



Wednesday, Sept. 2, 1998

Events Today:

- Biomedical Sciences Doctoral Dissertation Seminar, "Role of Parathyroid Hormone Related-Peptide (PTHrP) During Skeletogenesis in the Embryonic Chicken Mandible," Qiong (Joan) Zhao, 9:30 a.m., Criss II, Room 217.
- Volunteer Fair, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., Center for Service and Justice.
- De Mello Spirituality Group, noon, St. John's Church, Conference Room, Lower Level.
- Medicine Grand Rounds, "Prolactinoma Update," Dr. Robert Anderson, noon, Saint Joseph Hospital, Seminar Room.
- Women's Soccer vs. Huron College, 7 p.m., Tranquility Park.

Events Thursday:

- Medicine Conference, "Role of Pneumolysin During Pneumococcal Pneumonia in Cirrhotic Rats," noon, Saint Joseph Hospital, Seminar Room.
- All-University Reception, 4 to 6 p.m., Skutt Student Center Ballroom. Hosted by Fr. Michael Morrison, S.J.

Kutak Rock will present the Seventh Annual Health Care Law Institute on Tuesday, Oct. 13, at the School of Law. Jointly sponsored by Creighton's School of Medicine and School of Law, the Law Institute will feature "Corporate and Managed Care Compliance Plans" and "An Examination of Health Care Enforcement as it Relates to EMTALA Investigations and Civil and Criminal Health Care Fraud." Registration begins at 7:45 a.m. The Health Care Law Institute adjourns at 3 p.m. The fee is \$150 (if received by Oct. 6) and \$175 (if received after Oct. 6). Please direct inquiries about the Institute to: Hattie Rupert, School of Law, x3079.

Internet 101: World Wide Web Basics--An introduction to the World Wide Web, including a brief history, description and explanation of key concepts, will be held Tuesday, Sept. 8, from 3 to 4 p.m. in the Reinert Alumni Library Classroom, Main Level. Three Web browsers will be demonstrated and compared, including Lynx, Netscape Navigator and Microsoft Internet Explorer. Sample the richness of the Web by touring various sites, and learn how to follow hypertext links and maneuver efficiently. The session repeats on Wednesday, Oct. 7, from 3 to 4 p.m. (Internet 101 is the Reinert Alumni Library's basic seminar series for novice Internet users. For more information, contact David Sherwood at x2927 or davids@creighton.edu or Chris Le Beau at x1757 or clbeau@creighton.edu.)

The planning committee for the Mass of the Holy Spirit still needs Eucharistic Ministers. Please contact Brady Murphy at x1128 (bmurphy@creighton.edu) if you would like to be an EM for this service. The Mass of the Holy Spirit will be held Wednesday, Sept. 9, at 11 a.m. at St. John's Church.

Stop by the Coffee House in McGloin Hall today for lunch and samples of today's homemade soup, Mexican Tlalpeno. This unique soup is full of flavor and sure to please.

The Intramural Sports program has numerous events approaching. All students, faculty and staff of

Creighton University are eligible to participate. Entries for the following sports/activities are due during September: Softball Tournament, entries due Sept. 9, fee \$15 + \$15 forfeit fee; Flag Football League, entries due Sept. 9, fee \$40 + \$15 forfeit fee; Tennis Tournament, entries due Sept. 16, fee \$5 per person; Volleyball League, entries due Sept. 23, fee \$40 + \$15 forfeit fee; Fall Golf Tournament, entries due Sept. 30, green fees, and Bowling League, entries due Sept. 30, fee \$10 + \$15 forfeit fee + \$4 night. Also: The Racquetball Ladder Challenge will begin play Thursday, Sept. 17. Entries for this Challenge will be accepted all semester, but players signing up by Sept. 16 will be included in the original seeding draw. For more information about the Ladder Challenge, stop by the Racquetball Courts in the Kiewit Fitness Center. All entries for Intramural Sports are due in the Campus Recreation Main Office located on the East end of the Kiewit Fitness Center. For more information or if you have questions, call the Intramural Office at x1703 or the Campus Recreation Office at x2848.

Faculty Campus Ministry will hold its first event Saturday, Sept. 12, at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Bill and Kathy Brannen, 7606 Springfield Drive (two blocks south of Blondo, off of 75th Ave.). Everyone is invited (kids are welcome). The Celebrant for this outdoor Mass will be Fr. Dick Hauser, S.J. Please bring a snack to share and a lawn chair. Drinks will be provided.

Faculty/Staff Volunteers: If you have a child between the ages of 6-12 years, Creighton sophomore nursing students would like to interview you and your child. This is a verbal interview (no hands on) to assess normal childhood development/parenting. Interviews will be scheduled at your convenience by the student the last week of September. If you can help, please call Stephanie Stockard Spelic, x2003, and leave your name and number.

Conversation Partners Needed: Virginia Meyer teaches an Intensive English Language Institute (IELI) Speaking Class which needs seven American conversation partners who can meet preferably one to two days a week on Monday or Thursday for the next four weeks from 3:30 to 4:20 p.m. Please contact her if you are interested at vmeyer@creighton.edu or at x2221.

The Bereavement Group is a support group for undergraduate and professional students who have experienced a significant loss. The group will begin its weekly meetings Thursday, Sept. 10, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Chapel in Lower St. John's Church. The group is led by students with close support from the Counseling Center. Faculty or staff who know of a student who has experienced the death of a parent or loved one are encouraged to recommend the group. For further information or to arrange a personal invitation from a current group member, contact Carolyn Mott (cmott@creighton.edu) or Dr. Michael Kelley, Counseling Center, x2733, (michaelk@creighton.edu).

Chemical Waste Disposal: All generators wishing to dispose of chemical waste during the October shipment must submit an inventory of the waste to Lenore Koliha, chemical coordinator, Department of Environmental Health and Safety, (546-6404), by Tuesday, Sept. 15.

Free Shotokan Karate Program: Faculty, staff and students are invited to join the Creighton Shotokan club which meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings from 5 to 6 p.m. in Racquetball Court #3 of the Kiewit Fitness Center. A new beginning class starts Wednesday, Sept. 9. New members may start Wednesday the 9th or Friday the 10th. Call Anton Ehrhardt at x5713 for more information.

Attention faculty, staff and administrators in the Academic Affairs division: The deadline for nominations for the William F. Kelley, S.J. Achievement Awards is Wednesday, Sept. 9. Please submit nominations to the Academic Vice President's Office. Named after Creighton's first Academic Vice President, the awards are given annually at the Academic Vice President's Convocation. This year's Convocation is scheduled for Oct. 1 in the Skutt Student Center Ballroom, 4 to 6 p.m. The purpose of these awards is to recognize outstanding collaborative efforts and achievements of employees within the Academic Affairs area. For additional nomination forms, contact Laurel McClure at x4076.

The Omaha Brass Ensemble opens its new season Friday, Sept. 4, at 7:30 p.m. at the Lied Education Center for the Arts. The concert features "Music of the 40's" -- several centuries of music from that particular decade played by an 11-piece brass and percussion ensemble. Not to be forgotten, some music representative of the "Top 40's" also will be featured. Tickets are available in advance (x2636) or at the door.

Stop by the KFC this week! Non-members and guests can use the facilities free and also try out an aerobics class free of charge (first-come, first-serve basis). Aerobics Schedule: Monday--6:15 a.m. step, 4 p.m. step, 5 p.m. yoga, 6:15 p.m. step; Tuesday--4 p.m. step, 5 p.m. step, 8 p.m. step; Wednesday--6:15 a.m. step, 4 p.m. step, 5 p.m. mind/body, 6 p.m. step; Thursday--4 p.m. step, 5 p.m. step, 8 p.m. step; Friday--6:15 a.m. step, 4 p.m. step; Saturday--11 a.m. step, and Sunday--4 p.m. step. Water Aerobics: Monday and Wednesday at 5 p.m. Labor Day Weekend Hours: KFC- Friday 6 a.m.-9 p.m.; Saturday 11 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sunday 11 a.m.-8 p.m. and Monday 6 p.m.-11 p.m. Pool--Friday 11 a.m.-8 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday noon-8 p.m. and Monday 6-9:30 p.m.

Manresa Froum: The Rev. Val J. Peter, executive director of Boys Town, will present "How to Make Public Prayer the Center of Our Spiritual Lives" on Wednesday, Sept. 9, at 7:30 a.m. at the Omaha Club, 2002 Douglas St. RSVP by Monday, Sept. 7, to x2888.

The Center for Health Policy and Ethics will present the 9th Annual Women and Health Lecture on Thursday, Sept. 10, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Skutt Student Center. A reception begins at 6:30 p.m. Dr. S. Kay Toombs, associate professor of philosophy at Baylor University (Waco, Texas), will present "Where Would SHE Like to Sit? The Personal and Societal Challenge of Chronic Illness and Disability." The lecture is free and open to the public. For additional information, call x2017.

A TIAA/CREF Retirement Counselor will be on campus (Administration Board Room) for individual consultations on Friday, Sept. 11. The counselor will be available to discuss personal retirement strategies and options regarding Creighton's 403(B) retirement program. Consultations will be conducted by appointment only on a first come, first served basis. To schedule an appointment, call Coco Chance at TIAA/CREF at 1-800-842-2009.

Public Relations is in the final stages of developing the annual Facts brochure on the University. Departments will receive the same number of copies as last year, unless Public Relations is notified. To change your order or be added to the distribution list, please call or e-mail Rick Davis, Public Relations, x1785, rcd@creighton.edu, by Friday, Sept. 11.

Habitat Fact of the Day: Two of the most important elements of the Habitat ministry are the concepts of the "economics of Jesus" and "Christian partnership." Economics of Jesus: God multiplies the minute to accomplish the gigantic when people focus upon meeting human need. The poverty of the "have-nots" is directly related to the riches of the "haves." When applied to Habitat for Humanity, it is a call to step out in faith to build houses with the inadequately-housed and to sell the houses at no profit and no interest. Christian Partnership: Habitat is in partnership with God. Habitat is a people-to-people partnership, which joins people together regardless of race, nationality, religion or socioeconomic status. Note: The Habitat build continues. Check the Habitat page on Creighton's web site or call x1290 for more information.

On-Line Daily Reflections are back on the Collaborative Ministry Office web site. The popular daily service features a reflection on the scripture readings of the day written by a member of the Creighton community. Today's reflection was written by Jeanne Schuler. The link to the CMO Daily Reflection page can be found at: <http://www.creighton.edu/CollaborativeMinistry/daily.html>

Thought for the Day from the Deglman Center for Ignatian Spirituality: "One faces the future with one's past."--Buck

Job Postings: 1st day--Upward Bound Counselor, Upward Bound, P-01; Accounting Secretary, Osteoporosis Research Center, C-06; Patient Representative, Dentistry, C-06; Clerical Supervisor, Dentistry, C-09; Lab Tech I, Creighton Medical Labs, T-02; Coder, Surgery, T 05; **4th day**--Clinical Nurse, Ob/Gyn, T-12; Arrhythmia Monitoring Tech I, Cardiology, T-08; EKG Tech I, Cardiology, T-03; Radiology Tech Special Procedures, Cardiology, T-09; Data Entry Operator, Creighton Medical Labs, C-05. **Applicable position descriptions are available for viewing on the campus network JAYNet. These position descriptions are updated every Thursday by the close of business. Descriptions also are available on the World Wide Web. Type <http://www.creighton.edu/HR> to view the menu of options. Questions**

regarding available positions should be directed to Human Resources, x2709.



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