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child care program set

The University of Texas at Tyler will open a child care program August 30 for children of UT Tyler students.

The child care program will provide an educational program for preschool children whose parents attend the university, professional experiences for UT Tyler students in many academic areas, and an extended program for preschool and elementary children after 3:30 p.m.

Three options are available, including full-day kindergarten from 8 a.m. - 3:15 p.m., half-day pre-kindergarten classes from 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. and from 11 a.m. - 3:15 p.m., plus extended day activities from 3:30 -9:45 p.m.

Facilities for the child care program have been renovated in the Physical and Health Education Building, room 114. The direct telephone line to the office is 566-1911.

Fall registration set Friday

Registration for the fall semester at UT Tyler will be held from 1:30 - 6:30 p.m. Friday in the University Center. Classes begin Monday.

Late registration will be for nine days with offices open from 8 a.m. - 6:30 p.m. August 30 through Sept. 2 and from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sept. 3, 7-9.

Monday, Sept. 6, will be a university holiday. Offices will be closed and classes will not meet on the Labor Day holiday.

two gifts approved

Two gifts from Tyler donors and a new degree program at the master's level were among items for The University of Texas at Tyler receiving approval of the UT System Board of Regents August 13.

The latest gift to be announced by UT Tyler is \$10,000 from George W. Pirtle to establish the George W. Pirtle Endowed Scholarship for Distinguished Students.

The other gift receiving formal board approval is a gift and pledge to establish the J.S. Hudnall Scholarships for Exemplary Leadership and Citizenship, the J.S. Hudnall Professorship in Energy and Technology, and the J.S. Hudnall Professorship for American Affairs. These are non-endowed gifts to continue through 1986.

Receiving approval of the regents was a Master of Arts degree in history request. UT Tyler will now submit the proposal to the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, for consideration.

central receiving makes move

Central receiving offices for The University of Texas at Tyler have moved from the University Center to the Physical Plant. Equipment, materials and supplies for all but three areas will be received at the dock at the Physical Plant Building.

The University bookstore and food service areas will continue to receive shipments at the University Center loading dock and the library and media center will receive shipments at the dock of the Robert R. Muntz Library.

in the spotlight...

Five members of the UT Tyler faculty marked their fifth anniversary as employees of the university on August 24. These include **DR. BETTY N. ANDERSON**, associate professor of education; **DR. DONALD L. MCLAUGHERTY**, assistant professor of chemistry; **DR. W. ALLEN MARTIN**, associate professor of sociology; **MRS. JULIANNE B. HUBBLE**, instructor of education; and **MRS. COLLEEN K. RANDEL**, instructor of education.

DR. NEIL FORD, assistant professor of biology, recently attended the silver anniversary of the Society for the Study of Amphibians and Reptiles in Raleigh, N.C. He presented a paper entitled "Geographical variations in species specificity of sex pheromone trails of *Thamnophis radix*." This research project has been funded by a UT Tyler faculty grant. He was also asked to switch from associate editor to editor of SSAR's publication series, *Herpetological Circulars*.

DR. H. DONALD GARRISON, associate professor of technology, recently gave a presentation at the Texas Trade and Industrial Teachers Workshop in Austin. He spoke on "Degrees and Vocational Teacher Standards."

DR. ROBERT A. GEFFNER, assistant professor of psychology, appeared on KLTV's Issues '82 program on July 31 and August 1 to discuss family violence in East Texas.

DR. GEORGE F. HAMM, president, appeared on KLTV's Issues '82 program with Tyler Junior College president Dr. Raymond Hawkins on August 14 and 15.

DR. GEORGE JOYCE, professor of business administration, has been re-appointed to the Park Board of the City of Tyler by the City Council. His two-year term will expire in June 1984.

DR. TIM D. KANE, associate professor of business administration, authored the "Economic Observer Column" for *USA Today's* July issue. He wrote on "The Rites of Spring."

DR. W.A. MAYFIELD, professor of technology, served as a group moderator and presenter at the annual Industrial Arts Teacher Inservice Workshop conducted by the Texas Education Agency August 11-13. He also chaired a curriculum committee meeting on the UT Austin campus on computer application involving industry, education and the Texas Industrial Arts Association.

DR. FRANK H. SMYRL, professor of history, recently spoke to the Tyler Lions Club meeting on "People, Things and Places in Tyler's Past." The program took the form of a quiz show, with a prize presented to the loser (the one needing the most help in local history.) The prize was a book on the subject.

DR. WILLIAM D. SABAN, assistant professor of criminal justice, was promoted in August to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the Air Force Reserve.

DR. DONALD W. WHISENHUNT, professor of history, has a book review published in the July issue of *Western Historical Quarterly*.

8-5 Forum meets Sept. 3

Installation of the 1982-83 officers for the 8-5 Forum will take place at a noon meeting Sept. 3 in UC 134. A salad luncheon will be provided.

A short program will follow the installation. Mike Ary, coordinator for clinical programs with UT Tyler's Department of Health and Physical Education, will speak.

Faculty Senate meets Sept. 3

The first meeting of the 1982-83 academic year for the UT Tyler Faculty Senate will be at 10 a.m. Friday, Sept. 3, in ADM 301. Dr. Vincent Falzone, president of the senate, said the agenda will include a report from the Committee on Committees, committee changes, new and old business.

The meeting is open to all faculty members, librarians and other interested members of the university community.

For the new year, the Faculty Senate will be meeting the first and third Friday of each month in ADM 301.

summer enrollment increases

The final count for summer enrollment was 1,809 students. Last summer the enrollment was 1,302. This represents a 38.9 percent increase over last year.

The semester credit hours were 11,722 for this summer. This compares with 8,645 for the summer, 1981. This is a 35.6 percent increase over last summer.

computer awareness seminar set

The Office of Continuing Education and Community Services and the School of Sciences and Mathematics is offering a seminar, September 23 and 30, and October 7 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in Room 210, Business Building, for anyone interested in learning basic information about computers, computing systems, and how they are used.

Dr. Alton Goddard, professor of computer science at UT Tyler, is the seminar leader. He has directed computer seminars for teachers, high school students, businesses and computer professionals

new faculty named

The University of Texas at Tyler welcomes seven new faculty and staff members for the fall semester.

Dr. Millie Munoz and Linda Campbell, newly-named assistant professors of nursing, will be working in the expanded nursing program. Dr. Munoz comes to UT Tyler from Mother Frances Hospital and Ms. Campbell from Pima Community College, Tucson, Arizona.

Other new faculty members include Dr. Davor Jedlicka, associate professor of sociology; Thomas Pittman and Stephen Rainwater, assistant professors of computer science; John Robinson, assistant professor of journalism; and Doris Bowman, coordinator of student publications and public information.

Dr. Jedlicka is moving to UT Tyler from the University of Georgia in Athens. Pittman previously worked for E-Systems, Inc. in Greenville, as software engineer and Rainwater comes from the faculty at Tyler Junior College.

Robinson is joining the journalism faculty at UT Tyler from Ambassador College in Big Sandy and Mrs. Bowman was formerly director of school and community relations with the Lufkin School District.

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