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PROFESSIONAL NOTES: ■ **Dr. Linda L. Lazure**, assistant professor of nursing, has had her article, "Increasing Patient Control of Family Visiting in the Coronary Care Unit," published in the *American Journal of Critical Care*, March, 1995 [4,(2)]. Dr. Lazure also presented her research, "Development of Salivary Cortisol as a Non-Invasive Measure of Stress," at the Midwest Nursing Research Society's 19th Annual Research Conference on April 3 in Kansas City, Mo. ■ **George W. McNary, JD**, assistant professor of business law, attended the Midwest Academy of Legal Studies in Business meeting in Chicago, Ill., where he was elected vice president and program chair for the 1996 meeting. ■ A book edited by **Dr. John O'Keefe**, assistant professor of theology, and Fr. Michael Allsopp of Barry University, titled *Veritatis Splendor: American Responses*, has recently been published by Sheed and Ward. It is for sale in the Creighton Bookstore. ■ **Dr. Thomas Williams**, assistant professor of philosophy, presented a paper titled "What's Wrong with Intellectual Appetite" to the Midwest Regional Conference of the Society of Christian Philosophers on April 7. He will present a paper titled "What Sort of Divine Command Theory Did Scotus Hold?" to the Eastern Regional Conference of the SCP on April 23.

A FORMAL UNVEILING and dedication of the portrait of Raymond B. Means, late library director of the Reinert Alumni Library, will be held on Monday, April 24 at 5 p.m. in the Union Pacific Room. All faculty, administrators, staff and students are invited to attend. A reception will follow in the Union Pacific Room.

TRASH WEDNESDAY will be held April 19 at the Skutt Student Center, Room 105. Tell your friends, boss and students! Participate in the fourth annual clean-up of the Creighton campus. Groups of faculty members, students and staff are invited to pick-up trash, win prizes, and enjoy free pizza and pop. Registration is from 3 to 4

EVENTS TODAY:

Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting, noon, St. John's, Celebration Room.
Classes resume, 5 p.m.

EVENTS TUESDAY:

Faculty Open Forum to Meet Finalists for New Graduate Dean, 3 to 4:50 p.m., Walsh Lecture Hall.
Ob/Gyn All Faculty Extended Grand Rounds, "Estrogen Replacement Therapy of 1995," Dr. Michael C. Snabes, assistant professor, Division of Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Baylor College of Medicine, 5:30 p.m.—refreshments; 6 p.m.—dinner; 6:30 p.m.—presentations, Austins, 72nd & Woolworth, Omaha.

p.m. and the clean-up is from 4 to 5 p.m. Sponsored by Ecology Now! and the College of Business Administration. Contact Dr. Bev Kracher at x2061 for more information.

CELEBRATE THE 25TH anniversary of Earth Day! Come to the Environmental Fair on Wednesday, April 19 from 12:30 to 5 p.m. in the Skutt Student Center, Room 105. Contact Dr. Bev Kracher at x2061 for more information. Sponsored by the College of Business Administration.

A RETIREMENT RECEPTION for Dr. David A. Haberman, professor and chair, Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, will be held Tuesday, May 2 from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Jesuit Garden. All University faculty, administrators and staff are invited.

THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT will present the Spring Music Festival on Monday, April 24 at 7 p.m. in the Skutt Student Center Ballroom. The recital will feature selected applied music students from the studios of the Fine and Performing Arts Department. No admission will be charged.

FEATURED ENTREES in the Faculty Dining Room this week are: Today—CLOSED; Tomorrow—Meatloaf, Tator Tot Casserole; Wednesday—Veal Parmesan; Thursday—Beef & Bean Burritos w/Chili; and Friday—Beef & Noodles.

CONGRATULATIONS TO CU students Jennifer Hunt and Erin Noteboom on receiving highly competitive Na-

tional Science Foundation Fellowships to support work toward advanced degrees in psychology and physics, respectively. Their awards were among approximately 850 new three-year awards for the 1995 fall term. Stipends will be \$14,400 for 12-month tenures. In addition to the stipend, the Foundation will provide fellowship institutions, on behalf of each fellow, a cost-of-education allowance (\$8,600) in lieu of all tuition costs and assessed fees. The evaluation of applicants was based on academic records, recommendations regarding each applicant's qualifications and scores attained in the Graduate Record Examinations (GRE). Hunt is from Shawnee Mission, Kan., and Noteboom is from Omaha.

REMINDER: NOMINATION forms for election of a Staff Advisory Council representative from the vice president for administration and finance area must be received in the Council secretary's office by 4:30 p.m. TODAY, or the nomination form will be considered void. Call Alice Piercy, x2109, if you have questions.

THE 15TH ANNUAL Infectious Diseases Symposium will be held Friday, April 21 at the Boys Town National Research Hospital Auditorium, 555 N. 30th St.. The program will run from 8 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. and continue from 1:15 to 3 p.m. Speakers will include Dr. Henry Balfour (University of Minnesota), Dr. John Bartlett (Johns Hopkins), Dr. Stanley Lemon (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill), Dr. Mark Rupp (UNMC), Dr. David Schlossberg (The Medical College of Pennsylvania), and

Dr. David Stephens (Emory University). Topics will include Hepatitis C, emerging infectious diseases, travel-related infections, bacterial meningitis, and treatment of CMV. Participants also will gain new insight into infections in the returning traveler. CME credit is available. For additional information, call 449-0650.

THE SECOND GROUP of 200 fourth graders from Druid Hill and Laura Dodge Elementary Schools is on campus this week for a glimpse of college life as part of the Early Awareness Program for Advanced Education through the Omaha Public Schools. The goal of the program is to increase postsecondary enrollment of low-income and minority students. The children will tour the campus, talk to students and sit in on mock classes. The final campus visit will take place on April 27. Co-sponsored by Educational Opportunity Programs and Financial Aid.

ACADEMIC COMPUTING announces that four additional Macintosh classes have been scheduled for May. Classes are held in the lower Reinert I-Tech Computer Lab and are taught by Julie Hamilton. Please call x2564 to register. Classes, dates and times are System 7.0 (Beginning) on May 3 and 10 from 9 a.m. to noon, and Word 6.0 (Beginning) on May 17 and 24 from 9 a.m. to noon.

THE ALL-UNIVERSITY Happy Hour scheduled by Michael Leighton, vice president for University Relations, has been changed once again and will now be held Friday, April 21 from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Faculty Dining Room (Lower Becker). There will be two Happy Hours recognizing retiring administrators the first week of May: Monday, May 1 honoring Dr. Michael G. Lawler, dean of the Graduate School; and Wednesday, May 3, honoring Barbara Angus, assistant dean of University College, and Dr. Jack D. Angus, associate professor and department chair of sociology and anthropology. Both retirement Happy Hours will be from 4 to 6 p.m. in the Skutt Student Center Ballroom. All University faculty, administrators and staff are invited.

THERE WILL BE an open forum for faculty members to meet with the two candidates who are finalists in the search for a new graduate dean. This forum will take place from 3 to 4:50 p.m. tomorrow in the Walsh Lecture Hall. Dr. Barbara J. Braden, professor of nursing, is scheduled to meet with faculty from

3 to 3:50 p.m.; and Dr. Sam J. Cipolla, professor of physics, is scheduled to meet with faculty from 4 to 4:50 p.m.

DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR TO visit campus: Professor George Klir will be on campus April 19 and 20 to visit the Center for Research in Fuzzy Mathematics and Computer Science. Dr. Klir is a Distinguished Professor at the Thomas J. Watson School of Engineering, Applied Science and Technology at the State University of New York at Binghamton. He is a world renowned expert in the fields of fuzzy sets, measures of uncertainty and systems theory. Dr. Klir will present "From Classical Sets to Fuzzy Sets: A Grand Paradigm Shift" on April 20 in the Old Gym, Room 411 at 6 p.m.

THE ALUMNI RELATIONS OFFICE is seeking nominations of exceptional alumni to be considered by the Public Honors and Events Committee for the Alumni Achievement Citation. The Alumni Achievement Citation is the highest University award for an alumnus/na. Nomination forms are available in the Alumni Relations Office, Admin. Bldg., Room 131-132. Completed nomination forms must be received by May 1 for consideration this year. Call Joleen Richwine, x2222, for a nomination form or for more information.

SYMPHONY SHOWHOUSE: Tickets for the 1995 Symphony Designer Showhouse located at 3335 Woolworth Ave. are available from Peggy Ray, x1727, Human Resources, Wareham Building for \$7 (cash only)—a \$2 discount from the price at the door. Showhouse tickets are great for Mother's Day, Secretary's Day or birthdays. This event runs from April 22 to May 21.

SBG PROGRAM BOARD presents Spring Fling '95—April 19-21: Spring Fling begins on Wednesday, April 19 with Virtual Reality (interactive video games) in the Student Center Fishbowl from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. On the mall April 20 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and April 21 from noon to 6 p.m., there will be carnival games and novelty activities including Bouncy Boxing, Velcro Wall, Gyro Spin and the Bungee Run. Also, "The Blues Brothers" movie will be shown at 7 p.m. in the Student Center Ballroom on April 20. Dinner will be served on the mall from 4:30 to 7 p.m. on April 21 by Morrison's. Also on April 21, Omaha's hottest bands—The Kind, Smashmouth, No Left Stone and

GesWerk—will perform on the mall from 5 to 10 p.m.

THE KIEWIT FITNESS Center is looking for lifeguards for summer employment. The pay rate will be as follows: Swim Instructors—\$8/hour and Lifeguards—\$5/hour. Both instructors and guards must hold current American Red Cross certifications (CPR, First Aid, Life guarding and W.S.I.), shown at the time of interview. For more information or to set-up an interview, please call Ralph Kleinsmith at x2848.

FACULTY INTERESTED in making a 50-minute presentation to alumni during reunion weekend on the morning of Saturday, Sept. 30, should contact Diane Dougherty, assistant alumni director, at x2222. Alumni enjoy this opportunity to interact with faculty and other alumni. Faculty members with topics for presentations are encouraged to contact Dougherty by May 1 to be included in the program of events.

ANYONE INTERESTED in participating in the SAS Institute software licensing program for the 1995-96 academic year should contact Ann Rollag in Purchasing at x3043. There are still several licenses available. SAS software is a dynamic data management, analysis and report writing tool for the Windows environment.

SUMMER HELP OPENINGS are now available in the Facilities Department. Facilities will hire six employees—four grounds crew, one painter and one mechanic. These employees are expected to work 40 hours per week the entire summer. **No time off will be given for vacations, summer school, summer camp, etc., beyond assigned University holidays.** Work hours are 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. (or 6 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the event of extreme heat.) Some evening and weekend hours are expected. Applications will be accepted **only** on Wednesday, April 26 from 4 to 5:30 p.m. in Human Resources.

JOB POSTINGS: 1st day—Serum Separator, Pathology Ref Lab, T-03; Staffing Coordinator, Surgery, P-02; **3rd day**—Technical Associate, Pediatrics, P-02; Director of Development Communications, Development, A-02; Assistant Program Coordinator, Focus Omaha, P-01; Medical Secretary, Medicine/Diabetes, C-09; Senior Account Specialist, Medicine, C-09; **4th day**—Medical Assistant, Family Practice, T-05; **5th day**—Patient Representative, Family Practice, C-06.