

# NEWS & EVENTS

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## Scholarship Fun(d) Night

The second annual RIT athletic scholarship Fun(d) Night will be held Saturday, December 16 in the RIT gym. The evening will feature a triple-header basketball card with the RIT faculty vs. staff at 5:30 p.m., NTID All-Stars vs. "Greek" All-Stars at 6:30, and the RIT-University of Rochester varsity encounter at 8.

Music will be provided by members of the RIT Jazz Ensemble, and door prizes, including a portable TV set, will be given away during the course of the evening. Prizes have been donated by various RIT departments, individuals and friends of the Institute.

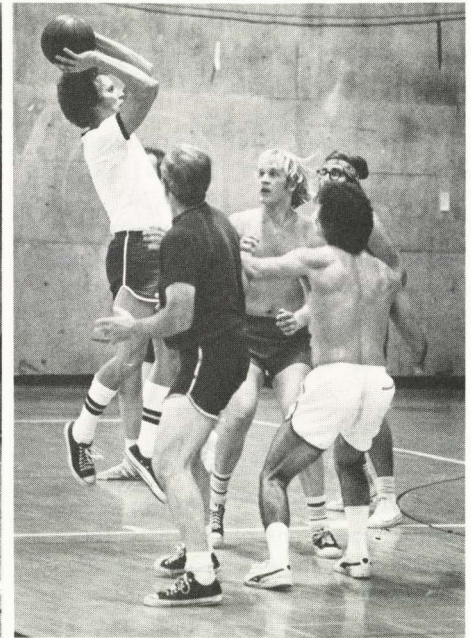
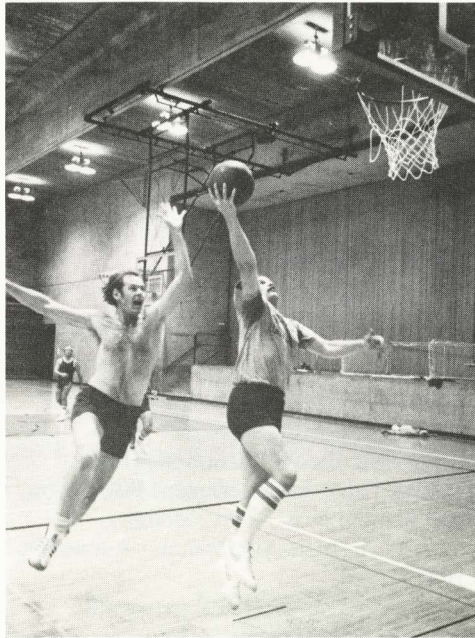
Some of the prizes and their donors include the following:

Admiral TV, CB radio and digital clock-radio, "Friends of the Institute;" one pair of figure skates, RIT Sport Shop; an evening of bowling for four persons, Union Recreation Center; a basketball, RIT Athletic Department; two gourmet dinners during Winter Quarter, Food Administration Department.

To aid in the cause, time is being donated by game officials, players, ticket-sellers, scorers and timers and poster-makers.

The event originated a year ago as a result of the interest of a group of faculty and staff who play basketball in the gym on lunch hour. This group, known as the "Noon Hour Warriors," has formed a close relationship with the athletic department. They wished to help the department by using basketball as a means to raise money for the support of scholar-athletes.

This nucleus sparked the enthusiasm of other groups both on and off campus and planning the event has resulted in a true community effort. Alumni, students, faculty, staff and outside businesses all have combined resources and shared responsibilities in organizing the evening.



NOON-HOUR WARRIORS

Support materials have been donated so that all proceeds will go directly to the support of scholar-athletes.

The initial Fun(d) Night last year raised \$1,025, and the Faculty-Staff

Planning Committee is shooting for a \$2,000 goal this year. This amount would pay for four \$500 scholarships—the equivalent of the income from a \$40,000 endowment for the same purpose.

The scholarships are awarded through a campus-wide effort to assist scholar-athletes. They go to currently enrolled people, and the recipients are chosen on the basis of both financial need and athletic ability. Names of deserving students will be submitted to a faculty-staff committee for consideration.

The planning committee hopes for a capacity crowd. Ticket Chairman Ev Merritt says that so far the campus has responded enthusiastically to the event. Tickets are \$1 and are available in the College-Alumni Union, Personnel, Athletic Department and the NTID Box Office.

### RECEPTION SET TO FETE MILLERS

Members of the RIT Community are invited to attend a reception for Dr. Paul and Dr. Francena Miller on Tuesday, December 19, 1978, from 3 to 5 p.m. in the Clark Dining Room.

This will be an opportunity for all to join in expressing best wishes to the Millers as they begin their new work.



# DATEBOOK

to Dec. 1—"People & Places II" by Prof. Douglas Lyttle, SPAS. Faculty Center, Library.

to Dec. 18—Bevier Gallery. Mary Frank: "Works on Paper" and "Mental Picture III, Portraits as Illustration." 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.

Nov. 28-Dec. 1—Graphic Arts Research Center. "Color Seminar for Pressmen." for info. call x2758.

Nov. 30—Focus Four Management Seminar. 8 a.m.-5 p.m., 12-1141. Contact Bev Garnett at 244-5520.

Dec. 7—Photo Product Demonstration. Presentation of Bell & Howell & Mamiya. Special big negative slide show and demo. 2-4 p.m., 07-1541.

## 'A Visit to China'

"A Visit to China," featuring photographic impressions of a trip to the People's Republic of China, is the title of a gallery show that will run from Dec. 8 to Jan. 6 in the NTID Gallery.

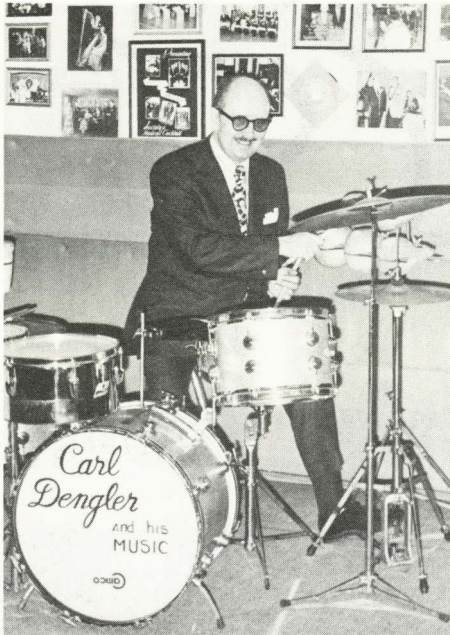
The more than 60 black and white and color photographs in the exhibit were taken by Lothar and Gudrun Engelmann. Dr. Engelmann, dean of the College of Graphic Arts and Photography, and his wife were members of an RIT delegation that visited China in January 1978.

Artifacts from China also will be included in the exhibit.



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### HOLIDAY MUSIC-MAKER

Carl J. Dengler and his "Big-Band Sound" will be playing tunes of today and yesterday to satisfy everyone's musical appetite at RIT's annual Holiday Party starting at 8:30 p.m. on Dec. 15 in the College-Alumni Union.

## Institute Forum

William A. Rusher, publisher of *National Review*, will be the next guest for RIT's Institute Forum.

He will discuss "Economic Goals: Laissez Faire vs. Government Regulation and Planning" at 7 p.m., Monday, Dec. 11, in Ingle Auditorium. Admission is \$1.

Rusher is a writer, TV personality, publisher and lecturer who has become known throughout the country as a spokesman for the conservative viewpoint on such public issues as foreign affairs, domestic politics, Constitutional law and internal security.

## Dobranski Dies

Michael "Bucky" Dobranski, until recently photo supervisor with Instructional Media Services, died as a result of injuries received in an automobile accident in Gales Ferry, Conn. on Friday, November 17, 1978. Mr. Dobranski, 30, had been employed by the Institute since 1973 and had received a B.S. in A-V Communications from RIT. Funeral services were held November 20 in Gales Ferry.

Mr. Dobranski is survived by his wife, Juanne; parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dobranski of Gales Ferry, Conn., and a sister, Mrs. Nancy Schleicher of Damariscotta, Maine.

## Gifts Policy

In anticipation of the holiday season, the RIT community is reminded of the Institute policy regarding gifts and gratuities.

William Batcheller, director of Purchasing, remarked that "a number of our vendors, acting in good faith, feel the necessity to offer various favors in celebration of the holiday season. We insist that RIT employees conduct their association with individuals outside the Institute with the highest degree of personal integrity."

The Institute policy as published in the "Purchasing Policy and Procedures Manual" reads:

The acceptance of gifts by RIT employees from any of its suppliers is against Institute policy. However, this policy is not intended to eliminate entirely ethical and traditional business-related functions such as business lunches, nor does it preclude the giving of token, personal mementos of nominal value.

If in doubt as to the possible propriety of any such exchange or activity, it should be rejected as contrary to our policy. In making this judgment, the ultimate criterion must not be whether the exchange or activity would influence an RIT employee in any way, but rather what appearance or construction might be placed on this action by a critical third party.

## GRANTS DEADLINES

*Please note: GUIDELINES FOR ALL PROGRAMS ARE ON HAND OR HAVE BEEN REQUESTED.* Please call the Grants Office for additional information, 50 West Main Street, 475-2388.

December 29—*Model Programs for School Aged Handicapped Children*. The purpose of the awards is to develop and conduct model programs designed to meet the special educational needs of handicapped children.

December 15—*Consumer's Education Program*. The purpose of this program is to increase the capacity of organizations and institutions which educate consumers to prepare people for intelligent participation in the marketplace and in the economic system. Priority is given to applications which are designed to serve as models which build an organization's long-range capacity to provide consumer's education. 55 or 60 awards are anticipated at an average total of \$45,000 per year.

December 22—*Public Service Education Program*. This program issues awards to institutions of higher education to develop training programs by providing fellowship, and in some instances, institutional grants, for graduate or professional study for persons who plan to pursue a career in public service. Forty institutional grants at an average award of \$25,000 are anticipated. Three hundred new fellowships are available for individual students to apply for.



### MORE THAN BEAUTIFUL GLASS

Annual Holiday Sale by students of RIT's School for American Craftsmen will offer ceramics, wooden objects, weaving, textiles, jewelry and metalcrafts. This year's sale has been coordinated by Holly Jones (pictured) a master's degree candidate in ceramics in the school.



### DADA ART

Traveling dadaist "art s Style" created a multi-media sculpture around MFA department chairman Dr. Richard Zakia last week. Billed as a "Homage to Image City," the event consisted of making instant (Polaroid) images of the subject, enlarging them, making copies which were hand-colored and then attaching them to Zakia. Why? "Photography should be fun," Zakia says. "We shouldn't take ourselves so seriously."

## SAC Sets Holiday Sale

Students in the School for American Craftsmen have planned their Annual Holiday Sale for Dec. 10, 11, and 12.

The work of more than 50 craftspeople will be displayed in RIT's College-Alumni Union. Freshmen through graduate students will sell handblown glass, weaving and textiles, wooden objects, ceramics, jewelry and metalcrafts. There will be handcrafted bowls, casseroles, wine goblets, scarves, garments, vases, mugs, pillows, trivets, small sculpture, wooden boxes, bracelets, necklaces, rings and earrings among other things.

This year's sale is coordinated by Holly Jones, a ceramics student from Barnstable, Massachusetts, who is working on a master of fine arts degree in the school.

The sale will be open each day from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

## Alford Quits Dean's Post

On November 16, Dean Harold Alford of the College of Continuing Education announced that he will step aside from the deanship of CCE effective June 30, 1979 to accept a new opportunity with CCE and RIT.

Dr. Alford will be appointed professor of Continuing Education and director of the Frederick H. Minett Project. This innovative project will have several elements. Primary will be the development of studies and working papers dealing with the role of continuing education in higher education, specifically in communities like RIT's with business and industry contacts. The intent of this study and research will be to give some kind of shape to what continuing education ought to be through the 80s in an environment like RIT's. The project will host at least one major seminar a year for outstanding people in the field of continuing education, and will also investigate international aspects of continuing education.

In addition to directing the Minett Project, Dr. Alford will remain editor-in-chief of *Continuum*, and, as professor of Continuing Education, will continue to teach and develop the communications curriculum for the School for Applied Industrial Studies.



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# SPORTS

**P**lenty of tournament action, both home and away, will highlight the week-end for RIT teams.

## Basketball

Coach Bill Carey's basketball team opens the season at the Binghamton Invitational slated Friday and Saturday. The Tigers are matched against Brooklyn College in the opening round Friday at 6:30. Host Binghamton goes against Medgar Evers at 8:30. Consolation and championship contests take place Saturday at 6:30 and 8:30.

The Tigers feature a young squad with only one senior. Returning to pace the cagers are Bruce Sage, Howie Wurster, Dave Grundtisch, Jim Cole, Tim Giarrusso, Jeff Golterman and Woody Hudson. As a freshman last year, Sage was the team's playmaker, averaging 9.9 points. The speedy guard made the Lincoln First All-Tournament team and was a key factor in the Tigers winning their second straight crown.

Wurster, newly elected captain, is top defensive player. He is out to improve on his 6.7 average and is termed an excellent outside shooter. He led RIT at the foul line last year, connecting on 82 percent. Grundtisch, at forward, gained much experience in his frosh campaign. He is a strong rebounder with scoring potential. Cole, lone senior, is out to increase his 4.5 points and 4.8 rebounds of a year ago. Giarrusso played briefly at guard last season after a banner year with the JV squad, averaging 13 points. Golterman and Hudson missed last campaign and must take up the slack left with the loss of Stan Purdie, RIT's leader last year. Both the returnees will see action underneath.

Carey points to a talented group of newcomers to turn around a 10-12 record last year. Joining the scene are Luther Nicholas, Jim Donovan, Mike Beedy and

Bill Hollenbeck. Nicholas was a starter the past two years at Broome Community College. Carey considers his guard potentially one of the best in the league and a superb partner for Sage.

Freshman Donovan brings size and excellent credentials to RIT. He was All-State at St. Francis High (Athol Springs), averaging 21 points and 14 rebounds. Beedy sat out last year but shows good high school background as a forward or underneath. Hollenbeck comes from the JV ranks where he averaged 10.4 points last year.

The Tigers face a tough 26-game schedule. Goals include a winning season, repeating in the Lincoln First Tournament and topping University of Rochester.

## Sports Calendar

Fri. 12/1	VBB at Binghamton Inv.	
	RIT vs. Brooklyn	6:30
	Evers vs. Binghamton	8:30
	VW RIT INVITATIONAL	1:00
Sat. 12/2	VH RIT TOURNAMENT	
	HOBART VS. LEHIGH	6:00
	RAMAPO VS. RIT	8:30
	VW RIT INVITATIONAL	1:00
	VBB at Binghamton Inv.	
	Consolation Game	6:30
	Championship Game	8:30
	WB at MCC Invitational	1:00
	MB at MCC Invitational	1:00
	F Indiv. Open at Eisenhower	8:00
Sun. 12/3	VH RIT TOURNAMENT	
	CONSOLATION GAME	6:00
	CHAMPIONSHIP GAME	8:30
Tue. 12/5	MS CORTLAND	4:00
Wed. 12/6	VBB at Nazareth	8:00

Key to abbreviations: VBB=Varsity Basketball; VW=Varsity Wrestling; VH=Varsity Hockey; WB=Women's Bowling; MB=Men's Bowling; F=Fencing; MS=Men's Swimming.

First home game is slated Tuesday, Dec. 12 against Brockport at 8 p.m.

## Wrestling

RIT hosts the 13th annual wrestling invitational Friday and Saturday in the George H. Clark Memorial Gymnasium. A field of 16 teams will vie for top honors.

University of Buffalo returns in defense of its title and will be challenged by such powers as Brockport, Colgate, Notre Dame, Ohio State and Cortland. Other teams competing include: Baldwin-Wallace, Oswego, Potsdam, U of R, Clarkson, Ithaca, St. John Fisher, Miami of Ohio and host RIT.

Preliminary competition starts Friday at 1 p.m. Saturday's competition is scheduled to start at 1 p.m., with finals late in the afternoon.

## Hockey

With a 2-3 record, the Tiger icemen host the RIT Hockey Invitational Saturday and Sunday in the Frank Ritter Memorial Arena. In the opening round Hobart faces Lehigh at 6 p.m. The Tigers play Ramapo at 8:30. Both games are scheduled Saturday. In Sunday's competition the consolation game begins at 6 p.m., with the championship to follow.

## Men's Swimming

The varsity team opens its season Tuesday, Dec. 5, hosting Cortland in the Edith Woodward Memorial Pool at 4 p.m. Packing the young finmen are co-captains Mark Mayhew and Dennis Connolly. Mayhew, who can swim any event, will concentrate on the middle distance. Connolly handles one and three-meter diving.

The Tigers posted an 8-4 dual meet record last year and 4-1 mark in the Independent College Athletic Conference (ICAC). In the Upper New York State Championships RIT had to settle for sixth place.