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We publish only that which is
submitted! (There are no expense
accounts and no reporters) If there is
no news about your area that means
we haven't received any!



Past Events

The annual international meeting of the CLMA (formerly Clinical Laboratory Management Association) was held outside the United States for the first time this August, in Toronto. Over 5,000 lab managers, vendors and others attended this 4 day meeting. The Trillium (Ontario) Chapter of CLMA (Dave More, President and Dave Piper, former Past President) officially hosted this event and was presented with the Chapter Development Award and a

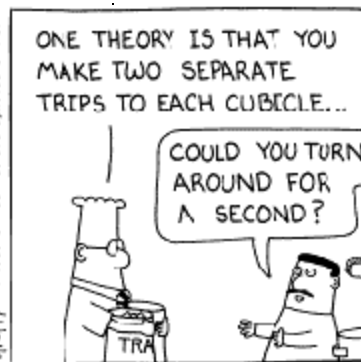
cheque for \$250 for its outstanding contribution in promoting the CLMA to outside organizations.

Upcoming Events

Monday October 13th....
Canadian Turkey Day (aka Thanksgiving). Richardson Labs is locked up and the Hospitals on Holiday schedules.

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as a whole; d) offering an exceptional, enduring, community experience. If you would like to see a copy of this brochure

Dedicated to Paul, the Richardson Labs Fellow-in-question.

Positions Available

None this issue.

Research Events

Department of Pathology Research
Seminars: Tuesdays, 4:00 pm
Richardson Amphitheatre,
Richardson Labs

Date	Speaker
September 23	Orientation
September 30	Recruitment
October 7	Dr. Gerry Marks
October 14	Dr. Alex MacKenzie
October 21	Carla Cuthbert

Graduate News

Stop by to pick up Your Graduate Guide (from Barb Saunders in RichLabs201) if you haven't received one yet.

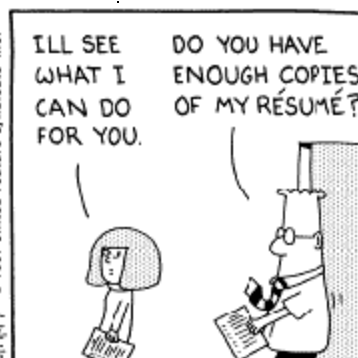
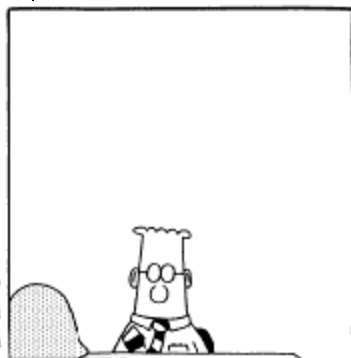
FYI

We have just received a copy of the Queen's new Institutional Image Brochure and Folder. This "package" has been designed as both the Principal's signature piece and the first major multi-functional "core" institutional promotion materials for the University. It is to be used primarily in positioning Queen's with our external audiences. This "package" provides a broad overview of the University consistent with our four positioning tenets: a) a place of excellence; b) a leader and developer of leaders; c) relevant and valuable - to individuals, stakeholder groups and society

and folder see Barb in Dr. Manley's office. They are available at a charge of \$3.26 each for the brochure and \$2.41 each for the folder. To order, call Jane Warns (ext. 7559) or Mary Kelly (ext. 4037).

Dr. Manley's office has recently received the report of the Queen's Health Policy which summarizes interviews that Jarold Cosby conducted with Department heads in the Summer and Fall of last year. The report is part of the on-going evaluation of the AFP. If you would like to review this report see Barb in Dr. Manley's office.

Queen's University Faculty of Health Sciences will hold the **1st Annual A.A. Travill Debate** "You do not own your own Genes". Drs. David Lillicrap & Sandra Taylor vs Geoff Flynn & Marlys Koschinsky. Thursday, September 18, 1997 from 4:30 to 6:00 pm in Etherington Auditorium.



Path420 orientations are going on somewhere.. . more detail to follow next month.

If we don't have a

Teaching Assistant yet we should have one very shortly and will publish info on that next issue as well.

Condolences

Our sincere condolences to Barb Saunders on the recent death of her mother.

Condolences also go out to Laurel Whyman on the death of her father.

Looking for Postal Services? Queen's Postal Services has moved to 115 Barrack St., where it will be sharing space with Printing and Stationery Stores. While the Ontario Hall postal facilities are closed, Queen's members can still post late-day rushmail on campus, in the Security Department, Room 202, in the Jemmett Wing of Fleming Hall, until further notice. Late-day mail must be dropped off by 3:45 pm. The move, which will facilitate more efficient and less costly delivery of mail and stationery products across campus, took place Tuesday, Aug. 26.

Large chunks of Douglas 4 have completed the move to Douglas 3 and most of Douglas 5 has

moved down to Douglas 2.

Resident Stuff

Nothing this issue.

Research Stuff

Users of Glassware Washing in Microbiology

The dirty and clean glassware that was placed on the tables in the Douglas 4 hallway should now be placed on the shelves provided in **Room 8-403**.

Undergraduate News

Path410/824 starts up on Wednesday Sept 10th from 2:30-4:30 in Richardson Labs Amphitheatre

Grants & Deadlines

Dairy Farmers of Canada (DFC) Research Funding Program

The DFC wishes to encourage the development of new products and new uses for dairy components. The DFC will consider those applications which will help make dairy producers and dairy products more competitive. Deadline for letters of intent (14 copies) is **October 1, 1997**. If you would like further information on this program or a copy of the Letter of Intent form, please contact Laurie Vaughan-Evans at extension 6081.

NSERC Site Visit
Representatives of NSERC

Grant Selection Committees will be at Queen's University on **September 23, 1997**. This Visit will begin with a general session to be held in Policy Studies, Room 202 at 9:00 am, is aimed at having faculty members and the site visit team exchange views on topics of importance. All faculty members, postdoctoral fellows and graduate students are encouraged to attend. A workshop on how to prepare an NSERC application will follow the general session. It is suggested that new researchers, researchers who were not funded in the last competition and researchers who have had a significant decrease in their NSERC funding should attend the workshops although all researchers are welcome to attend.

Muscular Dystrophy Association of Canada/Royal Bank Research Grants and Fellowships

The MDAC announces the following competitions for 1997-98: 1) Research grants with a deadline of **October 15, 1997**, applications are available from the Office of Research Services, 2) Pre-doctoral Fellowships with a deadline of **January 15, 1998**, and 3) Summer Fellowships with a deadline of **February 13, 1998**. For information on the Pre-doctoral and Summer Fellowships contact the School

of Graduate Studies. For information on the Post-doctoral or Clinical Fellowships please contact the MRC. Deadlines for these programs are **November 1, 1997** and **April 1, 1998**. Information on these competitions is also available from the MRC website at <http://www.mrc.hwc.ca/>

Canadian Foundation for Innovation & Ontario Challenge Fund

We have received application information on both the CFI and the OCF. To review this information please see Barb in Dr. Manley's office.

Queen's Work Study Program 1997/98

Student Awards and Career Services are once again offering the Work Study Program. This is a program where you hire a student and pay only 25% of their salary with the WSP paying 75% of their salary. The student wage is \$8.00/hour including vacation pay, with a maximum entitlement for each student of \$2,000. Deadline for applications to be received by Career Services is **September 12, 1997**. For information and application forms for this program see Barb in Dr. Manley's office.

NSERC

NSERC guidelines and application forms have been

received in Dr. Manley's office. If you would like to review the guidelines or a copy of the application please see Barb.

Queen's National Scholars Program

This is a University-wide competition. A maximum of four awards will be available in 1997/98. Appointments under this special program will be either tenure-track or special shorter term appointments. The deadline for receipt of completed applications, including letters of reference, is **October 10, 1997** for decision in January 1998. For more information please see Barb in Dr. Manley's office.

KGH News

THE KGH CONNECTION

Nothing this issue

Library News

The three workstations (#2,3,4) equipped with CDROM drives also have soundcards and an extension cable that you can plug your stereo headphones into. If you don't have headphones you can

sign out a pair from Richardson202.

There have been some workstations moved around. The shared printer is now run from Workstation #6. All workstations can access the printer and each other's drives (to a limited extent).

Both flatbed scanners now have FTP servers running, so you can scan your images, save them to the appropriate spot and go back to your own workstation and transfer them by FTP. (See Kevin for detailed info)

You may have noticed Large Amounts of bound journals in the library. This is only a temporary condition so don't get all worked up about it.

Network News

by Kevin Kell

E-Mail flow in and out of the Department for August was 4399 items.

August last year showed a total of 2725 items.

Over the last month there have been some changes to our Mail file server. The oldest System drive has been replaced with a slightly smaller and newer drive, a couple of other drives have

been moved around and the Operating System has been patched. Since the last of the work the server is stable again and should run for months without problems.

If your Dr. Solomin windows based anti-virus program is telling you that is is rather old now, I'll be installing a newer version in the new future. Virus incidents in the department continue to be low (around 2-5/month) and contained quickly.

Buy, Sell & Trade

For Sale (Contact Kevin Q-4901 for more details)

* Kenwood 820R Laserdisc player & 5 Laserdiscs \$350
Made in May 1992 this unit plays regular audio CDs and Laserdiscs. Has S-Video output, 2 video out, 2 audio out, 1 optical output, RF output. Does 425 lines of horizontal resolution. Comes with Remote control & Manual. Has worked fine since I got it. I'm upgrading to a DVD player.

The five laserdiscs included with this are: Fantasia (2 disc set), Apollo13 (2 disc set), LA Story (Steve Martin), StarTrekTNG #39 (Time Squared) and #40 (The Icarus Factor), Mad Max 3 Beyond Thunderdome

Places in Kingston where you

can rent/buy laserdiscs: Jumbo Video at the Kingston Centre and Classic Video on Clarence St.

Pathology News Submissions

SUBMISSION DATE:
Pathology News will be mailed to all faculty, housestaff, graduate students, and anyone who requests it on the Thursday following the first Monday of the month. The next deadline date for submission will be *Tuesday October 7th, 1997*

Send items (in order of preference) by: 1) email, 2) floppy disk, 3) paper mail, or 4) FAX.

If the submission is lengthy and if publications number more than 1 or 2, please send on disk (which will be returned promptly) in virtually any format or put on the Pathology network, location `pathology\drive2:general\path news` (more commonly mapped as `drive g`).

Please type or print your submission and have it in a form ready to cut and paste into the newsletter.

Don't forget to indicate who submitted the information.

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