

NEWS & EVENTS

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Bruce Bates New Chairman of NRS

Bruce B. Bates calls it the best possible way to introduce people to RIT. Bates, recently named chairman of the Nathaniel Rochester Society, feels it was quite natural for him to get involved in NRS and to eventually accept a leadership role.

"NRS is a pleasurable, sociable way of involving people with the life of RIT and its educational benefits," said Bates who is succeeding Bud Rusitzky as chairman. "The \$500 membership is not inexpensive, but the contribution from NRS is an important part of total Institutional support."

"We feel we have made many important friends in the last two years in NRS," Rusitzky said. "Institute friends then become volunteers for significant Institute projects." Rusitzky stresses that NRS members also have made generous contributions to RIT's 150th Anniversary Campaign. "It's an embryo that grows," Rusitzky adds, "and Bruce Bates will bring important new ideas and leadership to NRS."

As part of the total NRS program, special functions are held on and off campus to acquaint members with the Institute's unique educational and non-educational facilities and progress.

NRS annually presents its award to recognize individuals who have contributed to the advancement of RIT in an outstanding and significant manner. Bates calls it one of Rochester's most prestigious awards.

Bates, vice president of E.F. Hutton & Company, Inc., graduated from Yale in 1953 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Industrial Administration and added a Master of Industrial Management degree from MIT in 1954. He worked with



NEW LEADERS


Bruce B. Bates (right), new chairman of the Nathaniel Rochester Society, with outgoing Chairman Harris H. Rusitzky (left) and Frederick G. Ray, president of Rochester Savings Bank and newly-named vice chairman of the Society.

Proctor & Gamble for one and a half years before coming to Rochester in 1955. A member of RIT's Board of Trustees since 1970, Bates serves on the following Board committees: Finance, Building and Grounds, and Nominating. He is a member of the Steering Committee for the 150th Anniversary Campaign.

His community involvement includes membership on the Advisory Board of Rochester Savings Bank and is treasurer of the Board of Directors at Rochester General Hospital. He is past chairman of the Monroe County Chapter of the

American Red Cross and past president of the Board of the Convalescent Hospital for Children, and is also a trustee of the International Museum of Photography at the George Eastman House. As well as being a former board member of the Community Chest, he is presently working on the Development Committee and the PEA division of the Chest.

His wife Nancy is also active in a variety of community affairs. His son Todd is a graduate of Connecticut College where his daughter Barbara is presently a student.



DATEBOOK

to Feb. 8—"Paper Matrix: Handmade Paperforms," by Jan Ruby. Wallace Library.
to Feb. 15—Watercolors by Librarian Ray Abell Faculty Center.

Feb. 8—Photo Product Demonstration. Presentation of Nikon line by representative Wesley Bacon, Jr. 2-4 p.m., 07-1541.

Feb. 8—Institute Forum. Albert Foer, Director of the Federal Trade Commission's Bureau of Competition, will discuss "Monopoly and Antitrust." 7:30 p.m., Ingle Aud.

Feb. 10-March 1—Bevier Gallery. "Young American," Fiber, Wood, Plastic, Leather. Open 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. Mon.-Thurs.; 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Fri.; 1-5 p.m., Sat.; 2-5 p.m., Sun.

Feb. 10—Lecture. "Systems Dynamics National Model," an address by MIT Professor Jay W. Forrester, Van Peurse Auditorium 08-1250, 8 p.m.

Feb. 11—Indian Movie. Noon-5 p.m., Ingle Auditorium, Contact Mr. Jeswani at 244-5520.

Feb. 12-16—Graphic Arts Research Center. Seminar on "Quality Control for Photographic Processing." Call x2758 for more info.

Feb. 13—Open Forum The "Academic Affairs Committee" of the Faculty Council of RIT is sponsoring an open forum on "Interdisciplinary Programs at RIT." 1-2 p.m., Bldg. 9, Rm 1030.

Feb. 14 & 15—Focus Four Management. 8 to 11 p.m., 12-1151. Contact Bev Garnett at 244-5520.

Feb. 15—Novels at Noon. *Tess of the D'Urbervilles*, Thomas Hardy. 12:10-12:50 p.m., Rm. 203, 50 W. Main.

Talisman Film Festival
(I)=Ingle Aud. (W)=Webb Aud.

The Nightcomers—Feb. 8, 7:30 & 10 \$1.50 (W)

American Graffiti—Feb. 9, 7:30 & 10 p.m. \$1.50 (I)

Five on a Treasure Island 5 & The Salvage Gang—Feb. 10, 2 p.m. \$.50 (I)

Saturday Night Fever—Feb. 10, 7:30 & 10 p.m. \$1.50 (I)

Rebel Without a Cause & The Hud—Feb. 11, 7:30 p.m. \$1.50 (I)

The Godfather—Feb. 15, 7:30 \$1.50 (I)

The Lacemaker—Feb. 16, 7:30 & 10 p.m. \$1.50 (I)

Five on a Treasure Island 6 & Once Upon a Time—Feb. 17, 2 p.m., \$.50 (I)

Madame Rosa—Feb. 17, 7:30 & 10 p.m., \$1.50 (I)

The Wonderful Crook & LeBonneur—Feb. 18 7:30 \$1.50 (I)



Credit Union Formed

During the fall quarter, approximately 25 percent of RIT's faculty and staff completed a questionnaire regarding the establishment of a credit union. Since the response was overwhelmingly positive, a group of faculty and staff applied for a charter to establish the *Rochester Institute of Technology Employees' Federal Credit Union*.

As of January 24, the application was approved. Operations will begin in the spring. The following persons have been

elected officers of the Board of Directors: Al Erskine, president; Paul VanNess, 1st vice president; Gene Hoff, 2nd vice president; Andrea Benshoff, treasurer; and Richard Marchand, secretary.

Also serving on the board are Jean Ingham and Walt DeRouen. Committees of the Credit Union are the Credit Committee (W. DeRouen, D. Crystal, P. Pitkin and M. DiQuilio) and the Supervisory Committee (J. Rosenstiel, L. Pocobello and B. Kerr).

Eisenhart Faculty Awards

Nominations of teachers for the Eisenhart Awards for Outstanding Teaching are now being solicited by the award selection committees. There are four selection committees seeking nominations for candidates from the following areas:

GROUP I — Engineering, Science, Institute College, Math Lab of the Learning Development Center, and ROTC.

GROUP II — Business, General Studies, Reading, Writing, and Study Faculty of the Learning Development Center, and Physical Education.

GROUP III — Fine and Applied Arts and Graphic Arts and Photography.

GROUP IV — NTID and Continuing Education.

Up to four awards are given each year. A recipient of the award must have demonstrated outstanding excellence in teaching not only in the classroom, but also through the constant and active involvement in enhancing and assisting RIT students. A recipient must have completed at least three years of teaching at RIT as of July of the year of the award and must be teaching during the year in which the award is made.

Last year's Outstanding Teachers were: Herbert J. Mossien, College of Business; R. Roger Remington, College of Fine and Applied Arts; Edward L. Scouten, NTID; and Jasper E. Shealy, College of Engineering.

BALLOT

I am a student faculty administrator alumni

I nominate _____ of _____
(name) (school/dept.)

I have attended or observed him/her in these courses:

Give your name and phone number if you wish to be contacted by the selection committee.

Additional nomination forms and collection boxes are located in each College, the Student Association Office, the NTID Front Reception Desk, the Library Circulation Desk, and the College Union Information Desk.

DEADLINE

Nominations must be placed in a collection box or delivered to the Faculty Council Office (01-2106) by February 16, 1979.

New Show at Bevier

A major crafts exhibition will open in Bevier Gallery Feb. 10.

"Young Americans: Fiber/Wood/Plastic/Leather" is touring nationally under the auspices of The American Federation of Arts. It includes the work of 85 craftsmen in fiber, wood, plastic, and leather. The exhibition typifies the new professional talent of young Americans between 18 and 30 years of age. The criteria for selection were inventiveness, creativity, skill and workmanship in relation to the materials and concept.

"The most important thing to look for is the craftsmen's respect for his material," said Wendell Castle, a prominent wood craftsman and member of the selection committee for the exhibit. Also on the selection committee were Paul Smith, director of the Museum of Contemporary Crafts and Mary Jane Leland, professor at California State University and an authority on textiles.

Works in the show range from a boldly patterned velvet and wool quilt to an S-curved jewelry cabinet of maple, rosewood and brass. The diversity and variety of the pieces give a broad overview of what is currently happening in craft activity, conveying the energy and creative vitality in the growing craft movement.

Lisa Hammel of The New York Times described the exhibition as "a handsome and eye-opening show...it is clear from this show, young American craftsmen have come of age."

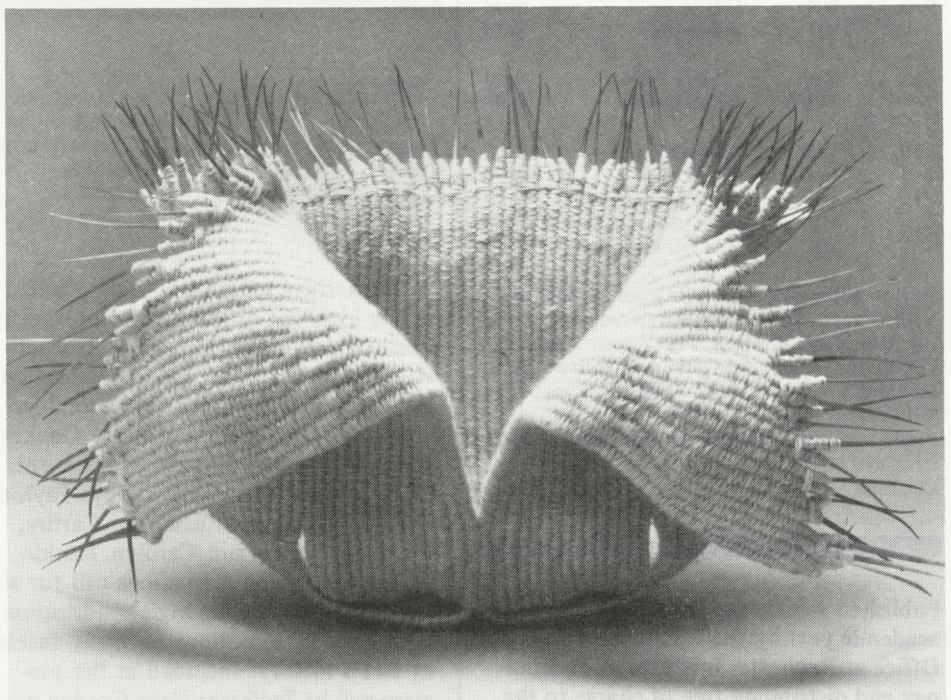
John Paul Dodd, a part-time faculty member at RIT, as well as several RIT alumni are represented in the exhibition. The alumni include Marjorie Beth Rose, Howard Werner, Matthew Witkop, George Berry, Mitchell Azoff and Steven Hill.

"Young Americans: Fiber/Wood/Plastic/Leather" is supported by grants from the National Endowment for the Arts, Hanes Corporation, the James G. Hanes Memorial Fund, and the Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation. The exhibition was organized by the Museum of Contemporary Crafts of The American Crafts Council.

The show will run through March 1. Gallery hours are: Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.; Friday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturday, 1 to 5 p.m. and Sunday, 2 to 5 p.m. daily, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Ash Rocking Stool, by William Hammersley



Winged form Sculpture, by David Richard Castleberry



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SPORTS Calendar

Feb. 8	VBB	ST. JOHN FISHER	8:00
	JVBB	ST. JOHN FISHER	6:00
	WB	ACUI's at Ithaca	9:00
	MB	ACUI's at Ithaca	9:00
Feb. 9	WB	ACUI's at Ithaca	9:00
	MB	ACUI's at Ithaca	9:00
	JVH	at MCC	7:00
Feb. 10	VH	at Lehigh	4:30
	JVH	at U of R	8:00
	VBB	BUFFALO	8:00
	JVBB	VILLA MARIA	6:00
	WB	ACUI's at Ithaca	9:00
	MB	ACUI's at Ithaca	9:00
	IT	*ICACs at RPI	2:00
	MS	RIT, UR at Brockport	1:00
	VW	*ICACs at Clarkson	10:00
	FNC	at Buffalo	2:00
Feb. 11	WH	ITHACA	8:00
	VH	at Lehigh	4:30
Feb. 13	VBB	HAMILTON	8:00
	JVBB	HAMILTON	6:00
Feb. 14	VH	HOBART	8:15
	JVH	CANISIUS	6:00
	WB	at Cornell	3:30
	MB	at Cornell	3:30
	MS	FREDONIA	7:00

Key to abbreviations: WH=Women's Hockey; VBB=Varsity Basketball; WB=Women's Bowling; MB=Men's Bowling; VW=Varsity Wrestling; IT=Indoor Track; WS=Women's Swimming; MS=Men's Swimming; FNC=Fencing; VH=Varsity Hockey; JVBB=JV Basketball.
*Indicates ICAC contest. HOME games shown in capital letters.
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Faculty Forum Is Scheduled

The Academic Affairs Committee of the Faculty Council of RIT is sponsoring an open forum on "Interdisciplinary Programs at RIT."

Some aspects of this rather complex issue to be discussed are: Need (if any) for such programs, Preservation of quality, Implementation and Accreditation, Students' expectations, Matching with RIT emphasis on career oriented education programs, etc.

The forum is scheduled for Mon. Feb. 12 at noon, in Room 1250 of the College of Science Building (08). All faculty, staff and students are invited. For further information, contact Dr. Hrishi Banerjee, College of Science, x2536 or the Faculty Council Office x2016. Bring your lunch, coffee will be provided.



Celebrating
One Hundred
Fifty Years
of Commitment
to Quality
Careers

An Archive program is being planned as one highlight of the 150th Anniversary Celebration October 20, 1979. The activity is part of a major 150th Celebration Weekend that includes Homecoming.

Gladys Greenfield and Betty Gocker are serving as coordinators of the event. Their committee includes Gladys Taylor, Evelyn Brandon, Russell McCarthy, Florence Holley and Carolyn Rankin.

Early planning discussions call for a one-hour program in Ingle Auditorium with brief presentations on many facets of RIT's history. Included in the program will be Professor Dane Gordon who is in the process of completing a book on the history of RIT.

First Class



Lomb Luncheons

Menus for noon luncheons in the Henry Lomb Room during Winter Quarter have been announced for the following week as follows:

Feb. 8 – Mild knockwurst with spicy brown mustard, hot German potato salad and mixed vegetables; *or* vegetable beef soup and an assortment of meats and cheese on a Kaiser roll.

Dessert: Moist gingerbread topped with whipped cream.

Feb. 9 – Beef burgandy served over tender egg noodles, Mexican corn and a crisp tossed salad; *or* tomato soup and a shredded turkey sandwich on rye bread.

Dessert: Fruit cup Ambrosia with homestyle butter cookies.

Feb. 13 – Country style fried chicken, baked beans, cold slaw, Parkerhouse rolls; *or* tomato soup and a tuna salad sandwich on brown bread.

Dessert: Strawberry shortcake with whipped cream.

Feb. 14 – Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, glazed carrots and a hot buttered biscuit; *or* Swiss potato supreme and a hot turkey divan sandwich.

Dessert: Silver white cake.

Feb. 15 – Cubes of broiled beef, fluffy rice with a creamy white sauce, crisp lettuce salad topped with Feta cheese; *or* chicken broth with noodles and Pitta bread filled with sliced lamb topped with lettuce and tomatoes.

Dessert: Date nut torte.

Feb. 16 – Swedish meatballs over buttered egg noodles, mixed vegetables and a homestyle biscuit; *or* cream of tomato and rice soup and a hot pastrami on rye.

Dessert: Crumb coated bananas with carmel sauce.

Cost of luncheons is \$2.25. For reservations call x 2351.