

University of Texas at Tyler

## Scholar Works at UT Tyler

---

Intercom

Marketing & Communications Records

---

10-14-1991

### Intercom 1991 October 14

University of Texas at Tyler

Follow this and additional works at: <https://scholarworks.uttyler.edu/intercom>

---

#### Recommended Citation

University of Texas at Tyler, "Intercom 1991 October 14" (1991). *Intercom*. Paper 109.  
<http://hdl.handle.net/10950/3521>

This PDF is brought to you for free and open access by the Marketing & Communications Records at Scholar Works at UT Tyler. It has been accepted for inclusion in Intercom by an authorized administrator of Scholar Works at UT Tyler. For more information, please contact [tgullings@uttyler.edu](mailto:tgullings@uttyler.edu).

# INTERCOM

## United Way campaign begins

There is a one in three likelihood that you or someone near you benefits from programs of the United Way of Tyler/Smith County. Each year UT Tyler faculty and staff join their fellow citizens in supporting the vital work of 23 area agencies served by the United Way.

"By participating in this year's campaign those of us at the university have an excellent opportunity to return something to the community that gives us so much in so many ways," said President George F. Hamm. Coordinator of this year's United Way drive at UT Tyler is Mark Heckmann.

The UT Tyler United Way campaign gets underway this week with the distribution of pledge cards to faculty and staff. Please return your card to a United Way volunteer on campus or to the Public Information Office, ADM 221, by Friday, Oct. 18 so that UT Tyler's contributions may be included in the county-wide campaign report.

Participants may pay the full amount of their pledge or any portion with return of the pledge card; or, they choose to be billed monthly or quarterly by the United Way office. While payroll deduction is not available at UT Tyler, employees may wish to utilize a bank draft to deduct an amount each month



## **Theatre season to open Oct. 25**

Complimentary tickets to the opening production of UT Tyler's repertory theatre season may be reserved by faculty and staff.

The season begins Oct. 25 with "Another Antigone," A.R. Gurney's contemporary view of college life.

"Another Antigone" features James Johnson of Flint as Professor Henry Harper and Gaynor Edwards of Tyler in the role of Diana Eberhardt "the dean of human studies." Tylerites Michael Gorham and Kara Wise portray students David Appleton and Judy Miller. Janell Farley of Frankston is stage manager; the production is directed and designed by Dr. James A. Hatfield, director of theatre.

Performance dates are Oct. 25 - 27 and Nov. 15 - 17. Curtain time is 7:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, and 2 p.m. Sundays. For tickets or more information call the Department of Drama and Communication ext. 7253.

## **Nursing students provide flu vaccinations at Senior Citizens Center Oct. 22 - 24**

Nursing students will provide influenza vaccinations to persons age 60 and over 8:30 - 11:30 a.m. Oct. 22 - 24 at the Senior Citizens Center, 1915 Garden Valley Road in Tyler.

A service of the UT Tyler Division of Nursing and the UT Health Center at Tyler, the vaccinations will be available to regular center participants Oct. 22 and to the general public Oct. 23 - 24. Vaccinations will be administered by university nursing students under the direction of faculty members; vaccine will be supplied by the UT Health Center at Tyler.



# IN THE SPOTLIGHT

**Dr. Tommy Gilbreath**, associate professor of technology, conducted a 10-hour seminar for the American Red Cross on OSHA Voluntary Compliance Sept. 28 in Odessa. He also was interviewed by KOSA-TV about the seminar.

**Dr. James A. Hatfield**, assistant professor of drama and director of theatre, has been accepted as an associate member of the Society for Stage Directors and Choreographers (SDDC). SDDC is the professional contract union representing stage directors and choreographers active in professional, commercial and regional theatre in north America. He also will be listed in the second edition of "Who's Who in Entertainment" to be published this fall.

## TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM NEWS

A counseling session for Teacher Retirement System members who are planning to retire in 1992 will be held Nov. 13 - 14 at the Region VII Education Center in Kilgore. Application deadline is Oct. 18. Sessions will provide information about retirement and health insurance.

The new state contribution rate for the 1991-92 year for TRS members is 7.31 percent. Member contribution rates remain at 6.4 percent. The \$10 annual membership fee also is unchanged.

## PERSONNEL UPDATE NEW EMPLOYEES

**Anthony Keel**  
University Police Guard  
PHY 121, ext. 7300  
Effective 10-1-91

**Shelly McNeel**  
Administrative Assistant I  
HPR 221, ext. 7310  
Effective 9-25-91

**Ernest Nieswiadomy**  
Utilities Mechanic/Technician  
Power Plant, ext. 7030  
Effective 10-2-91

**Clarence Shackelford**  
Audio-Visual Equipment Tech I  
LIB 126A, ext. 7347  
Effective 10-2-91

## UTFLEX REMINDER

Employees enrolled in the flexible benefits program during the 1990-91 fiscal year have until Nov. 29 to file for expenses incurred during the plan year.



## **Clean Air Act to be topic of environmental seminar**

The Federal Clean Air Act will be the focus of an environmental seminar 8:30 a.m.- 4:15 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 8 in LIB 401.

Robert E. Layton, regional administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency in Dallas, will be luncheon speaker.

Layton will discuss the federal perspective on implementing the Federal Clean Air Act in Texas and rules relative to storm water discharge monitoring. He holds a degree in aeronautical engineering from Texas A&M University and is a former mayor of Tyler.

The seminar is sponsored by UT Tyler, East Texas Council of Governments, Schaumberg & Polk, Inc., Benckenstein, Oxford & Johnson, and the Northeast Section of Texas Water Pollution Control Association.

# **INTERCOM**

## **Grant Writing Teleconference set**

A Grant Writing/Fund Raising Teleconference is planned Thursday, Oct. 17 in the Robert Muntz Library, fourth floor.

The teleconference, coordinated by Oklahoma State University, is designed to enhance participants' grant writing skills. Although the focus will be obtaining funds for the arts and humanities, the discussion should be pertinent to other disciplines as well. The teleconference will feature prominent individuals from several agencies that fund grants and/or research projects, and will encourage interaction by conference participants.

A panel discussion on obtaining funds from government and private foundations will be presented 10:30 a.m. - noon; a session on successful fund raising is scheduled 1 - 2:30 p.m. Reservations for the teleconference and lunch should be made by Oct. 15 by calling Barbara Briscoe, ext. 7103.

INTERCOM is published every other Monday (excluding holidays) during fall and spring, and once monthly during summer sessions, for UT Tyler faculty & staff. Deadline for written material is Wednesday before publication in the Public Information Office, ADM 221.

## **The University of Texas at Tyler**

3900 University Blvd. • Tyler, Texas 75701-6699 • 903 / 566-7000

