NOTES SERIES PRESENTS IN DECEMBER... A series of entertainment by students, faculty and area residents called Luncheon Notes will be presented from 12:30-1:15 p.m. on Thursdays in the Hall of Governors during December for the first two weeks before the university breaks for the holidays.

On Dec. 3, the Prairie State Chamber Singers, directed by Valerie Nicholson, will entertain. Soprano Karen Blunk will perform on Dec. 10.

CIVIL SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP IS ENDOWED...According to Dorothy Hardimon (FA), scholarship chairman, the GSU Civil Service Scholarship is now officially endowed. The first award of \$100 will be made in early 1988 to a deserving civil service employee or child of a civil service employee. Applications and detailed eligibility information will be available by the end of November. Hardimon said, "I want to thank all of you who contributed. We are, of course, still accepting contributions. Since the awards are contigent on the interest earned on the endowed funds, it will grow only from direct contributions and fund raising activities. As the fund grows, the number and amount of the awards will increase. Let's keep up the good work!"

JEAN (DEKKER) HOFFMAN—GAME SHOW STAR... A postcard from former employee, **Jean (Dekker) Hoffman** invites old friends and acquaintances from GSU to watch the Newlywed Game on Monday, Nov. 30. Jean and husband **Hank** will be on the air hamming it up for the studio audience. Jean says, "We refuse to tell you whether we won or lost or how much we embarrassed ourselves. We don't want to spoil the fun!" Jean worked at GSU from July 1972 to Aug. 1981.

COOKBOOK COMMITTEE SAYS THANKS...The response to requests for recipes for the civil service cookbook has been outstanding. By the end of October, over 31% of the university community contributed recipes. The committe is now hard at work organizing, categorizing, checking, designing and tasting! Committee members feel the soon-to-be-published cookbook will rival the best.

AIDS WORKSHOP DEC. 4...Do health care workers accept the risks of caring when they enter the profession? The question is pertinent to today's health care workers primarily because of the infectious disease AIDS.

Some workers have refused to give treatment or be part of a medical team because of the risks they believe may be involved.

Yet hospitals and clinics have formal policies outlining the specific rights and obligations of their employees when dealing with persons who have tested positive for AIDS. "AIDS and the Health Professional: Rights and Obligations," a workshop, Dec. 4, will help clarify many of the gray areas and give hospital administrators and staff insights into the questions puzzling many today.

For further information on the workshop, contact Prof. Elizabeth Brutvan in the College of Health Professions at (312) 534-5000, extension 2350, or Roger Paris (OCW) on extension 2484.

"FINANCIAL PLANNING FOR TEACHERS" OFFERED DEC. 2. 3 AND 7... There's no crystal ball to tell teachers what's in their future. but they don't have to second guess if they've made sound, knowledgeable investments.

Four speakers will outline financial planning and investment strategies during a three-meeting workshop titled "Financial Planning for Teachers." It is sponsored by the Office of Economic Education at the university. Each session will last from 4:15 to 6:30 p.m. on Dec. 2, 3 and 7 at the South Cook Educational Service Center in the Homewood-Flossmoor High School North Building.

Cost of the seminar is \$20 for individuals and \$30 for couples. For further information or to register, call Kay Schebler at the Office of Economic Education on extension 2141.

MEDIA APPRECIATION LUNCHEON HONORS UNIVERSITY SUPPORTERS...Representatives of ten media were honored recently at the first annual Media Appreciation Luncheon sponsored by the Office of University Relations at the university.

The thirty persons in attendance heard Ray Wilson, publisher of newspapers in Elgin and Wheaton and a member of the Board of Governors, extol the advantages of a close working relationship between media and the higher education community.

Wilson urged the press to join with educational leaders "to spread the message that economic change is rooted in educational advancement...to spread the message that social and societal ills are the result of unopened minds...to spread the message that illness and poverty thrive on ignorance."

SUBSTANCE ABUSE LECTURE SERIES OFFERED DEC. 7... "Current Topics in Substance Abuse," a lecture series on the work being done with substance abusers and new findings in the field, will be offered from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Dec. 7 at the McCormick Center Hotel in

Prof. Peter Palanca (CHP) will lead the presentation and provide participants an opportunity to discuss a variety of topics and issues. For further information or to register, call the Office of Conferences and Workshops, extension 2484.

NURSING FOR THE 90s—CONFERENCE, DEC. 4... "Entrepreneurship: Nursing for the 90s" is the topic for a day-long conference on Dec. 4 at the Holiday Inn in Matteson. The program, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., will cover a wide range of topics to help inform nurses of the options open to them and to help develop plans for those who want to start their own nursing business.

Topics of discussion will include fee-for-service, how changes in American health will affect nursing, independent nursing practice and nurses making house calls. The program is open to all nurses. For further information or to register, contact the Office of Conferences and Workshops at extension 2310.

STAFF DIRECTORY CORRECTIONS...Please make the following changes to the staff directory:

The following persons share Ext. 2322 and 2125...

Polly Bernd Sandra Mensh Grace Lefebvre Odessa Nolin

Lorraine Lithgow

The following persons share Ext. 2549 and 2125... Joyce Newman

Carol Harris

Geri Kezis

The following persons share Ext. 2189 and 2213...

Beverly Kyser Sylvia Wilson Catherine Esquivel Brenda Chapman Ext. 2189 Ext. 2460

The following persons share Ext. 2586...

Chris Tolbertt Henry Jablon Change:

Shannon Troy, UL Please correct page 5 of the new directory:

Ext. 2331 John Lowe III, dean of CHP

Walter Wentz, division chairperson, Division of Health Administration Tony Labriola, ICC Ext. 2318 and 2204

Please correct page 3 to reflect the following change:

CBPA, Extension 2230 Rosina Mascolo, DPS

Ext. 2198-9

Please add: Helen Beaumont Change Alumni Office (p.2)

Continuing Education Center Manager/SPCE to Alumni Relations

Dempster Development Center also:

(312) 439-7550 Ginni Burghardt

Director of Alumni Relations, AR Susan Plate, SPCE Nicholas Battaglia, UL

Ext. 2327 Secretary, Dempster Site

(312) 439-7550

Remove Ext. 2147 from the listing of Norman Love's extensions. Remove Carol Perkins' name from the directory. She is now Carol Harris.

Remove the listing for the Regional Employment Network from Page 7.

CAFETERIA MENU

Week of Nov. 23—MONDAY-Chicken noodle soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Roast beef aujus; Spaghetti w/meat sauce, salad, garlic toast; Seasoned peas and carrots; Whipped potatoes. TUESDAY-Split pea soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Chuck wagon steak w/brown gravy; Oriental chop suey over rice, roll and butter; Corn O'Brien; Whipped potatoes. WEDNESDAY-Garden vegetable soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Liver and onions; Five fried wing dings w/fries and cole slaw; Seasoned spinach; Whipped potatoes. THURSDAY-Beef barley soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Potted luncheon steak jardiniere; Italian sausage, tomato sauce, peppers on French bread; Seasoned cut broccoli; Whipped potatoes. FRIDAY-Manhattan clam chowder w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Fried perch w/fries and cole slaw; Baked macaroni and cheese; Vegetable dejour.

Week of Nov. 30—MONDAY-Cream of Chicken soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers: Entree: Ham steak; Turkey imperial sandwich; Buttered carrots; Sweet potatoes. TUESDAY-Old fashioned bean soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Breaded pork cutlet w/brown gravy; Sloppy Joe on bun; Stewed tomatoes and zucchini; Whipped potatoes. WEDNESDAY-Cream of spinach soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Veal cutlet paresan; French dip beef on roll; Medley vegetables; Whipped potatoes. THURSDAY-Minestrone soup w/1 pkg crackers; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Baked meat loaf; Creamed turkey over noodles; Peas and carrots; Whipped potatoes. FRIDAY-Soup dejour w/croutons; Chili con carne w/1 pkg crackers; Entree: Popcorn shrimp, sauce, fries and cole slaw; Batter fried whiting, Vegetable dejour. Cafeteria hours are—Mondays through Thursdays, Breakfast from 8:30 to 10 a.m., Lunch and Dinner from 11 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Fridays, open 11 a.m. to 1:45 p.m.

EOTM—SHIRLEY GRANT RECEIVES AWARD...Our congratulations to **Shirley Grant** (CE) who's been selected the November Civil Service Employee of the Month.



SHIRLEY GRANT

Shirley, a Secretary IV Trans., has been at the university for eleven years. She went back to work after her two children were in school, and she was getting bored staying at home. She had an office job before she was hired by GSU. "Working here is very convenient for me. I live in Crete. But, also, the work here is interesting," she says.

For the first five years Shirley was in the Division of Education. She switched to the Division of Psychology and Counseling after one of the secretaries left. "They desperately needed someone, but I remember I wasn't excited about transferring. Now I wouldn't want to leave. These people are great to work for." she states.

They say the same about Shirley. While she was surprised at being nominated, the faculty in her division who suggested she be recognized say Shirley's an asset to their office. "Shirley is usually the first person to greet students or visitors to our area," says **Dr. Judith Cooney.** "She is unfailingly patient, courteous and helpful, even when those same attributes are not extended in her direction. Her diplomacy and professionalism under fire could be a model for both faculty and staff."

Shirley and her husband, **Richard**, have two children. Their daughter, **Cheryl**, is working for her degree through the BOG program here. She attends school in the evenings after work. Their son, **Tom**, is a graduate of Northern Illinois University and a management trainee.

The Grants have been married twenty-eight years. One of their favorite pastimes is camping, which they started doing when the children were young. This past summer, they took a three-week camping vacation and visited thirteen national parks in Colorado, Utah, Arizona and New Mexico. They also camped for a week in the Smokey Mountains.

But they also make time for luxury vacations. In the past few years, they've visited Cancun, Mexico, and Hawaii.

Shirley keeps in shape for her active life by exercising at the GSU YMCA almost every lunch hour. She's also an avid reader who'll read just about anything.

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