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FACULTY AND STAFF NEWS

Welcome to our new Dental Librarian, **JACKIE MACDONALD**. Besides her regular office at the Kellogg Library, Upper Building, Jackie will have office hours in the Dental Building in Room 131 on Tuesday and Thursday from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Jackie graduated from Dalhousie's School of Library Service in 1981 and has worked as a reference librarian in the Health Sciences Library at the University of Saskatchewan since then. With her experience in the field of library profession and the use of computers in support of library tasks, she will be able to help students and faculty in their search for knowledge. All are encouraged to use this service.

We welcome the following new faculty to the Faculty of Dentistry:

DR. GARY JACKSON, full-time, Division of Community Dentistry. Dr. Jackson received his D.D.S. and Ph.D.P.H. from the University of Toronto. He comes to us from Sudbury - the northern capital of Ontario - where statistically there are more hours of sunlight per year than anywhere else in North America! Dr. Jackson will be assisting Dr. P. Blahut with Practice Management, Ethics, Public Health and Orientation to Dental Practice courses as well as lending a hand on the clinic floor. Dr. Jackson's office is Room 208, telephone 6416.

DR. JOHN STERRETT has joined the Department of Restorative Dentistry as full-time Assistant Professor in the Division of Periodontics. Dr. Sterrett received his D.D.S. from Tennessee in 1976 and his Certificate in Periodontics from Dalhousie in 1983. Dr. Sterrett can be found in Room 5209, telephone 467.

DR. CHRISTOPHER HAWKINS has joined the Department of Restorative Dentistry as a Lecturer in Periodontics. Dr. Hawkins received his D.D.S. from Dalhousie in 1968 and M.Sc. from George Washington University in 1979.

DR. BRIAN LATWAITES is a new part-time Lecturer in the Department of Oral Diagnosis and Oral Surgery. Dr. Latwaites received his M.Sc. from St. F.X. University in 1974 and graduated from Dalhousie in 1981 with his D.D.S.

DR. A.D. MORRISON has joined the Department of Oral Diagnosis and Oral Surgery as a part-time Lecturer. Dr. Morrison is a Dalhousie D.D.S. grad of 1982.

DR. G. BURK is returning to the Division of Operative Dentistry on a two day per week basis, following his two years of post-graduate Endodontic training at Tufts University. Dr. Burk will be teaching both preclinical and clinical Endodontics.

DR. D. HAAS will return to the Faculty of Dentistry after his D.D.S. graduation in 1983. He will be teaching in preclinical Operative Dentistry and Dental Anatomy and Occlusion as well as working in patient screening.

DR. W. MACINNIS has joined the Operative faculty on a full-time basis after being formerly associated with us on a part-time basis. Dr. MacInnis will be teaching both preclinically and clinically in Restorative Dentistry as well as working toward the development of a fourth year General Practice clinical program. Dr. MacInnis can be found in Room 5201, telephone 2247.

The Division of Dental Biomaterials Science is pleased to announce the appointment (part-time) of **DR. JAMES A. MINER** to their teaching and research staff. In addition to being involved in the research activity of the Division, Dr. Miner will be Lecturing on Dental Biomaterials Science to both first and second year students as well as to the first year dental hygiene class, and may participate in seminars given to the Periodontal post-graduate students. Dr. Miner studied electrical engineering at S.U.N.Y., Buffalo, obtained a B.Sc. in Chemistry and an M.Sc. degree in

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Chemistry and an M.Sc. degree in Biology from Acadia prior to graduating with a D.D.S. from Dalhousie.

DR. R. PENTZ, part-time Instructor in Operative Dentistry, has taken a leave of absence for the 1983-1984 academic year. We hope to see Dr. Pentz back with us next year.

Welcome to the following new Dental Assistants in the Clinic:

HEATHER MACDONALD
PATRICIA CORMIER
PAM KARRELL
BARBARA LYNCH

MR. ED REDMAN has joined the Faculty of Dentistry as Data Coordinator. Ed comes to us with a qualified background in teaching and computers and can be found in Room 2023, telephone 2103.

HELEN WALKER has joined the Department of Restorative Dentistry as full-time Clerk-typist.

TRACY TAYLOR has joined the Division of Instructional Resources - she's the friendly face at the counter!

PATRICIA EDGAR is the new Secretary in the Division of Oral Diagnosis - Welcome Pat!

MARY GERNAELEER joins the Division of Instructional Resources in the position of graphic artist.

The Faculty of Dentistry would like to welcome **MR. NORMAN KNAPMAN** in his position as Director of Dental Management Information Systems. Norm comes to us with 18 years experience in the computer industry including job assignments as a senior systems analyst, operations manager, programmer, EDP planning officer, and marketing manager. Norm is familiar with a variety of computer systems, both large and

small. He has spent the last year working on the remodeling of his permanent "home by the sea" in Guysborough County.

Norm and his wife are presently looking for a small, one bedroom apartment or self-contained bachelor unit, furnished or unfurnished, in the metro area. If you can assist, please contact him at 8866 or in Room 5121

MR. TERRY WALDEN has joined the Dental Clinic as Administrative Assistant. Mr. Walden has completed a Business Diploma in Accounting & Marketing at Sir Sandford Fleming Community College and a B.A. in English at Carleton University and comes to us with a broad range of business, accounting and personnel experience.

GOODBYE AND BEST WISHES TO:

CAROLYN JOHNSON has gone back to studying full-time to complete her Masters degree in Public Administration (Health Services Administration).

PAULA CHISHOLM has recently moved to Antigonish where she is working for Dr. R. Dunphy.

GOOD LUCK TO BOTH!

CHANGE IN POSITIONS . . . CONGRATULATIONS!

STEPHANIE BROWN is now Dental Assistant in the Oral Surgery Department.

MARY NAUGLER is now in Reception, Dental Clinic and **FAYE BROWN** is a Cashier in the Business Office.

CLAIRE HARRINGTON has joined the School of Dental Hygiene as Administrative Secretary.

BETTY MULROONEY has become Secretary to the Division of Pediatric Dentistry.

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THEY'VE MOVED . . .

JANICE HENNEBERRY is now to be found in Room 1253, Clinic Level 1.

Patient Assignment Clerk is now located in front of Dr. Mader's office. **CELE FRY** is filling in for **GERALDINE FOLEY**.

DENTAL ASSISTANT MOVES

Perio Grad is now located within the Grad Clinic, Level 1 and Ortho is now located within the Grad Clinic, Level 1. The same telephone numbers will reach them.

ILLNESS

DIANE BARRINGTON, Dental Clinic - hope you're well soon, Diane!

DR. ARCHIBALD is recovering very well from his recent surgery.

DR. O. SYKORA published an article in The Journal of Prosthetic Dentistry, Vol. 50, No. 2, August 1983, titled, "Fabrication of a Posterior Shade Guide for Removable Partial Dentures."

Congratulations and best wishes to **DR. MARLENE MADER AND CAPTAIN KARL GRAVITIS**, who were married on July 16, 1983.

The annual corn boil to kick-off the beginning of classes on September 9 was a huge success with 300+ in attendance. Next year we'd like to break the record and see 400 people - mark your social calendar now for September 7, 1984.

DR. DEREK JONES chaired a special meeting of the GDA Council on Dental Materials and Devices (May 27, 1983). The meeting was held to review and study the use of mercury and amalgam in dentistry. A position statement was prepared by the Committee and this has been forwarded to the GDA Journal for publication.

DR. DEREK JONES has been invited to participate in writing a position paper reviewing the recommendations made in the MRC Salter Report dealing with Dental Research.

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TRAVEL

DRS. E.L. SMITH, D.A. EISNER, AND G.M. JENSEN attended a Canadian Ortho Society meeting in Vancouver, B.C. in late September.

Dr. DEREK JONES attended the IADR meeting in Sydney, Australia and presented a paper:

"Rheology and Strength of Denture Soft Lining Materials." by D.W. Jones, E.J. Sutow, B.S. Graham, G.K. Opie and M.L. Briand.

In addition Dr. Jones paid a visit to the Dental School, University of Sydney and gave an invited presentation "Dental Ceramic Materials" to the faculty and graduate students. Visits were also made to the Dental Schools at Universities of Melbourne and Adelaide and the Australian Dental Standards Laboratory. Lectures were given in Melbourne by Dr. Jones to the Australian Dental Association, the Dental Study Club of Victoria and at the Australian Dental Standards Laboratory. Whilst in Melbourne Dr. and Mrs. Jones spent some time with former faculty member

DR. GORDON HINRICHSSEN. Gordon sends best wishes to all his friends and former colleagues at Dalhousie. **DR.**

MAX SULLIVAN of Melbourne, a Dalhousie D.D.S. also sends best wishes to all his friends. On the way home Dr. Jones spent a few days in San Francisco and visited the Dental School of the University of California.

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in Cambridge, Massachusetts at the forthcoming November 4 - 6, 1983 meeting of the Society of Arts and Sciences in America.

DR. DEREK W. JONES will lead the Canadian delegation attending the 17th meeting of the International Standards Organization (ISO/TC 106 Dentistry) to be held in Oiso, Japan, November 21-26, 1983.

As well as being Chairman of the Canadian Advisory Committee (CAC ISO/TC 106) and of the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) Technical Committee on Dentistry, Dr. Jones is also on the Secretariat of Working Group 1 of ISO/TC 106 which deals with all types of dental filling materials. This working group consists of members from 14 different countries and is divided into 9 different task groups.

The Japanese meeting involves numerous committees dealing with the development and drafting of new or improved international standards for dental materials and devices. In addition, Dr. Jones has been invited to visit the new Dental School in Hong Kong.

DR. D.A. MILES attended the Scientific Session and Business Meeting of the American Academy of Dental Radiology in Anaheim, California, September 26 to October 3. He presented a paper entitled "Accumulated X-ray Doses to Critical Organs of the Head and Neck from Dental Radiographs."

MS. B. GREGG attended the Canadian Dental Association/Canadian Dental Hygienist Association Convention in Vancouver, B.C., September 26-30, where she presented a Table Clinic entitled "Dental Erosion: Bulimia and the Vomiting Syndrome".

DR. BLAHUT presented "Dental Practice Management at Dalhousie" during the recent Canadian Dental Association meeting in Vancouver. Representatives from other schools discussed their practice management programmes. Dr. Blahut's notes from this meeting are available to interested individuals.

NEWS FROM CONTINUING EDUCATION

Dentistry's Anniversary '75 celebrations came to a close with a Continuing Education course and the Symposium at the end of September. The Alumni recognition dinner has been moved to the spring.

The Continuing Education course on Periodontal Treatment was well attended. Fifty hygienists and 44 dentists turned out to hear The Pattisons.

Upcoming in Continuing Education

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| October 21 & 22 | Chairside Ceramics
- Dr. R. Bannerman
- Dr. M. Roda
- Dr. V. Shaffner | Saint John |
| December 2 & 3 | Chairside Ceramics
- Dr. R. Bannerman
- Dr. M. Roda
- Dr. V. Shaffner | St. John's |
| December 2 & 3 | Interceptive/Functional Appliances
- Dr. W. Barro | Halifax |
| January 27 & 28 | Radiology
- Dr. D. Miles
- Dr. A. ElGeneidy
- Ms. Burglind Gregg
- Ms. Peggy Larder | Halifax |
| February 13 & 14 | Management of the Medically Compromised Patient in the General Office
- Dr. R. Brooke, Dean
University of Western Ontario
- Dr. K. Bentley, Dean
McGill University (with student table clinics) | Halifax |

MACCONNACHIE LECTURE

DR. RALPH PHILLIPS, M.S., D.Sc., F.A.C.D., F.I.C.D. gave the first I.J. MacConnachie Lecture on Thursday, September 29.

Dr. Phillips has been regarded as the leading authority on dental materials. The topic of the morning presentation was "The Interrelationship Between Materials Science and Dental Practice" and the afternoon presentation was entitled "Current and Future Developments in Dental Biomaterials Science". Both

presentations were followed by question and discussion sessions.



DR. RALPH PHILLIPS

REPORT
INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON DENTAL HARD TISSUE

September 30 and October 1, 1983

by

Derek W. Jones

Chairman, 75th Anniversary Symposium Committee
Chairman, Research Development Committee

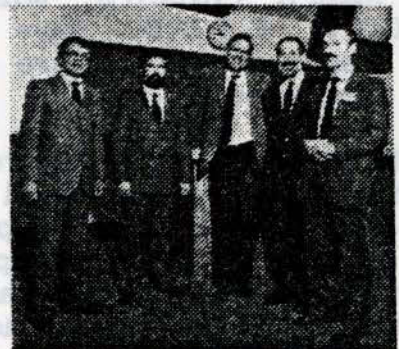
We made it! As Chairman of the Symposium Committee I should like to thank all faculty, graduate students and staff who helped to put together and organize the various aspects of the symposium which, I believe, was a resounding success. Those who attended were rewarded with some excellent presentations from our visiting speakers and wonderful discussion sessions following the papers.

It was indeed unfortunate that **DR. RALPH PHILLIPS** who gave us a wonderful presentation as the first H.J. MacConnachie Lecturer on Thursday the 29th September could not stay on to participate as planned in the symposium due to the ill health of his wife. We wish Mrs. Phillips a speedy recovery and hope that they may both be able to pay a visit to Dalhousie in the future. It was also unfortunate that **DR. LEON SILVERSTONE** was unable to participate as a speaker; his knowledge and experience along with that of Dr. Phillips were sadly missed. However, in spite of these setbacks, I believe we had an excellent meeting and it is possible that

the discussion would still be continuing if **DR. DENNIS SMITH**, Chairman of the closing session had not called a halt to the proceedings to allow Dean Bennett to make his closing remarks.

Another regret I have is that perhaps a greater number of our students and perhaps our faculty members (who could have set a good example) did not take time to attend. However, it is our intent to publish the proceedings which should enable those who, for one reason or another, missed this wonderful experience to read all about it. At least two faculty members have approached me following the meeting with the wish to participate in a research project prompted and stimulated by the symposium. In spite of all the problems the effort was well worthwhile.

Dean Bennett summed up the proceedings in thanking the organizing committee by stating that, in his opinion, the symposium was perhaps the most successful of our 75th Anniversary projects.



UNVEILING

The Dalhousie Dental Class of '71 donated a painting to the Faculty of Dentistry in memory of their classmate, **R. DAVID MANUEL.**

Dr. Bennett accepted this painting in an unveiling ceremony in the Faculty Lounge on the evening of Friday, September 30. A significant number of the Class of '71, as well as family members of Dr. Manuel, were among those in attendance. The painting, "Setting the Spinaker" by Jeanne Edmunds Hancock, now hangs in the

Faculty Lounge - but its permanent home in the Dental Building has not yet been determined.



STAFF BOWLING

The Alley Oops are back! So are the Alley Cats, and the Honeyballs! And more. Once again, in fine form and fashion (including Karen), Dentistry's bowling team has hit the floor in anticipation and earnest. The newly sanded and varnished alleys at Fairview's Colonial Lanes are guaranteed to present a challenge to those sure footed "souls" who will brave the slush and snow on Thursday evenings in the months to come.

The pressure is on, and the challenge is exciting. Trying to improve your core? Your health? Want to win big prizes and free giveaways? Or maybe you want to match odds against Gordie and come away hurting? Well, whatever the reason, all staff and faculty are welcome to participate in the fun and action.

The teams have been selected and regular bowling started September 10th. However, more regulars and novices are encouraged to join in the

fun and profit of Bowl-o-Dent '83. If you are interested, we start at 7:00 p.m. Thursday nights, and bowl three strings. Be there or be square!

Some of the interesting stats so far:

Gordie O.	153
Claire H.	157
Rob C.	171
Rob Z.	180
Brian	148
Lorna T.	157
Marg H.	172
Joey B.	139
Dave A.	149
Audrey	145
Gordie H.	185
Agnes	148
Donna M.	141
Mary C.	100
Joanne	150
David B.	145
Helen W.	139
Kathy P.	136
Mike	159
Karen H.	156

AWARD

CONGRATULATIONS to **SECOND**
LIEUTENANT ERIC B. MACMURDO,
fourth year dental student, who was
awarded the Third Phase Honor Candi-
date Trophy for his achievements dur-
ing summer training at the Canadian

Forces Dental Service School. This
award is presented annually to the
officer who achieves the highest stan-
dard of excellence in academic, profes-
sional and military endeavors during
summer training.



United Way

of Halifax-Dartmouth Metro Area

Dalhousie's United Way campaign began
with a "kick-off" event on October 17.
A luncheon, provided by Beaver Foods,
was held at 12:15 p.m. in the McInnes
Room, open to faculty and staff. Two
Pipers played at a flag raising ceremony

and the Student Union provided some
great entertainment. An information
booth is set up in the S.U.B. for those
who would like to know more about the
United Way and the Agencies it sup-
ports.

COMPUTER NEWS

The HP 3000 minicomputer system that
was acquired for Dentistry last June
has now completed its installation tests
and has come onstream, as they say.
The main effort this winter will be the
transfer of the CHIT entry system from
the Dalhousie computer to the HP 3000

but there is lots of opportunity for
individuals to learn about the system.
Those wishing to learn more or take the
introductory courses can contact Marg
Henry or Norman Knapman at 8866. A
regular newsletter concerning computing
in the Faculty will be introduced soon.

ANNUAL PRIZES CEREMONY

On Tuesday, September 6, the Faculty of Dentistry held its annual presentation of prizes ceremony.

GINA MURRANT was awarded the following prizes:

Faculty of Dentistry Scholarship for highest standing in first year.

The Charles Bell Memorial Prize for highest average in first year.

The Nova Scotia Dental Association Prize for greatest proficiency in first year Anatomy.

The Nova Scotia Dental Association Prize for greatest proficiency in Oral Histology and Embryology in first year.



SARA GORDON was awarded the following prizes:

The Faculty of Dentistry Scholarship for highest standing in second year.

The Charles Bell Memorial Prize for highest average in second year.

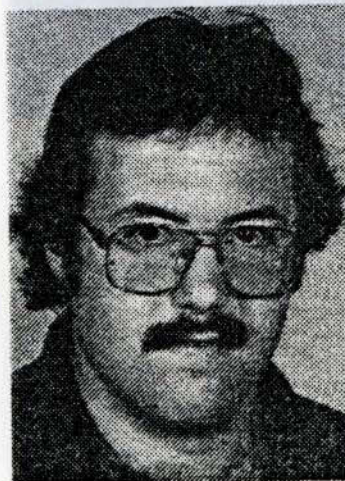
The C.V. Mosby Book Prize for greatest proficiency in second year Microbiology.

The Canadian Associated Laboratories Ltd. Prize for greatest proficiency in Removable Prosthodontics in second year.

The Quintessence Publishing Co. Prize for proficiency and interest in second year Preventive Dentistry.



ERIC BEATON was awarded the Dr. J. Stanley Bagnall Memorial Prize for the highest average in third year and the Halifax County Dental Society Table Clinic Prize for first place in the Table Clinic presentations.



ANNUAL PRIZES CEREMONY
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WILLIAM PRESSE was granted the following awards:

The Nova Scotia Dental Association Prize for second highest average in third year.

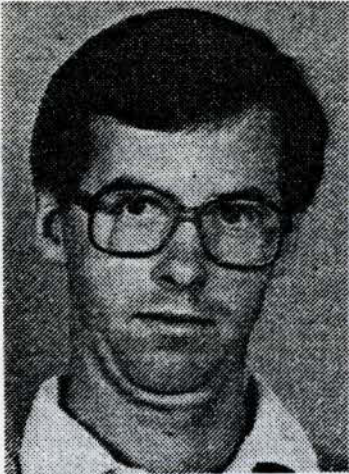
The Dr. W.H.H. Beckwith Prize for third Year Operative Dentistry.

The Canadian Academy of Periodontology Prize for third year Periodontics.

The W.B. Saunders Prize for most significant improvement in third year.

The Third Year Clinic Practice Prize for greatest proficiency in Clinical Practice in third year.

The Nova Scotia Dental Association Prize for greatest proficiency in Dental Auxiliary Utilization.



KATHERINE COOPER was granted the following awards:

Katie Lubetski Memorial Prize for highest average in first year Dental Hygiene.

The Nova Scotia Dental Association Prize for greatest proficiency in Oral Histology and Embryology in first year Dental Hygiene.

Entrance Scholarship to second year Dental Hygiene.



BARA GORDON was awarded the following prizes:

The Faculty of Dentistry Scholarship for highest standing in second year.

The Charles Bell Memorial Prize for highest average in second year.

The C.V. Mosby Book Prize for greatest proficiency in second year Microbiology.

CALENDAR IN REVIEW

October 20 - University Convocation

October 21 & 22 - Continuing Education, Chairside Ceramics, Saint John

October 31 - Halloween

November 11 - Remembrance Day

