

# TCU THIS WEEK



EVENTS AND INFORMATION FOR THE TCU COMMUNITY

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## TCU Press will host annual Autograph Extravaganza to showcase authors, books

READERS AND CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS ARE invited to visit with authors when TCU Press holds its annual Autograph Extravaganza from 4-7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 6, at the Fort Worth Botanic Garden Center. More than 30 authors will be present to visit and sign their books.

Prudence Mackintosh will speak at 5 p.m. about her new book, *Sneaking Out*. As a contributor to *Texas Monthly*, Mackintosh gained a loyal following with her observations on social rites of passage for Texas women and her essays on the rearing of three boys. Her books, *Thundering Sneakers* and *Retreads* chronicle her experiences raising her sons. The new title, *Sneaking Out*, has her observations on the gradual departure of her three sons and parents. In 1996, the University of Texas Press published *Just as We Were: A Narrow Slice of Texas Womanhood*, a collection of her essays on being a woman in Texas. That press is reissuing her previous books simultaneously with publication of *Sneaking Out*.

Other authors attending include **Judy Alter**, Ann Arnold, Dennis Blagg, Jane Bruckner, Barbara Chesser, John Mark Dempsey, Carole Nelson Douglas, John Graves, Art Greenhaw, Rich Haddaway, Billy Hill, Elmer Kelton, Dan Jenkins, James Ward Lee, Elizabeth Lewis, Dave Lieber, Kerry Newcomb, Jane Pattie, Carroll Pickett, James Reasoner, Carlton Stowers, Terry Thompson-Anderson and Bryan Woolley.

The book signing is open to the public, and refreshments will be provided. It is co-sponsored by the Friends of the TCU Library, the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* and the TCU Bookstore. For more information, call Judy Alter at ext. 7822. ♦

## Holiday tree lighting Dec. 4 on steps of Sadler Hall

THE ORDER OF OMEGA'S ANNUAL holiday tree lighting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 4 at 9 p.m. in front of Sadler Hall. The traditional TCU event will feature a visit from **Chancellor and Mrs. Michael Ferrari**, along with Santa and Mrs. Claus.

Highlights of the evening include the lighting of the tree by Chancellor Ferrari, announcement of Junior Panhellenic's "Light the Campus" winners and singing holiday carols.

The evening will conclude with the formation of a human chain to pass donated gifts from underneath the tree to a truck, where representatives from Bank One's "Spirit of Christmas" program will receive them. They will be delivered to Child Protective Services for distribution to children who might not otherwise receive presents during the holiday season. Gift cards for the "Spirit of Christmas" program can be picked up in the Student Center or Tandy Hall between 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. today and tomorrow, as well as next Monday and Tuesday. ♦



## EVENTS

### Today

Faculty recital with **H. Joseph Butler** on organ, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.\*

### Nov. 26

TCU Women's Chorus and Men's Chorale Holiday Concert, Sheri Neill directing, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.\*

### Nov. 27

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.

### Nov. 28 - 29

University offices closed for Thanksgiving holiday.

### Nov. 30

Frog Club pre-game event, noon, Kelly Center, must be a Frog Club member to attend. Food and drinks available for purchase. **Coach Gary Patterson** to speak at 12:30 p.m. Call ext. 7700.

Horned Frog Football vs. Memphis, 2 p.m., Amon Carter Stadium.\*\*

Men's Basketball vs. Washington St., 7:05 p.m., Daniel-Meyer Coliseum.\*\*

### Dec. 2

Faculty recital with **Harold Martina** on piano and **Misha Galaganov** on viola, Ed Landreth Auditorium.\*

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

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

## Assault Prevention Theatre will dramatize date rape situations

TCU POLICE OFFICER **PAM CHRISTIAN** invites faculty and staff to attend next week's free performance of Assault Prevention Theatre ... a unique program aimed at warning young people about potentially dangerous social situations. The program is set for 8 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 3, in Hays Theatre at the Walsh Center and will last less than an hour.

Assault Prevention Theatre is a collaboration between the theatre department and TCU Police, using student actors to depict a date rape scenario. Watching the situation unfold and listening

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to what the characters say to each other has been shown to be a powerful method of getting the message across. Another factor is that the actors remain in character after the skit to answer questions from the audience, which often promotes lively discussions about motivation and culpability.

For more information, call Pam at ext. 7276. ♦

## Thanksgiving alters next TCU This Week deadline

DUE TO THE TWO-DAY HOLIDAY FOR Thanksgiving, copy for the Dec. 7 issue of *TCU This Week* is due by 10 a.m. tomorrow (Nov. 26).

If your office or department has an event scheduled for next week, please be mindful of this deadline when preparing your publicity. Send information to news@tcu.edu or call **Terri Gartner** at ext. 7810. ♦

## Joe Butler's organ recital is tonight

UNIVERSITY ORGANIST **JOE BUTLER** will present a program of "American Organ Music from Three Centuries" at 7:30 p.m. tonight in Ed Landreth Auditorium.

The program includes *The Star Spangled Banner: Concert Variations*; *Wondrous Love: Variations on a Shape-note hymn*,

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*Op. 34; Jubilo: Prelude for Organ; Three Pieces from a Manuscript of Peter Pelham; Sonata in One Movement on "Kalenda Maya" and Charles Ives' Variations on "America."* ♦

## Jazz concert onstage at Ed Landreth next week

THE JAZZ STUDIES PROGRAM WILL present its fall concert at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 5 in Ed Landreth Auditorium. Two big bands will be featured, along with the vocal jazz ensemble. **Joey Carter** is directing.

Program selections include *Machito* by Pete Rugolo, *Taking the "A" Stuff* by Tom Kubis, *All of You* and *Love for Sale* by Cole Porter, *Con Alma* by Dizzy Gillespie and Curt Wilson's arrangement of *A Tribute to Gershwin*, performed at the recent Bass Hall musical event.

Admission to the concert is free. For more information, call ext. 7640. ♦

## University Gallery to show BFA work next week

THE DEPARTMENT OF ART & ART history will exhibit the work of five studio art majors Dec. 2-6 in the University Art Gallery, located in Moudy Bldg. N. Hours are 5 to 7 p.m. Monday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday.

The artists are Chris Michero, Julie Hamer, Leeann Zbichorski, Amanda Mein and Bethia Bundrick. The show includes painting, photography and sculpture. ♦

## KUDOS

TCU SCHOOL OF MUSIC'S **GERMÁN Gutiérrez**, director of orchestral studies, and **John Owings** of the piano faculty will perform with the National Symphony of Peru on Dec. 1. Germán will conduct and John will be featured soloist for Rachmaninov's *Concerto No. 2*.

**Gardening tip from Robert Sulak in physical plant:** Protect your lawn from excessive winter damage by providing irrigation during dry periods.

## DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to the family and friends of **Audrey Campau** (fine arts & communication, retired) who passed away Nov. 15. A memorial service was held Nov. 20 at UCC.

Sympathy is also extended to **Jackie Callanan** (instructional services) in the death of her uncle, Irving Olson, on Nov. 16. Funeral service was held Nov. 19 in Taylor Falls, MN.

Condolences to **Linda H. Taylor** (School of Education) on the loss of her mother, Helen Tamashiro, in Honolulu, Hawaii, on Nov. 21.

## CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE: 1998 Toyota Corolla, VE, 57K mi., 5-speed, air, am/fm/cassette, white with tan cloth interior, new brakes and inspection, \$6,500. Call ext. 7810.

## JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of Nov. 20. 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  
Executive Director - University Career Services  
Equipment Manager - Athletics  
Senior Associate Leadership Gifts - Leadership Gifts/University Advancement  
Director Fraternity & Sorority Affairs - Campus Life  
Hall Director III - Residential Services  
Administrative Assistant - Leadership Gifts/University Advancement  
Administrative Assistant - 50% - University Advancement  
Security Guard - Police Department  
EMCS Technician - Physical Plant  
Service Assistant - Facility Services  
Service Assistant - Residential Services  
Service Assistant - 50% - Facility Services