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THE NEXT FRONTIER

University reaches for "The Next Frontier"

Event will launch largest fund-raising campaign in TCU history

TCU will publicly launch The Next Frontier Campaign, a \$100 million, five-year, fund-raising effort, during a national kickoff dinner Thursday at the Worthington Hotel in downtown Fort Worth. Details of the campaign—the most ambitious fund-raising effort in the university's history and the largest single, private fund-raising effort ever in Fort Worth—will be unveiled to several hundred TCU alumni, friends, supporters and guests.

The event will include a reception and dinner; performances by the TCU Concert Chorale; remarks from young alumni speakers; remarks from John Roach, chair of the board of trustees; and remarks from Next Frontier Campaign co-chair and campaign steering committee chair Deedie Potter Rose ('63).

TCU administrators and faculty and staff members participated in the campus kickoff of the campaign at a gala event Oct. 20 in the Student Center ballroom.

A special video tape presentation previewed by campus audiences will be shown at the gala dinner. In the video, Chancellor Bill Tucker says The Next Frontier Campaign is an effort to affirm TCU's frontier roots by looking toward the future.

"Over a five-year period, we are determined to strengthen academic programs, to build scholarship funds, to endow positions, to attract and attain

excellent faculty, to extend computer technology and expand the University's presence around the world," Dr. Tucker says. "We also will construct some new buildings, improve others and make our campus even more attractive and inviting."

According to Bronson Davis, vice chancellor for university advancement, the campaign sets an ambitious, but achievable goal.

"During the last five years, we averaged about \$12.2 million a year in gifts to the University," Bronson said. "That's about \$60 million. We believe The Next Frontier campaign will raise 25 to 40 percent more money than we would otherwise have raised over a five-year period. That extra money will be specifically designated to support a series of key areas derived from detailed planning studies. With the leadership we have in place, we have an excellent chance of reaching the goal."

Dee J. Kelly ('50) will serve as master of ceremonies for the national kickoff celebration. Kelly serves as a campaign co-chair overseeing the leadership gifts committee.

Other campaign co-chairs are Clarence Scharbauer III ('73), who serves as Regional Campaigns chair, and Bruce LaBoon ('63), who is chair of the national committee. John ('41) and Jane ('43) Justin are honorary co-chairs of The Next Frontier Campaign.

CABLE TV TO AIR BREAKFAST

Fort Worth subscribers to Sammons Cable Television service can tune into a recent Executive Breakfast speech by David Grimes, AT&T vice president of sales. Grimes discussed AT&T's vision of the future of communication technology. Sponsored by the Neeley School's Charles Tandy American Enterprise Center, the breakfast was the first in a series this year to focus on the theme "Technology 2000 & You."

The taped presentation of Grimes' Nov. 1 speech will air several times this month. The City Video 45 production can be viewed on Sammons Channel 45. The dates and times are: tomorrow (Wednesday) at 5 p.m.; Saturday, 9 p.m.; Nov. 21, 5 p.m.; Nov. 23, 9:30 a.m.; and Nov. 26, 9 a.m.

EMERITUS PROFESSOR DIES NOV. 1

Dr. Gaylan Jane Collier, TCU emeritus professor of theatre, died Nov. 1 at an Abilene hospital after a brief illness. She was buried Nov. 4 in her hometown of Fluvanna in Scurry County. She was 70.

Dr. Collier taught at her alma mater, Abilene Christian University, for 10 years, and also served on the theatre faculties of the University of North Carolina, Idaho State and Sam Houston State. She was a theatre professor at TCU for more than 20 years. After her retirement from the University in 1989, she returned to Abilene and remained active in the profession as a director. She was known in theatre circles as a skilled coach of both actors and directors.

TCU annually honors a senior drama major with an award named for Dr. Collier. In 1992, Abilene Christian established a performing arts scholarship in her honor.

ARTS EVENTS TO OFFER PRE-HOLIDAY ENTERTAINMENT

TCU will usher in the holiday season with three free performing arts events on Nov. 20 and 21. All three events are open to the public.

On Nov. 20, the 50-member Concert Chorale will deliver a mostly a cappella musical program at 7:30 p.m. at St. Stephen Presbyterian Church, 2600 Merida in southwest Fort Worth. The St. Stephen's concert is an annual event for the chorale and is part of the church's special music series. This year's program, directed by Ron Shirey, will focus on French and 20th century music and will include compositions by Tomas Luis de Victoria, Felix Mendelssohn, Gabriel Fauré, Claude Debussy and Paul Hindemith. Some pieces will be accompanied by TCU's Janet Pummill playing the church's celebrated organ.

On Nov. 21, ballet and modern dance students will demonstrate their skills at a "brown bag" dance concert at noon in Studio B of the Ballet and Modern Dance Building. That evening, Sydney Howell will perform a new solo suite for harp composed by fellow music faculty member Gerald Gabel at a 7:30 p.m. recital in Ed Landreth Auditorium. Several other TCU music faculty members and instructors also will perform, including flutist Karen Adrian, cellist John Burton and soprano Loyce Sonnier.

Tickets also are available for the TCU theatre production of James Leonard Jr.'s "The Diviners," which begins a 5-day run in the University Theatre tomorrow (Wednesday). TCU students, faculty and staff members are admitted free of charge. Call Ext. 7626 for reservations.

WORKSHOP ON BUSINESS RESOURCES OFFERED

The Mary Coats Burnett Library is offering a workshop on electronic business resources from 2 to 4 p.m. Thursday and from 2 to 4 p.m. Nov. 30. Business resources on CD-ROM, remote access and Internet will be demonstrated. Each resource will be examined for its usefulness in different kinds of research. Call the reference desk at Ext. 7117 to register.

JAZZ EDUCATOR TO DELIVER GUILD TALK

A lecture by Curt Wilson, head of TCU's jazz studies program, will be the highlight of a TCU Guild meeting Thursday at 11:30 a.m. The Guild will meet at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Don Mills, 4512 Overton Terrace. The meeting is open to all and reservations can be made by calling Guild President Mary Jo Estes at 738-0206.

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION SET FOR NOV. 20

The National Conference and the Tarrant Area Community of Churches will hold their 10th annual community-wide interfaith, intercultural celebration of Thanksgiving, "Our Heritage of Thanksgiving, The Year of the Family" on Nov. 20 at 7 p.m. in Ed Landreth Auditorium.

The celebration will include performances by the Dorothy Shaw Bell Choir, the Texas Boys Choir and Tarrant County Independent Schools' choral representatives. The audience also will hear the sounding of the Shofar and Fort Worth Mayor Kay Granger's Thanksgiving proclamation.

The event is free and open to the public. Those attending are encouraged to bring food or make a cash donation to The Food Bank of Greater Tarrant County. Food items will be collected at the door on the evening of the performance.

The Heritage of Thanksgiving festival is produced and directed by Diane Simons ('66) of Hip Pocket Theatre fame.

WORKSHOPS TO TACKLE SEXISM, PREJUDICE

Two workshops scheduled for late November are designed to foster acceptance of diversity on campus and encourage nonsexist use of language in writing. Both workshops are open to TCU faculty, staff and students.

- On Nov. 29, a one-day interactive workshop on diversity will be held from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. The workshop is designed to help participants recognize and reduce the impact of prejudice in their daily routines. Faculty, staff and students will learn skills to respond to prejudicial jokes, slurs and remarks. Participants will develop coalition-building strategies that foster a better campus environment. The workshop will be led by a team of TCU staff members trained by the National Coalition Building Institute. Participants must register by noon on Nov. 28 through University Ministries. Lunch will be provided.

- On Nov. 30, the University Writing Program will hold a workshop to discuss guidelines for nonsexist use of language. The workshop will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. in Room 207 of the Student Center. Refreshments will be provided. For more information, contact Dave Kuhne at Ext. 6238.

NOTES ON FOLKS

The Physical Plant Employee of the Quarter award for outstanding service has been given to **Jim Brown Sr.** for the third quarter of 1994. Jim is a Craft Tech I in the HVAC department. Jim will receive a \$150 cash award, a commemorative coffee mug and an engraved entry on the TCU Physical Plant performance board.

Dean Joseph Helmick (graduate studies and research) represented TCU at the official reception dinner for the annual meeting of the national Association of Graduate Liberal Studies Programs, which was held recently at TCU. **Don Coerver** (MLA program director) handled local arrangements for the event and also presented a paper on "Multiculturalism in the Graduate Curriculum."

Bill Moncrief and **Chuck Lamb** (marketing) made presentations at the Southern Marketing Doctoral Consortium Nov. 2 in New Orleans. Bill discussed "What Department Chairs Expect" and served as the consortium coordinator. Chuck talked about "Building a Career."

Steve Sherwood (William L. Adams Writing Center/English) presented a paper on "Tutoring and the Writer's 'Felt Sense': Developing and Safeguarding the Mind's Ear" at the Rocky Mountain Writing Center Association conference in Colorado Springs, Colo., on Oct. 27.

Ron Flowers (religion) recently published a book, *That Godless Court?: Supreme Court Decisions on Church-State Relationships*. It was published by Westminster John Knox Press and was designed to acquaint nonspecialists with the church-state decisions of the U.S. Supreme Court.

Dave Kuhne (Ph.D. student, English) read a paper titled "Local Interest, Not Local Color: the Value of Setting in Kate Chopin's *The Awakening*" at a meeting of the Arkansas Philological Association in Hot Springs on Nov. 4.

Linda Hughes (English) recently returned from Washington, D.C., where she served as a panel reviewer for grants submitted to the Scholarly Editions program of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

An article by **Fred Erisman** (English), "Mary O'Hara and Regional Acceptance," was published in the *Journal of the American Studies Association of Texas*. The article discusses how O'Hara's "Goose Bar Ranch" trilogy illustrates later theories of a national "coming of age" brought about by the closing of the frontier.

Jane Swearingen (English) has been invited to be a keynote speaker at the University of Tennessee's annual conference on rhetoric. In October, Jane was elected to serve on the Executive Council of the Conference on College Composition and Communication. Jane also will attend the annual meetings of the American Society for the History of Rhetoric later this week and will present a paper on Aspasia, the consort of Pericles.

Ana Isabel Rueda-Garcia (modern languages and literatures) was elected vice-president of the Texas Association of College and University Language Supervisors at the Texas Foreign Language Association conference Oct. 21-23 in Dallas.

Ballet and modern dance students recently performed a reprise of their Fall Dance Concert for students at Booker T. Washington High School for the Visual and Performing Arts in Dallas.

DEADLINE FOR NOV. 29 BULLETIN IS FRIDAY

Because of the Thanksgiving holiday, items for the Nov. 29 *Weekly Bulletin* must be submitted to the communications office, Sadler Hall 321, by noon Friday, Nov. 18. Have a happy Thanksgiving!

NOTES ON FOLKS

The TCU swim team set 16 of 24 meet records at the Notre Dame Relays recently, beating Notre Dame 156-84 and Bowling Green 176-66 in a double dual meet. The men's team didn't lose a single event in the meet. **Sheila Hewerdine** was TCU's only event winner.

Several peer tutors and staff and faculty members from the William L. Adams Writing Center attended the North Texas Writing Centers Association's first-ever Peer Tutor Conference Oct. 22 at the Spring Creek campus of Collin County Community College in Plano. Members from 11 colleges and universities attended the half-day conference to share experiences and ideas for promoting better tutoring in writing centers in the region. Peer tutors participating from the William L. Adams Writing Center were **Ellen Rowell, Stephen Schmidt, Kristin Stec, Shiren Torpis** and **Karyn Turnbull**. **Deborah McCosh** delivered a keynote presentation. Professional writing consultants from the William L. Adams Writing Center were **Christina Murphy, Mary Nell Kivikko, Steve Sherwood, Mary Lane** and **Margaret-Rose Marek**, who serves as the writing center association's president. Margaret-Rose also attended the Southeastern Writing Center Association Annual Conference at Rollins College in Winter Park, Fla., Oct. 27-29, and explored the needs of writing center clients through an interactive workshop.

Joe Law (William L. Adams Writing Center/English) presented a paper called "The Gospel According to Jane Eyre" at the Armstrong Browning Library at Baylor University. His presentation was part of an international conference titled "The Brontës: Webs of Consciousness."

Art Berliner (emeritus, social work) recently presented a workshop on dual relationship at the state conference of the National Association of Social Workers (NASW) in Corpus Christi. A book review written by Art also appeared in the latest issue of the NASW journal, *Social Work*.

TCU IN THE NEWS

The work of **Susan Harrington** (art and art history) was among those described in a Nov. 6 "In the Galleries" column by the *Fort Worth Star-Telegram's* Wade Wilson. Susan's painting "Light and Shadow" is among those on display through Nov. 30 in the new Rachel Harris Gallery in downtown Fort Worth.

TCU graduate **Brett Harrison**, now a third-year law student at St. Mary's University in San Antonio, has been given the rare opportunity to argue a case before the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals in Austin. Brett, who works in St. Mary's Criminal Justice Clinic, will appeal the case of a man convicted of theft. Brett's accomplishments were among those highlighted in an article that appeared in the Nov. 2 *Star-Telegram*.

TCU star tailback **Andre Davis** was the subject of a cover feature in the Nov. 3 edition of the *Star-Telegram's* TCU Extra. The article explored Andre's drive for success and attempts to avoid problems that plagued friends in his hometown of Longview.

The TCU exhibition of "**The Artist and The Baseball Card**" was the subject of a story and photo series that appeared in the November edition of the Fort Worth Ad Club's newsletter. The Ad Club helped sponsor "Baseball Card" curator Murray Tinkelman's visit to Fort Worth. Tinkelman lectured at the traveling exhibit's opening reception in the Moudy Building in early October.

OFFICIAL ABSENCES

Students listed below must make up any class assignments that were missed. It is the responsibility of the student to arrange with his/her professor for the makeup. If you have any questions, call Ext. 7926.

Members of Men and Women's Swim Teams who missed classes after 1:00 P.M., October 28 to participate in Southwest Conference Relays in Dallas:

Names Redacted

Members of Women's Soccer Team who missed classes October 31 and November 1 to participate in games at San Antonio:

Names Redacted

Members of Men and Women's Swim Teams who missed classes after 5:00 P.M., November 2 and all classes on November 3 and 4, to participate in swim meet at Notre Dame:

Names Redacted

Following students who missed classes November 3 from 10:00 A.M. - 2:30 P.M. to participate in a dance performance for Fall Dance Concert for FWISD students in Ed Landreth Auditorium:

Names Redacted

OFFICIAL ABSENCES (cont.)

Members of the Men's Golf Team who missed classes November 3 and 4 to participate in Harvey Penick Intercollegiate at Austin:

Names Redacted

Following students who missed classes November 8 from 11:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. due to a performance of the Fall Dance Concert for BTWESVPA students in Dallas:

Names Redacted

Following students who missed classes 10:30 A.M. - 3:30 P.M. on November 9 and 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M. on November 14 to participate in Choral Music Education field trips:

Names Redacted

Following students who missed classes 8:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. on November 10 as they are responsible for the Marketing Department's General Motors Intern Project second annual Promotion Event:

Names Redacted

Members of the Women's Tennis Team who missed classes after 1:00 P.M., November 10 and all classes on November 11 to participate in the Westwood Tour in Austin:

Names Redacted

Members of the Women's Rifle Team who missed classes November 10, 11, and 14 to participate in rifle matches at University of Kentucky, Ohio State University and Xavier University:

Names Redacted

CLASSIFIEDS

Information Redacted

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Human Resources office lists the following vacancies as of Nov. 8. For more information on any of these positions, call Ext. 7095.

Dean	Harris College of Nursing
Ass't. Dir. Phys. Plant for Resources	Physical Plant
Superintendent/Maintenance	Physical Plant
Instructional Staff Member	Ranch Management
Dir./Intensive English Program	Intensive English Program
Communication Consultant (oral)	CPC
Communication Consultant (written)	CPC
(both are on an as-needed basis only)	
Accounting Supervisor	Controller's Office
Accompanist/Technique Classes	Ballet/Modern Dance
P/T Administrative Assistant I	History
Groundskeeper I	Grounds
Service Assistant II	Facility Services
Service Assistant I (1/2 time)	Facility Services
Service Assistant I	Facility Services
Service Assistant I	Residential Living

Calendar of Events

- Now thru
- Nov. 23 --Annual exhibition of new work by TCU art faculty, J. M. Moudy Building exhibition space. For information call Ext. 7643.
- Nov. 15 --Bob Bolen will discuss team-building at the OSP Professional Development Brown Bag Luncheon, noon, Student Center Woodson Room.
--Cliburn Concert featuring Russian pianist and Tchaikovsky competition winner Grigory Sokolov, 8 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. Call 335-9000 for tickets.
- Nov. 16 --Second annual Graduate and Professional School Day, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Student Center lounge. Call Ginger Nicholas at Ext. 7860 for more information.
--The Trumpet Master Class Series hosted by Stephen Weger, featuring John Daniel, professor of trumpet, Pennsylvania State University, 7 p.m., Moudy Building, 141 N. Free and open to the public.
- Nov. 16-20 --TCU Theatre production of "The Diviners." Performances at 8 p.m. Nov. 16-19, 2 p.m. Nov. 20, University Theatre. Free to TCU students, faculty and staff. Call Ext. 7626 for reservations.
- Nov. 18 --Biology seminar on "Mechanisms of Induction of Skin Cancer by UV Radiation" presented by H.N. Ananthaswamy of M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, noon-1 p.m., Sid Richardson Lecture Hall 3. Open to the public.
- Nov. 18-19 --Contemporary Dance/Fort Worth performs with guests Gus Solomons jr of New York and Austin's Sharir Dance Company, 8 p.m. Nov. 18, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Nov. 19. Call 335-9000 for tickets.
--TCU Press Autograph Extravaganza featuring 30 local authors and special brief performance by Red Steagall, cowboy poet and entertainer, 4-7 p.m., Botanic Garden Center. Free and open to the public.
- Nov. 19 --TCU Horned Frogs vs. Texas A&M in College Station. Kickoff 1:05 p.m.
- Nov. 20 --National Conference and Tarrant Area Community of Churches 10th annual celebration of Thanksgiving, 7 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. Free and open to the public.
--TCU Concert Chorale at St. Stephen Presbyterian Church, 7:30 p.m. Free.
- Nov. 21 --Ballet and Modern Dance Brown Bag performance, noon, Studio B, Ballet and Modern Dance Building. Student choreography will be featured. Free.
--TCU Music Series Recital by harpist Sydney Howell, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium. Call Ext. 7602 for information. Free.

BAD WEATHER CLOSING POLICY

Days the university is officially closed because of weather conditions are designated as bad weather days. When the University is officially closed, all students, faculty and staff members will be excused from reporting, except for those employees providing essential services related to (1) health and safety, (2) the presence of a residential student community and (3) agreements with the public for the use of University facilities.

The decision to close the university will be made be at 6 a.m. on the day in question and will be communicated to local news media. Members of the University community are encouraged to get their information from that source.

Procedures will be developed for communication with employees in the event the University is closed on a Saturday or Sunday.

The Office of Communications will be responsible for making all public announcements to radio, television and newspapers regarding changes because of weather conditions. In the event of severe weather, please monitor the following broadcast outlets for immediate information regarding campus announcements:

Radio Stations:

KLIF-AM 570
WBAP-AM 820
KRLD-AM 1080
KTCU-FM 88.7
KERA-FM 90.1
KSCS-FM 96.3
KVIL-FM 103.7
KHKS-FM 106.1

Television Stations:

KXAS-TV
KDFW-TV
WFAA-TV
KTVT-TV

The following newspapers will also be notified should the university be closed due to bad weather:

Fort Worth Star-Telegram

Dallas Morning News