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David Grebel named extended ed. director

DAVID GREBEL, FORMERLY TCU'S printing services manager, has been named director of extended education. His appointment will begin Aug. 25.

"I am thrilled," says David. "The department of extended education has an outstanding reputation for quality and service."

Before joining TCU as printing services manager in 1993, David worked as director of the Community GoodGuy Program for Graphics 2 in Rock Spring, Ga., and was a minister for both the Peavine Baptist Church in Georgia and the Lakeview Baptist Church in Fort Worth. David has been involved in community service for more than 14 years.

A 1977 graduate of Baylor University with a bachelor's degree in history, David also holds a master of divinity degree and a master of arts degree in religious education from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

His numerous awards include the John Collier Award from the First Texas Council of Camp Fire for outstanding contributions to finance and business in 1997 and the Proffer Award for outstanding contribution to the mission of student affairs. David serves on the board of directors for the First Texas Council of Camp Fire. He was a member of National Society of Fund Raising Executives, and a volunteer chaplain coordinator for the Tarrant County AIDS Interfaith Network.

The office of extended education will vacate Sadler 212 some time this month and relocate to the house at 2901 Princeton St. The gray two-story was the Alumni House until those offices moved into the new Kelly Center last fall. ♦

Main revamped, Pit eliminated

FOOD SERVICE IN THE MAIN RESUMES today after a week's hiatus. During that time, some changes have been made.

All food service in the basement of the Student Center has now been eliminated. The move was largely economic, according to Roger Fisher, director of residential services. Lack of ventilation and pedestrian traffic were factors influencing the decision to close The Pit. Staples, the lower level convenience store, has been relocated to former office space behind the cash register and conveyor belt area of The Main.

Although breakfast service will remain essentially unchanged, The Main has expanded its food selections during the remainder of the day. Jim Fjelstul, manager of campus dining services, says that, in addition to a choice of hot entrees, including vegetarian meals, and made-to-order deli items, selections will include rotisserie chicken, salads and yogurt sold by container size instead of by weight, pre-wrapped or cooked-to-order hamburgers and exhibition cooking varying daily (omelets, wok bar, pasta bar, etc.).

"Wraps," a new concept in the retail food industry, will also be added to the lineup at The Main. These are a selection of sandwich fillings, wrapped tortilla-like in a variety of flavored bread shells.

Hours of service have been extended from 7 a.m. to midnight Mondays through Thursdays, with earlier closings on weekend nights. Changes at The Main are intended to provide "more variety, longer hours and faster service," Jim says.

Also new this fall is the addition of a sub sandwich outlet on the first floor of Dan Rogers Hall. The facility will operate from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. weekdays, serving bagels, juice and coffee in the morning and, throughout the day, sub sandwiches and frozen yogurt.

Dining service at Worth Hills, Edens Green, The Grind and Pizza Hut will remain unchanged, while Edens North will provide an all-you-can-eat alternative to those seeking larger portions. ♦

TIAA-CREF tax exemption repealed

A COLLEGE-RELATED TAX BILL approved late last month by Congress may offer breaks on funding for students, but it raises other concerns for faculty and staff looking toward retirement.

The tax exemption was repealed on higher education's biggest pension provider, the Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association-College Retirement Equities Fund. According to an Aug. 8 article in *The Chronicle of Higher Education*, officials of TIAA-CREF have predicted that revoking the company's non-profit status would reduce its payouts to the nearly two million academics whose pension funds it manages, and it lobbied intensively in an unsuccessful effort to save the exemption.

For further information on the impact of this change, TIAA-CREF has developed

EVENTS

Now-Aug. 31

"Peru Before the Incas" exhibit, Mary Coats Burnett Library.

Aug. 15

Prudential representative Catherine Stradinger on campus. Call for an appointment. *

Aug. 17-19

New Student Orientation, session 6.

Aug. 19-21

New Student Orientation, session 7.

Aug. 19

Harris HMO representative Jill Parker on campus. Call for an appointment. *

Pep Rally preview featuring food, games, drinks, etc., 6:30 p.m., Frog Fountain.

Campus-wide Pep Rally, 7:30 p.m., steps of Student Center.

Howdy Week kick-off concert featuring the band Watusi who play reggae music, 8 p.m., Frog Fountain.

Aug. 20

Howdy Week Film: *Liar, Liar*, 9 p.m., Student Center ballroom. Free.

Aug. 21

Faculty/University Staff Luncheon, 11:30 a.m., Student Center ballroom. Call ext. 7808 for more information.

Howdy Week Barbeque and Music, 5-8 p.m., Rickel Building. Free to the TCU community.

Aug. 23

Howdy Week event featuring hypnotist Rich Ames, 9 p.m., Student Center ballroom. Free.

Aug. 25-26

Merchant's Fair, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Student Center lounge.

Aug. 25

Classes begin.

Faculty Center opens for lunch.

Federal Work/Study Job Fair, 3-5 p.m., Student Center ballroom.

*Call human resources at ext. 7790 for more information.

a Q&A forum on their web page located at www.tiaa-cref.org. According to John Weis (human resources), TIAA-CREF has indicated its intention to provide participants with additional information in a timely manner.

TIAA-CREF is one of two basic retirement plans offered by TCU (the other is Pension Fund of the Christian Church.) Faculty and University staff with two years service and employed a minimum of 1,000 hours per year are eligible to participate.

For a more detailed explanation of the TIAA-CREF situation, call John Weiss at ext. 7790. ♦

Ballet offers fall dance classes for children

SUSAN HAIGLER-ROBLES, DIRECTOR of the Young Dancers Program (ballet and modern dance), has announced the fall schedule. Creative movement classes for pre-schoolers are scheduled for 10-10:30 a.m. Saturdays from Sept. 20-Nov. 22. Kindergarten classes will meet from 10:30 to 11:15 a.m. on the same dates. Pre-ballet for first and second graders is set for 5 to 6 p.m. Thursdays, from Sept. 18-Nov. 20. Tuition is \$110, with a 50% discount for TCU faculty and staff.

Susan describes the curriculum as using the natural movements of children to explore the relationship of motion to the arts, sciences, math, language skills and cultural dance forms. A TCU assistant professor of modern dance since 1993, Susan was the founding director of the Creative Dance Lab, a children's creative movement and modern dance program through the University of Maryland.

To register, contact TCU extended education at (817) 921-7130. ♦

Fort Worth Police storefront on Berry

FORT WORTH POLICE WILL NOW BE more accessible to campus thanks to a storefront now open at 2900 W. Berry.

The officers associated with the project, which is funded by TCU, will work with the TCU campus as well as the surrounding neighborhood.

"This project is in the best interest of the whole area," said Officer Matt Welch, who will be one of three Fort Worth officers working out of the office. "The

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TCU community will have the benefits of added security and a nearby backup for campus police, and Fort Worth Police will have a direct presence on Berry."

Welch says he hopes this presence will decrease the decline of Berry Street and help revitalize the area in general.

Residents of the neighborhood are also to benefit from the project, and Welch invites anyone who has questions or needs to file a report to come in. The phone number for the new storefront is 923-1720.

An open house will be held at the facility on Wednesday, Aug. 20 from 4-6 p.m. Chancellor Bill Tucker and Vice-Chancellor Don Mills will speak at the 5 p.m. dedication. ♦

Faculty Center opens for lunch Aug. 25

THE FACULTY CENTER, LOCATED ON the second floor of Reed Hall, will resume regular lunchtime service on the first day of classes, Monday, Aug. 25. Hot entrees, soup, salads and sandwiches are available between 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. each class day. ♦

Faculty/staff luncheon kicks off school year

APPROXIMATELY 575 FACULTY members and University staff are expected to attend the annual opening luncheon Aug. 21 in the Student Center ballroom. Buffet lines open at 11:30 a.m., with the program beginning at noon.

Chancellor Tucker will preside. Speakers include Bob Vigeland, chairman of the faculty senate, and Andy Mitchell, president of the student house of representatives.

Faculty and University staff who have joined TCU in the past year will be introduced by their respective vice chancellors and changes of assignment will be announced. ♦

DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to Harva Miller (Frog Club) and her family in the death of her son, Brandon, on July 25. Services were held in Fort Worth on July 29.

Sympathy is also extended to the family of John W. Cox (Honorary Board of Trustees member) who passed away July 27. Graveside services were held in Fort Worth on July 30.

Sympathy is also extended to Telete Lawrence (professor emeritus of speech pathology) in the death of her husband, Ernest, on July 26. Mr. Lawrence was a former faculty member in the school of fine arts. Services were held July 30 in Fort Worth.

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE: 1990 Chrysler New Yorker, white exterior, burgundy leather upholstery, loaded, excellent condition. \$6,500. Call ext. 6052 or Metro 498-8623 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE: Danish teak dining room set from Bova of Dallas — 40-inch round pedestal table converts to 57-inch oval with contained butterfly leaf, four solid teak curved-back chairs with ecru cotton upholstered seats; 31x15x78 china cabinet with lighted glass display and adjustable glass shelves above and one drawer and adjustable shelf cabinet below. All like new. Paid \$4,000, will sell for \$2,800 cash. Call (817) 534-3096.

HOME TO SHARE: Private 1- or 2- room and bath suite available with separate entrance and telephone, full house access including washer and dryer. Close to campus. Looking for mature, responsible, neat, quiet female non-smoker. Rent negotiable, minimum \$350 or more, depending on requirements for space, furniture, entertaining, etc. Call Vicki at 332-2580, extension 246 and leave message if necessary.

FOR SALE: 1987 Chevy Suburban. MUST SELL! \$4,000, or best offer. Call Roger at ext. 5459 or 263-0092.

FOR SALE: Charming older home, 3-bedroom, 2-bath, \$185,000. Call for appointment. 923-6666.

FOR SALE: Maytag side-by-side refrigerator, almond color, \$900; sofa and matching club chair, \$300; cocktail table and matching end tables, \$175; Broyhill formal living sofa, new, \$500; Curtis Mathes cabinet TV set, \$200; two brass lamps, \$90; Curtis Mathis pecan cabinet TV, radio, stereo, entertainment center, \$250; Atari computer and printer, \$100; Kenmore heavy duty plus white washer, good condition, \$200. Call ext. 6052 or metro 498-8623 after 5 p.m.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The human resources office lists the following vacancies as of Aug. 4. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

Coordinator, Neeley Student Resource Center — School of Business
Reference/Bibliographic Instruction Librarian — MCB Library
Acquisitions Librarian — MCB Library
Assistant to the Dean (75%) — Harris College of Nursing
Assistant/Program Director/Tennis Professional — Athletics, Tennis Center
Assistant Basketball Coach — Athletics
Scholarship Application Evaluator — Tandy Tech Scholars
Admissions Information Services Manager — Admissions
Manager, Academic Progress Services — Registrar
Assistant Director of Facility Services — Facility Services
Systems Analyst — Information Services
Programmer Analyst — Information Services
Tutor/Coordinator — Student Support Services
Coordinator/Counselor — Student Support Services
Administrative Assistant I — Men's Basketball
Administrative Assistant I — Curriculum & Instruction
Administrative Assistant I — Advancement
Administrative Assistant I — Admissions
Library Stacks Assistant — Library
Stewardship (Events) Specialist — Advancement
Word Processing Specialist — Technical Services
Computer Support Specialist II — Technical Services
Security Guard (75%) — Campus Police
Craft Tech Supervisor I/HVAC — Physical Plant
Craft Tech Supervisor II/Plumber — Physical Plant
Craft Tech I/HVAC — Physical Plant
Craft Tech II/General Maintenance — Physical Plant
Service Assistant III — Facility Services
Service Assistant I — Facility Services