

NEWS & EVENTS

Rochester Institute of Technology

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Dental Assistance Plan Added to Benefits

Full-time and extended part-time RIT employees and their dependents will be eligible to receive dental care under the Institute's benefits program, effective July 1. The dental assistance plan, available at no charge to the employee, will partially cover preventive, diagnostic, restorative, therapeutic and extended care.

Metropolitan Insurance Company will provide the Institute coverage and pay for 80 percent of all preventive and diagnostic care, such as examinations, X-rays, lab work, cleaning and polishing and emergency treatment, based on the company's established fee schedule.

Metropolitan will also pay for 50 percent of all restorative, therapeutic and extended care, such as fillings, crowns,

extractions, dentures, root canal work and orthodontics, again based on their fee schedule. There will be a \$25 deductible for single coverage and a \$50 deductible for family coverage on the restorative, therapeutic and orthodontic work. Metropolitan will pay up to \$750 for orthodontic work and a maximum of \$500 for all other covered procedures.

The plan will be administered by the personnel office, which will conduct a series of information meetings during the week of June 22. Meetings will be held Monday, June 22, at 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. in Ingle Auditorium and at 1:30, 3 and 4:30 p.m. in room 1510 of the Lyndon Baines Johnson Building at NTID. On Tuesday, the meetings will be

held at 9, 9:30 and 11 a.m. in room 1250 of the Chester F. Carlson Memorial Building and at 2 and 3:30 p.m. in the Delavan Theater at Eisenhower. On Wednesday, the meetings will be at 8:30 a.m. at 50 West Main St. and at 11 a.m., 1:30, 3 and 4:30 p.m. in Webb Auditorium. The Thursday meetings will be held at 8:30 a.m. in Building 99, at 10 and 11:30 a.m. in room 1510 of the Lyndon Baines Johnson Building and at 2 and 3:30 p.m. in Ingle Auditorium.

The implementation of the dental assistance program is a result of a faculty and staff survey that rated dental care as a high priority need.

Scott Appointed V.P. Finance and Administration

RIT has appointed H. Donald Scott as vice president for Finance and Administration.

Scott has served as assistant vice president for Finance and Administration and director of Business Services at RIT. He joined the Institute in 1977 and has been acting vice president for Finance and Administration since March 1981.

Prior to joining RIT, Scott served for three years as vice president for administration with Serv-Rite Corp., a food service and consulting firm. He was associate director of administrative services at the University of Rochester from 1969 to 1974 and held management positions with the University of Virginia and the University of Wisconsin at Stevens Point earlier in his career.

He holds a bachelor of arts degree from the University of Virginia and a bachelor of science degree (with honors) in hotel administration from Cornell University.



H. DONALD SCOTT

While at RIT Scott has served on the Student Life Committee, as an advisor for the student association and as a member of the planning committee for the 150th anniversary celebration. He is a member of the board of directors of Serv-Rite Corp. and has written a number of articles on food service negotiations, administration and measurement.

Part of Scott's responsibilities in the year ahead will include examination of the growth and size of the Institute.

President M. Richard Rose cited Scott's history of successful business management with RIT as a primary consideration in his selection. "In reviewing the many candidates for the position from throughout the country, Scott possesses both the management experience and demonstrated ability to help advance RIT to an even firmer regional and national base in the years ahead," commented Dr. Rose.



DR. MARK F. GULDIN

Guldin Named Acting Dean

Dr. Mark F. Guldin, director of the School of Printing, has been named acting dean of the College of Graphic Arts and Photography by Dr. Roy I. Satre, vice president for Academic Affairs.

Guldin will continue as director of the School of Printing while serving as acting dean. He has served as director of the School of Printing since 1971, when he was named acting director. He was named permanent director the following year.

Guldin was a production assistant with the Harrisburg (Pa.) *Telegraph Press* for three years and then became a technical editor for Ginn & Company in Boston from 1953 to 1960.

He has a bachelor's degree in printing from RIT. He has also earned a master's degree in printing management from South Dakota State University and a doctorate in mass communications from the University of Iowa.

Guldin was promoted to professor in 1970. At the time he was named acting director of the school, Guldin was staff chairman of the graduate printing programs.

Search Committee Begins Task

RIT is launching a nationwide search for a new dean of the College of Graphic Arts and Photography. A committee has been formed to recommend candidates to RIT's vice president for Academic Affairs.

Dr. Lothar K. Engelmann, dean of the college since 1969, has accepted a position as head of the Graphic Arts Division at RIT's Research Corporation effective July 1.

"What we're looking for," explains School of Printing faculty member Joseph L. Noga, "is a person with distinguished professional performance in higher education, business, industry or government with excellent administrative abilities, interpersonal skills and leadership abilities." Noga is heading the dean's search committee.

He adds, "We expect the future dean of the college to be comfortable both in academia and the business world and to provide leadership in the rapidly changing technical disciplines represented in the college. We also are looking for a person

who is supportive of RIT's tradition of career education and applied research and aware of the importance of the liberal arts."

Applications for the position will be accepted through September 30. After reviewing the resumes, the committee will screen several selected applicants before recommending three finalists to the academic vice president.

"We hope to complete the entire process before the end of the year," says Noga.

Also serving on the dean's search committee are Dr. Richard Zakia, Dr. Leslie Stroebel, Dr. Robert G. Hacker, Sven Ahrenkilde, John L. Kronenberg, Dr. Harvey Rhody, Norman A. Miles, and Ronald A. White and William J. Maxion, both representing RIT's Board of Trustees.

Further information about required qualifications for the dean's position can be obtained from Joseph L. Noga, College of Graphic Arts and Photography.

Ellingson Honored at Dinner

The School of Photographic Arts and Sciences formally said "thank you" to Dr. Mark Ellingson, first director of the school and former president of the Institute, at a recent dinner in his honor. Dr. Ellingson's wife Marcia was an honored guest at the event, which was also the culmination of activities celebrating the school's 50th anniversary.

Actually, Ellingson's relationship with the school extends beyond 50 years. When he was director of curriculum at the Rochester Athenaeum and Mechanics Institute, he realized that there was a need for a program in photographic technology.

Working with Eastman Kodak, he established the program, which was offered to students for the first time in the fall of 1930. Ellingson was director of the school until 1936, when he was named acting president of the Institute. He became president the following year.

After engineering RIT's move to the present campus, he retired as president, but has continued his association with the Institute.

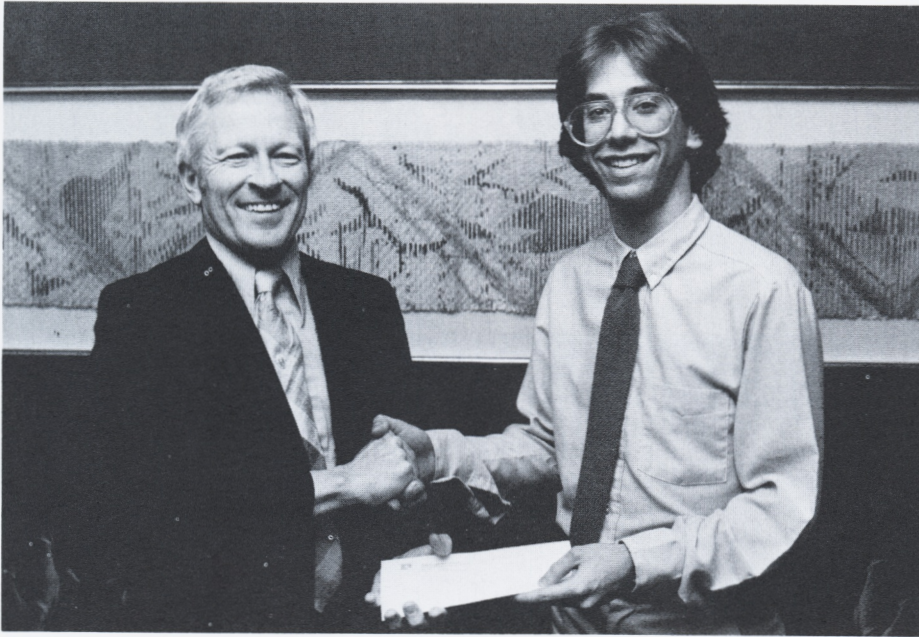
Stewart Comfort of Myrtle Beach, S.C., attended the dinner as a representa-

tive of the first graduating class from the school.

The dinner also marked a special occasion of another kind. June 5 was Ellingson's 77th birthday. Birthday cake was served for dessert.



MARK ELLINGSON



Steven Lovi (right) receives congratulations from Dr. William E. Castle.

Student Receives Frisina Award

Steven Lovi, a freshman majoring in social work at RIT, recently received the 1981 Dr. Robert Frisina award. Lovi, a deaf student, is cross-registered through NTID in the College of General Studies bachelor's degree program.

The Dr. Robert Frisina award is given annually to a deaf or hearing RIT student who has shown unusual interest and dedication to the furtherance of higher education for deaf people. The award recognizes student contributions to the development of NTID. Frisina, senior vice president, Institutional Advancement, was the first director of NTID.

"Steve takes on leadership roles, excels academically and acts as a true diplomat for the deaf community at RIT," said Dr. William E. Castle, vice president of RIT and director of NTID.

Lovi is a psychiatric social work volunteer at the Rochester Psychiatric Center and a student worker for the NTID Employment Information Center. His duties include helping deaf students to secure co-op employment and working with NTID professional staff on job search strategies for graduates.

Student Brunch Wins National First

More than 100 guests at the National Restaurant Association (NRA) convention in Chicago last month attended an award winning brunch developed by students in the School of Food, Hotel and Tourism Management. The meal received first place in a national competition sponsored by the R.T. French Co.

The students worked under the supervision of faculty member Carol Whitlock in developing the 13-course brunch based on an Americana theme. They developed the menu and recipes, prepared the meal, and sent photographs and a printed menu to R.T. French where they were judged by a panel of restaurant magazine editors and nationally known chefs. The other schools competing this year were Florida State, Purdue, California Polytechnic Institute and the University of Denver. RIT also won first place in last year's competition.

The competition required the use of R.T. French products in the recipes. The RIT students were presented with silver bowls by Robert T. Silkett, president and chief executive officer of the R.T. French Co. Each student received an all-expenses-paid trip to the convention in Chicago and will receive a \$750 scholarship.

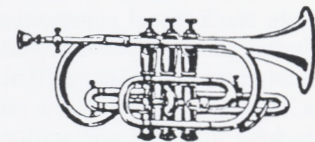
The students participating in the competition were Renee Alderson, Dale Caldwell, Paul DeMarco and Christopher Steubing.

RIT students also were presented with a silver award in the NRA Great Menu Awards Contest. Seven menus were submitted from the special evening meals managed by students in Alan Argulski's advanced foods class.

New Degree Offered In Interpreting

RIT will offer a new associate of applied science degree in interpreting for the hearing-impaired in September. The program will be administered through NTID.

In addition to interpreting, students will specialize in one of three major areas of study: ¾ tutor/notetaking, educational programs, or interdisciplinary study. The new AAS degree program will prepare graduates to be professional interpreters and provide other educational support services for deaf students in mainstreamed schools. It is the first NTID degree program to be offered to hearing students.



**ADVERTISING?
PLEASE REMEMBER...**

The Personnel Office reminds everyone that it's important to include the Institute equal opportunity-affirmative action statement in advertisements for employees and in materials recruiting students, etc. The statement reads as follows:

"RIT admits and hires men and women, veterans and disabled individuals of any race, color, national or ethnic origin, or marital status, in compliance with all appropriate legislation, including the Age Discrimination Act. The compliance officer is James Papero."

Career Ed Project Receives Grants

The Partners Project, a joint program of RIT's Career Education Division and the New York State Division for Youth, has received two grants that will fund the program through Dec. 31, 1981.

A \$10,000 grant from the Daisy Marquis Jones Foundation, will provide funds for operating the program throughout the summer. The New York State Division for Youth is awarding \$15,000 to operate the program from July 1 until Dec. 31.

Announcing the new grants, William W. DuBois, acting director of the Career Education Division, said, "Without the support of the Daisy Marquis Jones Foundation, we would not have been able to operate this program through the summer. We are pleased the foundation has recognized the Partners Project as a worthwhile function in the community."

DuBois also said, "The new funding from the Division for Youth will enable us to continue what has been an important project not only for Division for Youth youngsters, but RIT students as well."

The Partners Project involves student interns from RIT with small groups of youngsters in Division for Youth group homes or at the State School at Industry. The students teach visual communications, including photography and audio-visual presentations. They spend 10 hours a week each quarter they are in the project on teaching time and preparation.



Houseboat on Cayuga Available For Floating Seminars

Eisenhower College is offering residents and visitors an opportunity to take a cruise on Cayuga Lake and learn something about the unique ecological features of the area. The college is making its 37-foot fresh water research vessel available for floating seminars on the ecology of the Finger Lakes during July and August.

Various lake, wetlands or wildlife seminars will be offered by Gary Miller,

professor of environmental science at Eisenhower and a well-known local ecologist. Also featured will be cruises of Cayuga Lake, a cruise through the mudlocks on the north end of Cayuga Lake to Montezuma Wildlife Refuge, and a cruise through the Barge Canal from Cayuga Lake to Seneca Lake.

The vessel, an Alwest houseboat, has been newly refurbished. It has a capacity of 20, plus crew.

Groups are encouraged to take advantage of these floating seminars, according to Waterfront Manager Frank Widmer, and reservations should be made in advance. The participation of individuals is also possible at certain times. More information about scheduling and rates maybe obtained by calling Widmer at (315) 568-7171 or -7123.

SUNDAY MASSES

Sunday masses will be held at 9:30 a.m. in Ingle Auditorium during June, July and August. Additional masses will be held at noon on Tuesdays and Thursdays in Father Gerald Appleby's office on the mezzanine level of the College-Alumni Union.

Eisenhower Grad Earns Prized Award

Michael Cook, who graduated in May from Eisenhower College, was awarded a New York State Herbert H. Lehman Graduate Fellowship in the Social Sciences and Public and International Affairs. The awards are the most highly prized in the program of scholarship and awards presented each year by New York State.

The Lehman Fellowships were established by the legislature in 1966 in honor of the former governor of New York State. The competition is open to outstanding college graduates throughout the United States who plan to pursue graduate study in a college situated in New York State. Recipients of the award may receive up to \$19,000 for four years of

graduate study, beginning in September 1981.

Applications for New York State Herbert H. Lehman Fellowships were received from a total of 171 candidates. A special committee of senior graduate faculty from institutions in New York reviewed the qualifications of candidates. Awards were based on an evaluation of test scores, academic records and personal qualifications.

Cook graduated summa cum laude from Eisenhower and received two of the college's awards, the Nelson B. Delavan Award in Humanities and the New York State Huguenot Society Award in History.

MFA Photo Portfolio on Sale



This Jacqueline Gentile photograph is one of the selections in the MFA portfolio.

Representative works by MFA photography students and several photo faculty members are included in this year's MFA photography portfolio, offered for sale by class members. The 35 black-and-white and color photographs include conceptual photographs, nature studies and environmental portraits, each signed, numbered and matted for framing.

This year marks the ninth time the MFA photography students have reproduced representative works in a permanent collection. Last year's class published a book of its work, *A Moment of Vision*, and the seven classes before that did portfolios.

Janie Stevens coordinated the portfolio for her class with design assistance from Nelson Vigneault. Photographs from the portfolio will be on exhibit during the fall academic quarter in the MFA gallery.

Regular price of the portfolio is \$125, but for RIT students, faculty and staff, four of the portfolios are available for only \$95. Only 21 editions of the portfolio were produced for sale.

Purchase information can be obtained by writing to Janie Stevens in care of MFA photo on campus or by calling her at 244-8331.

CHARGE DEADLINE IN BOOKSTORE

The bookstore will be taking its annual physical inventory on June 26 and 27 and closing accounts for fiscal year 1981. The last day for accepting interdepartmental charges (bookstore charge authorization forms) will be June 26 at noon. Please note that the bookstore will close at noon on that day.

Schmitts, Students Honored by RIT

Eight international students were honored during 1980-81 with the second annual Kilian J. and Caroline F. Schmitt Scholarship for International Students.

The scholarship provides financial assistance to students from other countries enrolled at RIT.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmitt, natives of Germany, established the scholarship fund in 1979. Mr. Schmitt studied at Mechanics Institute in the '30s, and he and his wife are charter members of the Nathaniel Rochester Society. They, along with the scholarship winners, were honored at a recent luncheon.

The 1980-81 scholarship winners are: Jan-Erik Lundstrom, a second-year photo illustration student from Sweden; Helene deMatos, a 1981 graduate of the College of Continuing Education from Portugal; Michael Moreau, a fourth-year printing student from Canada; Julio Mendoza-Sanchez, a graduate student in the College of Fine and Applied Arts from Spain; Avigdor Gliksberg, a 1981 graduate of the College of Applied Science and Technology from Panama; Osita Obieke, a graduate student in the College of Applied Science and Technology from Nigeria; Michael Olugbile, a 1981 graduate of the College of Fine and Applied Arts from Nigeria; Mahin Sadrai, a graduate student in the College of Science from Iran; Shahin Monshipour, a graduate student in the College of Business from Iran, and Angelino Sandulo, a student in the College of Engineering from Angola.

In addition to the scholarship fund, Mr. and Mrs. Schmitt provided the funds for the international student map displayed in the lobby of the College-Alumni Union. Markers on the map, updated annually, show the countries represented by students on the RIT campus.



Present at the luncheon honoring Kilian J. and Caroline F. Schmitt and recipients of the scholarship they established are, left to right in the back row: Avigdor Gliksberg, Helene DeMatos, Mahin Sadrai, Jan-Erik Lundstrom and Michael Moreau. The Schmitts are in the front row. Absent from the photo are other scholarship winners Julio Mendoza-Sanchez, Osita Obieke, Shahin Monshipour and Angelino Sandulo.

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Dr. Preston Herring has been named director of Residence Life. Herring will assume his new post on July 1. He leaves his position as director of administration in the department of surgery at the University of Louisville School of Medicine. Herring holds a bachelor's degree from West Virginia Wesleyan College, a master's degree in education from the University of Vermont, and a Ph.D. from Michigan State University.

John Whitely has been promoted to director of Records and Institutional Research, in addition to continuing his duties as registrar. Whitely originally came to RIT as assistant to the registrar in 1971. He left in 1974 and returned in 1975 as registrar. He holds a bachelor of science degree from RIT and will complete his master's in business administration at RIT this year.

College of Applied Science and Technology Dean Dennis C. Nystrom has announced the appointment of **Wiley McKinzie** as associate dean in the college, effective July 1.

McKinzie is currently the associate director of the School of Computer Science and Technology and served as acting director of the school in 1979-80.

According to Nystrom, McKinzie will assume a number of responsibilities, including development and implementation of a computerized budget system, service on a broad array of college and Institute academic committees, assisting the dean with college-wide, long-range planning and support of new program ventures and liaison with a number of campus staff functions.

Ron Stappenbeck has been promoted to director of academic computing within the Information Systems and Computing group. He has been associated with RIT in the instructional computing area for more than 10 years.

Betty Glasenapp, administrative coordinator, Summer Session, CCE, gave a presentation at the National University Continuing Education Association (NUCEA) annual conference in Colorado Springs. The topic was "Women Managers as Continuing Education Professionals." Glasenapp was also invited by the William C. Brown Publishing Company to be part of a panel discussion at the same conference on how to publish continuing education textbooks. She is now chair-

person of NUCEA's Division of Women's Education and chair-elect to the Division of Information Services.

Glasenapp and **John Massey**, director of publications, Communications Dept., received for RIT three awards of merit for the 1980 summer session campaign, for the publications promoting "The Many Summers of RIT" and for TV and radio commercials.

President M. Richard Rose was one of a panel of five judges for the Academy for Educational Development that awarded certificates of achievement to 12 colleges and universities for noteworthy efforts in providing innovative and imaginative educational opportunities to handicapped persons. The academy, a non-profit, international planning and research organization, helps colleges and universities solve some of their long-range educational administrative and financial problems.

John S. Zdanowicz has been appointed as the new director of the School of Retailing by College of Business dean Walter F. McCanna. Zdanowicz takes over from Julian Yudelson, who is returning to full-time teaching in the school. Zdanowicz will continue as an associate professor of finance in the undergraduate and graduate programs. He has been a member of the College of Business faculty since 1974.

James C. Bingham has been appointed director of Food Service. A graduate of RIT, Bingham has been with the Institute for over 10 years.

Bruce Sodervick, Fine and Applied Arts, and **Zerbe Sodervick**, NTID, recently presented *His and Hers*, an exhibition of paintings at Shahin Requicha Gallery, 273 Alexander St. *His* is a selection of land-water "confrontations," and *Hers* of land forms. Bruce teaches drawing and painting, and Zerbe, who teaches drawing, also serves as liaison between NTID and the School for American Craftsmen.

There's an RIT connection to the World Book Encyclopedia's Science Yearbook for 1982. The connection is **Andrew Davidhazy**, associate professor in the School of Photographic Arts and Sciences. Davidhazy took photographs to illustrate an industrial use of high speed photography. Photographs and placement were arranged by RIT Communications. The article itself discusses

science photography with an emphasis on the work of Harold Edgerton, who appeared at the Impact of Excellence last spring on campus. Finding an industrial location for the photograph wasn't difficult. Davidhazy took his camera and flash to SAIS at RIT's City Center and photographed equipment there.

Gail L. Welch recently joined Audit Services as a staff auditor. She previously served as coordinator of Operation Services for CCE and recently earned her BS degree in business administration from CCE. She can be reached at 6557.

Ron Hilton, director of Research and Professional Development for the College of Continuing Education, received his Ph.D. in adult and continuing education from Syracuse University. His dissertation, "The Short Happy Life of a Learning Society: Adult Education in America 1930-1939," has been nominated for the Charters' Award at Syracuse University as well as a national award of the Adult Education Association USA, the Imogene Oakes Award.

At Gallaudet College's commencement, NTID Professor Emeritus **Loy Golladay** was awarded the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, honoris causa.

Cited was his record of over 45 years as "editor, poet, writer, and master teacher...a most successful exemplar of the humanities who has enriched the lives of so many with his facile pen and his service to deaf people."

Dr. Ronald Francis, professor of photographic science and instrumentation in the School of Photographic Arts and Sciences, received the Service Award of the Society of Photographic Scientists and Engineers at the 34th Annual Conference of the SPSE. The award was given in recognition of his outstanding work as advisor of the RIT student SPSE chapter.

Mary Patricia Spinelli has joined the Personnel Office staff as compensation analyst. She worked previously at the University of Rochester in the compensation section of the Personnel Department. Spinelli will assume responsibilities for general and hourly staff compensation administration and can be reached at 6964.

PROFILE

Others' Success Proves Forman Successful

"To see people succeed is my greatest satisfaction," says Jim Sears. Sears, building foreman for RIT's west campus, has a special way of helping people achieve success. He and Gene Herbert, building foreman for the east campus, currently work with 10 clients from local rehabilitation agencies as part of RIT's training program for disabled person.

Program clients are from the Association for Retarded Citizens (ARC), BOCES I and other agencies in the Rochester area, Sears explains. Under the supervision of Sears, Herbert and their crew leaders, the clients learn maintenance and janitorial work. Most important, however, is that they learn responsibility. "We teach them the importance of coming to work on time day after day after day and completing their assigned jobs," Sears says.

The training program involves more than just physical work. Participants also are taught daily living skills, from reading to the use of store coupons, through the Learning Development Center. The combination of the work experience and survival skills prepares them to enter the working world, Sears says. Although RIT provides a training ground, the function of the program is to prepare clients for work outside the Institute.

Sears is more than willing to give his all to help people, but, he says, they must be willing to help themselves. "I'll help them, but won't carry them. It's up to them whether they succeed or fail; all I give them is the chance to prove themselves."

In the case of the rehabilitation clients, success has been overwhelming. "All you have to do is see the look on their faces to know they feel better about themselves," Sears said. "They gain so much from the program that they all want to stay and learn more."

The program recently has been expanded to meet this desire. Now, although the clients may have technically completed their six months' training, they can continue with their skills study through the Learning Development Center.

Sears, who began working with the program as a crew leader on the west



JIM SEARS

campus in 1977, has worked hard to expand it. But he now worries that the program funding through the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA) may be cut back under the Reagan Administration. In an effort to save the program, Sears wrote a letter to Reagan, outlining the merits of the program and even suggesting it could be used as a role model for similar programs across the country. He hasn't received a reply from the White House as yet.

Sears was actively involved in many philanthropic projects during his 29 years in the army. He helped construct orphanages in Korea and Vietnam during his tours there, and was instrumental in designing and constructing a basketball court for wheelchair-bound patients at a rehabilitation hospital in Vietnam.

It was in a military capacity that Sears first came to RIT. He served as an ROTC supply sergeant from 1971 until his retirement from the army in 1975. From 1972 until 1975, he held down two full-time jobs, working as both a supply sergeant and a maintenance crew worker.

Sears's desire to help people must be infectious. His wife Marilyn is a full-time student at SUNY, Geneseo, study-

ing special education. His two children, Michael, 14 and Michelle, 11, have also expressed an interest in service-related careers, although, Sears admits, they are still a little young to know exactly what they want to do.

RIT, ARC and CETA have recognized Sears's work in numerous ways. He received the ARC Training Supervisor of the Year award in 1978 and the Supervisor Recognition Award from RIT, ARC and CETA in 1980.

But, Sears says, his greatest satisfaction still comes from the success of the people he helps train. His philosophy of life is reflected in a sign that hangs behind his desk: Good, Better, Best; Never Let It Rest! Until Your Good Is Better and Your Better Is Best!



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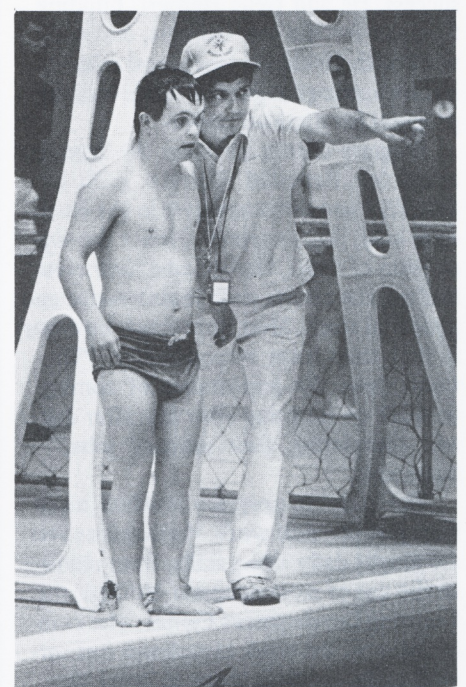
Postal Notes

The restrictions on mail service to Iran previously announced by the Postal Service have been lifted due to the new regulations of the Treasury Department Office of Foreign Assets Control. Effective immediately, mailings of merchandise to Iran by all individuals and firms will be accepted by the Postal Service.

There have been recent changes in the format for Business Reply Mail. When use of this service is anticipated as a response to a mailing, care should be taken to assure correct design of the return envelope or card. It **must** follow a pre-determined format. Mail Service will review and clear through the Postal Service, if necessary, any Business Reply piece you may wish to enclose in your mailing.

BEAUTY CONSULTANT TO GIVE LECTURE

The Personnel Department's staff training and development office has invited Lancome beauty consultant Sam Vaccaro to lecture and demonstrate the importance of skin and hair care, cosmetic application and wardrobe coordination for today's career woman. He will be on campus on Tuesday, June 23, from noon-1 p.m. in the 1829 room. If you are interested in attending this session please call Leslie Berkowitz at 6124.



One of the Special Olympics competitors at the recent Expo '81, hosted by RIT in recognition of the International Year of Disabled Persons, receives some last-minute pointers.



As part of the Learning Development Center's English to Speakers of Other Languages program, these international students are taking an intensive 10-week program in English. Pictured from left to right are: William Yidi, Colombia; Rhona Genzel, coordinator of the ESOL program; Wael Bizri, Lebanon; Roque Yidi, Colombia; Olga Calle, Colombia; Inmaculada Adames, Dominican Republic; Sandra Ciocci, Italy; Rika Horiuchi, Japan; and Jose Ruben Vargas, Mexico. Their training in English language skills includes reading, listening, pronunciation, writing, cultural awareness and study skills. Many of the students hope to enroll at RIT during the next year.

COMMITTEE SEEKS PARTICIPANTS

The Faculty Council's Committee on Rights and Governance will meet during the summer to continue discussion on, and refinement of, its proposal for modifying governance at RIT.

The committee invites participation by any interested individual. If interested, please contact the Faculty Council Office (2016) or Egon Stark (2489).