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ROTC Establishes Center
For St. Pete at Bayboro

The Army Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC) is establishing a center for St. Petersburg on the USF Bayboro Harbor Campus.

Students attending any near-by college may enroll in the ROTC program as special students. Academic credit is granted by USF for ROTC Military Science classes on a dual enrollment basis.

Special student registration is scheduled for Sept. 20-24 at the Bayboro Campus.

Since the establishment of this area's ROTC program at the University of Tampa in 1971, it has expanded to include USF, Hillsborough Community College, Florida Southern College, Southeast Bible College and Polk Community College in Winter Haven--making it one of the largest in the nation.

Further information is available from Major Denny Hodson at the St. Pete Campus, 898-7411, or from the University of Tampa.

Over 420 Earn 3.5 or Better

Over 420 USF students earned a 3.5 or better grade point average out of a possible 4.0 during the Summer Quarter which was recently completed.

Included in that number are 148 students who earned a perfect 4.0 for all classes taken.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*The Rockefeller Foundation has announced a program of awards for 1977-78 to support the production of works of humanistic scholarship intended to illuminate and assess the values of contemporary civilization. The focus will be on the contemporary experience and its dilemmas as well as on long-range, perennial, and universal human concerns. The program welcomes applications from scholars in the traditional humanistic disciplines (literature, history, philosophy, classics, etc.) whose projects are concerned with the illumination of contemporary values. Similar proposals in fields not generally defined as the humanities are also encouraged if their humanistic implications and methodology are made clear. Applicants with interdisciplinary skills and interests are especially welcomed. The ordinary grant will be between $10,000 and $15,000, and in most cases will not exceed $20,000. Grants may cover the cost of salary, travel, secretarial or research support, or research materials. First-stage proposals must be received by Oct. 1, second-stage proposals, when requested, by Dec. 15. Awards will be announced in March 1977. Additional information is available in the Division of Sponsored Research, LET 107, ext. 2897.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE - TEACHER EXCHANGE PROGRAM - Opportunities will be available to teach overseas during academic year 1977-78 or to attend a seminar abroad during the summer of 1977. Teaching positions will involve interchanges with teachers from Canada, Germany, New Zealand, and the United Kingdom. One-way assignments will be available in Denmark and Greece. Summer seminars will be held for teachers of 1) art and art history in Belgium and the Netherlands; 2) German and German studies in Germany, and 3) classics in Italy. Subject to the availability of funds, seminars may be held for 1) teachers of world/Middle Eastern history in Egypt; 2) teachers of world/Asian history in India and Pakistan, and 3) social studies supervisors and curriculum directors in India. Application Period is from Sept. 1-Nov. 1, 1976. Brochure and application forms will not be available until September. For eligibility requirements and application requests--please contact the Division of Sponsored Research, LET 107, ext. 2897.

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The Office of Academic Advising will be open during Quarter I - Monday thru Friday - 8 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and 1-5 p.m., and Wednesdays until 8 p.m. by appointment only. Further information is available from ext. 2646.

The Learning Resource Center (EDU 123) will be open Quarter I during the following hours: Mon. 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m.; Tues. 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m.; Wed. 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m.; Thurs. 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m.; Fri. 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

Effective immediately all matters pertaining to Workmen's Compensation should be addressed to Mrs. Donna McKinley, Personnel Services, FAO 011, ext. 2337.

Administrative Heads receiving memos requesting a list of employees operating State owned or leased motor vehicles and therefore needing to complete the Defensive Driving Course are requested to submit those lists to Personnel Training, FAO 011 by Sept. 24. Questions should be addressed to Betty Chipp, ext. 2438.

Cost of the Defensive Driving Course are requested to Betty Chipp, ext. 2438. Course dates: Sept. 24. Questions should be addressed to Betty Chipp, ext. 2438. Course dates: Oct. 11 & 12, 8 a.m.-12 CTR 203.

Because of the increasing number of people requesting services of the Employee Benefits Office, it has become necessary to do insurance and retirement counseling by appointment only. So that the office may provide better service, please call Phyllis Hamm, ext. 2530, when you need assistance with insurance or retirement matters. If you are planning to retire, please call the office three months in advance of your anticipated termination date.

All faculty and staff who take more than six hours per quarter of coursework on the Tampa Campus are required to pay the $10 student health fee.

Vacant Positions at USF:
Staff
**Sec. II (9-24-76, marine sci.-St. Pete. Campus), $6,285; Sec. IV (9-24-76, coll. of eng.), $7,976; Sec. III (9-24-76, BIS prog.), $7,224; Sec. II (9-24-76, coll. of arts & letters), $6,285; Sec. II (9-24-76, info. serv.-Sarasota campus), $6,285; Sec. II (9-24-76, aux. serv.), $6,285; Sec. II (9-24-76, finance & acct.), $6,285; Sec. II (9-24-76, finance & acct.), $5,491; Cashier I (9-24-76, finance & acct.), $5,491; Computer Operator I (9-24-76, CRC), $7,600; Groundskeeper Supervisor II (9-24-76, phys. plant-Sarasota Campus), $9,312; Custodial Worker, $6,285; Groundskeeper (9-24-76, aux. serv.), $5,993.

Budget Analyst (9-24-76, accad. affairs), $11,704.

*Requires testing. **No shorthand required.

NSF Student Science Training Program has Oct. 8 deadline. The SSTP program offers support for a summer to bring highly talented secondary-school students into direct contact with college teachers, research scientists, and/or engineers, and to bring such instructional resources into the academic preparation of these talented students earlier than usual. Projects are supported that are designed for good students from secondary schools in which science instruction is excellent, and for students who have high potential but with limited educational opportunities because of inadequate facilities or instruction. Three types of projects are supported: special advanced courses (including associated laboratory work), research participation (on a research team, under the direct supervision of a professional research scientist), or a combination of the two. Program guidelines and forms are available in the Division of Sponsored Research, LET 107, ext. 2897.

Faculty Development Projects in Energy -- The Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) has announced Oct. 15 as the deadline for receipt of applications for their Faculty Development Projects in Energy program. There are three types of activities supported under this program: 1) Faculty Institutes; 2) Short Courses; 3) Conferences, Workshops, Symposia, Meetings and Seminars. The program announcement and application forms are available in the Division of Sponsored Research, LET 107, ext. 2897.

American Cancer Society - Florida Division is accepting proposals for their Oct. 20 deadline. Support is available in the following areas: Starter Grants; Equipment Grants; Pilot Study Grants; Interim Grants; and the R. G. Thompson and John J. Fomon Memorial Research Fellowships. Additional information and application forms are available in the Division of Sponsored Research, LET 107, ext. 2897.

USF Personnel are reminded to keep the Campus Information Center (CIC) informed of any conferences, workshops, seminars, and other campus events they are planning for which both on-and off-campus participants will be involved. The CIC extension is 2235.

Violin instruction through the Suzuki Method is available beginning Quarter I for children four to six years old. If interested, please contact Bruce LeBaron, ext. 2311, or the Center for Continuing Education, ext. 2403. Enrollment is limited.

Programs, activities and facilities of the University of South Florida are available to all on a non-discriminatory basis, without regard to sex, color, creed, religion, age or national origin. The University is an affirmative action Equal Opportunity Employer.

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