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KIWANIS "TOWN MEETS GOWN" LUNCHEON-----New full-time faculty members have been invited to a luncheon meeting of the Duluth Kiwanis Club on Wednesday, November 3, at 12 noon at the Hotel Duluth. Because of parking limitations, staff members should arrange to ride with others to the luncheon. (R. Heller)

UMD THEATRE PRESENTATION-----The UMD Theatre will present "Celebration," a soft rock musical by Tom Jones and Harvey Schmidt. Dates for the performance are November 11, 12 and 13 and November 18, 19, 20 and 21. The presentation will be held in the Marshall Performing Arts Center beginning at 8:15 p.m. Tickets are available through the box office which will be open November 1 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. daily. Prices are \$3.00 for adults, \$2.00 for students and \$1.00 for UMD students. For reservations, call 726-8561. Note: Because the images of the production often cut deeply into our society, it is not recommended for pre-teenagers.

DINNER AND SQUARE DANCE FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS-----A potluck dinner and square dance for foreign students and UMD faculty, sponsored by the UMD Women's Club, will be held on Sunday, November 14, 5:00 p.m., at the University Methodist Church. All faculty members are invited to attend. The cost is \$2 per couple. Please contact Mrs. Levine at 724-2564, or Mrs. Seybolt at 724-1333, to make reservations and indicate what you plan to bring for the dinner. (Mrs. G. Levine)

SENATE MEETING-----UMD Senate members will meet in the Regents Room, 520 Administration Building, at 3:15 p.m. on Thursday, November 18, for a regular meeting of the University Senate.

SINGLE QUARTER LEAVE APPLICATIONS-----Announcement concerning the Single Quarter Leave program for 1977-78 has been sent to all full-time faculty members at the ranks of Assistant Professor and above. Application forms required for such leaves may be secured from the offices of the collegiate deans. The deadline for submission of applications to the All-University Single Quarter Leave Committee is November 22, 1976, and therefore, applicants should plan on submitting applications through channels approximately three weeks in advance of that deadline to permit careful review procedures. (D. Vose)

UMD CALENDARS-----The Campus Relations Office has received a limited supply of small UMD calendars. Contact Judy Summers, Extension 7110, if you would like one.

FACULTY FITNESS PROGRAM-----For several years, a small group of faculty members has been meeting informally to play "pick-up" basketball during the noon hour. An invitation is extended to any other faculty who might be interested in joining them. Teams are selected on a random basis each time. During fall quarter, the group will be meeting on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11:30 to 1:20, in the small gym, Room 150. Arrangements will be made for winter and spring depending on the space available and faculty participation. (J. Nelson)

NOTICE-----The Council of Religious Advisors (CRA) would appreciate your informing them of all ill or bereaved students, staff or faculty. Please call the Campus Ministry House - 728-4269 - or leave the message in K 119. (Claudia Riehl)

THIELEN RESIGNS-----Thomas B. Thielen, vice provost for student affairs, announced his resignation effective January 1, 1977. He has been named vice president for student affairs at Iowa State University, Ames. Dr. Thielen has been at UMD since September, 1973.

RUSSIAN SCIENTISTS ON CAMPUS-----Dr. M. A. Semikhatov, a research professor from the Geological Institute of the Academy of Science, Moscow, visited the UMD Campus during the week. He toured the area and will present a geology seminar at UMD on October 28..... In September, another Russian geologist, Dr. Yuriy A. Lavrushin, visited the campus and made a field trip around Minnesota.....Dr. V. M. Schostakovsky, an organic chemist from the Zelinsky Research Institute of Organic Chemistry in Moscow, is conducting research work on campus with UMD chemistry professors, Robert Carlson and Ron Caple. He began his work in July and will be here during fall quarter.

FACULTY NEWS

John Adams was a discussant for a paper entitled "Early Years of Transportation in Sao Paulo" presented at the annual meetings of the North Central Conference of Latin Americanists held at St. Cloud State University, October 15-16.

On October 13, Thomas Bacig, Dean Crawford, Mel Fratzke and John Verrill made presentations at the in-service training workshop for Carlton County teachers held in Cloquet.

Lorraine Bissonett, Merle Bryant, Rakel Erickson, Aune Fadum, Verna Norha and Mabel Schauland presented workshops and spoke at the 21st annual conference of The Minnesota Reading Association held in Moorhead on October 1-2. Verna Norha was a recipient of an International Reading Association award at the same meeting.

William Boyce attended the Midwest Museum Conference in Madison, October 4-8, and participated in conference discussions.

John Boyer, Jr., participated in the following meetings: 1) He presented a paper and conducted a workshop on "Determination of Arbitrability in Public Sector Disputes" at a conference conducted by the State of Wisconsin Employment Relations Commission at Lake Geneva on August 16. 2) On September 10, Dr. Boyer spoke on "How to Retain Your Sanity as a Supervisor" at the North Central Association of Credit Union's conference at Telemark Lodge. 3) He also presented a paper on "Positive Employee Relations" at the Central States Regional Conference of the American Public Welfare Association in St. Paul on September 14.

James Brutger will be attending the National Council of Art Administrators Conference in New Orleans on November 10-13.

On June 26, Rakel Erickson spoke on "Norse Mythology and Folktales" at the annual convention of Sönnfjord Leget in Superior, and from July 5-8, she attended View Points, an International Convention on Children's Literature, at Kutztown State College, Kutztown, Pennsylvania.

Aune Fadum conducted a teacher workshop with Dave Martinson in Cloquet on October 13. The topic of the workshop was "Primary Reading Books on Indian Culture." She also attended the Pre-Book Week Conference at the University of Minnesota, Twin Cities Campus, on October 19-20.

William Gemeinhardt attended the District 4 Conference of Phi Delta Kappa in Lincoln, Nebraska on October 14-16. District 4 includes the states of Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado. He was elected District 4 representative to the Task Force on Governance of the International Fraternity.

James Gillespie attended the Carolinas' Symposium on British Studies on October 2-3 at Boone, North Carolina where he spoke on "The Avowries of Chester." He also attended the Ohio Conference on Medieval and Renaissance Studies held in Cleveland, October 11-13, where he chaired one of the sessions and was elected to serve on the Organizing Committee.

Craig Grau, Harry Lease and Dale Olsen participated in the annual meeting of the Minnesota Political Science Association at Bethel College, St. Paul, October 16. The conference theme was "Good Teaching....What is it? How do we evaluate it for purposes of tenure, salary and promotion decisions and for purposes of its improvement?"

Donald Harriss and Vincent Magnuson attended the American Chemical Society Centennial meeting in San Francisco on August 30-September 3, and the ACS Division of Chemical Education Workshop on Computers in Chemistry at the University of California, Santa Cruz, August 28-29. They also visited with chemists at Pomona College on August 27 concerning an information science project in Medicinal Chemistry.

Acting Provost Robert Heller and Julian Hoshal, director of campus relations, appeared at the Rotary Club of Duluth luncheon on September 23 to show the new University film, "Reaching Out," and to answer questions about UMD.

David Hollister served as workshop facilitator for the Institute on Technical Assistance in Criminal Justice held at Washburn University in Topeka, Kansas, October 20-22.

Campus Relations Director Julian Hoshal and staff hosted the fall quarter meeting of University relations representatives from five campuses at a two-day conference at Spirit Mountain, September 30-November 1.

Klaus Jankofsky participated in the following meetings: 1) The Popular Culture Association, South held in Knoxville, Tennessee on October 7-9 where he spoke on "Public Executions in England in the Late Middle Ages: the Indignity and Dignity of Death," and 2) the Ohio Medieval and Renaissance Conference in Cleveland, October 11-13, where he spoke on "The Inner Unity of the South English Legendary."

Nancy Joseph, Julian Hoshal, Roland Lovstad and George Starr attended the Minnesota Education Association convention in Minneapolis, October 21-22, and greeted alumni at the UMD booth.

Matti Kaups gave a paper on "Norwegian Fishermen on Lake Superior: Relocation Diffusion and Adaptation of Fishing Technologies," at the 1976 annual meeting of the American Society for Ethnohistory on October 9 in Albuquerque.

Vincent Magnuson attended the American Chemical Society Fourth Biennial Conference on Chemical Education at Madison, August 9-12.

John Ness began this year's Supervisor's Training Program for Eveleth Taconite by speaking at two meetings on September 23 and 30. His topics were, "Changing Attitudes Through Communication," and "Communicating Management's Point of View." He will conclude his portion of the series next spring when he speaks on "Non-Verbal Communication Behavior and Management."

Salima Omer spoke on "Islam as a Social Order with Special Reference to Women in Islam" in the series on World Religions at the First Unitarian Church, Duluth, in October.

Robin Poynor will be attending an African Studies Association meeting in Boston on November 2-6.

Roger Schultz attended the Speech Association of Minnesota Conference on September 24-25. Mr. Schultz gave a presentation and served as the chairman for a panel entitled "What Not to Do in the MSHSL One-Act Play Contest." In addition to these activities, he was named chairman of SAM's Drama Task Force and editor of the SAM Newsletter.

David Mayo attended a Conference on Philosophy for Law and Medicine sponsored by the departments of philosophy at Kalamazoo College and Western Michigan University, October 15. He presented a paper on "Euthanasia and the Harvard Definition of Brain Death."

Lawrence Syck and Dwaine Tallent attended meetings of the Small Business Institute held in Chicago, October 7-8.

Dwaine Tallent attended a conference on Corporate Social Responsibility sponsored by the Catholic University and Columbia University and held in Washington, D.C., in June 1976.

SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED-----To Thomas Nylen on the death of his father on October 9.

NEWEST ARRIVALS-----Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barnstorf are the parents of a baby boy, Matthew Thomas, born on October 5.....Dr. and Mrs. William Fleischman are the parents of a baby girl, Elizabeth Anne, born on October 18.

PUBLICATIONS

An article, "The Relationship Between Teacher/Student Attitudes and the Competency Levels of Sixth Grade Students," by Charles Gilbert, head of the Elementary Education Department, and Dwight Cooper in Extension Services at Iowa State University, appeared in the October, 1976 issue of School Science and Mathematics.

William J. Krossner's review of the books, The Poverty of Power: Energy and the Economic Crisis and What Do You Say to a Hungry World?, appeared in the Sunday, October 17, Duluth News-Tribune.

"The Magic of Theatre" is the title of an article by Roger Schultz which was published in Voices, a quarterly journal published by the Southwest Minnesota Arts and Humanities Council. Mr. Schultz also had another article published: "...Enough to Make a Director Swear," which was the third of a series of three articles entitled "Piece by Piece," in the May/June issue of Dramatics, a publication of the International Thespian Society.

UNITED WAY FUND DRIVE-----UMD's quota for 1976-77 is \$17,500. Currently, faculty and staff members have pledged 51% of this goal. Please turn in your pledge card to your representative as soon as possible. (R. Hoover)

NEW STAFF APPOINTMENTS

Harriet J. Blitzer - Research Specialist, Sociology-Anthropology (fall quarter) and Lecturer, English (winter quarter), College of Letters and Science. Miss Blitzer received the B.A. degree at the Brooklyn College of CUNY and is working on her Ph.D. at Indiana University. She has also attended the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago and the American School of Classical Studies at Athens. She has been an associate instructor at Indiana University and recently was a staff member on the Italian-American Excavations in Italy.

Sister Shirley Caicco - Teaching Assistant, School of Social Development. Sister Shirley Caicco received the B.A./B.S.W. degrees at Lakehead University, Thunder Bay, and also received a Diploma in Social Development from Saint Francis Xavier University, Canada and has attended Laurentian University, Sudbury, Ontario. She was a research coordinator at Lakehead University last year. She has also worked in areas of community development and social leadership in Guatemala, Central America.

Ellen K. Freeman - Teaching Assistant, Psychology, College of Education. Ms. Freeman received the B.S. in Ed. degree at Central Michigan University. Most recently she has worked in planning at the Arrowhead Regional Development Commission.

John P. Mahan - Research Assistant, Graduate Studies, Business Administration, School of Business and Economics. Mr. Mahan received the B.B.A. degree at the University of Wisconsin-Madison and has also attended UWS. He is currently an administrator for an electric company in Superior.

Scott M. Navin - Administrative Fellow I, School of Social Development. Mr. Navin received the B.S.E.E. degree at Oregon State University. He has been a clinical associate at the Psychiatric Day Treatment Center, University of Oregon Medical School.

Reverend James R. Reinardy - Research Assistant, School of Social Development. Father Reinardy received the A.A. degree at Crosier Seminary, B.A. at St. Paul Seminary and M.A. at the College of St. Thomas. He has been pastor/administrator at Our Lady of Sacred Heart Church, Cloquet, and previously was director of the Office of Social Concern for the Duluth Diocese.

New Agricultural Extension Service Staff

Kathy Oeltjenbruns - Associate County Extension Agent. Miss Oeltjenbruns received her B.S. in General Home Economics, Extension from the University of Minnesota, Twin Cities Campus. She replaces Debbie McDermott, who resigned to accept a similar position in Watonwan County.

Robert M. Olen - Associate Agent, appointed July 1, 1976. Mr. Olen graduated from UMD with a B.A. degree in biology in 1972. He has done advanced work in food science at the Twin Cities Campus and the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He is a former employee of the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and has had work related experience in agriculture and horticulture.

Linda J. Salmela - Acting Associate County Extension Agent. Miss Salmela graduated from the University of Minnesota, College of Home Economics, in 1972 with a B.S. in Home Economics Education. She has been teaching home economics for the past four years. She will be temporarily replacing Kay Klicker Leadholm who is on maternity leave.

TO FACULTY ----- Please inform the Alumni Office of your participation in the upcoming Campus Preview program on Friday, November 5. Each department should have a representative's name to Nancy Joseph as soon as possible, Extension 8197. (N. Joseph)

University staff members are invited to submit notices or brief news items for publication in the UMD Newsletter. Faculty News Report forms are available in department offices for this purpose if you wish to use them. The Newsletter is published on Thursdays, five times each academic quarter, starting on Thursday of the first week of classes each quarter. Send your items to Mae Nelson, Provost's Office, 515 Administration Building, or call 7102 for information.



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Time</u>
October 20–Nov 17		Exhibit of work by UMD Art Faculty	Tweed Museum	
28	Th	Geology Seminar: "Stromatolites and Stratigraphy of the Precambrian" – Dr. M. A. Semikhatov, Geological Institute, Moscow, USSR	LSci 185	3:30 p.m.
29	F	Biology Seminar: "Control of Genetic Engineering" – Stephen Hedman Chemistry Seminar: "Uses of Highly Reactive Metal Powders in Organometallic Synthesis" – Dr. Reuben D. Rieke, North Dakota State	LSci 175 Chem 246	2:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m.
		Men's Swim Meet: UMD, Northland College, UWS	PE Bldg	5:00 p.m.
30	S	Women's Volleyball: UMD, Mankato, UW–Stout, UWS, Lakehead, College of St. Catherine Football: UMD vs St. Thomas Special Halloween Film Event	PE Bldg Griggs Field K Ballroom	10:00 a.m. 1:30 p.m. 6 p.m. – 12
31	Su	Planetarium Show: "Canyons of the Earth and Mars" Special Halloween Film Event	MWAP K Ballroom	2:00 p.m. 6 p.m. – 12
November 1	M	UMD Women's Club Meeting	Campus Club	7:45 p.m.
2	T	Brown Bag School: Section 2 – "Assertiveness" Women's Volleyball: UMD vs St. Cloud State	K 311 PE Bldg	12:05 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
3	W	"Town Meets Gown" Kiwanis Luncheon Brown Bag School: Section 1 – "Assertiveness" Film: "Trip"	Hotel Duluth K 250 BohH 90	12:00 noon 12:05 p.m. 7:30 p.m.
4	Th	Brown Bag School: "Human Genetics"	PE 136	12:05 p.m.

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November 4	Th	Brown Bag School: Section 2 - "Assertiveness"	K 311	12:05 p.m.
		Geology Seminar: "Upper Precambrian Mineral Fork Tillite, Utah, A Glacial and Glaciomarine Sequence" - Richard Ojakangas	LSci 185	3:30 p.m.
5	F	Campus Preview for high school seniors & parents	BohH 90	12:30 p.m.
		Biology Seminar: "Host-Fungal Relationships of Stem-Rot Disease in Wild Rice" - Mary Nord	LSci 175	2:30 p.m.
		Chemistry Seminar: "Fast Fourier Transform NMR Spectroscopy with Applications in Carbon-13 Studies of Substituted Triazines" - Dr. Frederic Reynolds, Michigan Tech	Chem 246	3:30 p.m.
		Hockey: UMD vs Wisconsin	Duluth Arena	8:00 p.m.
		Film: "Four Musketeers"	BohH 90	8:00 p.m.
6	S	Hockey: UMD vs Wisconsin	Duluth Arena	7:30 p.m.
7	Su	Planetarium Show: "Canyons of the Earth and Mars"	MWAP	2:00 p.m.
		KPB Convocation: "American Foreign Policy" - Don Luce	K Ballroom	8:00 p.m.
		Film: "Four Musketeers"	BohH 90	8:00 p.m.
10	W	Brown Bag School: Section 1 - "Assertiveness"	K 250	12:05 p.m.
		Film: "Drive He Said"	BohH 90	7:30 p.m.
11	Th	Brown Bag School: "Human Genetics"	PE 136	12:05 p.m.
		Brown Bag School: Section 2 - "Assertiveness"	K 311	12:05 p.m.
		UMD Theatre: "Celebration"	MPAC	8:15 p.m.
12	F	Biology Seminar: "Effect of Coal Leachate on Lake Superior Periphyton" - Steven Anderson	LSci 175	2:30 p.m.
		Chemistry Seminar: "Reactions of Tertiary Amine-Oxides" - Larry Heinis, UMD	Chem 246	3:30 p.m.
		Film: "And Now for Something Completely Different"	BohH 90	8:00 p.m.
		UMD Theatre: "Celebration"	MPAC	8:15 p.m.
12,13		Women's State Volleyball Tournament	PE Bldg and Fieldhouse	2 p.m. (12) 9 a.m. (13)
13	S	Football: UMD vs Michigan Tech	Griggs Field	1:30 p.m.
		Concert: Duluth-Superior Symphony Orchestra Aaron Rosand, violinist	Duluth Aud	8:00 p.m.
		UMD Theatre: "Celebration"	MPAC	8:15 p.m.
14	Su	Planetarium Show: "Canyons of Earth and Mars"	MWAP	2:00 p.m.
		Dinner and Square Dance for Foreign Students and Faculty	Univ U Meth Ch	5:00 p.m.
		Film: "And Now for Something Completely Different"	BohH 90	8:00 p.m.

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November 17	W	Tweed Museum Gift Shop Sale UMD Theatre: "Celebration" - Matinee performance for high school students	Tweed MPAC	9:30 a.m. 1:00 p.m.
18	Th	Readings: Harlan Ellison Senate Meeting Geology Seminar: "The Denali Fault, Alaska - A Possible Plate Boundary" - Dr. Campbell Craddock, UW-Madison Harlan Ellison - "A Boy and His Dog" UMD Theatre: "Celebration"	K Lounge Regents Rm LSci 185 K Ballroom MPAC	12 noon 3:15 p.m. 3:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 8:15 p.m.
19	F	Biology Seminar: "An Avifaunal Assessment of Lower St. Louis Bay-A Progress Report" - Tom Davis Chemistry Seminar: "Organoaluminum Chemistry" - Elizabeth Durhan, and "The Associative Behavior of Sodium Dodecyl Sulfate" - James Gatz Film: "A Boy and His Dog" Hockey: UMD vs Colorado College UMD Theatre: "Celebration"	LSci 175 Chem 246 BohH 90 Duluth Arena MPAC	2:30 p.m. 3:30 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 8:15 p.m.
19-20		Zenith City Debate Tournament	Kirby Rooms	Begin 2:30 on Friday
20	S	Women's Relay Swim Meet Hockey: UMD vs Colorado College UMD Theatre: "Celebration"	PE Bldg Duluth Arena MPAC	1:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 8:15 p.m.
20-22		Exhibit: Student Art for Annual Auction Student Art Auction - Monday, Nov 22	Tweed Tweed	7:00 p.m.
21	Su	Planetarium Show: "Canyons of Earth and Mars" UMD Theatre: "Celebration"	MWAP MPAC	2:00 p.m. 8:15 p.m.