

TCU THIS WEEK

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Barnes & Noble signed to operate new bookstore in former Tom Thumb building

TCU HAS SELECTED Barnes & Noble College Bookstores, Inc. to open and operate the official new TCU Bookstore. This major new academic bookstore and college shop will be located at 2950 W. Berry Street, on the northeast corner of S. University Drive.

The building is the site of a former Tom Thumb Food Center. In addition to an all-new facade with large windows and a 50-foot clock tower, renovations to the 17,000-square-foot space are designed to help make the store a gathering place for the campus community and the university's Berry Street neighbors. It will offer general interest reading materials and regular evening store hours plus amenities such as a Barnes & Noble Literary Cafe serving Starbucks coffee both indoors and outside on a rear patio, retail fashions from names like Speedo, Levi's and Tommy Hilfiger, a Clinique makeup bar and a children's reading area incorporating a story-hour amphitheatre.

Slated to open this fall, the TCU Bookstore will sell textbooks and school supplies, as well as general reading and reference books, periodicals, computer software, greeting cards and gifts. Merchandise will include an extensive line of TCU and Greek-organization apparel and novelties sporting the TCU and Horned Frog logos, and sorority and fraternity emblems.

University officials also announced plans to create a new campus presence on Berry Street with the construction of an additional parking area not far from the TCU Bookstore location. TCU will extend the existing parking lot located between Waits and Greene Streets to W. Berry Street. Several vacant retail buildings will be demolished to make way for the parking lot. It will feature appropriate landscaping, designed to create a new window to the campus. The new lot is expected to ease parking congestion in the residential neighborhoods surrounding the campus.

Barnes & Noble College Bookstores, Inc., is the country's leading manager of college and university bookstores. It currently operates 350 campus stores, in conjunction with more than 230 institutions, including Yale University, Harvard University, Johns Hopkins University, the University of Pennsylvania, The College of William & Mary, the

University of Chicago, Texas A&M University, Tulane University and SMU. It is a privately-held sister company to Barnes & Noble, Inc., the consumer bookstore company.

The student center bookstore will remain until the new facility is open for business. Barnes & Noble will offer employees of the existing bookstore positions within the new operation. Discounts will be available for TCU faculty and Staff. ♦

TCU homepage gets facelift

AFTER MONTHS OF PLANNING, the redesigned TCU homepage has arrived. As of today, the new-look page can be seen at the main TCU address, WWW.TCU.EDU.

One of the major enhancements to the site is a new search option that allows users to enter keyword searches and search a variety of TCU databases including faculty/staff email and student email directories as well as the entire TCU Web site. Funding for the search engine was provided by the Leo Potishman Foundation and the Bryce Memorial Fund, both administered by the Bank One Trust Office.

Also new is a more comprehensive campus information page that includes links to campus maps, directions on how to find TCU, and an online campus tour among others.

Return visitors will also notice features designed to make the site easy to navigate. These enhancements include the new search engine as well as a redesigned navigational bar at the bottom of all new pages.

Departments who wish to have a similar look for their Web site will be able to access a graphic library and download images to maintain consistency throughout the site. For directions on accessing this library, contact the office of communications or user services.

As of today, *TCU This Week* also makes its online debut. It can be accessed from the redesigned communications and public affairs home page at www.com.tcu.edu/com. Beginning with its next issue, *Inside TCU* will also be available from this site as well.

Whatsup Information Services, an Atlanta-based firm, implemented the new look and performed most of the HTML coding. ♦

EVENTS

Now-Aug. 31

"Peru Before the Incas" exhibit, Mary Couts Burnett Library.

Aug. 25

Classes begin.

Federal Work/Study Job Fair.

Sept. 1

Labor Day holiday. University offices closed.

Sept. 2

Harris HMO representative Jill Parker on campus. Call for an appointment. *

Hispanic Heritage Month event — "El Sabor De Lo Nuestro," a taste of a variety of dishes from Spanish countries, 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Student Center lounge. Free. Call ext. 5233 for more information.

Men's soccer — TCU vs. Drury College, 3 p.m., TCU soccer field. **

*Call human resources at ext. 7790 for more information.

**Call the ticket office at ext. 7967 for more information.

TCU makes *U.S. News* ranking

TCU has been ranked No. 27 among national universities on the *U.S. News and World Report* listing of best college values.

The best values rankings appear in a special section on financing college in the Sept. 8 issue of *U.S. News* which will arrive on newstands Sept. 1. TCU appears in a group of 50 colleges and universities labeled "Best Values-Discount Prices, Schools that offer a high quality education at reasonable cost." ♦

TCU AIDS Care Team Seeks New Volunteers

FOR SEVERAL YEARS a group of TCU students, staff and faculty has worked together as an AIDS Interfaith Care Team. The team is one of several teams in Tarrant and other surrounding counties. Members of the team volunteer in a variety of tasks (running errands, cleaning house, preparing meals, reading, or simply friendship) in support of persons with AIDS and their families. New members of the team are needed to strengthen the TCU team. Monthly meetings enable team members to determine shared responsibilities.

(see *Volunteers* on back)

(Volunteers from front)

AIDS Interfaith staff and volunteers provide complete and mandatory training before volunteers are able to work directly with individuals. Information about the work of the TCU Care Team or steps in becoming part of the team are available from the Coordinator of the Team, Fr. Charlie Calabrese at 921-7830 or by contacting AIDS Interfaith directly at 870-4800 and requesting to be part of the TCU Care Team. Charlie can arrange conversations with other TCU team members which may assist you in making your decision to participate. The mandatory training and monthly care team meetings will be held on campus. ♦

Hispanic Heritage Month on tap for September

THE MULTICULTURAL COMMITTEE of TCU's Programming Council will host a series of art exhibits and activities in celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month in September. All events are free and open to the public.

From Sept. 8-12, the visual art work of Mariu Suarez will be on display in the Student Center lounge, while the artist herself will make an appearance from 11 a.m. to noon Sept. 12 to discuss the exhibition.

On Mexico's independence day, Sept. 16, a festival of food, crafts and music will be staged in front of Frog Fountain from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. A jalapeño-eating contest and a dance competition are among the activities.

Art reflecting the diverse cultures of people of Hispanic heritage will be on display in the Student Center lounge from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. Sept. 18-19, along with booths featuring various merchants of Hispanic-oriented goods.

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Faculty and students will read their favorite Spanish poetry between 7 and 9 p.m. Sept. 26 in the Student Center lounge. Area high school writers will also appear.

For more information about the events, contact the information desk at ext. 5233. ♦

Brite Lay Academy announced for fall

BRITE DIVINITY SCHOOL has announced a choice of two courses for its fall Brite Lay Academy, set for 7:30 to 9 p.m. on four consecutive Tuesdays, beginning Sept. 16.

The annual program was initiated two years ago to allow members of any church denomination a chance at serious theological study with seminary professors. The idea was to provide lay church members and leaders an academic forum in which to contemplate great themes of Christian faith and issues facing the contemporary church.

This year, Bryan G. Feille, the Harold Glen Brown lecturer in pastoral ministry, will teach "Men in the Church—What are the Issues?" while William R. Baird, emeritus professor of New Testament, addresses "The Life and Letters of Paul." Enrollment in each class is limited to 30; registration cost is \$35 for either. A textbook is included in the price. No transcripts or college credits are required to register.

For more information, call ext. 7587. ♦

TCU volleyball season opens with N.M. tourney

THE TCU WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM will compete in the New Mexico State Invitational in Las Cruces Aug. 29-30. Other teams participating in the tournament include New Mexico State, Minnesota and Sam Houston State.

TCU's first home game will be Sept. 3 against Southwest Texas State.

1997 TCU Volleyball Home Schedule

Sept. 3	Southwest Texas State
Sept. 13	North Texas
Sept. 19, 20	TCU Invitational
Sept. 26	Tulsa*
Sept. 27	Rice*
Sept. 30	UTA
Oct. 10	San Diego State*
Oct. 11	Hawaii*
Oct. 16	BYU*
Oct. 31	Fresno*
Nov. 1	San Jose State*
Nov. 14	SMU*

*WAC matches

DEATHS

Sympathy is extended to Captain Thomas B. Pentecost (military science) in the death of his father, Percy Pentecost, on Aug. 8. Services were held in Dallas on Aug. 12.

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE OR LEASE: Royal Orleans two-bedroom condo, on 2nd floor, two large walk-in closets, patio and covered parking. \$850 per month utilities included. Call 923-6444.

FOR SALE: Walnut desk, \$500; gas dryer, \$100 or best offer. Both in excellent condition. Call ext. 5127 or 249-5053 after 6 p.m.

FOR SALE: Miscellaneous computers and parts, \$100; five foot stainless rack microwave, \$90; wood patio bench, \$75; two metal chaise lounge chairs, \$80 pair. Call ext. 7778 or 294-1435.

NEEDED: Room to rent, south or west side of city, for male chemist who will work on a temporary basis for Tandy Technology Scholars, Oct. through Thanksgiving. Call Kaye at 924-4087.

NEEDED: Fulltime child care for infant in attractive home, excellent pay and benefits, no cleaning or housework involved, needed as soon as possible. Call Ann at ext. 7254 or 732-3138.

FOR SALE: Junior-sized four-piece drum set, royal blue, includes instructional videos, good condition, \$120. Call ext. 7943 and leave message.

FOR SALE: 1993 Mazda Miata MX-5 convertible, two-door, 42,500 miles, new tires, red with black top and interior, Blue Book value is \$13,200, will sell for best offer over \$12,000. Call ext. 7965.

FOR SALE: Xerox 5310 copy machine, 10 copies per minute, 50 continuous, reduces and enlarges, 2 years of warranty still in effect, \$600. Call Glenda at ext. 6376.

FOR SALE: 1990 Katana 600, new tires and brakes, 13,000 miles, black, never wrecked, excellent condition. \$4,400. Call 370-0898.

FOR SALE: 1985 Mercedes 230E, gold, AM/FM, air, 103,000 miles, excellent condition, \$4,200 negotiable. Call 924-9602.

FOR RENT: One bedroom, one and one-half bath condo close to campus, den (could be used as second bedroom), on-site laundry, pool, covered parking. \$800 per month, all bills included. Available Sept. 1. Call 927-2750 and leave message.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The human resources office lists the following vacancies as of Aug. 21. For more information on any of these positions, call ext. 7790.

- Coordinator, Neeley Student Resource Center — Neeley School of Business
- Reference/Bibliographic Instruction Librarian — MCB Library
- Acquisitions Librarian — MCB Library
- Assistant to the Dean (75%) — Harris College
- Assistant/Program Director/Tennis Professional — Athletics, Tennis Center
- Scholarship Application Evaluator — Tandy Tech Scholars
- Admissions Info. Svcs. Mgr. — Admissions
- Assistant Director of Facility Services — Facility Services
- Systems Analyst — Information Services
- Programmer Analyst — Information Services
- Annual Fund Officer — Advancement
- Manager of Printing Services — Printing Services
- Director, Facilities Planning — Physical Plant
- Director of Teacher Certification — School of Education
- Administrative Assistant I — Men's Basketball
- Administrative Assistant I — Curriculum & Instruction
- Library Assistant II (80%) — MCB Library
- Library Stacks Assistant — MCB Library
- Stewardship (Events) Specialist — Advancement
- Admissions Assistant — Admissions
- Data Entry Operator — Admissions
- Computer Support Specialist II — Technical Services
- Craft Tech Supervisor I/HVAC — Physical Plant
- Craft Tech Supervisor II/Plumber — Physical Plant
- Craft Tech I/HVAC — Physical Plant
- Craft Tech II/General Maintenance — Physical Plant
- Service Assistant III — Facility Services
- Service Assistant I — Facility Services