

TCU THIS WEEK

EVENTS AND INFORMATION FOR THE TCU COMMUNITY

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Forums on race, ethnicity planned today, tomorrow for White House initiative

TCU IS PARTICIPATING IN THE WHITE House 2nd Annual Campus Week of Dialogue by holding a series of forums to address issues of diversity on our campus. The events are part of an effort by President Clinton's "Initiative for One America" to make college campuses a platform for discussion on the importance of overcoming cultural barriers.

The series of dialogues, open to all students, faculty and staff, will be inaugurated by a "Speak Out About Our Future" forum set for noon today in the Student Center lounge. Student leaders will share their thoughts regarding diversity on campus.

TCU education professor **Dr. Mike Sacken**, University of North Texas education professor Dr. Michelle Walker and Joe Ramirez, dean of counseling and matriculation at Rio Hondo College, Whittier, Calif., will discuss, "Where Do We Go From Here?" at 7 p.m. tonight in the Student Center ballroom. The event, moderated by **Anantha Babbili** (journalism), will include discussion on whether race is a positive or negative way to think of groups of people.

Don Mills, vice chancellor for student affairs, will moderate a Town Hall Meeting at noon Tuesday (Oct. 5) in the Student Center lounge. The discussion will center on how notions of race impact our relationships with others. **Dr. Cornell Thomas**, special assistant to the Chancellor for diversity and community, and *Fort Worth Star-Telegram* columnist Bob Ray Sanders will lead an open forum at 7 p.m. Tuesday in Clark Hall.

For more information, contact Cornell at ext. 5125. ♦

Marketing/research firm launching campus study for *Commission on Future*

REPRESENTATIVES OF LIPMAN HEARNE, a Chicago marketing and research company specializing in higher education, will be on campus this week.

Rob Moore, senior vice president, and Donna Van De Water, vice president for research, will spend Tuesday and

Wednesday conducting interviews and focus groups with a number of administrators, faculty, staff and students.

Larry Lauer, associate vice chancellor for communications and public affairs, is chairman of *The Commission on the Future of TCU* which has hired Lipman Hearne. He notes that this week's visit is preliminary to an extensive market research project to determine TCU's name identity, image and status when compared to competing institutions.

The project itself will include focus groups and a quantitative survey, according to Larry.

The soon-to-be-named members of the Commission will be able to utilize Lipman Hearne's results in their own final recommendations. ♦

Photographer Barbara Bordnick will lecture on campus Oct. 13

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR A SPECIAL event sponsored by the Women's Resource Center. Barbara Bordnick, internationally recognized portrait and fashion photographer, will present a "Canon Explorer of Light" photography lecture at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 13 in Moudy 141N. There will be a reception from 4 to 5 p.m. in the TCU Bookstore café.

In her 30-year career, Bordnick has had her work reproduced in such publications as *Newsweek*, *Vanity Fair*, *Harper's Bazaar*, *The New York Times Magazine*, *Graphis*, *Time*, *Life* and *Fortune*. Her photos are in the permanent collections of the International Center of Photography, the Gilman Paper Collection of New York and the Polaroid Collection in Massachusetts.

For more information, contact **Marcy Paul** at ext. 7855. ♦

SuperFrog will be star of Frog Alley on Saturday

SUPERFROG WILL HAND OUT FREE posters at Frog Alley from noon to 2 p.m. Saturday, prior to the football game against San Jose State. This is an opportunity for TCU fans to see and greet our new Horned Frog mascot up close.

The tougher physique of SuperFrog was made possible by the generosity of TCU trustee Malcolm Loudon. Loudon donated the funds for Sugar's Costume Studio of Toronto, Canada to create two high-tech

EVENTS

Oct. 4-29

"Ineffable Things," art exhibition featuring sculptor Sara Good, Moudy Exhibition Hall. ***

Oct. 4

The Dept. of Economics and TCU RCAF Lectureship Series is featuring Steven Landsburg of Rochester, topic is "How Methodology Reveals Private Information," 3:30 p.m., Rogers Hall room 234. Call ext. 6234 for more information.

School of Music's Winesanker Lecture features Prof. Larry Palmer of SMU, 3 p.m., Ed Landreth Hall, Rm. 103. Free admission. Call ext. 6634 for more information.

TCU Symphony, conducted by German Gutierrez, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.*

Oct. 5

The Dept. of Economics is hosting Mark Wynne of the Dallas Federal Reserve, topic is "A Classical View of NAIRU, the 'New Economy,' and Recent Fed Policy," 3:30 p.m., Rogers Hall room 234. Call ext. 6234 for more information.

Oct. 6

Fogelson Honors Forum presents Maya Angelou, 8 p.m., Daniel-Meyer Coliseum. Call ext. 7125 for more information.

Oct. 7

Free depression screening, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Health Center. Call ext. 7863 for more information.

Frog Club Luncheon, noon, Kelly Center. Call ext. 7700 for more information.

TCU Toastmasters Meeting, noon, Student Center rm. 205. Call ext. 7862 for more information.

RTVF presents a double feature *The Hound of the Baskervilles* (1939) and *The Thin Man* (1934), starting at 7 p.m., Moudy Bldg., room 164S. Call ext. 6690 for more information.

Oct. 8

Annual Fall Break Faculty/Staff Golf Tournament, 1 p.m., Hidden Creek Golf Course, 4-person scramble, entry fee is \$35. Please call recreational sports at 257-PLAY for information and registration.

TCU VolleyFrogs vs. SMU, 7 p.m.-Rickel Building. **

Oct. 9

Horned Frog Football - TCU vs. San Jose, 2:05 p.m., Amon Carter Stadium.**

Oct. 11

TCU Wind Symphony, 7:30 p.m., Ed Landreth Auditorium.*

*Call the School of Music at ext. 7602.

**Call the ticket office at ext. 7967.

***Call the dept. of art and art history at ext. 7643.

SuperFrog suits, complete with cooling vests and fans. He is also underwriting the care and maintenance of the costumes. ♦

**Attention golfers - TCU
could be your golf club ...
with no membership fees**

MIKE SLATTERY (GEOLOGY) IS LOOKING for potential members of and a name for a golf club he hopes to organize on the TCU campus. An avid player himself, Mike came up with the idea after looking into U.S. Golf Association regulations.

He says he has long wanted to get an official USGA handicap but could not because he does not belong to a local club. Mike learned the USGA allows a person to form an official "golf club without real estate" by defining a golf club as "an organization of at least 10 individual members that operates under bylaws with committees." The requirements include a handicap committee to supervise golf activities, provide peer review and maintain the integrity of the USGA handicap system.

USGA provides all the information and software and Mike has agreed to run the program and keep track of members' handicaps. There will be no membership fees or dues.

An all-campus e-mail seeking golfers which Mike sent out last week garnered nearly 30 responses within hours. He says there will probably be one brief organizational meeting to discuss how the club will work, in compliance with USGA guidelines. Contact Mike at ext. 7506 or e-mail mslattery@gamma.is.tcu.edu. ♦

**Field hockey enthusiast?
Here's a group for you...**

TCU STUDENT NIKKI PELLICCIOTTI HAS an interesting challenge for faculty. TCU is starting a Field Hockey Club, she says, and the group is looking for a faculty adviser as well as faculty members who'd like to join the action.

Those interested must be available from 2 to 4 p.m. Sundays and be interested in the sport of field hockey even if you've never actually had experience at it. "We'll teach you!," says Pellicciotti.

You may contact her at 581-6842 or email npellicciott@delta.is.tcu.edu. ♦

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Wind Symphony concert

FRED VELEZ, INTERIM DIRECTOR OF bands, will conduct the TCU Wind Symphony in a concert at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 11 in Ed Landreth Auditorium. The event is free and open to the public.

The program includes: *Galactic Empires* by David Gillingham, *Vesuvius* by Frank Ticheli, *Ellington Centennial Tribute* by Duke Ellington, *Commando March* by Samuel Barber, *Woodland Sketches* by Edward MacDowell, *An Original Suite* by Gordon Jacob, *Molly on the Shore* by Percy Grainger and *American Salute* by Morton Gould. ♦

**Depression screening
available Thursday**

PROFESSIONAL STAFF FROM MENTAL Health Services (formerly the counseling center) have set aside Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to offer faculty, staff and students free depression screenings.

Those interested should visit Brown-Lupton Heath Center, entering via the Stadium Drive side. Participants in the anonymous 10-minute screenings will complete a written self-report checklist and have the opportunity to discuss the results with a professional. You do not have to schedule an appointment. Pamphlets and information on depression will be available. ♦

Faculty Center lunch menus*

- Today** - Grilled chicken breast, wild rice, Italian green beans
 - Tuesday** - Chicken & rice casserole, baby carrots, pasta with marinara sauce
 - Wednesday** - Beef & chicken fajitas, Spanish rice, Mexican corn
 - Thursday** - Herbed baked chicken quarter, mashed potatoes with brown gravy, broccoli
 - Friday** - Fried catfish with tartar sauce, steak fries, hushpuppies, mixed vegetables
- * Selections are subject to change

NEW FACES

Victoria Bui has been hired as a financial aid advisor. She received her B.A. degree in psychology from the University of Nebraska at Lincoln and formerly worked as a financial aid advisor at the University of Texas at Arlington.

David McInroe of Burleson has joined physical plant as a craft tech II (electrician). He was formerly associated with FMC Corporation in Stephenville.

Paula Wyche has joined Mary Coutts Burnett Library as assistant in the government information department. She has a B.A. in art history from the University of Texas at Arlington and a M.A. in Radio/TV/Film from the University of North Texas. Paula formerly worked at the Pittsburgh Theological Seminary library.

DEATH

Sympathy is extended to the family of **Gladys Denolia Gentry Hill** (facility services) who passed away Sept. 22 in Fort Worth. Funeral services were held at New Hope Baptist Church on Sept. 25.

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE: 1999 Volkswagen Beetle GLS, lime green, fully loaded; \$1500 down and assume lease. Call Susan at ext. 7652 or at home at 924-8106, after 6 p.m.

EXCLUSIVE TCU NEIGHBORHOOD: studio apartment, bills paid, pool, \$525 per month. Call at 924-2765 or pager 216-0500.

FOR SALE: Healthrider Exercise machine and video, excellent condition, \$100. Call Linda at 923-8742.

FOR SALE: Country home off Hwy. 730 between Azle and Weatherford, W'Ford schools; 3/2/2 custom brick; 2 acres; 1700 sq.ft.; Lots of extras (14x20 workshop/storage/wellhouse, new landscaping, covered patio w/ ceiling fans, much more). Easy commute to TCU. Call Glen at 257-7838 or 448-9666 for details.

FOR SALE: Six-year-old couch, denim and white pinstripe, good condition. Asking \$150. Adam and Jennifer Baggs, 927-8753.

**JOB
OPPORTUNITIES**

The human resources office lists the following vacancies as of Sept. 29. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

- Assistant Dean of Administration - M. J. Neeley School of Business
- Tennis Professional - Athletics/Tennis Center
- Vice Chancellor for Finance & Business/Treasurer
- Postdoctoral Fellow - Physics and Astronomy
- Financial Aid Advisor - Scholarships and Financial Aid
- Administrative Program Specialist - Registrar's Office
- Executive Assistant I - Athletics
- Marketing Assistant - Athletics
- Systems Analyst - IS
- Human Resources Manager - Human Resources
- Postal Assistant - Mailing Services
- Human Resources Specialist II - Human Resources
- Data Control Specialist III - Advancement Services
- Account I - Financial Accounting Manager - Financial Services
- Administrative Assistant I - Spanish & Latin American Studies
- Accounting Assistant I - Financial Services
- Administrative Assistant I - English
- Word Processing Specialist (75%) - Admissions
- Registrar's Assistant (88%) - Registrar's Office
- Security Guard (75%) - Campus Police
- Craft Tech Supervisor I/HVAC - Physical Plant
- Craft Tech II/HVAC - Physical Plant
- Groundskeeper I - Physical Plant
- Groundskeeper II - Physical Plant
- Service Assistant Supervisor - Facility Services
- Service Assistant - Residential Services
- Service Assistant - Facility Services
- Craft Technician I/General Maintenance - Physical Plant