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INVOLVING OUR GRADUATES

The Friends of the University will be helped by a group of staff members who are interested in increasing the participation of our graduates in University life, through membership of the Friends.

Graduates who are members of the Friends Graduates Committee receive three main benefits.

- * Listing in the Uniadvice consultants' register, which could prove *lucrative*
- * Listing in the Friends invitation list for the six or seven social events that the Friends run each year, which could prove *enjoyable*
- * Receiving "Campus News", the "Gazette" and other material from time to time, which could prove *informative*.

Armed with these gifts, the staff will attempt to attract their students of 1979/80 (who graduated in 1980/81) to the Graduates Reunion Dinner on 10 August. For details of the dinner see the column headed "University Day".

The Graduates Committee of the Friends currently has 300 members, most of them Arts graduates.

Anyone interested in joining a particular Department's table should contact one of the following:

Administration - Trevor Brew or Harry Alla, 270555
Accountancy - Kent Wilson, 270726
Biology - Rob Whelan, 270022
Civil & Mining Engineering - Robin Chowdhury, 270033
Education - Phil de Lacey, 270728
Electrical & Computer Engineering - Ken McLean, 270056
English Language - Doreen Gillam, 270678
European Languages - Gary Ianziti, 270636
Geology - Tony Wright, 270842
HPS - Jim Falk, 270606
Mathematics, Tom Horner, 270824
Mechanical Engineering - Arnold McLean, 270053
Metallurgy - Geoff Brinson, 270012
Philosophy - Lauchlan Chipman, 270642
Physics - Ken Duff, 270501
Psychology - Neil Adams, 270746
Sociology - Andrew Jakubowicz, 270743
Institute of Advanced Education, Richard Hook, 270987

The formation of a strong Graduate's Committee within the Friends will have a long term beneficial effect on the University's good standing in the community.

TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE COMMITTEE OF ASTEC

Professor Ron Johnston, Chairman of the Department of History and Philosophy of Science and Director of the Centre for Technology and Social Change, has recently accepted membership of the Technological Change Committee of the Australian Science and Technology Council (ASTEC). This Committee was established as a standing committee of ASTEC in May 1981 following a request by the Government to maintain a continuing review of the processes and trends in technological change in Australia and elsewhere, and to evaluate and report on the direct and indirect effects at the national level, including social, economic and technological effects. The Committee is empowered to carry out studies and evaluation of new and changing technologies and the community attitudes to and awareness of them.

NEW SCHOLARSHIP HOLDERS DOING WELL

This year the University awarded a number of undergraduate scholarships for the first time.

The Scholarship winners are doing well with a high proportion of High Distinctions and Distinctions in their results at the end of first session.

The winners of this year's Scholarships are:- Andrew Burnard, Cheryl Johnson, Philip Oakman, David I. Watson, Peter Bloem, Elizabeth Hopper, John Ledda, Jennifer Curry, Andrew Huggett, Robert Thve, Stephen Blaxendale.

The Scholarships are awarded to first year students on the H.S.C. aggregate mark. They will be advertised again early in 1985.

ENROLMENT 1985

Dates for 1985 have now been finalized. They are:

Re-enrolments — 21-25 January

New enrolments — 6-8 February

Equal Employment Opportunity Project

POLICY STATEMENT

UNIVERSITY COMMITMENT TO EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

In recognition of the principles of equity and justice in employment the University is firmly committed to developing programmes which ensure that persons possessing equal skills and qualifications have an equal chance to getting a position and of advancing within the University.

While people often think that they are working within that framework, a closer examination sometimes reveals obstacles that prevent individual merit from determining progression within an institution. Attitudes and assumptions are often incorporated into rules, policies and practices. It is therefore appropriate that the University and all those individuals closely involved in employment decisions systematically re-examine the employment practices, especially recruitment, selection, promotion, and staff training and development to ensure that equal employment opportunity is realised in practice.

COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS

The following is a summary of relevant resolutions resulting from Council's deliberations on achieving equal employment opportunity.

- (1) Council endorsed equality of employment opportunity as the policy of the University of Wollongong: selection is to be based on qualifications and ability to perform particular functions regardless of sex, marital status, nationality or ethnic origin;
- (2) Council resolved that this policy be publicised throughout the University and specifically drawn to the attention of all Heads of Departments;
- (3) Council resolved that recruitment advertisements and supplementary information make it clear that equality of employment opportunity is University policy;
- (4) Council endorsed the action of the Vice-Chancellor in appointing a Working Party to devise, implement and review policy for an Affirmative Action Programme at the University of Wollongong;
- (5) Council resolved that the Vice-Chancellor report to Council the findings of the Working Party and his recommendations on the action to be taken.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION WORKING PARTY

During 1982 the University Council established an Affirmative Action Working Party "to review policy and propose measures which will promote more equal opportunities at the University of Wollongong". The terms of reference were to review the status of women within the University, to encourage representation of women on key university committees, to develop

measures aimed at counteracting the career disruption and disadvantages experienced by women involved in child bearing and raising and to develop measures aimed at enhancing the career prospects for women generally. Membership of the Affirmative Action Working Party is as follows:

- the Vice-Chancellor (Chairperson)
- Chair, Academic Senate
- Chair, Tenure Committee
- Chair, Research Grants Committee
- Chair, Academic Board
- one female representative of the Staff Association Executive
- one female elected by Institute sector female staff
- two females elected by Faculty sector female staff
- two females nominated by the PSA/FMWU
- three additional members representing Faculty sector academic staff, Institute sector academic staff, general staff
- E.E.O. Co-ordinator

From September 1982 all advertisements for positions in the University indicate that "Equality of employment opportunity is University policy".

In November 1983 the University appointed an Equal Employment Opportunity Co-ordinator.

On 27 April 1984, the first report of the Working Party was presented to the University Council.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY AND AFFIRMATIVE ACTION

Equal employment opportunity describes a situation in which the person best qualified for a position is selected for that position without regard to her or his racial and ethnic origins, sex, marital status, or any other irrelevant personal characteristic. Equal employment opportunity refers to the right to be considered for a job (or other benefit such as research funding or staff training and development opportunities) for which one is skilled and qualified.

Affirmative Action is a systematic approach to the identification and elimination of barriers that women and minority group members encounter in employment. Affirmative Action involves developing specific programmes in consultation with all members of the University and with unions, of achieving equal employment opportunity. "Affirmative Action is based on recognition and acceptance of the fact that it is not sufficient to make specific acts of discrimination unlawful. Further steps are needed to relieve the effects of past discrimination, to eliminate present discrimination and to ensure that future discrimination does not occur". (*Affirmative Action for Women*, Green Paper). Within a University this does not represent departure from the principle of selection on merit.

DISCRIMINATION

Definitions of discrimination vary but three clear forms of discrimination need to be identified. Direct discrimination occurs where a person treats another person less favourably on account of that person's sex (race, etc.) or on account of stereotyped notions about that person's sex (race, etc.).

Indirect discrimination involves setting a requirement with which substantially more people of the one sex (race, etc.) can comply, compared with the number of people

of the other sex (race, etc.) who can comply. Requirements are sometimes set which appear to be neutral but which produce very different results when applied to people of different sexes.

Systemic or structural discrimination, particularly against women, often arises from the failure to adapt work patterns and career structures to accommodate family responsibilities. Systemic discrimination on the basis of race often occurs with a failure to acknowledge the difficulty particular groups, especially aboriginals, experience within the current educational and employment systems. Systemic discrimination is often revealed in differential patterns of participation in certain activities, forms of employment or in differential access to certain benefits or services.

ANTI-DISCRIMINATION LEGISLATION

COMMONWEALTH LAWS

Racial Discrimination Act 1975

The Racial Discrimination Act makes it unlawful to discriminate against a person on the ground of that person's race, colour, national or ethnic origin in employment, the provision of goods and services, access to public places, facilities, land, housing and accommodation.

Sex Discrimination Act 1984

This Act covers discrimination on the grounds of sex, marital status, pregnancy or involving sexual harassment. It is designed to promote equality between the sexes, eliminate discrimination in specific areas like employment and eliminate sexual harassment in the workplace and in educational institutions. In addition it is designed to fulfil obligations under the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women, which Australia ratified in 1983. In June 1984 the Commonwealth Government released a Policy Discussion Paper - 'Affirmative Action for Women'. This Policy Paper proposes a means of improving the participation of women at all levels and in all sectors of the labour market. A voluntary pilot programme involving Affirmative Action in a number of large companies and higher education institutions was also announced.

N.S.W. LEGISLATION

Anti-Discrimination Act 1977

N.S.W. is the only state to have a single statute which now covers discrimination on the ground of race, sex, marital status, physical impairment, intellectual impairment and homosexuality, in employment, provision of goods and services, and educational opportunity.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY IN N.S.W. PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT

In 1980 the Act was amended to include Part IXA which requires Government departments and authorities, and since December 1983, Universities and Colleges of Advanced Education, to research the extent of discrimination occurring within the organisation and prepare an equal employment opportunity management plan in order to

- eliminate and ensure the absence of discrimination in employment on the grounds of race, sex and marital status, and
- promote equal employment opportunity for women and members of racial minorities.

The office of the Director of Equal Opportunity in Public Employment was created to advise scheduled authorities and institutions on the content and scope of the Management Plan and to evaluate the effectiveness of the Plans.

UNIVERSITY EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY MANAGEMENT PLAN

An equal employment opportunity management plan details and co-ordinates affirmative action programmes in the areas of recruitment, selection, training and staff development, promotion, transfer and conditions of employment.

The management plan must be research-based, including statistics on patterns of hiring, promotion, leave granted, training and development and career structures. Goals and targets must be set against which the success of the plan may be assessed. These goals and targets include setting dates and quantified targets. The plan must provide evaluation mechanisms and provisions for amendment and revision.

The University's plan will be based on the following principles:

- Equality of employment opportunity is a matter of basic social justice
- Discrimination is not always deliberate or malicious in intent. It may be embodied in policies and practices which originated at earlier times but which have failed to change in line with changing social circumstances
- Past discrimination requires redress in the form of active steps to remove discrimination, and the provision of programmes for members of groups who have been disadvantaged
- Improvement in equality of employment opportunity should be visible both in the outcomes of selection and promotion procedures and in the redistribution of minority groups and women as reflected in personnel statistics
- Affirmative action programmes should have specific goals and where possible numerical targets together with a timetable for their achievement.

The plan is being developed in stages:

Stage 1

POLICY PREPARATION AND COMMUNICATION

This includes the appointment of staff and the preparation and distribution of this document. The E.E.O. Co-ordinator conducts awareness sessions to ensure staff are aware of their responsibilities in implementing the University's E.E.O. policy.

Stage 2

REVIEW OF STAFF UTILISATION AND PERSONNEL PRACTICES

This is done by means of a staff survey and a review of current personnel practices. The questionnaires will enable a demographic profile of the University's workforce to be produced and will invite comments of staff members' experiences of and assessments of procedures in this University.

Stage 3

DEVELOPMENT STRATEGIES

Policies and programmes will be devised in consultation with staff associations and unions, to eliminate any discriminatory practices identified in Stage 2. Goals and targets for these programmes and a timetable for their achievement will be determined. In addition to existing procedures for handling staff grievances, procedures for complaints related to discrimination will be developed.

Stage 4

IMPLEMENTATION AND EVALUATION

The University will be moving progressively on implementation of affirmative action programmes. From time to time over the next year new employment strategies will be moved through the normal University decision-making bodies. Those policies and programmes which are cross-related and involve major changes will be set out in the final plan. The management plan will also indicate the progress to date and preview future programmes. Statistical information will continue to be collected and reports made to the University Council through the Affirmative Action Working Party. On an annual basis the University will be required to report progress to the Director of Equal Opportunity in Public Employment.

While it is too early to set specific targets, it is anticipated that the following issues will be addressed:

- . the current sex-segregation of the workforce
- . the under-representation of female academic staff
- . limited career options for keyboard and clerical staff
- . the possibility of fractional full-time appointments
- . increased staff training and development opportunities for all staff
- . the provision of duty statements
- . the recruitment of females into non-traditional occupations
- . improved selection procedures
- . increased representation of females on decision-making bodies
- . the identification of positions where Aboriginality is a specific job-related criteria
- . creation of training positions for Aborigines

Equal Employment Opportunity should be the end result of a successful Affirmative Action Programme. The University's commitment to achieving equality of employment opportunity requires a commitment from all members of staff to ensure that activities are conducted in a manner which provides fair and equal treatment for all people.

DR. K.R. McKINNON
Vice-Chancellor.



Campus Community Interface

WEEKEND ON CAMPUS

A Celebration of Wollongong's Clubs and Societies.

Saturday, 28th July (12 to 6 p.m.)
and
Sunday, 29th July (10 to 5 p.m.)

Don't miss this great weekend of displays, exhibitions and special events presented by Wollongong's huge range of community groups.

A fun weekend for the whole family.

Watch for posters and leaflets giving full details of this exciting event.

Presented in conjunction with the 150th Anniversary Committee and "The Advertiser" newspaper, with assistance from the B.H.P. Group of Companies and the Friends of the University.

FRIENDS CELEBRITY CROQUET MATCH

Readers are invited to form a pair with a friend to compete in the Friends celebrity croquet match to be held on the Union lawn at 11.30 a.m. on Friday, 27 July.

This is a "pure fun" event. No knowledge of the game is needed and a light lunch will be provided to all players who finish the course (which will be all players).

The event will help to launch the Union's Clubs and Societies' Weekend which follows on 28 and 29 July, 1984.

Enquiries 270073.

Research Grants

INTERNAL RESEARCH GRANTS

Applications are now being called for the following major internal research grants:

1. Research Associates.
2. Full time Research Assistants.

Application forms and information can be obtained from Trevor Smith in The Hut (Ext. 3079). Applications close at 5.00 p.m. on Tuesday, 31st July.

OUTSIDE RESEARCH GRANTS

Applications are currently being called for research grants with both the Radio Research Board and Computer Research Board

Copies of application forms and other relevant information can be obtained from Trevor Smith (The Hut) ext. 3079.

General Notices

UNIVERSITY STAFF CAMPAIGN ON FUNDING CRISIS

The Federal Government has failed to meet its promise to work towards broader access to higher education for disadvantaged groups, according to the Federation of Australian University Staff Associations (FAUSA).

FAUSA has launched a campaign to raise public awareness about the effects of the shortfall in funding for universities and CAEs.

Speaking in Melbourne, FAUSA General Secretary, Mr. Les Wallis, pointed out that the government's recent Guidelines for higher education funding for 1985-87 had not provided sufficient money to allow for any effective increase in participation in universities and colleges.

"We are producing a series of broadsheets, to bring these matters to the attention of politicians, the public and also university staff on campus" Mr. Wallis said.

"Many aspects of higher education funding and policy are quite complex and technical. These broadsheets will set out the issues clearly, and we hope that they will contribute to public debate on the problems faced by higher education."

FAUSA supported fully the government's policy of opening up universities to a broader range of social groups, said Mr. Wallis. "But we must make the public and politicians realise that such policies are just empty rhetoric unless adequate funds are provided. A cut-price higher education is not good enough."

"Cutbacks in educational and support services will be inevitable, and those most hit will be the students who need extra support to succeed in their studies - those from socioeconomically disadvantaged groups," Mr. Wallis said.

"We hope that our campaign will help to change the climate of opinion so that university education will be recognised as a high priority for public support."

Readers who need further information can contact:

Mr. L.B. Wallis, General Secretary, FAUSA, (03) 6901855
Ms. J. Nicholls, Research Officer, FAUSA, (03) 6901855

GIFTS FROM THE USSR

The Soviet Ambassador to Australia, Dr. Evgeny Samoteijev has presented a number of books to the University during a visit to the Embassy in Canberra by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor, Professor Alex Clarke and his wife, Associate Professor Linda L. Viney on 13 July 1984. The titles include 'Classic Soviet Plays', Three Short Novels by Ivan Turgenev, 'Soviet Women - A Portrait' by N. Vishneva-Sarafanova, 'Re-reading Dostoevsky' by Y. Karyakin, and 'Fiction and Children's Literature from the USSR'. The books have been placed in the University Library.

GOETHE INSTITUTE

The August Newsletter of the Goethe Institute is available from the Editor (tel. 270073).

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING HEAD OF COMPUTING

Dr. Greg Doherty, currently Senior Lecturer in the Department of Mathematics, has been appointed as Acting Head of Computing on a half-time basis from 1 July 1984 to 31 December 1984, in the first instance.

Dr. Doherty will be responsible to the Vice-Chancellor for the following duties relating to computing on campus:

1. Planning and development of general policy.
2. Liaison with academic units involved in computing for teaching and/or research.
3. Oversight of the development of systems for the Administration and Library.
4. Computer Centre policy matters.
5. Approval of all computer hardware and software over \$5,000 in accordance with approved policy.
6. Monitoring and guiding the development of word processing and acquisition of microcomputer equipment.
7. Chairing a Computer Users' Liaison Committee.

For the time being, Dr. Doherty will operate from his existing office within the Department of Mathematics.

PHYSICALLY DISABLED TO BE HELPED

Students or staff members with any kind of physical disability are requested to contact the Counselling Centre (270592).

The counsellors are interested in finding out how people with physical disabilities are coping with University life, with a view to assisting them.

NEW BOOK ON CROSS-CULTURAL PSYCHOLOGY: RANDHAWA AND DE LACEY

Contracts have been signed for a new book on intercultural issues with the Harcourt group of publishers in Sydney. The title is '*Culture and life possibilities: Australia in transition*'. Two of the editors, are Dr. de Lacey and Prof. Randhawa, both widely published internationally in cognitive and intercultural psychology and related fields. For Dr. de Lacey, it is a fourth book the others having dealt with Aborigines, Australian minorities and education: the most recent was '*Mosaic and Melting pot*', used as a text since 1979 in several universities and colleges, and now out of print.

Dr. Randhawa, an assistant dean at the University of Saskatchewan, contributes an Asian perspective, since he was born and became a teacher in India before emigrating to Canada. The other two editors are Assoc. Prof. M.E. Poole and Dr. R. Holenbergh of Macquarie University. Contributors include, besides the editors, members of the Yugoslav, Italian, Greek, Ukrainian, Indian, Vietnamese, Arab, Jewish, Dutch, German, Aboriginal, Polish and British communities. Contributors from the University of Wollongong include Dr. Jakubowicz, Prof. Chipman, Ms. Ronan and Mrs. E. Facer (the last two studying for MAs with Dr. de Lacey), and there is input from other graduate students.

The book is scheduled to appear in the early months of 1985, and is to be followed by a more popular book, now being negotiated, by Drs. Randhawa and de Lacey. "From a variety of perspectives", said Dr. de Lacey, "the book deals with many of the problems and achievements of people in the socioeconomic and cultural mix of Australia - their education, their work, their lives; but it also recognises that the great majority of Australians, 78%, including most Aborigines, have a rich Anglocelt heritage and ancestry."

ADMISSIONS DEADLINES FOR 1985

- * Applications for Undergraduate Admission close 2nd October, 1984 (Applications will be accepted until 14th December, with a late fee of \$30.00)
- * Applications for External Courses close 2nd October, 1984
- * Applications for Postgraduate Studies by coursework close 1st November, 1984
- * Applications for Postgraduate Studies by research close 15th January, 1985
- * Applications for Commonwealth Postgraduate Course awards close 30th September, 1984
- * Applications for Commonwealth Postgraduate Research Awards close 31st October, 1984
- * Applications for University of Wollongong Postgraduate Awards close 31st October, 1984

SPEAKERS FOR GRADUATION 1985

Any member of the University wishing to nominate speakers for any of the six graduation ceremonies to be held on 1st, 2nd and 3rd May, 1985 is invited to do so by providing the names and brief details of the nominees to Trevor Brew, Senior Assistant Secretary, Academic and Student Services.

Deadline: 31st August, 1984.

SIGN LANGUAGE COURSE

The course is designed to acquaint participants with the basics of sign language and finger spelling which will enable them to translate spoken speech for people with hearing impairments.

There are several students on campus who have hearing impairments. There may be more students in the future. Their education at this University is more likely to be successful if students and staff are able to 'sign' and hence able to communicate generally and assist with interpreting in classes.

Two sign language courses will be commencing in August. Evonne Clarke will be teaching a class from 7.30 p.m. - 9.30 p.m. on Mondays for six weeks commencing August 6th; Gail Hansen will be teaching a class from 5.30 p.m. - 7.30 p.m. on Tuesdays commencing August 7th. The course is free.

People who wish to register for a class should call in at the Counselling Centre or phone 27.0592. Registration and payment of fee should be made by July 31st.

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH YEAR

The United Nations General Assembly has designated 1985 as "International Youth Year: Participation, Development and Peace."

UN has defined youth as persons between 15 and 25 years of age.

People who have ideas about how the University should become involved in the Year should contact the Editor, Mr. Giles Pickford, on 270073 or University extension 3073.

DAVID DILLON SMITH'S RETIREMENT

I'd like to express my thanks to all my friends in every section of the University for their good wishes to me on the eve of my retirement; to the Vice-Chancellor and all the friends who attended the farewell luncheon and for

the very fine gift they gave me. I too wish them and the University every success.

David Dillon-Smith

UNION MEMBERSHIP FEES

At the Council meeting of 29 June 1984 it was resolved that an ad hoc committee be established to consider the question of student charges. The committee will comprise representatives from Administration, the Students' Representative Council, the Sports Association and the Union. The terms of reference of the ad hoc committee are given below:

"to identify and justify with full supporting information, any particular course or group of students where the executive committees of the Union, Sports Association and the Students' Representative Council might be asked to consider special fees and/or membership conditions."

If readers feel that any particular course or group of students requires special consideration, would they please provide full documentation by Wednesday, 1 August, 1984 to Jim Langridge, Acting University Secretary.

University Day

University Day (our ninth anniversary) falls on 10 August 1984. Two major events are planned for the evening.

(a) University Day Address

The University Day Address will be held in Pentagon 1 at 6 p.m. It will be delivered by Professor Leonie Sandercock, Professor in Urban Studies at Macquarie University, and the first woman to give the Anniversary address.

The title of her address is "Beliefs and Badges: 'Are You a Marxist?'"

Professor Sandercock's academic record includes the following attainments:

B.A. (Hons I) University of Adelaide, 1971.
Ph.D (Urban Research) Australian National University, 1974.

Post-doctoral Fellow, Urban Research Unit, Australian National University, July, 1974 - July, 1975.

Consultant to South Australian Government on public participation, August - October, 1975.

Visiting Fellow, Centre for Environmental Studies, London, December, 1975 - November, 1976.

Lecturer in Urban Studies, Footscray Institute of Technology, February, 1977 - June, 1981.

Professor in Urban Studies, Centre for Environmental and Urban Studies, Macquarie University, July, 1981-

(b) The Graduates Reunion Dinner

The Annual Graduates Reunion Dinner will be held in the Union Common Room at 7.30 for 8 p.m.

Invitations have been sent to all members of the Friends, to all staff and to all the graduates who graduated in 1980 and 1981 (i.e. the people who did their final years in 1979 and 1980).

Tickets are available from the University Union - \$15 per person.

Seminars

Details of the Seminars below are displayed on the "Campus News" Notice Board in the Administration Annexe.

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY

Venue. Room G25 Metallurgy Building.
Honours Seminars:

Tuesday - 4.00 - 5.30 — July 31

Patrick Tap, Dept. of Biology, University of Wollongong:
"The effects of fire on populations of heathland arthropods."

Tuesday - 4.00 - 5.30 — August 7

Dr. Ross McC. Lilley, Dept. of Biology, University of Wollongong: "Photosynthesis and plant productivity."

Tuesday - 4.00 - 5.30 — August 14

Dr. Vivienne Turner, School of Botany, A.N.U.:
"Pygmy Possums and Banksias."

PEACE SEMINAR

Visit to Wollongong of VIJA ARTMANE, honoured actress of the U.S.S.R., and Vice-Chairperson of the Soviet Peace Committee.

She will speak at Wesley Uniting Church, Crown Street, midday, Wednesday August 1st. All welcome, no charge.

AND

More informally, at afternoon tea, International Centre, Stewart Street, upstairs at 5.30 p.m. Entry by donation.

Enquiries: 292780. Authorised by Australian Peace Committee, South Coast Branch.

TRAGER PSYCHOPHYSICAL INTEGRATION WITH MENTASTICS

Training course presented by the International Gestalt Institute of Australia.

8 - 13 November 1984 at Murwillumbah.

Phone (07) 3693211.

HAVING DIFFICULTIES WITH THE WRITING AND READING DEMANDS AT UNIVERSITY?

The ways in which some students write essays and read text material contrasts sharply with the ways skilled writers and readers approach the same tasks. The Centre for Studies in Literacy is conducting a free screening/diagnostic service with intensive short courses to improve the writing and reading competence for all those in need of assistance.

Courses are also available for those students for whom English is a Second Language who wish to improve their level of English Literacy.

Screening/diagnostic services will be conducted the week beginning July 30th, 1984.

For an immediate appointment contact: The Secretary, Centre for Studies in Literacy, Building 21.

FACULTY OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF SEMINARS

August 6 - Room 22.1029, Dr. de Lacey and Prof. Randhawa - Learning, Thinking and Communicating in a sociocultural context: theory and preliminary data.

August 13 - Room 19.1029, Jenny Hammond- ESL children and the writing process: a 2 year study.

PLANNING FOR CARE IN AN AGEING AUSTRALIA

Anglican Retirement Villages Jubilee Seminar - 25 to 26 October, 1984, at Castle Hill, N.S.W.

Job Vacancies

Details of the following positions are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board situated in the Administration Annexe.

James Cook	Snr. Tutor, Civil & Systems Engineering
Wollongong	Technical Officer, Gd 1 in Civil and Mining Engineering Graduate Assistant Gd 1 Air Conditioning Mechanic
Melbourne	Chair of Italian
Flinders	Lecturer in Politics (International Relations) Lecturer in Drama Lecturer in Mathematics (Statistics) Research Fellow in Biology Visiting Snr. Lecturer in Sociology
AVCC	Vacancies in Australian and overseas universities
ANU	ANUTECH Visiting Fellow in Archaeology
Adelaide	Computing Officer Gd 1 Lecturers in Physics
Macquarie	Lecturer in Computing
Massey, N.Z.	Snr. Lecturer in Management
United Nations	Various posts

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on (042) 270076 or 270555

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Open Wednesdays only 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Enquiries to Bev - Phone 28.3853.

DANTE ALIGHIERI SOCIETY NEWS

August 4, at the International Centre, 28 Stewart Street.

I Carbonari Della Commedia will present Incontro Con Eduardo De Filippo - Pericolosamente, Farmacia di Turno, Il Cilindro.

The programme will begin at 8.00 p.m. and there will be a nominal charge at the door to cover expenses. All are welcome.

BACH'S PRELUDES AND FUGUES

The remaining numbers in the series of forty eight preludes and fugues will be performed at 2.30pm in the Conservatorium, Gleniffer Brae, on the following dates:

July 29 and September 9, 23

Tickets \$5.00, concession \$3.00 from the Conservatorium of Music 28.1122.

ANTONIA HUXTABLE

As well as appearing at the City of Wollongong's Symphony Orchestra Town Hall concert on Saturday 11th August (when she will play Mozart's C-major Flute Concerto K 313), visiting Canadian flautist, Antonia Huxtable, will give a lunch-hour recital at the University of Wollongong Union Hall on Tuesday 14th August. Her associate artist will be David Vance and the programme will cover nineteenth and twentieth century works, with sonatas by Reinecke and Poulenc, the Concertino Op.107 by Chaminade and the Australian premiere of a contemporary piece 'Soliloquy for Solo Flute', written for Ms. Huxtable by English composer Graham Lack.

This recital is timed to commence at 12.30 p.m. and admission is free. Further enquiries to David Vance (ext. 3997) or Wayne Dixon (ext. 3790).

BATTLE LINES, 1984

Wollongong Poets Union, with support from the Literature Board of the Australia Council, presents a series of Four Illustrated Talks On Contemporary Australian Writing by four of its authors.

Time: 8 p.m., Mondays

Place: Upstairs, Wollongong Migrant Resources Centre 3 Rawson Street, Wollongong

Entrance Charge: \$2 (to help pay talkers and cover refreshment costs)

Format: Each talk will be a 45-60 minute period given over to the talker to present a case and illustrate it with prerecorded excerpts from Australian writing, followed by a 15 minute break for free

refreshment, and, finally, a 30 minute question time.

August 13 - Non-linear drama: Nick Tsoutas.

The case for dispensing with narrative in Australian drama.

The other three talks will be advertised in later issues.

MUSICA VIVA

Australian Chamber Orchestra - Tuesday 7th August at 8.15 p.m.

The Australian Chamber Orchestra has established an international reputation as one of the leading string orchestras. Its Sydney concerts invariably earn the very highest critical acclaim and its visit to Wollongong therefore presents an opportunity for local music-lovers to experience the very best in string-playing. The A.C.O. will perform an exciting programme - Arensky's 'Variations on a Theme of Tchaikovsky', Prokofiev's 'Visions Fugitives', Mendelssohn's String Symphony and 'The Stars Turn' by Australian composer Peter Sculthorpe.

Tickets are \$10 and \$4.50 (concession) and should be obtained in advance from the Union Office as soon as possible as it is expected that all available seats will be sold out before the night of the concert.

PETRA STRING QUARTET

The Petra String Quartet, normally resident at the Tasmanian Conservatorium of Music, will be resident at the School of Creative Arts in the Institute from 24 July to 17 August.

An interesting series of lectures and performances has been woven together by Professor Cowie and Andrew Ford.

Saturday, 28th July, at 8.15 p.m. - Music Auditorium Quartets by Sculthorpe, Bartok, Schumann Piano Quintet (with David Vance, Piano).

Tuesday, 31st July, at 8.15 p.m. - Music Auditorium Quartets by Haydn, Sittky, Brahms Piano Quintet (Yang Jun, Piano)

Saturday, 4th August, at 8.15 p.m. - Music Auditorium Quartets by Beethoven, Meale, Shostakovich Octet (with members of the Peking Quartet)

Wednesday, 15th August, at 8.15 p.m. - in the City Art Gallery, Quartets by Beethoven, Webern, Sculthorpe

Tickets are only \$7 per person, which is a good price for such an offering as this. Tickets are available at the School of Creative Arts Office, and at the Keyboard Clinic, Crown Central, Wollongong.

ART ARENA EXHIBITION

Mr. Frank McBride, Director of Wollongong Art Gallery, will officially open an exhibition of art and craft work by intellectually disabled people. This will be held soon at Wollongong's newest art gallery, the 'Art Arena' gallery located in the Central Chambers Building, Corner of Crown and Church Streets. The 'Art Arena' gallery has been operating for four months as a non-profit organisation which includes students from the University of Wollongong's School of Creative Arts.

Charles Clark, who is organising the exhibition on behalf of the Illawarra Leisure Club's Coffee Shop for intellectually disabled adults said, "this exhibition will give an opportunity to a large group of people of all ages to display their art and craft work. The achievements of intellectually disabled people are often overlooked by other members of the community and we hope that people will make an effort to come along." He said, "the exhibition will be open to the public from 26th July to 5th August on Thursdays (4.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.) and Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays (10.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.)"

UNDER MILKWOOD

by Dylan Thomas

Directed by Maurie Scott.

Wollongong Workshop Theatre, Gipps Road, Gwynneville.

August 8 - 25, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday at 8.00 p.m.

Price \$5; \$3 concession.

Tickets at Wilson's, Crown Street, or at door.

LOCAL YOUNG PIANO STARS TO SHINE DURING COMMUNITY CELEBRATION

Three young Illawarra pianists who recently competed in the Yamaha National Piano Competition will again display their talents in a special concert presented by the Illawarra Music Club as part of the 150th Anniversary Clubs and Societies Weekend at Wollongong University.

Olwyn Cox, Emilio Gonzalez and Subathira Amarasingham (Winner of the Wollongong Hi-Fi Prize for the best local contestant in the Yamaha Competition) will give the concert in the University Union Hall on Saturday, 28th July at 1.30 p.m. Admission is free.

The concert is one of the many special events being presented by more than 60 local organisations during the Community Weekend which celebrates the great range of activities offered by Wollongong's clubs and societies.

CREATIVE ARTS - GALA RECEPTION

The School of Creative Arts will hold a Gala Reception on the evening of Thursday 16th August, 1984, commencing at 6.00 p.m. at the Institute of Advanced Education.

This will be a glittering evening and marks the formal launching of the 'public' image of the new School. The School proposes to invite members of the community and distinguished Arts persons in Australia to become Patrons of the School of Creative Arts and this evening will establish this 'family of friends'.

The School of Creative Arts is set to become one of the leading Arts Activity Centres in the world. Public involvement with the workings of the School is seen to be vital in the planning of a National Identity for the establishment! Tickets for the Gala Evening will be \$40 per person (a receipt for \$20 donation is included in costs in accordance with Section 78(1)(A) of the Income Tax Act), for which princely sum readers will get:

Champagne Reception; Exhibition of Artists working in the School of Creative Arts; Concert by the Petra Quartet, Chinese Quartet in Residence; Don Harper's Australian Jazz Chamber Ensemble; Dinner, accompanied by Music.

Only a limited number of people will be able to attend (200). Enquiries to the School on 270987.

THE ILLAWARRA LITTLE THEATRE

On Friday, 27th July, the Illawarra Little Theatre will present its World Premiere production of Allan Mackay's new play "Man and Dolls" at the Town Hall Theatre. The price of admission will be \$8 for adults and \$5 for pupils, payable at the door.

It is a unique love story of a girl, a puppeteer and the dolls he hides behind and stars Dale Woodward, whose reputation is worldwide. The strong cast includes Kathy Zugnoni, Len Nugent, Dorothy McDonald, Tony Newbery, Paul Stobbie and Maurice Johnston. The play is directed by the author, and whilst being a romantic adult drama it would appeal to the whole family.

Enquiries to (042) 294751.

LOCAL STUDENTS PROVIDE MATERIAL FOR PLAY

Theatre South's newest Theatre-in-Education play "No Strings Attached" draws its material directly from the experiences of students at Oak Flats High School. Two Theatre South actors, Sher Guhl and Michael Coe (himself from Oak Flats) spent time with the students, going to classes, wearing school uniforms, attending a disco and interviewing students from Year 7 - Year 11. Meanwhile, Michael Smart and his Year 11 Drama Class were also collecting material from students. Out of all this research, Michael Smart, working closely with the actors and with Director, Des Davis, created the play 'No Strings Attached', which begins its Wollongong season this week, appropriately at Oak Flats High School.

The play has already given a demonstration performance for teachers and officers of the Department of Education who have given it an enthusiastic stamp of approval.

The A.B.C. also became involved in the project when they chose it as an example of a professional Theatre in Education company working with students and made a documentary 'Diary of a Drama' which will be screened as part of a major series on Drama in 1985.

Meanwhile, Theatre South is taking bookings for 'No Strings Attached' not only in Wollongong, but also in Campbelltown and Sydney. 'No Strings Attached' will also form part of Theatre South's Travelling Theatre Festival, which will tour country N.S.W. in October this year.

Theatre South's other High School programme for senior students, is 'Myths and Mirrors, Rebels and Ratbags' characters in Australian drama. This programme, with George Leppard and Sher Guhl, has been directed by Peter Duncan and opens also this week at Wollongong High School and Kanahooka High School.

Advertisements

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Chopper Honda 750 Motor Bike. Rego. Dec. '84. Fully raked. \$1500 o.n.o.

Honda Goldwing 1975 model, fairing, driving lights, crash bars, rego. Oct. '84. \$1000 o.n.o.
Phone (046) 309229.

FURNISHED ACCOMMODATION WANTED

Furnished accommodation required by responsible female student, till the end of November. Would prefer to take care of established residence for absent or holidaying owners. References available if required. Please contact Lisa Phipps on 286293 or (02) 3873121 after 3.30 p.m.

OLD CAMERAS WANTED

Wanted: Old cameras and accessories, stereo viewers and cards, early images, magic lanterns, old books on photography, anything related to the history of photography. Please contact Peter Pavlik in the Chemistry Department or private on 284925.

MATURE AGE STUDENTS

The Mature Age Students Association is holding a barbeque in the Northern Lounge, and on its balcony, on Tuesday 31st July. The time is from 12.00 to 2.00 and the cost is only \$1 per student.

All those students of 25 years and over are welcome to come along to the barbeque, and by meeting other members of our Association, find out what we are doing for us older University students. Sandra Stanley.

WANTED FOR RENT

Furnished house (3 bedroom) for visiting overseas lecturer. August '84 - May '85 or part thereof. Please phone Gerald Nanson 270631 (work) or 846461 (home).

FOR SALE

Camera - Olympus OM4. 3 months old, fully automatic with Lakina zoom lens 25mm - 50 mm S/4 - \$650.
Phone 616417.

HOME FOR SALE

Mount Keira. Modern, well-maintained three bedroom home on large block. Beautiful bushland setting; rural,

city and escarpment views. \$65,900. Phone 284101 or ext. 3689.

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West Wollongong - 3 bedroom flat in block of four. About 2.5 km. from University. Tel. 281784 evenings.

West Wollongong - 1 bedroom flat in block of four. About 2.5 km. from University. Tel. 281784 evenings.

West Wollongong - 2 bedroom unit in Duplex. Separate garden. Telephone 281784 evenings.

FOR SALE

VW Beetle 1973 - good mechanical condition, bodywork fair. \$800 o.n.o. Ph. (046) 259878 (Davis) or contact S. Rice 287761.

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Mitsubishi Sigma 2000 Wagon; July 1980; 34,000; new tyres; regularly serviced; reg. to January 1985. Best offer. 6 Pacific Street, Kiama, 2533.

UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC SOCIETY

The Catholic Society holds Mass at 12.40 p.m. each Thursday during term time in the Union Common Room or the Northern Lounge where appropriate. Fr. Terry Gleeson, Catholic Chaplain, tel. 286511.

CAR FOR SALE

Corona Station Wagon, 1977. \$3,400 o.n.o. Phone: 270727 or 296475 a.h.

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Furnished accommodation required (two bedrooms) for visiting overseas lecturer for the period from beginning of July until the end of October. Please phone 270065.



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