Our First Fulbright Visitor

The University's first distinguished visitor under the Fulbright Visiting Scholar Scheme has started work at the University in the Department of Biology. His visit was organized by the Australian American Educational Foundation.

The Scholar is Theodore (Ted) Garland Jr. Dr. Garland attained a Bachelor of Science in Zoology (1978) and a Master of Science in Biology from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (1980) before beginning his Ph.D studies in the Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology at the University of California, Irvine in 1980. He is now in the fourth year of his Ph.D studies.

He has travelled to Costa Rica, Central America and Kenya and Tanzania to conduct ecological research.

He was born in Pennsylvania in 1956, but grew up in Las Vegas, Nevada.

In writing about his research programme Dr. Garland made the following comments:

"My research interests concern the evolution of body size in mammals and reptiles, and the reptile-to-mammal transition. I wish to understand why different species are the size they are (i.e., what have been the selective factors acting to produce a given pattern of variation in body size), and what were the selective factors that favoured the evolution of mammals from reptiles some 200 million years ago. My techniques are those of physiological ecology, which means I conduct field studies of animal behaviour, laboratory studies of metabolic biochemistry, and a variety of things in between."

"While in Australia, I will focus on locomotory performance of lizards. Animals captured alive in the field are performance tested in the lab, on a photoelectric-timed racetrack, to obtain maximal acceleration and burst speed, and on a motorized treadmill run at low speeds (about 1 km/h), to quantify endurance. Through field studies I then attempt to elucidate the behavioural correlates and ecological consequences of interspecific variation in performance ability. With lab. studies I attempt to identify the morphological, physiological, and biochemical bases for variation in performance among species as well as among individuals within species. These lab. studies parallel in several ways studies of human performance, and many of my a priori hypotheses are based on previous studies of mammalian exercise physiology. I study lizards because they are in many ways a more convenient group with which to work, and because I have a long-standing interest in reptiles."

"I have come to Australia because it offers the greatest diversity of lizards. I chose the University of Wollongong so that Dr. A.J. (Tony) Hulbert and I could conduct collaborative studies -- we are both interested in the reptile-mammal transition, but have different approaches. Dr. Hulbert and I met in 1981 while he was on study leave at the University of California, Irvine, my home institution."

BRAIN DRAIN REVERSED

After a period of severe "brain-drain" of Australian computer scientists to overseas destinations, a little reverse "brain-drain" is taking place in Wollongong.

Professor John E.L. Peck, Professor of Computer Science at the University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada, has accepted a Visiting Professor's position in the Department of Computing Science. Prof. Peck hopes to take up his position in February 1984.

Prof. Peck has had a distinguished career in Computing Science. He is perhaps best known for his contributions to the development of the programming language ALGOL68 in the late 1960's. More recently Prof. Peck has taken interest in Software Tools, portable programs and microcomputer systems.

These interests will complement work already in progress at Wollongong. We welcome this distinguished computer scientist to our shores and look forward to an exciting period of scientific collaboration.

CHINESE ACADEMICS VISIT WOLLONGONG

A Delegation of Chinese Academics from some of the leading Technological Universities in China visited Wollongong last week.

Their itinerary took in the University and a tour of heavy industry.

The Chinese Delegation expressed interest in examining the training conditions in Australia in tertiary education, especially in the field of engineering.

They were also interested in studying the relationship between higher education and the economy as a whole.

It is likely they will be also considering the possibility of exchanges of academic staff between China and Australia.

The Vice-Chancellor of the University, Dr. Ken McKinnon hosted their visit to the University.
GRADUATES COMMITTEE NOTICE OF MEETING
by John Daley - Secretary

The Graduates Committee of the Friends will hold its final meeting for 1983 on Wednesday, 9 November, at 5.45 p.m. in the University Council Room.

All graduates within the Friends are eligible to attend.

The agenda includes the following items:

1. AUGC Conference.
2. Graduate Liaison Officers.
3. Friends Graduate Prize.
4. Reunion Dinner.
5. Recruitment Drive.

The Committee will discuss the programme for the 1984 Australian University Graduate Conference which will be held in Wollongong for the first time as part of Wollongong’s 150th Anniversary celebrations.

The guest of honour at the Conference Dinner on Saturday 11 February at 7 p.m. will be Dame Leonie Kramer. The Dinner at the Northbeach International will be hosted by the Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Ken McKinnon, and will feature a song recital by “Sans Souci” the German Male Choir.

Members of the Friends and Graduates in general will be eligible to attend the Dinner.

Other events will include:

a) A Mayoral Reception on Friday, 10 February, in the Wollongong City Gallery featuring the University Singers and the Zagreb Croatia Folklore Group.

b) A BBQ lunch at the Mt. Keira Scout Camp on Sunday, 12 February, followed that evening by a walk through the Botanical Gardens and Cocktails at Gleniffer Brae.

c) A post conference tour of Mt. Kebla, and a picnic at Stanwell Park.

Friends Graduates Committee Prize.
The Graduates Committee intends to fund a prize of $250 to be called the “Friends Graduates Committee Prize”. The matters for consideration are that

"The award shall be open to students of the University who:

(i) have graduated in the year of the award;
(ii) have performed satisfactorily in academic terms; (or have attained a sufficient academic standard)
(iii) have contributed significantly to some elements of the general life of the University community - social, cultural, intellectual, political, sporting;
(iv) have contributed significantly to encouraging and developing closer links and understanding between the University and the general community."

"The Award shall be made on the recommendation of a Committee consisting of:

Chairman of the Academic Senate
Secretary/Manager - University Union
Chairman, Graduate Committee
Chairman of the Board.”

The value of the Friends Graduates Committee prize will ensure that it is one of the most prestigious awards made at the Graduation Ceremony each year.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE NOTICE OF MEETING
by Joseli Munive - Secretary

The Membership Committee of the Friends will hold its final meeting for 1983 on Thursday, 10 November, at 5.30 p.m. in the Wollongong Town Hall.

Items on the agenda include the Friends programme for 1984 and the admission of new members. The membership of the Friends currently stands at 414.

SAM MARSHALL PRIZE FOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERING THESIS

The Department of Mechanical Engineering and the Friends are proposing to establish a prize in memory of Sam Marshall. The prize is to be awarded to the student who achieves the highest work for the final year Thesis.

It is envisaged that value of the award will be approximately $100.

There may be colleagues of Sam who wish to contribute to the fund which is being established to provide the award each year. If anyone wishes to contribute would they please forward a cheque, made payable to the Friends of the University of Wollongong, to Giles Pickford, Friends of the University. Donations are tax deductible.

Book of the Week

From Chris Wilder, University Co-op Bookshop

HERGE: THE ADVENTURES OF TINTIN

It is now fifty years since Hergé published his first cartoon adventure of the plucky detective Tintin and his friends The Captain, Professor Calculus, Nestor and hosts of dastardly enemies.

To mark Tintin’s fiftieth “birthday”, we have in stock all the Tintin books available, including the classic pre-war titles. All titles are $3.95.

Also available this week: the “Penguin Complete Saki” (with an introduction by Noel Coward) for $9.95; Mervyn Peake’s “Gormenghast” trilogy: $12.95; the “Penguin Complete Novels” ($11.95) and “Short Stories ($9.95) of Kafka, and Jim Falk’s “Taking Australia Off The Map” ($6.95).

During November and December members of the Co-op (shareholders) receive a 10% discount on all book purchases (other than nett books, which number about five titles!). This represents a very substantial saving on general books as well as texts.
PRO HART EXHIBITION AND SALE

This special feature of the Wednesday Gallery will be held for one day only, on 9 November, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and 12 Pro Hart paintings are involved.

Be there at 4/328 Crown Street (opposite Big Rooster above the antique shop on Hospital Hill).

Enquiries to Bev on 289047 or 283853.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY 1983

The Children's Christmas Tree Committee would like to raffle a Christmas Hamper again this year to help sell the funds for the Children's Christmas Party. We rely on donations from staff members to make up the hamper. All donations most welcome - i.e. tin fruits, toys, Christmas Cakes, drinks, wine etc. Please leave your donations with Lionel at the Printery, or Flora in the Administration Building.

Please have donations in by Friday, 4th November.

Tickets 20c each or 6 for $1, if any departmental secretary would like a book of raffle tickets to sell please contact Flora on ext. 408.

CORRECTION

In last week's "Campus News" the Editor stated that the University had budgeted $2,500 for Open Day.

This is incorrect. No amount was "budgetted". Instead a "contribution" of $5,000 was made. This takes the amount spent per visitor from 3 cents to 5½ cents.

There was no intention to mislead. The error arose from a lack of comprehension of the University's financial system.

INSTALLATION OF PABX TELEPHONE SYSTEM

The anticipated date of cut-over of the new PABX was previously advised as 17th October, 1983.

The equipment has only recently been delivered and Telecom advise that the anticipated date of cut-over is now the end of October.

Readers will be advised when a more definite date is known.

MEDICARE AND STUDENTS (INCLUDING OVERSEAS STUDENTS IN AUSTRALIA)

The following information has been supplied by the Department of Health:

"Under Medicare every Australian will be covered for doctors' fees and public hospital care. Doctors will have the choice of billing Medicare direct for all their patients or charging the patient direct.

Medicare will be funded by a one percent income tax contribution. The income level below which the levy is not payable is $128.80 gross per week for a single person and $214.25 gross per week for a couple with an additional $21 per week allowed for each dependent child. These limits will apply to everyone in Australia, including students, postgraduate and undergraduate.

Under Medicare, overseas students (sponsored or private) who have approval to remain in Australia for more than six months will be entitled to Medicare benefits from the date of their arrival in Australia. Those students who originally obtain approval to stay less than six months and who subsequently receive an extension which makes their total stay in Australia longer than six months will also be eligible for Medicare benefits from the date the extension is granted.

Those students whose stay in Australia is less than six months will not be eligible for Medicare benefits and should consider taking out private health insurance which may be available to visitors to Australia from private health insurance organisations."

UNESCO PARTICIPATION PROGRAMME

The AVCC has advised that UNESCO is calling for applications for grant support for conferences or seminars which support the objectives of UNESCO. Details are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board.

BOARD OF SENIOR SCHOOL STUDIES

The Board has determined that the 1983 Higher School Certificate Result Notices will be dispatched to candidates on Friday, 13 January, 1984, so as to reach them on or about Monday, 16 January.

This procedure reflects the additional checking processes now incorporated into the finalization of Higher School Certificate results, but conforms to the Board's view that candidates should receive their individual results as soon as is practicable.

It should be noted that the normal revision process will still apply, and that as in previous years, this may take five to six weeks to complete.

The Universities and Colleges Admissions Centre, other tertiary institutions and interested parties have been advised of the above procedures.

STATE SUPERANNUATION BOARD HOUSING LOAN INTEREST RATES

The State Superannuation Board wishes to inform Fund member borrowers and applicants for housing finance, that the interest rates attaching to housing loans provided from the Fund, have been reduced by 0.25% per annum, effective from 3rd October, 1983.

The new rates applying are 11.75% for loans less than $50,000 and 12.75% for loans of $50,000 or more. The rate attaching to loans to ex-Fund members, irrespective of amount, is also 12.75% per annum.

Borrowers may elect to seek reduced repayments by contacting the Secretary of the housing co-operative which provided the loan. Alternatively, they may wish to leave existing repayments stand, thereby effecting savings in overall interest.

DID YOU KNOW that the University needs the support of its graduates and that this can be delivered through the Graduates Committee of the Friends of the University?

Membership of the Graduates Committee is open to all members of Convocation for $10.00 p.a. or $40 for Life Membership.

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STATE SUPERANNUATION BOARD HOUSING LOAN INTEREST RATES
The Big One
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**Seminars**

**SEMINAR ON HARMONY**
The Rosicrucian Order, AMORC
Topic: “Harmony”
Subjects presented: mystical attunement; reincarnation; Karma and; the cycles of life; human aura; interpersonal relationship
The presentation will be given by Beryl Stephens F.R.C.
Date: Saturday, 12 November, 1983. Time: 8.30 a.m. - 5.30 p.m. Venue: Theatre 5, Pentagon, University of Wollongong. Fee: $20.00 per person, morning and afternoon tea included
For further information contact Hank Kist at 83.3721.

**DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTANCY**
Topic: An Analysis of Australian Corporate Law Cases 1975-1983
Speakers: Mr. Ken Hale and Mr. Jim Jackson
Place and Time: Room 19.2035, 11.00 a.m., Friday, 4th November, 1983.
For further details contact Dr. F. Gul, tel. 282.842

**DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTING SCIENCE**
Short Course of Lectures by Prof. Yorick Wilks, University of Essex, England on “Recent Developments in Natural Understanding”.
Friday, November 4 11.30-13.30 Room 204

**THE ENVIRONMENTAL HERITAGE COMMITTEE**
(Wollongong, Shellharbour, Kiama)
Readers are invited to attend a seminar to discuss the establishment of a major industrial museum at Port Kembla, to be held in the Wollongong City Gallery, Burelli Street on Wednesday, 16th November, 1983, at 7.30 p.m.
Speakers will provide a background to the proposal, which was presented in the recently released ‘Heritage and Tourism Study’, and discussion will follow regarding the required action to further the proposal.
The museum project is considered to have great potential to provide an important component of the region’s tourist industry, as well as valuable educational and recreational facility, and your attendance at and involvement in this meeting would be most valuable.
Light refreshments will be served.
RSVP 11 November, 1983. Phone Steve Dovers (042) 280024.

**International News**

Submitted by the Australian Vice-Chancellors’ Committee

The Royal Society of Chemistry Corday-Morgan Memorial Fund exists to assist members of any established Chemical Society/Institute in the Commonwealth to visit chemical establishments in another Commonwealth country.
The maximum award to any individual is normally 500 and persons eligible must be citizens of, and domiciled in, any Commonwealth country. Applicants must be travelling to another country (not necessarily in the Commonwealth) and would stop en route to visit a third country which must be in the Commonwealth. Funding would cover the additional costs of the stopover, together with appropriate subsistence.
The closing dates for receipt of applications are normally 1 April and 1 October and application forms for support from the fund are available on request from The Corday-Morgan Memorial Fund, c/- The Secretary General, Royal Society of Chemistry, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London W1V OBN.
The Royal Society of Chemistry, through its International Committee, has established a scheme of awards to enable members of the Society to visit chemical establishments in developing countries.
The intention is to help applicants to make stopovers in or diversions to a developing country while travelling for other purposes. Funding would cover the additional travel costs together with appropriate subsistence, up to a maximum of 500. The grants will compliment, where appropriate, those for visits to Commonwealth countries available from the Corday-Morgan Memorial Fund.
The closing dates for applications are normally 1 April to 1 October. Application forms are available from the International Committee Awards, c/- The Secretary General, Royal Society of Chemistry, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London W1B OBN.

Applications for training fellowships in 1984-85 are invited by the International Agency for Research on Cancer from junior scientists wishing to be trained in those aspects of cancer research related to the Agency’s own programme: epidemiology, biostatistics and environmental carcinogenesis - both chemical and viral. Applicants should be engaged in research in medical or allied sciences and intend to pursue a career in cancer research.
Fellowships are awarded for one year and are tenable at the Agency or in another suitable institution abroad. Fellows will, in general, be selected from applicants with some post-doctoral research experience related to cancer in medicine or the natural sciences.

Venue: Union Hall
Date: Thursday, 1st December
Time: 7 p.m.
Stipends will vary according to the cost of living in the country of study, however, cost of travel for the applicant, and in certain circumstances, that of one dependant will be met.

Fellowship application forms and more detailed information are available from the Chairman of the Fellowship Selection Committee, International Agency for Research on Cancer, 150 cours Albert-Thomas, 69372 Lyon Cedex 08, France.

Applications must reach the Agency not later than 31 December, 1983.

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The First International Conference on 'Literature in Translation' is to be held at Jawaharlal Nehru University from 15-20 March 1984. The major objectives of the Conference will be to investigate the possibilities of a close interaction between the different Indian and foreign languages and their literatures in the form of translation of various literary and academic works. The Conference will focus on a number of areas of translational activities and problems.

Further enquiries should be addressed to: Dr. Satya Bhushan Verma, Room No. 516, School of Languages, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi 110 067, India.

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The Sixth International Conference on Fracture is to be held in Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi from 4-10 December 1984. Further details may be obtained from: Dr. K.N. Raju, General Secretary, ICF6, Deputy Director, National Aeronautical Laboratory, Bangalore-560017, India.

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The Department of Tamil Studies in Foreign Countries of the Tamil University, Thanjavur-613001, Tamilnadu, India, is organising a 30 day course entitled "An Introduction to Tamil Culture" from 3 December 1983 to 1 January 1984. The Course is open to Tamil teachers in schools, colleges and universities in foreign countries, to undergraduate as well as postgraduate students of Tamil and to research scholars interested in Tamil studies. A registration form and information brochure is available from Mr. C. Marshall, AVCC. Further information may be obtained from Professor K. Nambi Aroroon, Professor of Foreign Studies, Tamil University.

Applications close on 1 November 1983.

Letters

Dear Editor,

I was recently invited to HMAS Creswell to lecture on the literature of the Cold War period. In the ward room was a portrait of Nelson, but I saw no portrait of Nepean. Calling to mind the growing interest in our local heritage, I pondered upon this during my drive back to Wollongong. By the time I reached Nowra I had thoroughly approved the judgement of the naval college in not embarrassing Nelson with the companionship of the man after whom one of our local rivers had the misfortune to be named.

Evan Nepean was Secretary to the Admiralty in 1797, when the naval ratings seized the two home fleets of the British Navy, expelled their officers, hoisted the red flag and blockaded the Thames. After 'the floating republic' had been overthrown and its elected President, Richard Parker, arrested, Nepean instructed Parker's judges, "You may prove almost anything you like against him". The President of the Court that condemned Parker to death wrote back to Nepean, "The conviction of the villain Parker must have been so very dear to you at the Admiralty that the place and time of his execution might have been previously settled."

Parker and twenty-nine others were executed in Marshalsea prison, later pulled down to make way for a post-office building, at which time the place was renamed Mount Pleasant after which doubtless the Wollongong suburb was named. Many more rebels were flogged and others were transported to New South Wales.

The reforms which the ratings had sought from the Admiralty, the refusal and manner of refusal of which had led to the uprising, were shortly implemented. They would not have been introduced but for the uprising and the fear of the future uprisings. Without them, paid for so dearly by ordinary seamen, the Royal Navy would have been in no condition to win at Camperdown and later at Trafalgar, there would have been no column in Trafalgar Square - indeed no Trafalgar Square - and no portrait in the ward room of HMAS Creswell. There would, of course, have been the Nepean River and Mount Pleasant.

It crossed my mind, as I left Nowra, that to name a local river after Nepean and one of Wollongong's more prestigious suburbs after a London sorting office was evidence of that cringe before the power of the British ruling class which many Australians deplore in their own cultural make-up. Whilst not for a moment questioning a proper respect for Her Majesty and Her Majesty's Australian Navy, could we not rename the Nepean after one of the 1979 ratings transported to Australia, say Thomas McCann, and Mount Pleasant after the Marshalsea prison in honour of the salvos who laid the material foundations of European settlement?

Yours sincerely,
Raymond Southall,
Professor of English.

Job Vacancies

Details of the following positions are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board situated at the southern end of the Hut.

Macquarie  Lecturers in Urban Studies, Computing
Tutors in Earth Sciences, Economics,
Statistics, Education, Philosophy, Ancient Near East History, Computing

Newcastle  Lecturer in Electrical and Computer
                   Engineering; Lecturer in Chemical Engineering

Canberra  Student Administration Officer
School of Art

Adelaide  Lecturer in Pure Mathematics
Visiting posts for Economists
Tutor in Applied Mathematics
Cataloguing Librarian

AVCC  Lists of University Vacancies in Australia and overseas
Entertainment

WOLLONGONG CONSERVATORIUM OF MUSIC

Gleniffer Brae will be the setting for the following concerts presented by the Conservatorium of Music.

*9th November at 8 p.m.
Jose de la Vega - Piano ... works by Liszt and Schuman.
Admission per concert: $5.00 and $1.50 concession.
Bookings at Palings, Crown Street; Keyboard Clinic, Crown Central and The Conservatorium of Music, Wollongong.

CITY OF WOLLONGONG SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Music Director: John Wayne Dixon.
Guest Soloist: Robert Ampt, Organ.
Solo Organ Work; Poulenc: Organ Concert in G Minor; Dvorak: Symphony No. 8 in G Op.88.
8.00 p.m. Saturday, 12 November
Wollongong Town Hall
Tickets $7; $5 concession
Bookings at Jurjens, 232 Keira Street.

WEDNESDAY GALLERY

Open Wednesdays Only 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Enquiries to Bev - 28.3853.

ILLAWARRA MUSIC CLUB

The Illawarra Music Club has pleasure in offering a return coach trip to performance by the University of N.S.W. Opera of Rossini's Wittiest and Most Humane Comedy: Cinderella (La Cenerentola).

Deborah Riedel in the title role; Conductor - Roger Covell; Producer - Bernd Benthaak; Designer - Douglas Smith.
Friday, 11 November, 1983, 7.30 p.m. at the Science Theatre - University of N.S.W.
The coach will depart from Court House in Market Street at 5.00 p.m. on Friday, 11 November with pick-up points at Fairy Meadow, Corrimal, Woonona and Bulli. Enquiries to Geoff Williams on 282909.

GRAHAM GALLERY

Readers are invited to a Special Christmas Exhibition 13th November to 18th December. Preview 13th November at 11 a.m.


Ceramics - Karl Preuhs, Gillian Grigg, Lindsay Duncan, Edward Arrowsmith, Ivan Englund.

Sculpture - Robert Parr, Gino Sanguinetti

Needlework - Quilted jackets by Gem Flood, Applique by Tori de Mestre, Patchwork by Dian Graham, Weavings and dolls by Dora Kiwi, Victorian pin cushions by Jean Hinder

Jewellery - Jonathon Greenwell

Pressed flowers and spice baskets - Betty Dallimore, Rayma Waters, Jill Gamble

Hand painted cards - Molly Lewis

Hand painted tiles - Verney Watts

Purchases may be taken on the day.

A MUSIC THEATRE DOUBLE BILL

Presented by the School of Creative Arts

BOW DOWN 	 EIGHT SONGS FOR A MAD KING
by Harrison Birtwistle 	 by Peter Maxwell Davies
Director: Gary Stonehouse
Musical Director: Andrew Ford
Sunday 13th November at 8 p.m.
Friday 18th November at 8 p.m.
Saturday 19th November at 8 p.m.
University Union Playhouse (Canteen)
Entrance Gate 4 Northfields Avenue
Admission $6 	 Concession $3
Bookings Wilsons Union (28-2909)

Other entertainment from the School of Creative Arts

EQUUS by Peter Schaffer
November 6-7-8-9 at 8 p.m.
University Union Common Room
Admission $5 	 Concession $2
Bookings 282909

DANTE ALIGHIERI SOCIETY ACTIVITIES

FUND RAISING SOCIAL COCKTAIL
Saturday, November 19 from 5.30 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.
This activity will be hosted by Dr. and Mrs. Nairn of Mount Pleasant. Details on invitations and tickets will be announced in the November newsletter.

THE FRENCH PRESENCE OR HOW AUSTRALIANS VIEW THE FRENCH

The Centenary of the Alliance Francaise in Australia will be celebrated by a humorous and imaginative exhibition by Australian amateur, professional and junior photographers. 105 photographs have been selected from a national competition.

The Australian tour begins at the University of Wollongong Library foyer on November 4 - 13, 1983.
Sponsored by the Alliance Francaise and the Wollongong Arts Council.

Vive La Difference!

Exhibition Hours: 9 a.m. - 10 p.m. Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday 1 p.m. - 6 p.m. Sunday
Scholarships and Prizes

Details on the scholarships and prizes below are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board situated at the southern end of the Hut. Application forms are available from the Student Enquiries Office.

**National Australia Day Committee**

Nominations for Australian of the Year

**Department of Education & Youth Affairs**

Austin Keane Vacation Scholarship

The Scholarship valued at $A1,220 is open to outstanding undergraduate students who are completing a Bachelor degree majoring in Computing Science at the University of Wollongong. Applicants must obtain, in the year of the award, at least Distinction grade in 24 credit points of 300-level subjects offered by the Department of Computing Science. The successful candidate will participate in a programming project under the guidance of a staff member for two months during the long recess.

Application forms and further information may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Computing Science, the University of Wollongong, P.O. Box 1144, Wollongong 2500. Completed application forms should reach the above address by 1st December, 1983.

Richard Miller Award

The Richard Miller Award commemorates the first transplant of the UNIX operating system from one computer to another. Richard Miller started with the PDP-11 UNIX in December 1976 and the ported system went into production on an Interdata 7/32 in July 1977.

The Award, valued at $A2,000, is open to final year undergraduate students majoring in Computing Science at any university who wish to undertake full-time study leading to a Honours degree in Computing Science at the University of Wollongong. Applicants should have an outstanding academic record in all subjects, especially in Computing Science.

Application forms and further information may be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Computing Science, the University of Wollongong, P.O. Box 1144, Wollongong 2500. Completed application forms should reach the above address by 1st December, 1983.

Advertisements

**UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC SOCIETY**

Mass is held at 12.35 p.m. on Thursdays during session in the University Union Common Room.

**ANGLICAN CHAPLAINCY**

The Anglican Chaplain conducts Bible study sessions each Thursday during session in Pentagon 4 from 12.30 to 1.30 p.m.

**ASTRONOMICAL POSTERS**

The finest in astronomical photography from NASA and the world's great observatories is available in postcard, poster or slide form at reasonable prices from the Illawarra Planetarium Society. Telephone 282881 for information.

**TRAVEL**

Members of the Union can receive top value service from National Australia Bank Travel, with good rebates available on many holidays, cruises and flights.

So before planning your next holiday or trip call in at National Australia Bank Travel (corner of Crown and Church Street), identify yourself as a Union Member and let them tell you what deal they can offer you.

**RESEARCH ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE**

Honours Graduate will undertake research for busy students or academics.

Experience in most Humanities, some Social Sciences and General Studies.

Let me do the spade-work. You write the paper.

Reasonable Rates. Phone 61.2714 after 5 p.m.

**LIONS CLUB CHRISTMAS CAKES**

Once again the Lion’s Club Christmas Cakes are now available from Bill Trueman, Library, ext. 425.

Cost $4.95 for 1.5 kg. cake. Orders taken as well as sales.

**LANDROVER FOR SALE**


**SUGGESTION BOX**

A Suggestion Box is now located in the Cafeteria so that members can make constructive comments regarding Union Services.

Members are asked to note that all comments placed in the Box should be signed, since anonymous correspondence will be disregarded.