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School of Education Complex to break ground April 28

THE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION COMPLEX HAS completed its building campaign, exceeding the campaign goal of \$10.2 million, and will break ground on April 28. Gifts ranging from \$100,000 to \$1.75 million were received from individuals, corporations and foundations.

"The campaign for the School of Education building project has been fantastic," said **Dean Sam Deitz**. "It is important that everyone recognize this is a university project - without the help and commitment from Chancellor Boschini, Vice Chancellor Whelan, and the Advancement staff, we would not be reaching our goal. The faculty, staff, students and alumni of the School of Education are grateful for all they have done to make this dream a reality."

Plans call for the complete restoration of the Bailey Building, combined with the construction of a new annex to the immediate west. The new structure will provide additional classrooms, offices for regular and adjunct faculty, a computer lab, a large common area for students and faculty, and space for an academic center and growing graduate programs. The two buildings will be joined by a three-story glass atrium housing a much-needed elevator to improve accessibility.

Classrooms and offices throughout the complex will be connected with both wired and wireless technology to ensure the most advanced and flexible capabilities. The facilities also will be designed to transmit and receive information, especially for in-service development courses for teachers.

"The School of Education needs an excellent facility to continue its progress toward preparing educators to meet the challenges and realities of the 21st century," Dr. Deitz concludes. "This new complex would ensure that teachers from TCU are prepared in facilities equal to or better than those in which they will teach." A variety of giving opportunities still exist to establish a legacy or celebrate your connection to the School of Education.

For more information, contact **Michele Case** at m.case@tcu.edu or ext. 5562. For progress on the School of Education Complex, visit www.BaileyBuilding.tcu.edu. ♦

Merrill Lynch executive Bob McCann to speak here

BOB MCCANN, EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT OF Merrill Lynch & Co. Inc., is the featured speaker at the Neeley School of Business' Charles Tandy Executive Speaker Series Tuesday, April 11. The event is 7 - 8:30 a.m. at the Kelly Center.

EVENTS

Today - April 8 TCU Hunger Week

Today - April 7

Master of Fine Arts exhibition of paintings by Christopher Bond, University Art Gallery.*

Today

Poetry reading by John Bricuth, 7 p.m., Kelly Center. Call ext. 6537 for more information.

Brass Extravaganza with Tuba, Euphonium, Trumpet Ensemble and Brass Quintet, **Richard Murrow** and **Jon Burgess**, directors, 7:30 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall.**

April 4

Hunger Week 5K run/walk, 5:30 p.m., Frog Fountain.

Brite Borderlands Lecture with Dr. Maria Pilar Aquino, 7 p.m., Kelly Center. Topic is "Healing Broken Societies: The Challenge of Contemporary Christianity." Call ext. 7589 for more information.

Trumpet Ensemble conducted by **Jon Burgess**, 7:30 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall.**

April 5

Pinkbag Lunch, presents Ursula Inga Kindred and Miranda Guerin-William discussing their new book, *Mister Gumbo*, noon, Student Center 207. Call ext. 7855 for more information.

KinoMonda International Film Series presents *La Noche de los Mayas* (Mexico, 1939), 6:30 p.m., Sid Richardson Bldg. LH4. Call ext. 7292 for more information.

Second annual Schieffer Symposium, 7 p.m., Student Center ballroom. CBS news anchor Bob Schieffer, *New York Times* managing editor Jill Abramson, CBS Digital Media president Larry Kramer, PBS correspondent Judy Woodruff and *Washington Post* executive editor Len Downie will discuss "The Changing Communications Landscape." Tickets are \$15 and available by calling ext. 5976.

April 6

National Alcohol Screening Day, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.,

Tickets are \$20 each, which includes a full breakfast. RSVP by April 6 at www.ctess.tcu.edu.

McCann holds an MBA degree from the Neeley School. He has held a series of positions with increasing responsibility since joining Merrill Lynch in 1982 as an associate in the MBA Sales & Trading program. From August 2003 until June 2005, he served as vice chairman of the firm's Wealth Management Group, overseeing Global Private Client, Merrill Lynch Investment Managers and Global Securities Research and Economics. ♦

Student Center lobby. For more information, call ext. 7100.

RTVF Film Series presents *Gaslight* (1944), free admission, 7 p.m., Moudy Bldg., 164 S. Call ext. 7630 for more information.

April 7-9

Spring Dance Concert, La Voz de la Danza, 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Ed Landreth Auditorium. \$10 at the door. Call ext. 7615 for more information.

April 7

TCU Organization for Supply Chain Studies 3rd Annual Golf Tournament, 1:30 p.m. Shotgun Start, Bear Creek Golf Club at DFW Airport. Call ext. 6581 for more information.

April 8

Coach Gary Patterson will host a 5K Run/Walk on campus to benefit The Gary Patterson Foundation, which assists economically disadvantaged children, 8:30 a.m., Amon Carter Stadium. The event precedes the annual Purple and White Game at 11 a.m.

TCU LEAPS community service project, 9 a.m. - noon, various Fort Worth agencies.

Day one of a two-day Communication and Presentation Workshop led by Betty Buckley, April 8 and 22, 9 a.m.-6 p.m. both days, Tandy Center for Executive Leadership. Call ext. 7115 or visit www.ctaec.tcu.edu for more information.

April 10-14

Master of Fine Arts exhibition of sculpture by Sean Ibanez, University Art Gallery.*

April 10

"Faculty and Friends" Chamber Music Series presents Mozart, 7:30 p.m., PepsiCo Recital Hall.**

* Call art and art history at ext. 7643.

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

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

Hunger Week activities include 5K run/walk tomorrow

TCU WILL OBSERVE ITS 24TH ANNUAL Hunger Week with campus events scheduled through Saturday. One of the newer additions to the calendar since last year is a 5K run/walk, set for 5:30 p.m. tomorrow at Frog Fountain. Food and raffle prizes will be part of the fun afterwards.

To participate, register online at www.hunger.tcu.edu, in Student Center 111, or at the Rec Center. Proceeds will benefit the Tarrant Area Food Bank and Bread for the World. ♦

Final "Faculty & Friends" chamber music concert of the year set for April 10

THE SCHOOL OF MUSIC WILL HOST THE fourth and last "Faculty & Friends" Chamber Music Series concert of the year at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 10 in PepsiCo Recital Hall.

The program will celebrate Mozart, in honor of the 250th anniversary of the composer. Selections include *Flute Quartet in D Major, K. 285*; *Trio in E-flat Major for clarinet, viola and piano, K. 498 "Kegelstatt"* and *Piano Quartet in G minor, K. 478*.

Faculty performers include Karen Adrian, Jesús Castro-Balbi, Misha Galaganov, John Giordano, John Owings, Curt Thompson and Gary Whitman, student Lori Dunn and guest artist Irina Schuck.

Admission is free. For more information, call ext. 7602. ♦

KinderFrogs students invited to play Little League baseball

FOUR-TO-SEVEN YEAR-OLDS ENROLLED AT TCU's KinderFrogs School have been invited to play baseball in University Little League's newly launched Challenger Division.

They played in their first game on the league's opening day, Saturday, March 25.

KinderFrogs alum Marshall Howard, 7, had been playing for the University Little League for the past two years and his enthusiasm inspired the league to contact KinderFrogs School to begin a Challenger Division.

The Challenger Division was established in 1989 as a separate division of Little League Baseball to enable boys and girls with physical and mental challenges to enjoy the game of baseball. The Challenger Division utilizes "buddies" who assist the players on the field.

KinderFrogs School is TCU's laboratory pre-school for children with Down syndrome. ♦

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Alcohol Screening Thursday

TCU'S ALCOHOL & DRUG EDUCATION CENTER is participating in National Alcohol Screening Day this Thursday. If you, or someone you know, is interested in finding out if alcohol is limiting success, stop by the Student Center lobby between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. to pick up information and/or complete a screening.

The program is designed to help students, faculty, staff and community members assess their own drinking behavior and attitudes.

For more information, contact **Sparkle Greenhaw** at ext. 7100. ♦

Shirey's UCC Chancel Choir presenting Palm Sunday event

UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH WILL PRESENT the choral masterwork *Stabat Mater* by Antonin Dvorak at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, April 9 in the sanctuary.

Ronald L. Shirey (School of Music) and UCC choir master will conduct the Chancel Choir, with solos by Leah Edmondson, Scot Cameron, Sarah Klopfenstein and David Grogan. Admission is free. ♦

KUDOS

Lynn Risser and Curt Rode, co-editors of the TCU literary journal *descant*, have been notified that six poems they selected for the 2005 publication have been nominated for Pushcart Prizes. Three of the poems were written by Al Braselton, and three by Julia Levine. Pushcart Prizes are awarded each year to the best works appearing in literary magazines and journals.

Susan Weeks, instructor with Harris College of Nursing and Health Sciences, was recently recognized as a "Healthcare Hero" by the *Fort Worth Business Press*. Nominated by **Paulette Burns**, Weeks was recognized for being instrumental in organizing local volunteer efforts for the Fort Worth American Red Cross after the survivors from the hurricanes came to the region last fall.

Three students were named winners of Nokia Awards for their women-centered research during the recent TCU Women's Community Dinner. They are Erin Michelle Cooksley, political science undergraduate, and grad students Teresa Ann Ellis from Brite Divinity school, and Sara Yoder, from the English department.

NEW FACES

Lori Beaman is the new administrative assistant for gift planning (advancement). She has an A.A. degree from College of Santa Fe and her husband is an assistant men's tennis coach here.

Alan Crume has been hired as a computer systems consultant in user services. He has a bachelor's degree from Norwest Christian College in Eugene, OR.

Jason Eagar has joined alumni relations as assistant director. He has B.A. and B.S. degrees from TCU, Class of 2002.

Claire C. Galloway is a new archivist in the library. She graduated from Centenary College and recently received her M.A. degree in public history from the University of Arkansas/Little Rock. Claire worked as a graduate assistant at the William Jefferson Clinton Presidential Library in Little Rock.

DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to the family of **Dr. R. Joyce Harden** (speech communication, retired) who passed away March 16 in Fort Worth. A graveside service was held March 24 at Hamlin Memorial Cemetery.

Sympathy also is extended to the family of **Monroe B. Harden** (mathematics) who passed away March 18. A memorial service was held March 27 at Shannon Funeral Home in Richland Hills, TX.

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BUSINESS CLOSING: Wide range of items need to be sold soon! These include cheerleading and gymnastic equipment, a couch, industrial "shop" fans, lawn chairs, office supplies, stereo equipment, workout equipment and more. For a complete list of items and prices, contact **Lisa Albert** at ext. 5063 or l.albert@tcu.edu.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of March 29. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

Accompanist - Ballet and Modern Dance
Administrative Assistant - Advancement-
Alumni Relations
Administrative Assistant - Advancement
Development
Administrative Assistant (50%) - Orchestra
Business Reference Librarian - Library
Data Control Specialist - Admissions
Dean of Library - Library
Dean of Harris College of Nursing & Health
Sciences - College of Nursing &
Health Sciences
Director, Center for Professional
Communications - Neeley School
Director of Urban Education - School of
Education
Equipment Operator - Physical Plant Grounds
Executive Director - Tandy Leadership Center
Instructional Staff - Intensive English Program
Manager of Accountability & Control -
Financial Services
Postdoctoral Fellow (2) - Chemistry
Service Assistant - Facility Services
Web Applications Developer/Analyst -
Assoc. Provost for Academic Affairs
Web Services Coordinator - Student Affairs
Information Services

**Trio/Upward Bound
Summer Program Positions**
Upward Bound Assistant Residence Hall
Director

Male Residence Hall Assistants
Female Residence Hall Assistants
Careers Instructor
Math Instructor
English Instructor
Science Instructor
TAKS Prep Instructor (Math, English, and
Science)

Tennis Instructor
Body Conditioning Instructor
Yearbook/Newsletter Instructor
Swimming Instructor
Theatre Arts/Drama Instructor
American Sign Language Instructor
Choir/Music Instructor

Summer Temps:
CAD assistant, warehouse assistant (2), general
maintenance assistant, painter assistant (2) -
Physical Plant

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