A WEEKLY INFORMATION SHEET

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# STAFF INVITED TO IMPROVE TEACHING SKILLS

Full-time and Part-time staff are invited to enrol in this year's programme of seminars and workshops relating to teaching development. Please note that enrolments are limited for the introductory seminars in computing and that the closing date for applications is Wednesday 26 September. Enquiries should be made to Dr. Panter ext. 3618. In general, the seminars and workshops will be arranged to suit the individual timetable of participants.

#### Topics:

- Lecturing Techniques.
   The purpose and effectiveness of lectures. Factors affecting students' memory. Lecture preparation and organization. Overcoming common problems. Alternatives to lecturing.
- 2. Principles of Student Assessment.
  Purpose of assessment. Relationship between teaching objectives and assessment. Examinations and continuous assessment. Feedback. Involving students in assessment procedures. Essay marking. The construction of multiple choice tests. Validity and reliability.
- 3. Introduction to Computing Keyboard skills.
  Introduction to microcomputers. Use of the Apple 11+/11e type microcomputer keyboard. Teach yourself typing using a software package.

The workshop will be offered twice - on Friday 19 October and Friday 26 October, 1.30-4.30 p.m. There will be a maximum of 20 participants each session\*.

- Communication skills for Part-time Staff. Introduction to lecturing techniques and small group work. Selection of visual materials. Preparation and visual aids. Assessment.
- Introduction to Subject Design and Development.
   Alternative models for subject development. Aims
   and objectives. Selection of content, strategies and
   resources. Assessment and subject design. Evaluation
   of subjects.
- An introduction to Video. Identification of videotapes and standards. Equipment familiarization. Sound and Lighting. Introduction to production techniques.
- Advanced video (available to staff who have attended previous video workshops) Advanced production, scripting, editing, video in the classroom.
- Introduction to Computing Wordprocessing skills. Introduction to word processors - microcomputers their purpose and range of activities. A low level wordprocessor package - Sandy's wordprocessor or Apple IIe. A high level wordprocessor package -Microsoft WORDS on Sperry Model 25.

The workshop will be offered twice - on Friday 28 September and Friday 5 October, 1.30-4.30 p.m. There will be a maximum of 20 participants each session.\*

\*Workshops 3 and 8 will be offered by Dr. M. Hough and staff of the Institute Microcomputer Centre.

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# NEW STAFF AT THE CENTRE FOR TEACHING DEVELOPMENT

Dr. John Panter, Acting Head of the Centre for Teaching Development, announced the appointment of new members of staff.

Mr. Rick Calladine, Senior Technical Officer, will manage the audio-visual activities of the Centre relating to the control, maintenance and repair of equipment. He will also be responsible for audio and video productions. He will take up duties on 2 October and will be located in the Social Science Building (ext. 3618).

Mr. Barry Robson has entered on duty as a Technical Officer responsible for the repair and maintenance of all audio-visual equipment in the University which is used for teaching. He can be contacted on ext. 3622.

Ms. Rosemary Robins and Mr. Graeme Darbyshir have taken up appointments as Half-time Audio-visual Attendants. They will join Mrs. Cruickshanks from 8 a.m. until 9 p.m. as from Monday 24 September. All Attendants are located in the Pentagon (ext. 3993). After 4 p.m., this number may occasionally be unattended as staff are called out for brief periods to set up equipment or solve minor maintenance problems. Please note that it will not normally be possible for staff to operate equipment such as projectors or video cassette players. They will, however, be able to set up such equipment when required, provided that sufficient notice is given.

#### NURSING COURSE FOR UNIVERSITY

Professor Peter Rousch, Director of the University's Institute of Advanced Education, announced that the University's first intake into Nursing would take place

in 1985. The University of Wollongong will be the only university in New South Wales offering the course which is to be known as Diploma of Applied Science (Nursing). All other nursing courses will be offered at colleges of advanced education.

Professor Rousch also announced the appointment of Mr. Bruce Partridge, currently Head of the Illawarra School of Nursing, as Co-ordinator of Nursing in the University's new School of Health Sciences. He will be assisted by Mrs. Jan Pincombe from the Western Australian School of Nursing. Both Mr. Partridge and Mrs. Pincombe have had extensive practical experience in hospitals as well as in nurse education. Professor Rousch expressed confidence in the University's capacity to provide a programme that would reflect both the best of current nursing practice and the benefits that derive from a course at the tertiary level.

#### NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON WORK, INCOME AND LEISURE IN THE COMING YEARS

A Conference will be held at Wollongong University on September 28 and 29 on the theme of work, income and leisure in the coming years. The Conference, jointly organized by the Department of Economics and Centre for Technology and Social Change, will focus on the effects that continuing high levels of unemployment, changes to industrial structures and technology change are having on the Australian economy.

The speakers at the Conference include the Hon. Barry Jones, the Minister for Science and Technology; Professor Peter Dixon of Melbourne University; Professor Don Lamberton of Queensland University; Mary Gaudron QC and Mr. Justice Kirby. Thirty other papers will be given by academics, trade unionists, public servants and welfare workers from Australia and overseas.

The three major issues to be considered at the Conference are changes in the economy, work and leisure and the policy options available to cope with these changes.

Further details are available from the Conference Secretary, Dr. J. Mangan, Economics Department, University of Wollongong on (042) 270658.

# 24TH INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF PSYCHOLOGY

The 23rd International Congress of Psychology, just completed in Acapulco in Mexico, confirmed Sydney, Australia, as the venue for the 24th International Congress in 1988.

The decision to hold the congress in Australia is interesting not only because it is the first such congress to be held in the southern hemisphere but because it is to be part of the Australian Bicentenary celebrations.

Professor Ron King, Chairman of the 1988 International Congress Committee, said that the plans for the Australian programme, to be hosted by the Australian Psychological Society, had already attracted plenty of attention from psychologists around the world. Scientific papers were to be arranged so that the common interests of physiologists, biochemists, ergonomists and psychologists, working at the edges of these disciplines, would be met.

For the first time, a major congress in psychology will also include substantial sections open to the public and to special interest groups, such as business executives. Professor King said that neither the scientific nor the professional aspects of psychology were well understood by the public-at-large, and it was time that steps were taken to remedy this problem.

Professor King said that his committee was impressed by the willingness of the 50,000-strong American Psychological Association's decision to shift its 1988 Conference from New York to the West Coast so that American psychologists could move on to the congress in Australia.

The assembly and executive of the International Union of Psychological Sciences representing more than 100 member nations, has also greeted the Australian proposals enthusiastically, with officials from eastern and western Europe, China, Japan, India, North America, Central America and Africa pledging their support.

Principal venues for the congress in Sydney will include the Sydney Opera House, The Sydney Entertainment Centre and Sydney University.

Further information: Professor R.C. King, University of Wollongong, Wollongong, N.S.W. Australia. Telephone: (042) 270733. Telex: 29022.

# SUBMISSION TO THE SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND THE ENVIRONMENT

The Centre for Technology and Social Change is preparing a submission to the Senate Standing Committee on Science, Technology and the Environment. The Committee is investigating "The adequacy of current mechanisms to investigate and monitor the introduction and current application of new technologies, and the need for a national technology assessment system better able to provide information and advice in relation to:

- a) effects on unemployment, manpower planning and industrial relations;
- b) extent of Australian control of technological change;
   and
- c) policy planning for the purpose of encouraging, or directing technological change in Australia."

Information is also being sought on the recent and current effects on employment and productivity of technological change in particular industries.

Anyone wishing to contribute to this submission should contact the Centre on ext. 3639 for further information.

# ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Nominations have been called for election to the following positions on the University Council, with nominations closing on the dates shown in brackets:

- 1. One student member (Friday, 5 October, 1984)
- One member elected by Convocation (Friady, 5 October, 1984)
- 3. Two academic staff members (Friday, 5 October, 1984)
- 4. One general staff member (Friday, 5 October, 1984)

Detailed notices of election have been displayed on several University notice boards and, for the student and Convocation elections, have been advertised in the Illawarra Mercury and the Sydney Morning Herald on Saturday, 15th September, 1984.

If further details are required, please contact Mr. W. Mahoney (ext. 3799).

### General Notices

UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR 1985

Session 1:

Recess Weeks Common to all universities

25th February - 12 May (11 weeks)

May Recess: 13th May - 19th May

13th-19th May

(1 week)

20th May - 9th June (3 weeks)

Study Recess: 10th June - 16th June (1 week)

Examinations: 17th June - 30th June (2 weeks)

Mid Your Poppers 1st July 14st July 1981

Mid-Year Recess: 1st July - 14th July 8th - 14th July (2 weeks)

Session 2:

15th July - 18th August (5 weeks)

August Recess: 19th August - 1st September

(2 weeks)

26th August - 1st September

2nd September - 3rd November (9 weeks)

Study Recess: 4th November - 10th November (1 week)

Examinations: 11th November - 1st October (3 weeks)

#### **ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR 1986**

Session 1:

Recess weeks common to all universities

24th February - 11th May (11 weeks)

May Recess: 12th May - 18th May 12th - 18th May (1 week)

19th May - 8th June (3 weeks)

Study Recess: 9th June - 15th June (1 week)

Examinations: 16th June - 29th June (2 weeks)

Mid-Year Recess: 30th June - 13th July 7th-13th July (2 weeks)

Session 2:

14th July - 17th August (5 weeks)

August Recess: 18th August - 31st August

(2 weeks) 25th - 31st August

1st September - 2 November (9 weeks)

Study Recess: 3rd November - 9th November (1 week)

Examinations: 10th November - 30th November

(3 weeks)

#### FAUSA CRITICAL OF FEDERAL BUDGET

(Extracted from "Higher Education Briefing Notes" September 1984.

Against the background of funding shortfall set by the 1985-87 Guidelines released on 5 July the Federal Budget offers only an insignificant rise in student assistance, and nothing of substance for research funding.

Overall, education's share of total budget outlays has declined from 9.0% in 1976-77 under the former Liberal government to only 7.1% for the coming year. Higher education, as the CTEC pointed out in Volume 1 of its report, has borne the brunt of these reductions falling from 4.6% of total outlays in 1976-77 to 3.4% in 1983-84. In the coming year the portion of the education budget devoted to higher education will fall further.

The budget reduces the deficit substantially and also provides generous assistance in areas of expenditure which are arguably less important than education: the America's Cup defence fund will receive \$6 million, for example, despite the fact that there is considerable potential in a sport such as yachting for corporate sponsorship. Private sector funding for university research, on the other hand, pointed to the Guidelines as the answer to inadequacies in higher education funding, is far more problematic and perhaps less appropriate.

This calls the government's priorities into question. FAUSA delegations hear from the Minister that, while the government has the best of intentions, the coffers are empty. We might be forgiven for thinking that the government's promises to improve and extend the higher education sector are exercises in cynicism which will result in universities and their staff being portrayed as the scapegoats for the failure of inadequately financed policies.

#### UNION COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

There are places to be filled by directly elected representatives on the following Union Committees:

Finance and Development (1) Services and House (2)

Nominations close Monday, 24th September 12 noon.

Further information and nomination forms are available from Union Office.

#### 1985 UNIVERSITY PROSPECTUS

One copy of the 1985 Prospectus containing information for applicants has been sent to each Department/School. If any member of staff would like a copy please contact Publicity and Information ext. 3926 or 2916.

#### LABOUR DAY HOLIDAY -MONDAY, 1ST OCTOBER 1984

Salary Preparation - Pay period ending 4/10/84.

The time available for salary preparation for the pay period ending 4th October 1984 will be reduced by the inclusion of a public holiday, Monday, 1st October, 1984.

Consequently, in order to have the payroll prepared, it will be necessary to have all time sheets and part-time teaching returns submitted to the Salaries Section ONE DAY EARLIER THAN USUAL as indicated below.

#### Casual Staff:

Time sheets to reach Salaries Section not later than Friday, 28th September, 1984.

Part-Time Teaching Staff:

Teaching returns to reach Salaries Section not later than Friday, 28th September, 1984.

#### GOVERNMENT CREATES 900 NEW POST-GRADUATE AWARDS

The Federal Government would make available 900 new awards for full-time postgraduate students in Australia's higher education institutions next year, the Minister for Education and Youth Affairs, Senator Susan Ryan, announced.

Most of the awards would be for postgraduate research in universities.

'This emphasises the Government's firm commitment to basic research in Australia's universities,' Senator Ryan said.

The Minister said that of the 900 awards, 725 Research Awards would be for postgraduate research students in universities while the 145 Course Awards would be for Masters coursework students in universities.

A further 30 Advanced Education Institution Awards would go to Masters degree students in colleges of advanced education.

Senator Ryan said that the statistics of awards for postgraduate study in universities also reflected the high quality of applicants for these awards. In 1984 more than 85 per cent of winners of these awards had previously held Masters or Honours I qualifications.

In this year's Budget the Government allocated about \$18.5 million to postgraduate awards - an increase of \$1 million over the 1984 allocation.

Inquiries: Paul Slocum (062) 897172.

#### NEWS FROM AUSTRALIA-CHINA COUNCIL

#### UNIVERSITIES FALLING BEHIND

Australian universities came in for some heavy discussion at the August meeting of the Australia-China Council in Melbourne.

The ACC expressed concern at the failure of Australian universities to support the Australian Government's initiatives in China, by teaching or research, particularly in the vital areas of economic relations, and China's domestic economic policies.

Reporting discussion at the meeting, the executive director of the ACC, Dr. Jocelyn Chey said:

"The problem for Australia is that our economic relationship with China is not being subjected to sustained analysis and public scrutiny by people who are qualified to comment and who also stand outside both government and business.

"... Worse still, tertiary level research, training and teaching on the Chinese economy is dangerously insufficient for a country which is according relations with that economy such prominence in Australia's own economic development."

Dr. Chey added that the ACC will be seeking further discussions with universities to remedy this situation.

#### TOP CHINESE ARTIST TO VISIT AUSTRALIA

A visit to Australia next month by a leading Chinese artist, Huang Miaozi, is expected to prove beneficial to the local artistic community.

Mr. Huang will be in Australia for two to three weeks at the invitation of the Australia-China Council to meet fellow artists and study local trends.

He is a council member of the Chinese Artists Association, a committee member of the All China Federation of Literary and Art Sciences and Art Adviser to "Chinese Literature", a leading Chinese publication.

"Mr Huang is a very well-known critic, art historian and calligrapher whose articles are widely published in magazines and newspapers in China", says ACC executive director Dr. Jocelyn Chey. "We are trying to arrange for him to meet with local art students and enthusiasts and talk about developments in traditional Chinese painting, as well as speak on overall trends in Chinese art in his capacity as a critic.

"We are hoping that Mr. Huang's wife, Yu Feng, also an artist, will join him during his Australian visit. She visited Australian in 1982 at the invitation of the ACC."

## AUSTRALIAN ACADEMICS FOR PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST

invites academic and administrative staff to join the Seventh Annual Study Mission to Egypt and Israel from December 26, 1984 - January 13, 1985.

Fact-finding tour takes you on the spot to receive high level briefings from Government ministers, academics, military personnel, Jewish and Arab leaders.

Cost (ex Sydney/Melbourne) including air fare, hotels, most meals, from \$2130.

Inquiries: Graham de Vahl Davis (UNSW: 02 - 6622955) or Colin Rubenstein (Monash: 03 - 5412413).

(The Editor has displayed programme details on the 'Campus News' notice board).

# ASSISTANCE TO HEARING IMPAIRED STUDENTS by Beth Urwin, Counselling Centre

The provision of \$3000 for assistance has enabled the setting up of comprehensive services to hearing impaired students for the first time on this campus.

Two hearing impaired students were identified - one in Arts and one in Computing Science. Reg Trew (TAFE

Consultant to the Deaf) and Graham Weir (Welfare Worker, Adult Deaf Society) generously assessed the students' needs and then I organised the implementation of their suggestions. The services should be fully operational from 3rd September, 1984.

The FM portable amplification system, the Phonic Ear will be purchased at a cost of \$1102.71. This will be able to be used by future hearing impaired students along with previously purchased equipment and will be located with ERC.

One of the students is profoundly deaf but since she did not become deaf until she had developed good language skills, her needs were assessed as requiring notetaking and interpreting services available from fellow students and some taping and typing of lectures.

The other student is not profoundly deaf and the Phonic Ear is suitable for his use. As well, a notetaking service has been set up for lectures where the Phonic Ear is ineffectual. He experiences difficulty in asking lecturers to use the equipment and in ensuring himself a seat in the front row of the lecture theatre. I have written to his lecturers asking for co-operation on this matter. As well, I have circulated to all staff involved with these two students, an information sheet about appropriate teaching methods. There seems to be a real need for staff development in raising awareness of the particular learning problems of hearing impaired students.

The provision of the services is expensive but the cancellation of the sign language classes has given the budget an extra \$600, so costs will be met from the original \$3000.

The exercise of organizing the services was very time consuming and the establishment of a consultary position is warranted to handle such organizations, as well as the attraction of more hearing impaired students. Future activities related to this category of students may be the leasing of a public telephone with amplification provision, consideration of setting up a deaf education unit on campus which could attract students Australia wide and the ongoing training of sign interpreters through the Summer Session courses.

Overall, I believe the services to be beneficial and should be continued in the future.

# EDUCATION RESEARCH IN THE ILLWARRA FOR THE 1980'S AND BEYOND

The proceedings of the Inaugural Conference of the Illawarra Region Educational Research Council held on 24th March, 1984, have now been published under the above title. Copies area available from the Editors A.J. Fielding (270612) and P.R. de Lacey (270728) or the Education Secretary (270733).

# STAFF CLUB INAUGURAL MEETING AND SOCIAL FUNCTION

The Founding Committee is pleased to advise that the first general meeting of the Club will be held at 7.30 p.m. on Friday, 28 September, in the Institute Director's former residence. The business of the meeting will be to ratify the constitution and elect office-bearers. (Copies of the Interim Constitution are available from Flora Hutchison in Central Registry). Intending members are welcome to attend.

A buffet meal and entertainment will be provided after the meeting. Cost: \$10 per person, B.Y.O.G. Please let Bob Colvin (ext. 2761) know by 21 September if you wish to come.

# VISIT OF MRS CONNIE WATKIN — CANADIAN CONSULATE—GENERAL

Mrs. Watkin from the Canadian Consulate-General will visit the University on Monday, 8 October. She has expressed a wish to meet anyone interested in Canadian Studies.

While here, she will donate 147 books to the University Library from the Canadian Government.

#### WEEKEND STUDENT COMPUTER TERMINALS

The Student Terminal Laboratory, Room 113 in the Austin Keane Building, will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. each Saturday and Sunday of September and October.

Students are encouraged to use these terminals during the weekends when the load on the central computer is lighter. Any difficulties with the terminals or printer should be reported to Milenko Bogovac, Stan Kadzielski or Alexander Pupovac, who will be in attendance during the weekend opening hours.

#### OPEN DAY/EXPO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Open Day Committee needs student volunteers to act as guides and literature distributors on 20 and 21 October. ALL VOLUNTEERS WILL RECEIVE A UNIVERSITY TEE SHIRT AND A MEAL VOUCHER FROM THE UNION.

Enter your name on the roster with Gillian Curtis on ext. 3926 or 3916.

#### **VARIATION OF COURSE REGISTRATION 1985**

Students intending to transfer to another undergraduate degree course at this University in 1985, should submit an "Application for Variation of Course Registration" form. Applications should be submitted by 11th January,

#### STUDY TOUR OF ITALY

The Department of European Languages will be organizing the usual study tour of Italy in conjunction with South Coast Travel.

The itinerary covers the period 5 - 29 January, 1985, and includes Rome, Sienna, Venice, Milan, Bologna and Florence.

Costs are \$2,780. Enquiries to Vincent Cincotta on 270635 or ext. 3635.

#### UNION NEWS FLASH!

The Union is a centre of activity as it plans 'New Looks' for the Bistro

Plus

relaxing music as well as

that quiet meeting place when

the doors of the Common Room

open Tuesday Evenings 5.00 - 9.00 p.m.



# Campus Community Interface

#### VISITING ANGLICAN SCHOLAR

Edwin Judge, Foundation Professor of Ancient History at Macquarie University, will be visiting campus at the request of the Friends of the University on October 9, 1984. He will be giving two lectures:

- a) Tuesday lunch time 12.30 1.30 p.m.
   Building 10 G. 14
   Topic: "Does Christ teach us to judge Caesar?"
- b) A Dinner Lecture7.30 p.m. to 7.45 p.m. at the University.

Topic: "Does St. Paul support the class structure?"

Contact Rev. R.B. Heslehurst, Anglican Chaplain, 289132 or 288417 or Uni. ext. 3040 by 5th October.

#### 4EME FESTIVAL DES ARTS DU PACIFIQUE

Nouvelle Caledonie

8 - 22 December, 1984

French Caledonia Travel Service Tour Co-ordinated by Susan Simons and Roslyn Premont.

Mrs. Susan Simons, a member of the Friends, is offering members a rare chance to join in the huge celebration of the arts and talents of the peoples of the Pacific. The Pacific Festival of the Arts occurs only once every four years and is organised by Pacific Islanders to express the real significance of their traditional arts and the excitement of emerging contemporary forms.

Nearly 2500 Islanders from 26 nations and territories will join with 1,500 local Melanesian artists in New Caledonia and participate in the Festival's extensive programme. The Festival will open in Noumea on 8 December 1984 and decentralise to smaller regional festivals throughout New Caledonia in order to allow a closer rapport between performers and audiences.

Among the highlights of the Festival are daily performances of traditional and contemporary music, dancing and singing; exhibitions and demonstrations of Pacfic crafts; symposia on topics of particular interest for Pacific people; a Pacific film festival; book launch and display of Pacific literature; static exhibitions of stamps, shells, costumes, traditional pharmacopaeia, etc., canoe making, sailing and techniques of navigation will be another feature of the festival, and let's not forget the food, fabulous food, including a gigantic bougna (feast) the second Sunday.

Susan Simons, 109 Browns Road, Wahroonga, N.S.W. 2076, or phone (02) 485137 and keep trying!

#### KEIRA GREEN CORRIDOR PROJECT

The next meeting of the Friends Keira Green Corridor Project will be held on Wednesday, 3rd October at 12.30 p.m. in the Town Hall Reception Room. The agenda includes:

- \* Details of recent publicity; tabling of Plan.
- \* DMR progress of F8 planting.
- Outcome of meeting re. footbridges over freeway.

- \* Wollongong City Council progress of:
  - (a) Mt. Keira Nature Reserve;
  - (b) Puckey's Nature Reserve;
  - (c) Northfields Avenue planting;
- (d) Botanic Garden.
- University progress of:
- (a) Lot 4 tree planting;
- (b) Work on southern dam;
- (c) Lot 3 accommodation.
- \* Public Works Department/High Schools/Wollongong Technical College current landscaping/building developments.
- \* Illawarra State Recreation Area current progress.
- \* Parameadows/Advanced Enterprises current progress.

### Seminars

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

September Seminar Program: Science Bldg. Rm. 206

11.30 Friday, 28th September
Dr. Roger Read, Materials Research Laboratories,
Department of Defence, Maribyrnong, Victoria.
"Chemistry of Energetic Materials".

Convenor: Dr. Peter Burton (042) 270505.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS**

Thursday, October 4 - 1.30 p.m.

Speaker: Professor J.R. Blake, Department of Mathematics, University of Wollongong.

Place: Austin Keane Building, Room 204.

Title: To be announced.

#### DANTE ALIGHIERI SOCIETY NEWS

Second Seminar on Italo-Australian Poetry

under the chairmanship of Gaetano Rando.

Sunday, October 14 2.30 p.m. Fraternity Bowling Club (Montecarlo Room)

#### **DEPARTMENTS OF CHEMISTRY & BIOLOGY**

Tuesday September 25 - 4.00 - 5.30

Speaker: Prof. Leon Kane-Maguire, Department of Chemistry, University of Wollongong.

Title: Anyone for sludge-burgers?

Tuesday October 2 - 4.00 - 5.30

Speaker: Sian Thomas, Department of Biology, University of Wollongong.

Title: Membrane ion pumps and thyroid hormones.

Tuesday October 9 - 4.00 - 5.30

Speaker: Dr. H.J. Spencer, Department of Biology, University of Wollongong. Title: Inhibition in neural circuits.

Tuesday October 16 - 4.00 - 5.30

Speaker: Assoc. Prof. Ross Crozier, School of Zoology, University of New South Wales.

Title: Relatedness and microgeographic genetic variation in an Australian arid zone ant.

#### NATURALIST-IN-RESIDENCE

John Wilson, a leading world naturalist, will be resident in the School of Creative Arts in September.

Mr. Wilson is well known as a writer, broadcaster and television personality on all aspects of wildlife.

Mr. Wilson has written books on birds, and made several television films, on European wildlife. He has an international reputation as an outstanding speaker, and his lectures are not to be missed.

Mr. Wilson will give public lectures on:

Sat. 22-9-1984 - The East African Wildlife - Music Centre, Entrance 4, University - 7,30 p.m.

Wed. 26-9-1984 - Conserving Wildlife In Britain -Music Centre, Entrance 4, University - 7.30 p.m.

Admission: \$5.00

Further information may be obtained from the School of Creative Arts, ext. 3987. Telephone 270987.

#### ILLAWARRA REGIONAL EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL

The Illawarra Region Educational Research Council will hold a seminar on Friday, 5th October, at 7.30 p.m., in the Multipurpose hall at Smiths Hill High School (Keira Street entrance) to discuss the future of secondary education.

The keynote speakers will be Prof. Ken McKinnon, Vice-Chancellor, University of Wollongong and Dr. Fenton Sharpe, Assistant Director-General, N.S.W. Department of Education who were largely responsible for the recent Swan-McKinnon Report entitled 'The Future Directions of Secondary Education in N.S.W.'. Other speakers will include Ms. Anne Junor, Research Officer for the N.S.W. Teachers Federation, and Professor Lauchlan Chipman, Department of Philosophy at the University of Wollongong, as well as representatives from P & F and P & C Associations and teachers from both government and non-government schools.

Opportunities will be given to parents, teachers, students and interested members of the community to ask questions concerning the implementation of the report in Illawarra schools. The proposed changes are imminent and will commence next year.

The seminar is open to the public and there will be NO admission charges. This is a rare opportunity for members of the local community to learn about the rationale and the philosophy of the report as well as the ways and means of its implementation from those people responsible for the future secondary education of our children.

Any queries concerning the seminar should be directed to Miss Megan Doring (270728) or to Mrs. Val Fell (295926).

#### CENTRE FOR MULTICULTURAL STUDIES

Topic: "The Construction of Racism" Date: Wednesday, October 3, 1984.

Place: Northern Lounge, Wollongong University Union

Time: 4.00 p.m.

Speaker: Dr. Peter Figueroa, Lecturer in Education, University of Southampton and presently Visiting Fellow in Sociology, A.N.U.

Peter Figueroa is a Jamaican, now settled in Britain, and lectures in race relations and multicultural educat-

#### DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTANCY

The next Departmental seminar will be given by Mr. Jim Jackson.

Topic: "The Nature of the Legal Relationship Existing Between Co-Venturers in a Joint Venture"

Date and Time: 28 September 1984 at 11.00 a.m.

Venue: Room 19,2035 Chairman: Mr. Ken Hale

#### **ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

Professor Henry Loyn, an eminent historian from Westfield College, University of London, will speak on 'The Use of the Vernacular in Late Anglo-Saxon England', on Friday 28th September, 2.30 p.m. in Room 19.1124.

### Scholarships and Prizes

Details of the scholarships and prizes below are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board situated in the Administration Annexe. Application forms are available from the Student Enquiries Office.

Coffey and Partners

Pty. Ltd.

\$10,000 award for research in mining and hydrogeological

engineering

Swiss Government

Scholarships

**ANZAAS** 

1985 ANZAAS Medal - nominat-

ions called. (16.1.8 refers)

Australian Cancer

Society

Leslie Vacation Scholarships

Murdoch

Postgraduate Awards

### Concerts, Exhibitions and Entertainment

#### FILM NIGHT ON ALCOHOLISM

Saturday, 22nd September, 1984 at 8 p.m.

Sacred Heart Church Hall, King Street, Warilla.

Films: Fr. Joe Martin - "Guidelines". Fr. Joe Martin - "Family Disease". Ken Stone - "Alcoholic" Lorne Green - "Bottom Line".

For further information phone John 961142.

#### WOLLONGONG'S STAR MUSICIAN GIVES HOME-COMING RECITAL

The Illawarra Music Club is pleased to announce that as part of the City's 150th Anniversary celebrations it has arranged with the assistance of TAA to bring William Hennessy back to Wollongong for a special recital on Saturday, 29th September at the Town Hall - the first time in more than 10 years that Mr. Hennessy has performed in his home city.

William Hennessy will present a programme featuring major works by Schubert, Beethoven and Richard Strauss as well as shorter pieces by Granados, Kriesler and Sarasate. He will be accompanied by Merryn Brose, an outstanding musician in her own right who taught at Wollongong Conservatorium of Music for three years.

Reserved seats are available from the Union Office at \$8 and \$5 concession. Book now for one of the musical highlights of 1984.

#### WEDNESDAY GALLERY

4/328 Crown Street, Wollongong.

Paintings, pots and paraphernalia.

Open Wednesdays only 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Enquiries to Bey - Phone 28,3853.

#### BACH'S PRELUDES AND FUGUES

The last number in the series of forty eight preludes and fugues will be performed at 2.30 p.m. in the Conservatorium, Gleniffer Brae, on September 23.

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

## DOROTHY HEWETT'S "THE MAN FROM MUKINUPIN"

Director: Des Davis Designer: John Senczuk Assistant Director & Choreographer: Peter Blackburn Musical Director: David Vance

with: Faye Montgomery Sher Guhl Michael Coe George Leppard Lynne McGimpsey Maree D'Arcy Jill Akhurst Allan McFadden

This is the story of the little Australian town of Mukinupin. The year is 1912 and the townspeople gather. There's Polly Perkins the town beauty, there's Jack Tuesday, the grocer's boy who becomes a J.C. Williamson's chorus boy, there's his twin brother Harry, the shearer who becomes a shell shocked war hero, there's Miss Clemmy Hummer, ex-tightrope walker from Wirth's Circus, there's the flasher, town flasher and madman, there's ... Meet them all. It's harvestime in Mukinupin.

Wollongong Technical College Theatre

September 7 - 29

Book now at Wilson's Record Bar or telephone Theatre South (042) 270705.

#### TICKETS TO AUSTRALIAN OPERA PERFORMANCES

A limited number of A Reserve and B Reserve tickets are available for the following performances:

Saturday, September 29 at 1.00 p.m. – "The Marriage of Figaro" – A Reserve – \$20

Thursday, October 4 at 7.30 p.m. – "A Midsummer Night's Dream" – A Reserve – \$20

Saturday, October 13 at 1.00 p.m. – "Fidelio" – A Reserve – \$20

Saturday, October 27 at 1.00 p.m. – "Aida" – B Reserve – \$20

Bookings may be made with David Vance (ext. 3617) or Kris Morgan (ext. 3781).

#### **BATTLE LINES**

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, Illawarra Migrant Resources Centre, 3 Rawson Street, Wollongong.

Admission: \$2 (includes refreshments)

Remaining Talks:

October 8 'Subversive Intent' - Anna Couani

#### AN EVENING OF LOCAL PLAYS

Illawarra Playwrights present the third annual season of short plays written by local writers. This year: "Dear love and bliss' by Dianne Bates and Bill Condon, "The purple rag of St. Marlene" by Laura Molino, "The big boy" by Barry Rosenberg and "Don't know where, don't know when" by John Scholes. All four plays are presented each Wednesday, Friday and Saturday at 8 p.m. from September 12th to the 29th at Workshop Theatre, behind the senior citizens centre, Gipps Road, Gwynneville. Tickets: \$5 (\$3 concession). Bookings at Wilson's Record Bar. Plenty of seats on sale at the door. Enquiries: Phone 291067 or 297307.

#### "THE BAKHOR FOLK DANCE ENSEMBLE

The Australia-USSR Society (Wollongong Branch) presents The "Bakhor" Folk Dance Ensemble, from Uzekistan, USSR, at Wollongong Town Hall on Tuesday, 25th September at 8.00 p.m.

The Bakhor (the word means Spring) Folk Group have performed in many countries, including USA, Japan and Europe, and have won many international awards. The character of the ancient Uzbek choreography is still retained in the dances, but the general presentation, and much of the music, is modern. Uzbekistan is a Soviet Central Asian Republic of some 17 million people. It embraces the ancient cities of Samarkand, Bokhara,

Khiva and Tashkent - along the Great Silk Route of the Middle Ages. The different dances achieve a nice blend of the ancient and the modern. Each dance is introduced in English.

Tickets from Town Hall Booking Office, Palings and Wilson's Record Bar. Adults \$8.00, Children \$3.00, Pensioners, Unemployed and Students \$5, Groups of 6 or more \$6.50.

Further information or tickets from Jim Dombroski - phone 843784.

#### WOLLONGONG CITY GALLERY

Forthcoming attractions:

Mary Turner Collection. Major private collection of Australian paintings - September 12 - October 16

New Horizons in Craft - September 26 - October 4

Artists in the Illawarra - October 22 - December 10

Jan Sebergs - December 14 - January 25

Gallery Hours: Tuesday - Sunday 12 - 5 p.m.

Telephone 299111 (ext. 394/395), 287802 and 287791

## SCHOOL OF CREATIVE ARTS PUBLIC LECTURE SERIES

All lectures in the Music Centre are open to the public and staff and students of the University - not least to those of the School of Creative Arts. Admission is free. There are Tuesday and Thursday early afternoon lectures. (See list below).

In the Tuesday series coming up shortly will be three audio/visual presentations given by John Eveleigh devoted to the life and work of Englands foremost artist - Joseph Mallard William Turner, taking place on October 2nd, 9th and 16th beginning at 2.30 p.m.

A major retrospective exhibition of works by J.M.W. Turner was mounted in Paris at the Grand Palais, held earlier this year - seen by a million visitors - to enormous critical acclaim.

John Eveleigh, Visiting Senior Lecturer in the Visual Arts Strand of the School of Creative Arts, is a practising artist and was prior to last April founder Arts Director and Head of the New Metropole Arts Centre in Kent, England. The Centre's President was until his death last year, Kenneth Clark. Among its advisers are artists writers, poets, musicians-several of international repute-including Henry Moore and Sidney Nolan.

The New Metropole Arts Centre had 1400 enrolled students studying a wide range of art and craft subjects and it promotes changing exhibitions (many exhibitors being drawn from overseas including exhibitions of Australian art); chamber and jazz concerts; piano recitals, films; readings and lectures by living poets and writers.

Of the many hundreds of events and exhibitions that were mounted during John Eveleigh's period as art director and head of Centre were two large exhibitions of Turner Watercolours in 1966 and 1971. In choosing exhibits for these John Eveleigh examined the entire Turner bequest of watercolours and drawings (20,000 in all) housed at the British Museum.

In this audio/visual presentation John Eveleigh will combine the spoken work, excerpts from 18C and 19C musical compositions which have a close affinity with Turner's Romantic vision as well as showing many slides corresponding to the text. John Eveleigh will give a broad cultural and historical context to the life of Turner born in 1775 and dying in the mid 19C and attempt to demonstrate Turner's enormous achievement - not least his total liberation of colour in painting. This year a Turner oil seascape - formerly in the collection of Kenneth Clark - at auction realised the record sum of 7½ million pounds sterling - or 11½ million Australian dollars.

Tuesday Public Lectures at 2.30 p.m. in the Music Centre, School of Creative Arts:

| 25 September | Andrew Ford   | Folk Song: The De-<br>cline of the Oral<br>Tradition |
|--------------|---------------|------------------------------------------------------|
| 2 October    | John Eveleigh |                                                      |
| 9 October    | John Eveleigh | J.M.W. Turner 1775-<br>1853                          |
| 16 October   | John Eveleigh |                                                      |
| 23 October   | David Vance   | Orwell's '1984'                                      |

Thursday Fine Arts Theory Lectures at 1.30 p.m. - 2.30 p.m. in the Music Auditorium

| 27 September | Shock of the New                     | "Landscape of<br>Pleasure"                 |
|--------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| 4 October    | Andy Ford<br>Willy Tirr*             | Performance on own work                    |
| 11 October   | Andy Ford<br>Richard Hook            | Performance                                |
| 18 October   | Andy Ford<br>Paul Higgs/Richard Hook |                                            |
| 25 October   | Andy Ford<br>Paul Higgs/Richard      | Hook                                       |
| 1 November   | Willy Tirr*                          | German Expression-<br>ism into Abstraction |

<sup>\*</sup>Artist in Residence

### Sport

#### WOMEN'S HOCKEY CLUB - Result of Semi-Final

The Women's Hockey Club has topped a good year for the club by making it to the Grand Final in 3rd division. University played minor premiers Western Suburbs in the major semi final which resulted in a nil-all draw after extra time. The game was replayed the next day and again resulted in a nil-all draw, however Uni won on penalty corners 5-4. The grand final will be played on Saturday 15th September.

The 5th division team missed out on their semi-finals by one point.

The club's presentation night will be held on Saturday 15th September at Trangs Vietnamese Resturant.

#### IN DOOR HOCKEY

Those interested in playing in the Indoor Hockey competition starting late October please contact Eveline Mohr. Phone (work 742249).

#### SPORTS ASSOCIATION DINNER DANCE

7 p.m. Friday, October 12 in the Union Hall.

Bush Dance and Four Course Meal only \$12 for Sports Association Members! Tickets available from Union Office.

# Staff Changes and Movements

#### **ACTING CHAIRMAN**

Assoc. Prof. R.W. Upfold - Civil & Mining - 17.9.84 - 15.10.84 Dr. B.M. Walker - Psychology - 17.9.84 - 15.10.84

#### APPOINTMENTS 10.9.84 to 17.9.84

Mr. B. Robson, Technical Officer, Centre for Teaching and Development

Mrs. S. Hall, Word Processor Operator, School of Education

Mrs. L. Denny, Library Technician, Library

#### **DEPARTURES 21.8.84 - 17.9.84**

Dr. D.J. Dillon-Smith, General Studies Mr. W. Wilson, Building and Grounds Mrs. M.J. Adie, Building and Grounds

### Job Vacancies

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

United Nations Various Posts

Wollongong Electrical Fitter - Mechanic

Technical Officers - Mech, Engineering

and Civil & Mining Engineering

Defence Department Experimental Officer (Electronics)

ANU Lecturer/Snr. Lecturer in Political

Science

Research Posts in Mathematical An-

alysis

Research Fellow in Academic Methods

James Cook Temp. Lecturer in Mathematics

NSW Professor in Accounting

Lecturer in Psychiatry

Massey N.Z. Lecturer in Animal Science
Lecturer in Horticultural Science
Temp. Lecturer in Philosophy

Lecturer/Snr. Lecturer in Seed Tech-

nology

Lecturer in Education

Queensland

Lecturer in English

Lecturer/Snr. Lecturer in Finance

Professor of Music Lecturer in Architecture Lecturer in Journalism

Lecturer/Snr. Lecturer/Reader in Com-

puting Science

Adelaide

Computing Officer Administrative Officer

### Advertisements

#### FOR SALE: ELECTRONIC LEARNING AIDS

Thinking of buying a computer for your children? Before you do, check out Edutech's new Electronic Learning Aid with these features:-

Cost is only a fraction of that of a computer system under \$100. Portable, self-contained and has ten programmes covering Maths, Spelling, Music and more. Ideal Birthday or Christmas present that has Real Educational value. Aimed at ages 4 to 12 years. For a free demonstration ring Les on 563174 now.

#### HOUSE TO LET

Recently renovated 3 bedroom brick veneer home set in pleasant garden. Huge family room, pot belly stove, slate floor, etc. Garage underneath. Located at Primbee, with lake views, 15 minutes drive from University. \$110 p.w. Phone ext. 3077 or 742388 a.h.

#### TO LET

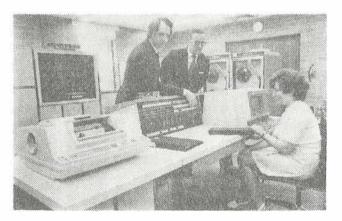
Penthouse. Very big in Wollongong, close to hospital. Phone 288669.

#### FOR SALE

1976 Alfetta. Very cheap. Phone ext. 3081.

#### FOR SALE

Townhouse (3 years old) 2 storey - Upstairs 3 bedrooms plus bathroom and toilet - Downstairs entry foyer, formal lounge, modern kitchen/dining room, laundry and extra toilet, plus garage which leads into own private backyard and a visitor car park. Telephone ext. 3517 or 751771 a.h.



This is the photograph of the opening of the Computer Centre in 1974, which was omitted from the Campus News of 14.9.84.