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Homecoming Events Set

The USF's second annual homecoming, featuring a homecoming basketball game and dance, and a talk by comedian-political activist Dick Gregory, will be held Jan. 14-20.

The week is sponsored by the all-university Homecoming Committee through the Office of Student Affairs in cooperation with many campus groups.

Dick Gregory will appear at 8 p.m. Jan. 14 in the Gymnasium. Gregory first became known as a comedian, but is now also recognized as a human rights activist, lecturer and author. His talk is free to the public and is part of the University Lecture Series.

Other highlights of the week are the St. Louis Jazz Quartet, presenting "The History of Jazz," at both 8 and 10 p.m. Jan. 17 in the University Theatre; the Hanneford Circus, a three-ring circus featuring the famed royal family of the circus, at 4:30 and 8 p.m. Jan. 18 in the Gym, and the USF vs. Florida State University basketball game at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 19 at Tampa's Curtis Hixon Hall, followed by a dance with "The Devestations."

USF Hosts Nurse's Workshop

An organizational workshop for Region II of the Statewide Task Force on Continuing Education for Nurses in Florida will be held at USF Jan. 15.

The workshop is sponsored by the Florida Nurses Association and the State Board of Nursing and hosted by the USF College of Nursing. It is being coordinated by Jeanette Sasmor, R.N. and associate professor of nursing at USF.

Nurses responsible for planning and providing inservice and continuing education programs will attend. They will update current continuing education issues and activities and initiate a plan of sharing continuing education programs within the region which includes 12 west central Florida counties.

Sessions will be from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the University Center Ballroom.

USF'ers Get Medical Grant

A $40,000 grant from the Florida Regional Medical Program (PRMP) has been awarded to two USF anthropologists to survey the medical services available to persons suffering from hypertension.

The award is to Dr. Ailon Shiloh, professor, and Curtis Wienker, instructor, both experienced medical anthropologists.

Dr. Shiloh explained that hypertension is a serious medical problem for an estimated 25 million Americans. It is also a significant underlying cause of heart attacks and strokes.

The PRMP grant, which runs from December 1973 to July 1974, is to initiate a survey of hypertension services in Florida. Its purpose, Dr. Shiloh explained, is not to diagnose patients, but to prepare a report on the services available to these people.

USF Gets Reaccreditation

The Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS), official accrediting agency for all educational institutions in the South, has reviewed and reaffirmed its accreditation of the University of South Florida.

Gordon W. Sweet, executive secretary of the SACS, notified President Cecil Mackey of the association's action taken at its annual meeting in December.

"It is a pleasure to inform you that your institution has satisfactorily completed the Institutional Self-Study Program and that its accreditation was reaffirmed," Sweet reported.

Reaccreditation followed comments and recommendations by a team of 25 educators who visited the USF campus last April and May University Theatre. The 10-year self-study of USF was completed under the direction of Dr. Russell Cooper.

USF was first fully accredited in 1965 by the SACS.

BOR Meets Here Today

The Board of Regents will meet at USF today at 9:30 a.m. in the Engineering Auditorium.

Among the items they will consider will be:

--Report on the progress of the search for a president of the University of Florida;
--Reorganization of Board of Regents officers and presentation to retiring Chairman J.J. Daniel;
--Presentation by USF on Your Open University (YOU);
--Presentation on the progress of Sea Grant Program;
--Remarks by Lee Constantine, President of the Council of Student Body Presidents.

The Board of Regents meetings are open to any interested persons.

Ars Nova Quintet To Perform

A showcase performance for student soloists and an evening of chamber music by the faculty-constituted Ars Nova Quintet are features of the Jan. 15-16 concert cluster of the Series for Traditional, Contemporary and Experimental Music at USF. Sponsored by the USF Music Department, the performances are scheduled at 8:30 p.m. in the University Theatre. Reserved seat tickets at $2 ($1 for full-time USF students) are available from the USF Theatre Box Office (974-2323).

The Ars Nova Quintet, a faculty organization formed in 1972, will present an evening of traditional and contemporary music on Jan. 15. Outstanding student instrumentalists and vocalists will be spotlighted Jan. 16 when they perform with the all-student University Symphony Orchestra under the direction of faculty member Edward Preodor.
Vacant Positions at USF: *Sec. III (mod., housing & food), $6431; *Sec. II (president's office, CRC, a/v, Lib.), $5763; *Sec. II (St. Pete campus; ed., stu. serv.), $5471; *Sec. II (St. Pete campus, nat. sci. - 50%), $5280; *Sec. I (ed. resources), $5324; *Clerk Typist II (pol. sci. - 50%), $2662; *Clerk III (fin. & acc.), $5763; *Clerk II (Lib., phys. educ.), $5074; *Clerk I (housing & food), $4343; *Mail Clerk II (phys. plant), $5512; *Statistical Aide I (fin. & acc.), $6180; *Purchasing Agent III (procurement), $11,338; *Engineer I (security), $10,586; Electrician (St. Pete campus), $8143; Illustrator II (ed. resources), $7434; Radio-TV Engineer I (ed. resources), $7600; Asst. A-V Media Dir. (ed. resources), $10,398; Ed. Resources Dir., $18,900; Keypunch Opr. (CRC - 2, stu. aff. - 2), $5554; Computer Opr. I (CRC), $7099; Motor Vehicle Opr. I (procurement), $5324; Req. Nurse (stu. health), $8227; Req. Nurse (stu. health - 40%), $3263; Lab Tech. II (med.), $8185; Engineering Tech I (St. Pete campus), $4802; Univ. Physician (stu. health), $17,700; Univ. Physician (stu. health - 70%), $5160; Campus Security Police Captain (UPD), $12,319; Groundskeeper, $4886; Custodial Worker, $4698. *Require testing. No person shall, on the basis of race, color, creed, religion, sex, age or national origin be excluded from participation in, be denied benefits of, or be subject to discrimination under any program or activity at the University of South Florida. The University is an affirmative Equal Opportunity Employer. Interested persons should contact Personnel Services, FAL-101, 974-2530. Due to the printing schedule of this document, jobs which are re-advertised may be filled the time of this printing or prior to subsequent issues. You should contact the Personnel Office or Job Line for the most up-to-date job vacancies.

A letter is being circulated by the Florida State Employees Association (FSEA) regarding a Florida State Employees sponsored automobile insurance plant. This is not a plan endorsed by the Department of Administration's Employee Benefit Section and the similarity in names should not influence you to believe that it is a plan endorsed by the Legislature.

Between Jan. 7 and Feb. 23, all full-time faculty and staff members who have not reached their 62nd birthday have the opportunity to enroll in a new Income Protection Insurance Plan which is written by the Stuyvesant Life Insurance Company and administered through Gabor and Company. Representatives of Gabor and Company, Inc. are on campus to provide the opportunity for enrollment to all who are eligible. If you have any questions, contact Personnel Services and a representative of Gabor and Company, Inc. will contact you.

Institutional Materials Center: During Quarter II the IMC will be open Mon. and Thur. 9 a.m.-9 p.m. and on Tues., Wed. and Fri., 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Materials available for circulation include art prints, transparencies, slides, tapes, records, film loops as well as children's books. Facilities available are: duplication machines, dark rooms, sign-making machine, conference room, and listening rooms.

Notice to all Departments: All General Telephone Company personnel have been instructed to wear their identification badges. Please do not allow anyone to work on telephone equipment in your offices until you see their identification badge.

New York City Urban Fellowship Competition: The City of New York is offering Urban Fellowships to 20 college seniors and graduate students. Those designated will have the opportunity to work in some area of New York City government for the duration of the academic year. The City grants each Urban Fellow an award of $4,000 and pays his travel expenses to and from New York. In addition, the academic institution which the Fellow is attending must add $500 to the stipend and the year's tuition must be waived. Academic credit must also be granted for a student's work in the program. All students enrolled in a degree program who have completed their junior year by Sept. 1974, or are graduate students are eligible to apply. There is no limitation on the background or field of study of the applicant. Deadline is Jan. 31, 1974. Interested students may obtain applications and further information from the Graduate Studies Office, Adm. 229.

In order to provide assistance to employees who have encountered problems with Blue Cross and Blue Shield in conjunction with the State Sponsored Health Insurance Plan, a "Claim Information Request" form has been developed by the administrators of the Employee Insurance Program. This form is completed and forwarded to the State Employee Insurance Program in Tallahassee. They will determine the current status and problems surrounding an employee's claim. Employees wishing to submit a "Claim Information Request" form should contact Personnel Service, FAL-011.

The Quarter II hours of operation will be as follows:

University Bookstore
Mon. - Fri. 9 a.m.-6 p.m. - Closed Saturday

Check Cashing
Mon. - Fri. 9 a.m.-11 a.m. - Closed Saturday
1 p.m.-4 p.m.

Text Center
Jan. 2 - 4 9 a.m.-7 p.m.
Jan. 7- 11 9 a.m.-7 p.m.
Jan. 14- 18 9 a.m.-7 p.m.

Remainder of Quarter
Mon., Tues., Wed. & Fri. noon-3 p.m.
Thurs. noon-6 p.m.
Sat. & Sun. Closed

Post Office Special Notice: When sending material at bulk mail rates, please be sure to send the Campus Post Office two (2) extra copies of the material. These copies are required for Post Office Records.

The Ask the Expert Series will continue during Quarter II with the following departments scheduled:

Ed. Resources Jan. 16
Academic Planning & Analysis Jan. 23
Finance & Accounting: Grants & Donations Jan. 30
Finance & Accounting: Procurement & Travel Feb. 6
All sessions are on Wed., 9-11 a.m., in CTR 251. For reservations, call Personnel Training, ext. 2438.

The Learning Lab will be open 8-5 Mon.-Thurs. and 8-4 Fri. during Quarter II. Any faculty interested in using closed circuit or learning lab audio or video materials should stop by the lab in EUO 123 or call Gray Bower at ext. 2341. Please schedule course materials as far in advance as possible.

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