Exquisite sculpture donated by artist

Victorian sculptor Shona Nunan has presented this exquisite bronze sculpture of a young boy to the University.

Ms Nunan is a sculptor of high repute whose works are mainly in private collections.

The Vice-Chancellor, Professor Ken McKinnon admired this piece at an exhibition at the Holdsworth Gallery in Sydney recently.

Ms Nunan offered the sculpture to the University because she was keen to have her work exhibited in public places so that they could be enjoyed by many.

'Young boy' encapsulates the awkwardness of adolescence while embodying idealism and purity. It stands 145cm high and will be placed in an appropriate location following discussions with the School of Creative Arts.

Ms Nunan studied sculpture at the Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology. She has undertaken subsequent research and studies into PNG contemporary artists, Aboriginal art and sacred art, and Buddhist art.

She has held the positions of Lecturer in Drawing and Cultural Studies at the University of Papua New Guinea and Art Conservationist, Prahan City Council Victoria.

In 1988 she established Art Explorations at Castlemaine in Victoria - an Art School for children.

She has had exhibitions in major galleries in Victoria and NSW.
The Department of Geology held a prize night on 10 April. The following outstanding students were awarded prizes from a wide variety of organisations:

- BHP Prize in Coal Geology, MM Faiz.
- Merit Prize, Andrew Reid.
- Prospector's Supplies Prize in Geology, Maxine Matatko.
- The CRAE Mapping Prize in Geology, Kim Straub and Kristen Davey.
- The CRAE Ore Deposits Prize in Geology, Kristen Davey and J Amanda Jones.
- The Evans R Phillips Prize in Geology, J Amanda Jones.
- The Ian R McDonald Prize in Geology, Troy Gill.
- AusIMM (Illawarra Branch) Geology Prize, Maxine Matatko.
- Geological Society of Australia (NSW Division) Prize in Geology, Russell Chown.
- AJ & I Waters Prize in Geology, J Amanda Jones.
- The Foundation Prize in Geology, Troy Gill.

The guest speaker for the prize night was Dr Ian Williams (back far right) who gave an account of ‘Geological Time’. The prize winners were congratulated by Associate Professor Tony Wright, Head Department of Geology (left).

The Faculty of Education is hosting a visit by 23 student teachers and three lecturers from the University of Malaysia. They arrive on 25 May and depart 9 June. The students are in the final year of their Bachelor of Education – ESL and all speak English fluently. The visitors have asked to be billeted (in pairs) with families in Australia.

The Faculty has organised activities for each of the 14 days, so host families would merely be providing a bed, some meals and assistance with some transport of a morning if possible.

If you can offer accommodation to any of these visitors contact Jan James, tel. 213078.

A paper by Tsilia Romm, Senior Lecturer in the Department of Management, has been reviewed in the publication Really Useful Research in Information Systems (RUR).

RUR identifies the five to ten per cent of research papers which contain results which are immediately useful to practising information systems executives and professionals.


Dr Paul Webb, Steven Jessup and Tonia Gray, three lecturers in the Faculty of Education, have obtained an Australian Sports Commission grant to analyse Physical Education training in tertiary institutions for primary teachers.

The aim of the study is to produce policy guidelines and recommendations for the Sports Commission and tertiary institutions.

The Students' Representative Council has announced its officer bearers for 1992.

The following have been elected:
- President Craig Wallace;
- Vice-President Adam Kirkpatrick;
- Honorary Secretary Helen Bean;
- Honorary Treasurer Colin Lim;
- Education Officer Peter Orgill;
- Media Officer Tim Phelan;
- Women's Officer Narelle Hardy;
- Activities Officer Ian Costelow;

In accordance with the University's procedures for reviewing academic units, the Vice-Chancellor has initiated a review of the Department of Science and Technology Studies.

It is anticipated that the review will take place in August or September this year; the review will be a "full review" as defined in the procedures.

Submissions to the Review Panel are invited from the academic community. Submissions, which will be treated as in confidence, should be forwarded to Peter Wood, Manager Academic Services, and should reach him no later than 30 June 1992.

(A copy of the University’s review procedures can be obtained from the Administration File Server - refer to Section M of the Management Handbook which is located in the “Public Information” folder on the Server.)

Enquiries in relation to this matter should be addressed to Peter Wood (ext 3943).
Exploring the way forward with the Russians

Private enterprise seminars

The University of Wollongong hosted a visit from 20 top level senior executives from the Commonwealth of Independent States from 11-30 April.

The visit attracted considerable interest from state and national media.

Participants, nominated by the Russian Ministry of Geology, represented a range of business interests including mining, banking, the stock exchange, foreign trade, mineral search and research and steel processing.

Brian Gillett and Peter Rose from the University's Cooperative Education Scheme organised an education, business and cultural program which provide participants with an opportunity to explore a range of issues of particular interest to them as they move towards a competitive, private enterprise economy.

Delegation members met with academics, business leaders and government officials in formal and informal situations to address topics of mutual interest.

The delegation observed a range of work situations at BHP Steel Port Kembla, MECO Manufacturing Co, David Brown Gear Industries, Joy Manufacturing, BHP Washery, the Stock Exchange, the Futures Market.

They also discussed their concerns with representatives from banks and finance companies, computer firms and software producers.

This initiative is the first of a number of similar programs scheduled by the University of Wollongong for 1992 and 1993.
VALE - Rita Rando

Rita Rando joined the Library in April 1980.

Rita was appointed to catalogue the foreign language material being acquired by the then Department of European Languages.

Her contribution, indeed, her impact on the Library far exceeded that suggested by the scope of her job description.

Rita brought to her work, not only the skills of the bibliographer, but a burning desire to improve and extend the collections and the services offered by the Library.

Rita loved, and believed in, libraries. She regarded them, not as mere repositories for recorded knowledge, but as the wellsprings of inspiration and as places in which to communicate, as well as acquire, a love of learning.

Whenever Rita accompanied her husband, Gaetano, on sabbatical leave, she took the opportunity to visit and work in many famous libraries learning, inter alia, the fascinating skill of cataloguing incunabula.

Through her publishing and cultural contacts, Rita acquired many valuable acquisitions, including the Library's first videodisc De Italia donated by the Agnelli Foundation in 1989.

In 1984, Rita had the distinction of being the first member of the University's general staff to be awarded development leave to further her professional knowledge.

Aspiring to achieve great things herself, she encouraged and inspired others to achieve and to believe in the worth of their work.

In the early 1980s, Rita's cataloguing role was extended to include responsibility for the Library's small but growing collection of music.

Her great love of music was evident in the enthusiasm she brought to this task. Although occupied with cataloguing and merging the disparate collections of the Institute of Education and the University, Rita always had time to assist Library users.

Her energy and exuberance in this role was greatly appreciated by those who helped. The music collection and the European Languages collection will serve as a permanent memorial to Rita's work for generations to come.

Those of us who worked with her will remember her for other reasons. Rita Rando was the sort of person you meet only once in a lifetime.

Always willing to listen to others, she gave freely of her time and her support. Rita's concern for people was deep and genuine.

Her positive and optimistic approach was an inspiration, her warm sympathy always a comfort.

Even during her illness, Rita's sense of humour was unflagging, her laugh infectious, her smile radiant. She was both wise and unworldly.

Rita came from the Aeolian Islands, and something of the free spirit suggested by that place named for Aeolus, God of the Winds, was embodied in Rita.

She loved Australia and Wollongong but passionately missed "her" island.

Rita died on April 14th after a long battle with cancer. She was 46. She will be passionately missed.

"Great spirits never with their bodies die" (Herrick).

— Felicity McGregor

E-mail authorship and censorship

The recent limited publication on E-Mail by A.H. (under the pseudonym K. McKinon) has provided a worthwhile service to the University community in showing in a good-humoured way that the E-mail system is not totally secure and immune from the risk of sender misrepresentation.

Indeed no conventional mail system is proof against forgery, deception, etc. The University has taken all practicable and affordable measures to secure the mail environment but absolute security cannot be guaranteed.

A.H's posting relates to a known area of concern that exists not only within the University's mail system but also within other systems with which we communicate around the world.

The University has provided a connection for staff to a global communications matrix. To do this we have had to adapt communications standards within the mail system.

These standards allow us to communicate freely with colleagues nationally and internationally.

Standards groups involved in this area are actively involved in research aimed at improving the security of mail systems. When new features and versions become available in a cost-effective form, they will be implemented progressively to provide better services to the University community.

On the subject of censorship, it should be noted that there is no capability within the system for a third party to preview or intercept mail.

If someone does not receive a message, it can only be because it was not sent, or was incorrectly addressed.

So far as the policy issue is concerned, the University introduced the E-mail system to facilitate communication, not to suppress it.

Applied ethics: new course and conference

The Philosophy Department plans to introduce a Masters of Applied Ethics degree in 1993.

Members of the Ethics Committee of the Illawarra Area Health Service have expressed strong interest and support. In addition to Bioethics, the applied areas will include Professional Ethics and Responsibility in Health Care, The Ethics of Institutional Dispute Resolution, Environmental Ethics, and Business Ethics.

The Philosophy Department and the Ethics Committee of the Illawarra Area Health Service will be conducting a one-day conference on Saturday, 30 May at the University.

The conference will focus on the ethics of health resources. Key speakers will be: Dr Bernadette Tobin (Centre for Bioethics, St Vincent's Hospital, Sydney), and Visiting Fellow in Philosophy at the University of Wollongong), and Dr Paula Boddington, and Dr Robert Young (Reader in Philosophy, LaTrobe University).

The conference is the second in a series. Conference organisers are Dr Suzanne Uniake and Dr Tobin.
BHP Chair in Environmental Science

John Morrison has been appointed to the BHP Chair in Environmental Science.

He is currently Professor of Chemistry at the University of the South Pacific, Suva, Fiji, where he has worked since 1975.

Before working at USP, he held academic positions in Belfast, Kampala (Uganda) and Nottingham.

From 1982-86 he was Director of the USP’s Institute of Natural Resources, a research and consultancy arm of that institution.

His main research interests are involved with the impact of agriculture on the environment, and in marine pollution in the south-west Pacific.

He is Scientific Co-ordinator of the South Pacific Regional Marine Pollution Assessment and Control Program.

Most of his research students are involved in integrated watershed management studies including nutrient transport via erosion and sediment movement.

Other interests include quality assurance in environmental analytical chemistry, soil genesis and classification in the Pacific Islands and the increased utilisation of “wastes” in small island communities.

He will take up his appointment in September this year.

Professor John Morrison, the new BHP Chair in Environmental Science

Changes to postal address

We have been advised by Australia Post that, following changes in their procedures for mail handling, our new address will be as follows:

Locked Bag 8812
South Coast Mail Centre NSW 2521
[replacing PO Box 2112]  (ITC)

Locked Bag 8813
South Coast Mail Centre NSW 2521
[replacing Locked Bag 13]  (Library)

Locked Bag 8844
South Coast Mail Centre NSW 2521
[replacing PO Box 1144]  (University)

Example:
University of Wollongong
Locked Bag 8844
South Coast Mail Centre
NSW 2521

There will be no changes to the present services and you will note that the last two digits of the new Locked Bags are the same as the old PO box numbers.

What this does mean, however, is that as our departments replace their stationery, have new pamphlets etc. published, over the next 1-2 years they will need to show the new mailing address.

Since the bulk of printing on campus is done by the Printery they will also hopefully pick up any printing where the changes have not been made.

Special Seminar

Now that there is provision to advertise seminars on the E-mail and a Bulletin Board for seminars is soon to be created, Campus News will only run seminars given by high-profile speakers that have cross-disciplinary interest or public appeal. If departments are running a seminar that falls into this category, please send a notice to Gillian Curtis marked ‘Seminar Campus News’.

6 May 5.30pm in Blq 19 Room 2043, James Hagan and Ken Turner, ‘Writing the History of the ALP in NSW’.

The authors of the recent highly-praised book on the subject reflect on their work, reactions to it, and Freudenberg’s ‘Official’ History.

Professor James Hagan is Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Professor of History and has been head of the Department of History and Politics.

His long and distinguished career in the field of labour history has seen, among a long list of publications, the production of histories of the Printers’ Union and the ACTU, as well as his involvement in the Labor Party itself.

He is probably most familiar to generations of former NSW high school students as the author of their modern history text book.
Wollongong University has reason to be proud of the team responsible for training its dietitian-nutritionists. The three nutrition lecturers, Linda Tapsell, Heather Yeatman and Jennifer McArthur, have continued to be prominent in professional dietetic activities since the course’s inception in 1990.

At the AGM of the Dietitians Association of Australia (NSW Branch), course co-ordinator Ms Tapsell was one of four dietitians granted an Award of Excellence along with other notable nutritionists such as Rosemary Stanton and Dr Anne Swaine.

Ms Tapsell’s award was for her role in developing training in community nutrition practice in NSW and for her work as the NSW representative on the national DAA Training and Accreditation Committee.

As a member of this committee, Ms Tapsell was selected to work on a national taskforce to develop competency-based standards for entry-level dietitians and to communicate the outcomes to the professional body in NSW.

The project was funded by the National Office of Overseas Recognition within DEET.

Dietitians are now acknowledged as one of the leaders amongst health professionals in competency-based standards.

Ms Yeatman was recently elected vice-chairperson of the NSW branch of DAA and will soon take up her position on the Board of Directors of the national association, where her extensive experience will be well utilised.

Ms Yeatman also chairs the Nutrition Taskforce of Healthy Cities Illawarra program which has just received a grant of $50,000 from the NSW Government to undertake a local study on food policy in major industries.

This initiative will investigate ways of improving nutrition through developing policy frameworks within which other educational and promotional activities may be undertaken.

The Nutrition Taskforce already has undertaken other activities, working with local organisations to develop community gardens, school breakfast programs, low cost cooking programs and a regional food expo for canteen workers.

Ms McArthur also has served as a director of DAA.

She has brought her innovative approaches in professional education from Cumberland College of Health Sciences where she was Director of the Centre for Continuing Education.

As practical placement co-ordinator for the MSc (Nutrition and Dietetics) course, Jennifer travels all over the state.

Dietitian’s award of excellence

Law’s first public lecture

The inaugural Faculty of Law public lecture will be presented by Bruce Ziff, a visiting professor at the University of Wollongong on Wednesday 20 May.

The lecture, The impact of the Charter of Rights and Freedoms on Canada’s Legal Culture, will be held in the Music Auditorium from 5.30-6.30pm.

All members of the legal profession and the University are invited. Professor Ziff is an Associate Professor of Law at the University of Alberta.

He is a graduate of Carleton University, University of Ottawa and Oxford. Professor Ziff teaches and writes in the areas of property, family law and constitutional law.

Details of Graduation ceremonies

The May Graduation Ceremonies will be held from 12-15 May.

They will be prefaced on 11 May by University Day. Details of the ceremonies are:

TUESDAY 12 MAY - 2.30pm
Health and Behavioural Sciences: All Human Movement and Nursing degrees and diplomas; Bachelor of Science (Health Science and Nutrition). Science: All other Science and Environmental Science degrees and diplomas.
Speaker: Dr David Cook-Executive Director, ANSTO.

WEDNESDAY 13 MAY - 10.00am
Arts: All Arts and Creative Arts degrees and diplomas.
Education: Graduate diploma in Educational Studies (NOT Graduate Diploma in Education); Diploma in Teaching (external course).
Speaker: Dr June Verrier-Office of Multicultural Affairs.

THURSDAY 14 MAY - 9.45am
Commerce: Associate Diplomas in Administration and Computer Applications; Graduate Diploma in Commerce; Master of Business Administration.
Engineering: All Engineering degrees (except Electrical and Computer Engineering).
Informatics: All Mathematics and Computer Science degrees and diplomas; Electrical and Computer Engineering degrees; Information Technology and Communication degrees.
Law: Graduate Diploma in Law.
Speaker: Mr Brian Lolon-Deputy Chairman, BHP.

THURSDAY 14 MAY - 2.45pm
Commerce: Bachelor of Commerce (pass and honours); Master of Commerce (pass and honours); Master of Management.
Speaker: Senator Michael Baume.
FRIDAY 15 MAY - 10.00am
Education: All Education degrees and diplomas other than the diplomas listed for the Thursday afternoon ceremony.
Speaker: Mr John Aquilina, Shadow Minister for Education and Youth Affairs.

All ceremonies will be held in the University Sports Hall.

Note that entry to each ceremony is by ticket only. Invitations for academic staff to attend and participate in the academic procession have been distributed.

Staff are advised that parking restrictions will apply in some University carparks on Graduation days, especially the multi-storey carpark.

General enquiries in relation to the Graduation ceremonies may be directed to Olena Cullen, ext. 4136 or Jenel Elrick, ext. 3947.
Use the correct overtime forms

Personnel staff have become aware that overtime forms and casual employment authorities are being used when additional hours claim forms should be utilised for the employment of staff working extra hours.

The following guidelines may assist you.

1. Any part-time employee, (permanent or limited term) who works additional hours, within the spread of hours prescribed for their classification, should complete an additional hours claim form for payment of these hours.

2. Overtime will be paid through overtime claim forms if an employee is requested to work more than or outside the spread of hours for a full-time employee in the same classification.

3. Casual employment authorities and timesheets should only be used if the employee is working in a substantially different classification to their normal part-time employment.

Additional hours claim forms, overtime claim forms and casual employment authorities are all available from the Salaries and Benefits Administration Unit, Personnel Services Branch.

The salaries deadline for the additional hours and overtime claim forms is the Tuesday morning before pay week.

The deadline for casual employment authorities is the Thursday before pay week. Casual time sheets should be submitted before noon on the Monday of pay week.

If you require information about spread of hours for particular classifications contact Ann Kiceluk, ext. 4284.

The Personnel Services Branch has had several staffing changes in the last few months.

Peter Maywald has taken up the role of Personnel Officer (Employee Relations), and is responsible for Industrial Relations matters in a full-time capacity.

Ann Kiceluk, the former Assistant Personnel Officer, has been appointed to the position of Personnel Officer (General Staff), the position previously occupied by Mr Maywald. Ann will be responsible for all employment matters relating to General Staff.

Lyn Politis has also returned to Personnel after a nine-month job rotation to Administrative Information Services, and will be primarily responsible for computing support within the branch.

Lyn Marshall, who worked as an Administrative Assistant in the Academic Staff Unit has resigned.

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Senator Karen Sowada, Australian Democrat Senator for NSW, visited the University recently to familiarise herself with developments at this university and to hold discussions with key administrators and academics on issues facing tertiary institutions. Senator Sowada's shadow portfolios are Education, Industry Science and Technology, Training, and Youth. She is shown here being interviewed by Prime Television.

Results of Library survey into research

In late 1991, a brief survey was conducted into the use of the Library by researchers.

Survey forms were sent to all academic staff on campus and to research staff at the Illawarra Technology Corporation.

Although the response rate was low, the following patterns were evident:

* Use of the online library catalogue from individual offices is well established in all faculties.
* Half of the respondents had used the CD-ROM databases available in the Library, but few used the online database services.
* AARNet is rarely used to access information resources. While some respondents use it to search the catalogues of other libraries, the most common applications are electronic mail and file transfer.
* The main resources used by researchers continue to be print formats (monographs and serials).
* Respondents unable to find information in the University Library are more likely to visit another library than to request interlibrary loans if the required items are known to be in an easily accessible library.
* Proximity to residential address and the existence of better research-level holdings are the main factors influencing the use of other libraries.

Respondents were encouraged to comment on Library services.

Suggestions included the need for more serial subscriptions and for more demonstrations of electronic information services.

Complaints regarding the slowness of borrowing procedures and the incorrect shelving of books were also received.

Several respondents praised the assistance given by Library staff and commented favourably on the online catalogue which was considered superior to the systems used at other libraries.

The Library has taken action to address the major issues highlighted by the survey:

* Pam Epe has been appointed to the position of Research Services Librarian with a brief to develop services which support the research activities of the University.
* The nine universities in NSW have commissioned software that will enable easier interrogation of the various library catalogues. The first phase of this system, Liblink, will be implemented in June 1992.
* Alternate means of accessing journal literature are under investigation and include the use of commercial document-supply agencies and the use of AARNet to access American indexing services.
* Hardware has been ordered to allow borrowers to process most of their loans without assistance from a Library staff member.
* In association with Information Technology Services, the Library will offer training in the use of AARNet to access information databases, electronic journals and discussion groups.
* Additional staff has been employed to shelve books, but most of the mis-shelving is the deliberate action of individuals wishing to prevent others accessing the items.

Details about training sessions and the role of the Research Services Librarian are available from Pam Epe, ext. 4175.
Nominations for VC’s Award for outstanding general staff

The new award system to reward outstanding service to the University by members of the general staff has attracted considerable interest around the campus.

By the closing date, 20 nominations, including three teams, had been received.

The award parallels in many ways the Vice-Chancellor’s Award for Excellence in Teaching, as both have been introduced to encourage and reward outstanding or exceptional work performance.

The award will be for a single outstanding success in the workplace. It will not reward satisfactory or good performance only.

The nomination will meet one or more of the following criteria:

- An outstanding and exceptional achievement or success, with a demonstrated value,
- Outstanding service to clients of the Branch/Department/University, with a definable benefit to the clients,
- An outstanding or novel initiative which has been implemented and has demonstrated value,
- Changes or improvements to work practices of a definable benefit to the Branch/Department/University.

The nominations are:

- James McKee, Manager, Facilities and Technical Services, Information Technology Services.
- Ellen Peascod, Administrative Assistant, Student Services
- Marie Hamstead, Computer Systems Officer, and Harry de Bruin Computer Officer, team, Administrative Information Systems.
- Jim Meek, Analyst/Programmer, Administrative Information Systems.
- Ray Stace, Staff Development Officer, Centre for Staff Development
- Marie Lewis, Administrative Officer.
- David Price, Professional Officer, Geography.
- Ross Walker, Personnel Officer, Personnel.
- Tony Clapham, Senior Admin Officer, Financial Services.
- Jenny Stewart, Admin Assistant, School of Creative Arts.
- Rosemary Cooper, Professional Officer, Faculty of Commerce.
- Lynne Wright, Faculty Librarian, Library.
- Fiona McGregor, Faculty Librarian, Library.
- Annette Meldrum, General Library Assistant, Library/Information Services.
- Trevor Jones, Senior Technical Officer, Psychology.
- Electronics Workshop Group, Faculty of Science.
- Harry de Bruin, Computer Officer, Administration Information Services.
- Peter Anthony, Senior Technical Officer, Department of Physics.

The winners will be announced at the University Day function at 6pm on Monday 11 May in the Hope Theatre.

New director for Long Gallery

Liz Jeneid has taken over from Dr John Everleigh as the Director of the Long Gallery in the School of Creative Arts.

Before 1982 when Ms Jeneid began lecturing in the School of Creative Arts, she was the exhibitions convenor for the Craft Council of NSW, where she curated and travelled with exhibitions throughout the state.

In the last five years, Ms Jeneid has curated three large exhibitions which included work from artists in most states of Australia.

After showing in the Long Gallery, these exhibitions travelled to regional galleries in NSW and Queensland.

The most recent, ‘The Book and Print Show’, is showing in the Toowoomba Regional Art Gallery.

Her own work is in private and public collections including the Queensland Art Gallery, Powerhouse Museum and the Araluan Art Gallery, Alice Springs.

The Long Gallery has a new lighting and track system and has a new exhibition space which is suitable for showing smaller, more intimate work.
Award for 25 years’ service

Awards will be presented to five more staff members who have completed 25 years’ service with the University. This increases the total recipients to 28.

This award is in recognition of the contribution made by staff members. Recipients this year include Professor James Hagan, Associate Professor Desmond Clarke, Mr John Chappie, Ms Sylvia Rice and Ms Mary Tow.

Professor Hagan is Dean with the Faculty of Arts. He began duty as a temporary lecturer in History in May 1966.

He is a respected expert on Australian social history and especially the history of the labour movements.

Jim was appointed Professor of History and Head of the Department of History in 1985 and became the foundation Dean of the Faculty in July 1986.

Associate Professor Clarke is with the Department of Mathematics.

Des is known as an exceptional teacher and administrator. (He acted as chairman of the former Faculty of Mathematics).

He is also recognised for his research in the field of oceanography.

Mr Chappie is with the Faculty of Education. He joined the then Wollongong Teachers College as an Acting Lecturer in Manual Arts/Crafts in January 1967.

John is the longest serving member in the visual arts/design education area of the Faculty of Education.

He has also taught woodcraft and jewellery-making in the School of Creative Arts.

Ms Sylvia Rice is also with the Faculty of Education and joined the College in February 1967.

She has lectured in the Physical Education field and taken an active interest in community exercise and fitness.

Ms Mary Tow is with the University Library.

She was appointed to the College in May 1967 and was Librarian-in-charge from 1969 to 1982 when the Library was incorporated in the University.

She became Loans Librarian and then Faculty of Education Librarian.

Mary is known for her work in developing co-operative information systems and for her commitment to the University.

This year the presentation ceremony will take place on University Day in conjunction with the presentation of other prestigious University awards.

An address will be given by Professor Fred Hollows.

The Chancellor, the Honourable Mr Justice RM Hope, will present the awards at a ceremony at 6pm in the Hope Theatre on 11 May, 1992.

Security Staff moved to their new, high profile, easily accessible location in the Union complex in April. An opening reception was held on the 10 April to which a cross section of the campus community were invited. In a brief address the Vice-Principal (Administration) Mr KE Baumber complimented a number of groups and individuals who had contributed towards the fulfillment of this project, including the University and FMWU negotiating teams who had determined the terms for the trial of the new security agreement, Mr Noel Diffey, Manager of the Union, who had managed to find the space and the Buildings and Grounds team who had succeeded beyond expectation in transforming a corridor and a store room into a handsome new security centre.
Sport holds its big night

The Recreation and Sports Association held its sports awards ball recently. Awards were presented to the following:

**Blues:** Stephen Reid (Golf), Erica James (Basketball), Jane Davis (Underwater Hockey), Allison Hass (Underwater Hockey), Dene McDonald (Basketball), Chris Baratta (Fencing), Melanie Dempster (Hockey), Peter Huk (Hockey)

**Sportsperson of the Year:** Anthony McGuire (Cricket) *(picture no 1)* and Peter Huk (Hockey) *(no picture)*

**Clubperson of the Year:** Dr Paul Webb (Rugby Union) *(Picture No. 2).*

**Club of the Year:** Cricket - Barry Reid, President.

**Colour:** Jodie Maguire (Touch)

**Invitation to University Day address**

All members of the University community are invited to attend the 1992 University Day address on 11 May.

University Day celebrates the establishment of a University College on this site in May 1961.

Each year, the University marks its anniversary by inviting a distinguished speaker to deliver the University Day Address and by acknowledging the achievements of its staff members.

The 1992 address will be delivered by Professor Fred Hollows at 6 pm in The Hope Theatre.

As part of the evening programme, the Chancellor will present the following awards to members of the University: the Ethel Hayton Award, the 25 Year Staff Awards, the Vice-Chancellor's Award to Academic Staff for Excellence in Teaching and the Vice-Chancellor's Award for Outstanding Service by Members of General Staff

At 8 pm a University Day Dinner will be held in the Functions Room, Union Building. Seats at the dinner are available at $18 per person.

Members of the University community who wish to attend one or both of these functions are asked to contact Barbara Carmichael, tel. (042) 21 3933, for bookings.

Seating may be limited and invitation cards, which give entry to the theatre, will be allocated on a 'first-come' basis.
Long Gallery: José Aerts and Ceramic Students 24 April-17 May.


Professor Fred Hollows will give the annual University Day Address on Monday, 11 May. The theme of his address is the Australian and poor nations.

The 1992 Bridge Recital Series begins with the Sydney Shanghai String Quartet at the Bridge Theatre, Coniston on Sunday, 17 May. The evening’s entertainment will begin at 5pm and conclude at approximately 7pm, although patrons are invited to stay at the theatre after the show for conversation with the artists. Fine wines and gourmet food will be available for purchase from the theatre bar. The rest of this year’s programme is: the Graeme Bell All-Stars on 28 June, followed by the multicultural folk-fusion group Southern Crossings (20 September) as well as an appearance by the opera diva, Amanda Thane (6 September) before she heads off for another engagement at Covent Garden. Tickets for the Sydney Shanghai String Quartet are $18.00, [$14 concession] or $50 for a family of four. Book with Margaret Sharrad [281843] or Bridge Theatre [296144].

The University Service will be held on 17 May at 7pm in St John’s Anglican Church, Eastern St, Gwynneville.

The draft Code of Practice - E-mail was considered at the meeting of the Computer Policy Committee on Wednesday April 29. It was resolved to circulate the draft throughout the E-mail-using community for comment. Submissions in response to the draft including recommended amendments, should be sent to the Secretary of the Computer Policy Committee, Ms Olena Cullen (Academic Services), to reach her no later than Friday 22 May.

Upcoming Illawarra Committee for Overseas Students events are: Blue Mountains: 23 May, Snowy Mountains: 25 July, Canberra: 19 September, Harbour Cruise and Sydney Aquarium: 11 October, Australia’s Wonderland: 5 December. Tickets and details are available from the ICOS office in the Union Building next to the Careers and Appointments Service, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 9.30am-2pm. Tel. (042) 213158 or ext. 3158.

A special postgraduate seminar will be held at 6.30pm Wednesday 27 May in the Union Function Centre. Dr Evelleen Richards, of STS, will present: Vitamin C and Cancer: Medicine or Politics?

Items for the UGSC must be given to secretary Mrs M Evans or minute secretary Mrs S Jennings, both in Student Administration, by 5pm on 2 June, 30 June, 25 August, 10 November.

Agenda deadlines for the 1992 Human Experimentation Ethics Committee meetings are: 4 July, 30 August, 24 October, 5 December. It will no longer be possible to table late items. Late applications will be held over until the next meeting.

The 11th International Conference on Ground Control in Mining will be held at the University from 7-10 July. It is organised by the University of Wollongong, the University of West Virginia and the Australian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. The keynote address will be given by Mr W Tattersall, Assistant to the secretary of State for Safety and Health, USA.

Open Day: Sunday, 30 August.

Australian Computer Conference on Information Systems hosted by the Department of Business Systems 5-8 October at the University of Wollongong. Enquiries to Gaye Herbert (042) 213958.

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GENERAL STAFF FORUMS

Monday 11 May from 12.30-1.30pm in Pentagon 4. Peter Maywald, Personnel Officer (Employee relations) will present General Staff Restructuring. Where is it at?

Thursday 14 May from 12.30-1.30pm in Pentagon 4. Robyn Weekes, Senior Personnel Officer presents Annual Development Reviews.

More information: Peter Maywald, ext. 3798

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