

# TCU THIS WEEK



EVENTS AND INFORMATION FOR THE TCU COMMUNITY

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## AddRan College of Humanities and Social Sciences names Emeritus Faculty Council

EIGHTEEN EMERITUS FACULTY MEMBERS have been named to serve on the first AddRan Emeritus Faculty Council. The group, which will meet once each year, will serve in an advisory capacity to the dean and college on institutional history and other AddRan-related issues.

"The Emeritus Faculty Council will be a most valued source of counsel because they bring a perspective to issues that students, community representatives and current faculty cannot," said **Mary Volcansek**, dean of AddRan College of Humanities and Social Sciences. "This is particularly important for a university like TCU that has such a long, rich tradition."

The Council is the college's fourth advisory group, joining the Dean's Student Advisory Council, AddRan Board of Visitors and the college's department chairs.

AddRan's Emeritus Faculty Council members, and their respective academic departments, include:

- Paul Boller** - history
- Comer Clay** - political science
- Betsy Colquitt** - English
- Floyd Durham Jr.** - economics
- Elvira Hernandez Harris-Rogers** - Spanish
- Ted Klein Jr.** - philosophy
- Kenneth Lawrence** - religion
- Grady McWhinney** - history
- Margaret McWhorter** - design, merchandising and textiles
- Ben Proctor** - history
- William Ray** - geology
- Frank Reuter** - history
- Gary Tate** - English
- Priscilla Tate** - English
- C. Richard Watts** - economics
- Paul Wassenich** - religion
- Donald Worcester** - history
- John Wortham** - economics ♦

## Stay-In-School Summit aims to mobilize community

FOR THE 2001-02 SCHOOL YEAR, 684 FWISD students were classified as dropouts by the Texas Education Agency. The Stay-In-School Summit, set for 7:30 - 11 a.m. Tuesday at Round-Up Inn, will bring together business leaders and concerned citizens from the Fort Worth area to discuss strategies for combating the dropout problem.

## EVENTS

### Now - Oct. 25

Art exhibit featuring portraits by Angilee Wilkerson.\*\*\*

### Today

TCU Wind Symphony concert, **Bobby Francis** conducting, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.\*

### Oct. 16

Wellness Wednesday brown bag luncheon, **Sally Hampton** (nutrition) will speak on "Building a Firm Foundation," noon - 1 p.m., Student Center room 207. Call ext. 7529 for more information.

Le Cercle Français, TCU's French Club coffee hour, Burnett Café (in the lobby of Mary Coats Burnett Library), 3 p.m. Call ext. 6366.

Men's Soccer vs. UAB, 3 p.m., Garvey-Rosenthal Soccer Stadium.\*\*

KinoMonda World Film Series, *The Devil's Backbone* (Spain), 7 p.m., Sid Richardson LH 1. Call ext. 7292 for information.

### Oct. 17-19

TCU Studio Theatre presents *Two Feet Away and Shouting*, 5 p.m., Studio Theatre. Free. Call ext. 5770 for reservations.

### Oct. 17

Chancellor's Council on Diversity monthly luncheon forum featuring Regina K. Nicholson, topic is "Healing the Hate," 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., Chancellor's Dining Room, Student Center, free and open to faculty and staff. Call ext. 7796 for reservations.

Brite Divinity School is hosting the fifth annual Gates of Chai Lectureship featuring Susan Estrich

Organized by the Fort Worth Stay-In-School Initiative, chaired by **Chancellor Michael R. Ferrari**, the summit seeks to examine ways to mobilize business, civic, faith-based and community leaders, as well as educators, parents and concerned citizens to get personally involved to help students stay in school, primarily by forging a mentoring relationship with a young person. College students are also encouraged to attend, as "they make excellent mentors," according to Andra Bennett of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce.

The goal of the Stay-In-School Initiative, is to encourage adults to help all students, especially those at risk of dropping out due to poverty, pregnancy, high mobility rate and other issues successfully complete the requirements for graduation from high school. The summit is part of the Initiative's Six Point Strategy for eradicating the dropout problem in FWISD, designed to encourage community involvement. Attendees at the summit will have the opportunity to visit

speaking on "Power, Politics and Social Justice in Contemporary Judaism." Reserved seating \$35 per person, general admission \$15 in advance and \$20 at door, faculty/staff \$10, students and youth free with ID. Call ext. 7626 for reservations.

RTVF Film Series presents *The Corn is Green* (1945) starring Bette Davis, Moudy Bldg. 164S, 7 p.m. Call ext. 7630 for information.

### Oct. 18

Women's Soccer vs. South Florida, 3 p.m., Garvey-Rosenthal Soccer Stadium.\*\*

Frog Madness Basketball Tip-off, 7 p.m., Daniel-Meyer Coliseum. Scrimmages by men's and women's basketball teams and a chance to match their skills. Free.

Guest organ recital featuring Douglas Cleveland, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.\*

### Oct. 20

Men's Soccer vs. East Carolina, 1 p.m., Garvey-Rosenthal Soccer Stadium.\*\*

### Oct. 21

Women's Soccer vs. Hawaii, 4 p.m., Garvey-Rosenthal Soccer Stadium.\*\*

"An Evening of Gershwin" at Bass Performance Hall with TCU Jazz Ensemble, Wind Symphony, Symphony Orchestra, Choral Union, dancers, 8:15 p.m. Tickets \$10-\$25, call 817-212-4280.

\*Call the School of Music at ext. 7602.

\*\*Call the athletic ticket office at ext. 7967.

\*\*\*Call the dept. of art/art history at ext. 7643.

with more than 30 local mentoring and youth service providers to learn about how to get involved.

Attendees will hear from Terry Jones, a former at-risk student and his mentor, Jim Brock; Dr. Felipe Alanis, commissioner of the Texas Education Agency; and Dr. Thomas Tocco, FWISD superintendent. Following the formal program, guests will be able to speak with representatives from mentoring groups. Admission to the summit is free; the event is sponsored by Bank One. ♦

## Counseling Center offering suicide intervention skills

AN APPLIED SUICIDE INTERVENTION Skills Training (ASIST) workshop is scheduled on campus from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Nov. 18-19. The session counts toward 14 hours of continuing education.

**Monica Kintigh** (counseling center) reminds that the sessions are free to TCU faculty and staff, \$100 to outside participants. "Participation in this (Turn to ASIST on Page 2)

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workshop provides the non-professional with the tools to recognize and estimate risk, and become more effective in helping people who are at risk of attempting suicide."

It is suitable for faculty, university support staff, counselors, mental health professionals, nurses, physicians, police, clergy and community volunteers.

For more information, or to reserve a space in the workshop, contact Monica at ext. 7863 or m.kintigh@tcu.edu. ♦

## New TCU Jazz CD on sale

TCU JAZZ ENSEMBLE HAS RELEASED ITS first CD on a professional jazz label (Sea Breeze Records of Los Angeles). The classic mix includes recordings from performances in Ed Landreth Auditorium over the past two years, including guest appearances by Bill Watrous, Dr. Shelton Berg and the late Conte Candoli.

Music runs the gamut from Count Basie, Thelonious Monk, Neal Hefti, Stan Kenton and Duke Ellington to the special TCU arrangement of *America the Beautiful*.

The CD, priced at \$15, is available at the TCU Band office, Ed Landreth, rm. 310, or call **Toni Parker** at ext. 7640. ♦

## No flu shots available at Health Center this year

HUMAN RESOURCES HAS announced that, due to new federal privacy regulations and a limited amount of vaccine, flu shots will no longer be available to faculty, staff and retirees at the TCU Health Center. Flu

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shots are available at various locations in the Fort Worth area.

United Healthcare and PacifiCare insurance plans cover flu shots given by an individual's physician. ♦

## KUDOS

**LARRY MARKLEY** (STUDENT CENTER), attending the recent central region regional conference of National Association for Campus Activities in Tulsa, presented the Markley Award to Thomas Hailey of Central Missouri State University. The award was established in 1984 to honor Larry for his efforts in founding the South Central Region of NACA in 1975. It is presented each year to professional staff members of NACA who have given outstanding time and effort to the organization.

THE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION RECENTLY appointed **Dr. Stephen Wels** to a three-year term as the William L. Adams endowed chair.

## NEW FACES

**Michele T. Alford** has joined the theater department as costume studio supervisor and adjunct professor. She has a B.A. in fine arts from the University of North Texas and has worked as a catering manager for La Madeleine, Inc.

**Cynthia M. Bell** is a new administrative assistant at the Neeley School. She formerly worked at Jubilee Trailhouse.

**Amie Blaschke** has been hired as program coordinator for the TCU Leadership Center in student development services. She is a graduate of Virginia Tech College of Forestry, majoring in natural resource recreation, and a graduate of the National Outdoor Leadership School.

**David E. Dowell** has been hired as horticultural assistant in physical plant.

**Ashley Ferguson** has joined the College of Communication as administrative assistant to the Dean. A graduate of Howard Payne University, she was formerly employed by Daimler Chrysler Financial.

**Sergio Ferrer** has joined facility services as a service assistant (moving crew).

**Arlon Howard** is new to the Center for Instructional Services as an instructional design assistant. He has a B.B.A. degree in computer information systems and previously worked as a web designer at UNT.

**Beverly (Bunny) Ridgeway** has been hired as director of MBA alumni relations for the Neeley School. She is a TCU graduate and was last employed as development director for The Warm Place.

**Janice Shields** has joined admissions as data control specialist. She has an associate's degree in office management and formerly worked at H&R Block Tax Service.

**Arturo Yepiz** is a new equipment operator

in physical plant. He has worked at Palm Harbor Homes and was a temporary groundskeeper here at TCU.

**Amanda Zimmerman** has been hired as facility coordinator at TCU Globalcenter. She has a bachelor's degree in international relations and was last employed by Liggett Group.

## BIRTHS

Congratulations to **Pamela Mullnax** (chemistry) on the birth of her granddaughter, Zoe Alysen-Marie Detrick on Oct. 7. She weighed 6 lbs. and was 18" long.

Congratulations to **Micah Marin** (financial aid) on the birth of his daughter, Laela Amelie, on Sept. 20. She weighed 7 lbs. 12.5 oz. and was 18.5" long.

## DEATH

Sympathy is extended to the family of **Ralph Glenn** (trustee) who passed away on Oct. 3. Services were held Oct. 7 at University Christian Church.

Sympathy is also extended to **Bunny Ridgeway** (Neeley) in the death of her husband, David Ridgeway, on Oct. 6. Memorial service was held Oct. 8 at University Christian Church.

## CLASSIFIEDS

**NANNY NEEDED:** Nanny for 12-week old infant. Requirements: non-smoker, own transportation, experience with infants, references, licensed/certified (a plus), likes small dogs (2 pugs), able to work 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Mon. - Fri. Call 817-924-9667, fax resume to 817-731-9397, \$100 finder's fee if hired.

**FOR SALE:** 1988 Olds Regency 98 Brougham, one owner, 89K orig. mi., navy blue w/leather interior, automatic, power seats/windows, excellent condition, \$2,000. Call Pat at ext. 6063.

**FOR SALE:** Maple dining set, vintage 1950s, solid wood, round table, 4 chairs, great condition, \$250; GE electric stove, self-cleaning oven, white, \$175. Call Pat at ext. 6063.

**FOR SALE:** 1999 green, Ford Taurus Wagon, 51K miles, lots of extras, very good condition, \$8,500. Call Michelle Fleek at ext. 5168.

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of October 9, 2002. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

Chancellor - Office of the Chancellor  
Accompanist/Ballet/Temporary staff - Ballet/  
Modern Dance  
Postdoctoral Fellow - Chemistry  
Director, Executive MBA Program - Graduate Programs, Neeley School  
Executive Director - University Career Services  
Postdoctoral Fellow - Chemistry  
Equipment Manager - Athletics  
Director Fraternity & Sorority Affairs - Campus Life  
Administrative Program Specialist - Advancement Services  
Registrar's Assistant - Registrar's Office  
Security Guard - Police Department  
EMCS Technician - Physical Plant  
Service Assistant - Facility Services

**Gardening tip from Robert Sulak in physical plant:** October through November is an excellent time to purchase bulbs while there is still a good selection. Bulbs can be planted at any time, except tulips and hyacinths.