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Chancellor Hans Mark Plans UT Tyler visit

Dr. Hans Mark, chancellor of The University of Texas System, will visit The University of Texas at Tyler campus Thursday, Oct. 4, for a series of meetings and will make a major address on the space program. UT Tyler has been selected as the first of the 14 UT components to be visited since Mark became chancellor Sept. 1.

A highlight of the day's activities will be a 3 p.m. address in the University Center. All UT Tyler employees are encouraged to attend the special presentation. In addition, the meeting is open to students, employees of The UT Health Center at Tyler and the public.

Chancellor Mark will tour the campus beginning at 9:30 a.m. Thursday. Groups of students, faculty and staff will meet with the chancellor during the day which concludes with a joint dinner of the UT Tyler Development Board and the UT Health Center Development Board Thursday evening.

Mark served as deputy administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration where he was instrumental in securing funding for the space station program. From 1977 to 1979, he was undersecretary of the U.S. Air Force and then was named secretary of the Air Force by President Jimmy Carter in 1979. He held that position until 1981 when President Ronald Reagan appointed him as deputy administrator of NASA, which directs the nation's space program.

Mark holds his B.A. degree in physics from The University of California at Berkeley and his Ph.D. in nuclear physics from The Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Dallas Chamber Orchestra plans Tuesday performance

The Dallas Chamber Orchestra will present a concert at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 2 in the University Center. The program is open to the public at no charge.

Program selections include works by Mozart, Elgar and Vivaldi, and will feature 14 string players and a harpischordist performing without a conductor.

Orchestra members are outstanding professional musicians, including principal players of the Dallas Symphony Orchestra and faculty members of area universities.

Violinist Ronald Neal has been music director of the orchestra since its inception. He is a faculty member of the Meadows School of the Arts, Southern Methodist University, where he also is a founding member of the resident ensemble, Voices of Change.

Chamber Seminar set Oct. 11

A Cash Management Seminar is slated from 7-9:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 11, in UC 134. Dr. Oris Odom, associate professor of finance, will lead the seminar, which is cosponsored by the Small Business Committee and the Commercial Development Committee of the Tyler Chamber of Commerce.

The seminar will include discussions on the function of cash management, working capital policy, cash budgeting, techniques for lessening cash needs, accounts receivable and financing current needs.

Tickets are available at the chamber office at \$10 for chamber members and \$20 for non-members.

Toon talks tonight about U.S., Russia

Malcolm Toon, former U.S. ambassador to Russia, will open the University of Texas at Tyler Distinguished Lecture Series for 1984-85 at 8 p.m. tonight in the University Center. Toon's topic will be "How We Should Manage Our Relations with Russia."

Prior to his appointment as ambassador to the USSR from 1976-79, Toon served as ambassador to Israel, Yugoslavia and Czechoslovakia, and was assigned to U.S. embassies in Warsaw, Budapest, Rome and London. He was director of Soviet affairs for the Department of State from 1965-68, deputy assistant secretary of state for European affairs from 1968-69 and was promoted to career minister in 1973.

Toon received the Bachelor of Arts degree from Tufts University, the Master of Science degree from The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, and has done graduate work at Middlebury College and Harvard University.

Faculty and staff may pick up complimentary tickets in the Public Information Office, ADM 215, or in the dean's office of each academic school.

Sponsored by the Smith County Medical Auxiliary, the UT Tyler Distinguished Lecture Series also will present Jody Powell, press secretary to President Jimmy Carter, on Nov. 1 and Gen. William Westmoreland, former U.S. Army Chief of Staff, on Jan. 23.

in the spotlight...

Dr. Jeanie R. Stanley, assistant professor of political science, recently was elected vice-chairperson of the Texas State Board of Professional Counselors.

Don Van Horn, chairman, Department of Art, is among 16 sculptors included in Dallas' Nimbus Gallery's first exhibition of the fall season titled "Sculpture, Sixteen Pieces."

State conference set here Saturday

"Essentials in Curriculum—Focus on Children" is the theme for the Texas Elementary Kindergarten Nursery Educators State Conference from 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29 at The University of Texas at Tyler University Center.

Keynote speaker Dr. Barbara Sadowski will present "Using Manipulatives and Microcomputers for Mathematics and Problem Solving with Young Children," a multi-media program. Sadowski is associate professor and director of the Mathematics and Computer Education Center at the University of Houston.

Sessions will be presented in such areas as language arts, science, creative drama, art, music and microcomputers for teaching children age 3 through third grade.

For preregistration information contact Dr. Barbara Wagner, assistant professor of education, at extension 296.

Speaker series continues

"United States and Mexico: A Joint Destiny" is the subject of a lecture to be presented at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church. Professor Emeritus Richard Rubottom of Southern Methodist University is the speaker.

An expert on the plight of the estimated 10,000 Salvadoran refugees in the Dallas/Fort Worth area will speak at the Oct. 4 lecture. Ron Wilhelm, co-director of Dallas based *Proyecto Adelante* will speak on "Refugees: The Human Cost of War."

Both lectures are part of the six-lecture series on Our Nearest Neighbors: Mexico and Central America, which is jointly sponsored by the The University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler Junior College, AAUW, the Tyler Public Library, ZONTA, South Tyler Rotary Club and Foreign Affairs Forum.

Admission is free and the public is invited.

United Way campaign opens for UT Tyler employees

The United Way campaign for 1984 has begun at UT Tyler, with a goal of 100 percent participation, according to John Sawyer, UT Tyler campaign chairman.

Greater Tyler United Way has established a city-wide goal of 10 percent over last year's total and is asking individual organizations to increase their own contributions by the same percentage, Sawyer said.

This year's coordinators for UT Tyler are Dr. Tom Fernandez, Dr. Robert Jones, James Rackley, Dr. Robert Cox, Dr. Lynn Sherrod, Dr. Lannom Smith, Jon Hayden and Bob Grubbs. These coordinators are distributing pledge cards to employees in their area. All cards are to be returned to the coordinators by Oct. 5.

The United Way contributes to the support of 22 agencies within the community: East Texas Crisis Center, Goodwill Industries of East Texas, Salvation Army, Children's Medical Fund, Mental Health Association of Tyler, Camp Fire, 4-H Youth Program, Girl Scouts, Smith County Association for Retarded Citizens, Pre-school Children's Milk Fund and the Y Family Center.

Also, Minibus (Smith County Senior Citizens Transportation), East Texas Deaf and Hearing Association, Opportunities in Tyler, Inc., American Red Cross, Boy Scouts, North Tyler YMCA, North Tyler Development Center, Tyler Day Nursery, Way of Life, Palmer Drug Abuse Program and Southwestern Diabetic Foundation.

New art exhibit opens Oct. 8

"Works on Paper," a presentation of 10 color pencil drawings from Byron Sletten, will be on view from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, Oct. 8-26, in UC 101.

Sletten is assistant professor of art at the University of Illinois. He received the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from the University of Nebraska and the Master of Fine Arts degree from the University of Florida.

FROM THE MASTER CALENDAR

- Sept. 28 — Vice Presidents notify Deans and Directors to initiate procedures for annual evaluation, promotion, tenure and reappointment review
- Oct. 12 — Last day to submit all catalog copy and curriculum proposals for new courses for the entire academic year to the University Curriculum Committee
- Oct. 12 — Proposal Deadline — Faculty Research Committee Funding
- Oct. 18 — Spring semester schedules due to the Vice President for Academic Affairs from Deans
- Oct. 19 — Last day to drop a course with an automatic grade of "WP"

PERSONNEL UPDATE NEW EMPLOYEES

Vicky Daily
Food Service Worker I
Snackbar, Ext. 307
Effective 9-4-84

Pat Ivy
Clerk-Typist I
Student Financial Aid
Office
ADM 210, Ext. 335
Effective 9-24-84

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