Upcoming

Memorial Service
A memorial service for former Pacific Professor Walter C. “Mike” Wagner (November 10, 1917 — July 25, 2004) will be held at Morris Chapel today at 11:00 am. Family, friends and colleagues are invited. No flowers please. Memorials in tribute to Mike's career as an educator may be made to the Walter C. Wagner Fund at Pacific.

Golf Tournament
The Second Annual Pacific Pharmacy Scholarship Golf Tournament will tee off September 10, 2004 at The Reserve at Spanos Park in Stockton. This year's event includes a driving clinic featuring 2002 National Long Drive Champion Patrick Dempsey, a putting clinic with David Musty of Musty Putters, a multitude of contests and prizes, and some special surprises. All proceeds from this event will go toward a scholarship fund for Pharmacy students. To sign up or for more information, call Sherry McGee-Casey at x63116 today!

Pacific Family Fun Day
It's time for Pacific Family Fun Day! The Staff Advisory Council is invites all Pacific faculty, staff and their families to attend "Festival of Fun: Celebrating the Pacific Community" on Saturday, September 11, 2004 from 11:30 am to 3:00 pm on Hand Hall Lawn. We'll have great food, raffle prizes and lots of games. RSVP to Deborah Burdick at dburdick@pacific.edu.

Pacific Welcomes Biggest & Brightest Freshman Class in History

When classes began on Monday, August 23, Pacific welcomed the largest freshman class in its 153-year history. The 885 new freshmen were selected from 5,256 applicants, and have an average high school GPA of 3.45 and an average SAT score of 1172, the highest averages in recent history.

“Pacific has experienced the largest growth in freshman applications among similar California universities over the last three years,” says President DeRosa. “With returning students and this large freshmen class we anticipate a total undergraduate enrollment of 3,450 students on the Stockton campus, which is 3.6 percent more than was projected in the April 2002 enrollment plan approved by the Board of Regents,” DeRosa said.

Some factors that contribute to Pacific's appeal are top quality academic programs, personalized learning and interaction with faculty, competitive financial aid packages, and an enhanced residential campus experience.

“While higher education in California has been facing ongoing challenges, Pacific continues to achieve its admissions goals each year while enhancing its selectivity. Plus about 83 percent of our incoming freshmen will receive Pacific financial support,” said Tom Rajala, associate provost for enrollment.

Welcome Weekend 2004

This year's freshmen class was welcomed to campus with a weekend full of activities designed to make them feel at home and become acquainted with the Pacific Community. The weekend's events included a campus-wide volunteer project in downtown Stockton, a barbecue and New Student Convocation. At the conclusion of Convocation the new class was greeted by cheers and applause from alumni, faculty, staff and current students. Thanks to everyone who help make Pacific's newest tradition a success.
2004-2005 Founders Scholarship

This Fall, 11 new Founders Scholars arrived on campus to join the seven Scholars who comprised last year's inaugural group. The Founders Scholars are selected from a group of highly qualified applicants who were nominated for the award by their high schools. An established record of leadership in their schools and communities is a prerequisite for nomination. Five of this year's Scholars are from California, two are from Hawaii, and one each comes from Washington, Nevada, Pennsylvania, and Oregon. They were selected from a group of nominees who had an average high school grade point average of 3.89 and an average SAT composite of 1410.

Professors Greg Rohlf and Gesine Gerhardt serve as faculty mentors to this highly accomplished group of students. They ensure that the Founders Scholars have opportunities to continue to develop their leadership skills along with their intellectual abilities. In September, Professors Rolf and Gerhardt will accompany the Scholars to a performance of the Stockton Symphony. In October, they will see the film “Goodbye Lennon” at the Pacific Theater and discuss it in a subsequent meeting. In addition, the Scholars are invited into their mentors' home and they meet together informally on campus. Each Founders Scholar is awarded a $15,000 scholarship which is renewable for up to three additional years of undergraduate study.

This year's Founders Scholars are: Melissa Brennan, Santa Rosa, CA, International Relations; Max Chan, Seattle, WA, International and Regional Relations; Christopher Cincotta, Torrance, CA, Business Administration; Martin Jennings-Teats, Carson City, NV, Environmental Studies; Daniel Kim, Haverton, PA, Pre-Dentistry; Neema Mehr kadavandi, Simi Valley, CA, Pre-Dentistry; Mark Phillippe, Hillsboro, OR, Exploratory; Erin Rees, Lancaster, CA, Pre-Pharmacy; Sarah Reilly, El Dorado Hills, CA, Diversified; Beth Yamashiro, Hilo HI, Pre-Dentistry; and Justin Yoshida, Honolulu, HI, Pre-Pharmacy.

noteworthy...

Dr. Paul H. Gross (professor emeritus) and Drs. Andreas H. Franz and Vyacheslav V. Samoshin, Chemistry, published an invited book chapter with the title "Synthetic Approaches to Small Cluster Oligosaccharide Mimetics." The chapter was published by Transworld Research Network, India, in Recent Research Developments in Organic Chemistry.

Pacific's Physical Therapy program was ranked third among the 14 accredited programs in California by U.S. News and World Report, and was also one of just six in California to be included in the rankings. Pacific was tied for 52nd nationally. More than 200 schools offer accredited Physical Therapy programs in the nation, but U.S. News and World Report included just 100 Physical Therapy programs in its rankings.

Speech-Language Pathology chair Simaler Smith-Stubblefield reports that this year's graduating class of 23 master's degree students all passed their board exams.

Bill Herrin, Economics, and John Knight, ESB, had their manuscript, “Price Cutting Behavior in Residential Markets” accepted for publication in the Journal of Housing Economics, published by the Academic Press.

Eugene F. Pearson was elected to be a Fellow of the Geological Society of America (GSA) by the GSA Council this spring. He was cited for his 30 years of innovative and award-winning teaching, as well as his participation and leadership in the Far Western Section of the National Association of Geoscience Teachers. Pearson was also cited for his service and outreach to K-12 science teachers and his outstanding work at Pacific.

Professor Lucien J. Dhooge received three research awards at the Academy of Legal Studies’ annual national conference. He received the Distinguished Proceedings Paper Award for his manuscript entitled “Transnational Enterprises, Torts and the Law of Nations: ATCA Jurisprudence and Judicial Restraint.” His paper entitled “Identifying Stakeholder Interests in Foreign Direct Investment” received the Indiana University Center for International Business Education and Research Award for best case study. He also received the Ralph Hoeber Award for outstanding pedagogic research for his manuscript entitled “Incorporating Human Rights Education into the Business Law Classroom.”

Professor Cynthia Wagner Weick, ESB, has received a Best Reviewer Award in the Technology and Innovation Management Division of the Academy of Management.

Professor John Nagle, BSE, chaired the Board of Examiners Team that conducted an Initial NCATE Accreditation Review of all professional education programs at the University of Rochester, including music education programs in the Eastman School of Music.

Gary Miller, Dean of COP, Elizabeth Rindskopp, Dean of Pacific/McGeorge, and Sarah Redfield, Visiting Professor of Law, represented the University's K-20 Initiative with Sacramento High School and made several presentations at the Eleventh Annual Education Law Conference.

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Pacific School of Dentistry Renamed

In a gala celebration on Saturday, August 28, Pacific honored Dean Arthur A. Dugoni for his contributions not only to Pacific, but to the dental industry by naming the dental school after him, making Pacific the only university in the United States or Canada to name a school after a current Dean. From now on, Pacific's Dental School will be called The Arthur A. Dugoni School of Dentistry.
U.S. News and World Report Rankings

Pacific has again been ranked among the top half of the nation’s doctoral degree-granting universities in U.S. News and World Report’s annual guide to America’s best colleges. For the fourth year in a row, the magazine has named Pacific one of the 50 best values in its class.

Pacific shares 111th place on the list of 248 schools with University of San Francisco, Catholic University of America, Florida State University, Loyola University Chicago, and University of Utah. Pacific is one of the smallest universities to be ranked this high in a category dominated by large research institutions.

In the best values list, Pacific is among the handful of California institutions, including California Institute of Technology, Stanford University, the University of Southern California, Pepperdine University and the University of California Berkeley.

To determine which schools offer the best value, U.S. News considers the ratio of quality to price, percentage of all undergraduates receiving grants meeting financial need, and the average discount rate.

“Pacific is pleased to be consistently recognized for offering a high-quality education which is accessible to students of all economic backgrounds,” said President DeRosa. “However, it’s necessary to be cautious about interpreting these rankings, because they rely in part on subjective measures and do not consider all factors that reflect true academic distinctiveness.”

Pacific/McGeorge on National Public Radio

Pacific/McGeorge is telling its story nationwide through an underwriting campaign on National Public Radio. The daily ‘promo spots’ will reach more than 20 million listeners and will air on NPR programs Morning Edition, All Things Considered, and other national broadcasts. The spots are part of the law school’s celebration of its 80th Anniversary and can be heard locally on KUOP, KQED and KXJZ, now through mid-October.

Bank of America Sponsors Welcome Week

This year Bank of America partnered with Pacific to sponsor Welcome Week, and gave every new student a Pacific t-shirt. As part of its sponsorship, Bank of America became a corporate patron, committing scholarship support to Pacific’s Annual Fund. Pacific is proud to count Bank of America among its many corporate partners supporting student activities and scholarships in the 2004-2005 academic year.

Left to Right: Denise Van Airsdale, Vice President of the Lincoln Village Banking Center in Stockton; Terri Seely, Vice President, Group Banking, San Francisco; Paul Lanning, Pacific’s Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations; Randall Mendoza, Senior Vice President and Market Executive for Middle Market Banking; and Lynette Fletcher, Vice President, Commercial Banking for the North Central Valley.

2004-2005 Staff Advisory Council Meeting Schedule

All staff are welcome to attend Staff Advisory Council Meetings.

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Music Beyond Performance: SoundImageSound II

Music Beyond Performance celebrates its third season in a performance on Friday, September 17, 2004, at 7:30 pm in the Conservatory Recital Hall. Nine pieces from artists around the world will be performed. These works are created through technology and can only be experienced in a unique performance setting. The works require no performers and blend sound and visual images using multiple screens and multi-channel audio.
Housing
Roommate Wanted: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage. $550/month, mature female preferred. Call Michelle at 209.570.3834 for more information.


Room for Rent: 1 bedroom, fully furnished, full bathroom. Includes all utilities and washer/dryer unit. Located off I-5 and Downing, 10 minutes from school. Newer home, very nice neighborhood in the Westin Ranch area, non smoking, $400/month. Call Myra at home 209.983.8520 or 408.597.3133.

2 Rooms for Rent: Both rooms furnished, full house privileges, indoor laundry, 4.7 miles from Pacific, quiet, safe residential neighborhood. $425 refundable deposit on each room. $450/month and $425. Call Barb at 209.464.7275 or 209.601.4025.

Room for Rent: One bedroom in lovely spacious house near Pacific. New carpet, lots of closet space, fenced backyard. $375/month, plus shared cost of utilities. 2525 Beverly Place, Stockton. Call 209.271.4293.

House for Rent: 2 bedroom, 1 bath in Oxford Circle just blocks from Pacific. Remodeled kitchen and bath, hardwood floors. Refrigerator, washer and dryer all included. Gardener, water and garbage all included. $1100/month. Call 209.946.2374 or send e-mail to mroberts1@pacific.edu.

Items for Sale

Electric Organ: Hammond A-100 (similar to B-3) electric organ complete with foot pedals and bench. $600. Call Marilyn at 209.477.1719.

Piano: Wurlitzer upright piano, second owner, very good condition, about 25 years old. $850 or best offer. Call Linda at 209.946.2116 or 209.952.8231.


Furniture: Black melamine queen-size platform bed with underbed drawer and 2 nightstands (each with 2 shelves and one drawer). Headboard is a shelf. Serta mattress included. $375 for the set. Email Allison at afredema@pacific.edu.

Movie Screen: 4 foot wide movie screen with tripod stand. All in one. $25. Call Maria at 209.467.1439.

Red Chair: Red metal folding chair, good condition. $10. Call Maria at 209.467.1439.

Flower Girl Dresses: Beaded and tulle flower girl dresses, worn once, sized 4 and 6. $40 each. Pictures available. E-mail Margaret at mroberts1@pacific.edu.

Pasta and Dough Maker: Takka pasta and dough machine never taken from the box sells for $200, yours for $50. Complete with all pieces and in perfect condition. E-mail Margaret at mroberts1@pacific.edu.

Star Trek Collectible Tankard: This 25th Anniversary Pewter Tankard reads “To Boldly Go Where No Man Has Gone Before,” one panel with the faces of Captain Kirk, Dr. Spock and Dr. McCoy, two panels with the Star Ship Enterprise. Made of fine, lead-free pewter, good condition with a few minor scratches. Original paperwork not available. $75. E-mail Margaret at mroberts1@pacific.edu.

Various Items: 1 crib/toddler bed and mattress with 3 sheets $100. 1 brown rattan chair $40. 1 high chair $5. 1 pair of stereo speakers $10. Call 209.946.2738 or 209.466.6989 evenings.

Wedding Dress: Dry cleaned and boxed, includes veil. Photos available. $800. Call 209.946.2738 or 209.466.6989 evenings.

Futon: Full size wood frame futon with 2 pillows. $125. E-mail dcarrell@pacific.edu.

IKEA Platform Bed & Table: Queen size IKEA platform bed with rattan head and footboards. $200. IKEA light wood coffee table $15. Call Debbie at 209.946.2224.

Big Bertha: Callaway Golf Big Bertha Hawk Eye VFT, Titanium Pro series 8.5 degree driver with Tourstiff shaft. $75. Call Debbie at 209.946.2224.

Washer and Dryer: Four year old Whirlpool washer and dryer, excellent condition, $100 for the pair. Call Suzanne at 209.465.0925.

Never Used Model Kits: Skill level 2 or above, age 10 and over. 1934 Ford 5 window coupe, 1966 Olds 442 W30, 1953 Ford F-100 pick-up, Bill Elliott Dodge Intrepid R/T (NASCAR). All supplies included, you provide paint and glue. $25 for the set or $.99 each. Contact Beverly at 209.825.0458 or b_james@pacific.edu.

Free Items

Free Kittens: 2 month old female calico kitten who is litter box trained needs a home. Call Ronda at 209.946.2206.


Cars and Motorcycles

Jeep Wrangler: 1994: Soft top, 4WD, green, AC, 120K miles. $5,000. Contact x63275.

Harley Davidson FXSTC 1999: 18K miles. Motor was rebuilt at 16K. True 6 gallon gas tanks, after market sheet metal and paint job, 60 count fat spoke rims, 21” front, 18” rear. Raked front end, chub handle bars, Andrews cam, Crane ignition system, Keith Black 10:5 hi compression pistons/rings, K&N hi flow air filter/cover. $18,500 or best offer. Call Ryan at 209.777.0380.

Event

Fund Raiser for Big Brothers Big Sisters: Wine on the Waterfront featuring premiere wineries and microbreweries. Saturday, September 11, 6 to 9 pm. 445 West Weber Avenue, Stockton. $45 at the door. Book of 6 tickets-$225. Must be 21 or older. For more info www.wineontheWaterfront.net or 209.464.7644.