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## March Happenings

**Saturday 1st** -- UAD Board of Directors meet at 9:00 am in the Conference Room #1 at the Utah Community Center for the Deaf.

**Saturday 1st** -- The Hearing Impaired Verification (HIV) Program will be open from 9:00 to 12:00 noon for those who want to have new cards made up. Check at Conference Room #2 at the Center for the Deaf. Contact Everett Gustin at 975-1103 or Kenneth Merrill, 295-2856.

**Tuesday 4th** -- A coupon class will be repeated due to popular demand, this time at 7:00 pm. Shirley Snow will teach the class at the Center for the Deaf.

**Wednesday 5th** -- Cake decorating will be taught by Carol Weening at the monthly food class held at the Center for the Deaf. The class will continue for all Wednesdays in March --5, 12, 19 and 26. Class is from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. There will be a minimal charge for materials.

**Friday 7th** -- Salt Lake Frat members meet at 6:45 pm for its monthly meeting at the Center for the Deaf; John Lowell will be in charge of refreshments for the social.

**Friday-Saturday 7th-8th** --A workshop on interpreting for deaf/blind persons will be given jointly by the Utah Division of Rehabilitation Services and the Helen Keller National Center. Methods of interpreting, information on assistive devices, and other related topics will be covered at the two day workshop. Call Lisa Adams at 533-5997 for more information, especially on location and times; also to register. The number of participants is limited, so call now.

**Saturday 8th** -- Ogden Frat members meet at about 11:00 am at the Ben Lomond Lanes, after a morning session of bowling which begins at 9:00 am.

**Saturday 8th** -- Valley LDS Ward for the Deaf volleyball tournament at Park Stake in Salt Lake City.

**Saturday 8th -- After School Survival** is a class being given to children 9 years and older, from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. Both hearing and deaf children are welcome. An instructor from the University of Utah will teach protection, amusement and simple food preparation to children who go home from school when there is no adult at home. There is a \$3.00 per child charge. Parents who stay to wait for their children can watch a movie.

**Tuesday 11th** -- The Center for the Deaf is offering a **Color Analysis** class, taught by Pat Kinas, free of charge. This class teaches the basics of color and how to coordinate colors in one's wardrobe. It will be from 7:00 to 9:00 pm.

**Saturday 15th** -- A golf clinic will be held by Wasatch Golf Association of the Deaf. Contact Jerry Deu at 399-3645.

**Saturday 15th -- Sanderson Night**, to honor Dr. Robert Sanderson, will be held at the Center for the Deaf, beginning at 7:00 pm. Tickets are being sold at \$1.00 per person to defray the cost of refreshments.

**Tuesday 18th** -- A free seminar on Drug & Alcohol will be given by Dr. Gary Jorgensen at the Center for the Deaf, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm.

**Thursday 20th** -- A lecture on **Rape Crisis** will be given at the Center for the Deaf, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm. A film will be shown. A person from the Salt Lake Rape Crisis Center will give the lecture, which is free.

**Friday 21st** -- Senior citizens are invited to attend **Dancing Man** at a special matinee performance given by the Children's Dance Theatre at the Capitol Theatre. Forty Seats at no charge have been reserved by the Center for the Deaf; the performance begins at 10:00 am. Afterwards, go to the Center for the Deaf for lunch. If you need a van ride, give Ann Thatcher a call at 596-0208. Please call Beth Ann Campbell or Patricia Morrison at 533-5997 and let them know you are attending the dance performance and lunch.

**Saturday 22nd** -- Utah Association for the Deaf will present two one-act plays, with members of the Board of Directors and Trustees taking part. The program takes place at the Center for the Deaf, at 7:30 pm; tickets are available from board members and from the UAD business office for \$2.00 per person. See advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

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**Saturday 29th** -- Utah Athletic Club of the Deaf will host a bowling tourney and party.

**COMING UP:** The Center for the Deaf will have its spring fundraiser on Saturday, April 26 -- remember the "Cruise" last year? Circle April 26 and make plans to attend! More details in the next issue.

## Summary of Board Minutes

**January 4, 1986 at the Utah Community Center for the Deaf.** Present: R. Sanderson, N. Sausedo, C. Sparr, G. Laramie, R. Cochran, G. Gavros, R. Walker and R. Simonsen. Excused: D. Platt, Absent: R. DeSpain, R. Welsh. Visitors numbered ten.

R. Cochran chaired the meeting. R. Walker was appointed temporary secretary.

Minutes of December 5, 1985 meeting were approved with corrections.

Robert DeSpain's letter of resignation from the office of secretary and the Board of Directors was read and accepted. Reid Simonsen's letter of resignation from the Board of Directors was also read and accepted. Reid was excused from the meeting.

Rodney Walker was nominated as temporary secretary for the time being until a replacement is found.

Peter Green and David Mortensen were nominated as candidates to fill the two vacancies. Upon their acceptance they will be sworn in at the next meeting.

Nancy O'Brien presented a report on the Women's Organization. The monies are to be retained for it.

No report could be given for the MDU Carnival.

A report given by the interpreter panel (Dora Laramie, Roy Cochran, Lucy Greenwood, David Mortensen) indicated that three candidates applied for the job of full time UAD interpreter. Mae Varley was named for the position.

Celia May Baldwin reported that the March 22 event would have two one-act plays, with all board members assigned to take part in the two plays. Practice times will be set up for February 1.

Information on the victim's right to interpreter service as contained in Kirk Walker's letter of resignation was overlooked; a copy will be sent with the February meeting agenda.

David Mortensen was named as interpreter director, while George Gavros was chosen as van director.

Discussion took place as to van renovation. Roy Cochran is to check on having the work done in Ogden and report back to the board.

Roy Cochran notified the board that Ronald Hanks, a member of the Institutional Council, has resigned, effective in March. Supt. George Howell would like a deaf person from the deaf community fill this vacancy. Roy Cochran was nominated for this position; he accepted it.

The UAD general fund budget is to be developed by the treasurer.

Rodney W. Walker  
Acting Secretary

## Pictures for the Bulletin

In cooperation with the Photo Lab at the Utah Community Center for the Deaf, the UAD Bulletin will include pictures of interest in its future issues. If you have a good picture that has a story, please contact Valerie Platt, editor, at 295-8245 (TTY only) or 533-5997 (T/V). This will give Photo Lab students an opportunity to practice what they have learned.

## Know About Mountain Bell Discount for TTY/TDD Users?

Mountain Bell for the last few years has given a 50% discount on all long distance calls made within Utah to deaf and hearing impaired customers who rely on a TTY/TDD for their mode of communication. Also, AT&T gives a discount, ranging from 65% to 35%, depending on the time and day the call is made.

If you do not know about this service, and would like to take advantage of it, call Mountain Bell on their toll free line, 1-800-825-6028 and talk with one of their staff members. They will give more information about how to qualify for the discounts.

## Senior Citizens -- Do You Have Your Silver Savers' Passport?

Southwestern Bell Media publishes Silver Pages, which is a senior citizen's discount directory listing merchants who give discount to those having a Silver Savers' Passport card. For those living on a limited income, it helps stretch your dollars. Those over 60 years of age qualify.

Application forms are available at any First Security Bank, American Savings, United Savings & Loan Association and at AT&T Phone Center Stores from Ogden to Provo. Also check with Ann Thatcher, at Northwest Community Center -- 596-0208.

## Prize Money Available for Bowlers and Golfers

The National Fraternal Society of the Deaf will provide prize money for bowlers and golfers who are Frat members at the time.

Golfers, male or female, can win \$1,000 for a "hole in one" made during any 18 hole or more tournament.

Bowlers, male or female, can win \$1,000 for bowling a perfect (300) game in any WIBC or ABC sanctioned tournament, or \$300 for bowling a perfect (300) game in a sanctioned league game.

The feat must occur in 1986 or 1987, and the prize money is available to Frat members in good standing. Forms for verification are available from the Home Office. The sole purpose of this promotion is to enhance excitement among present membership and to encourage others to join Frat. Tell your friends about this.

## Dates Set for Gallaudet Tours

Gallaudet College has set exact dates for three upcoming tours. The first one, Britain and Europe, is set for June 22 to July 13, and costs \$2,095 from New York City. The second one, London and Seven European Countries, is June 27 to July 13, and costs \$1,695 from New York. In the other direction, the China/Japan/Hong Kong tour is set for June 28 to July 13, and costs \$2,795 from Seattle.

For more information, write to Alumni Tours, Alumni House, Gallaudet College, Washington, DC 20002 -- or call their toll free number, 1-800-672-6720. All tours will have interpreters. The UAD Business Office also has information on the tours.

## TTY Jottings

Good news! The new 1986 TTY directory will be ready for sale on or about March 1. At the time we went to press with the Bulletin, the work on advertisements, paste-up and readying for the printer was about to be completed.

Prices of the new directory is \$3.00 for mailed copies, \$2.50 if bought in person. Copies will be available from the UAD Business Office, and from various sales agents: Valerie Platt and Janet Barker in Ogden, Donna Lee Westberg in SLC and Barbara Aldridge in Vernal.

Those who sent their money to have a copy mailed will receive their copy right away. Mail order is handled through the UAD Business Office only -- send \$3.00 for each copy desired, and address your envelope to the Utah Association for the Deaf, c/o TTY Directory, 388 N. 400 E., Bountiful, UT 84010-4725.

## Travels Here 'N' There

Marvin Merrill visited his family for two weeks at the end of January. He is stationed at USS Vinson in Oakland with the US Marines, and was promoted to lance corporal on February 2.

## Gallaudet College Accepts Hearing Undergraduates

Gallaudet College has opened its undergraduate college to a limited number of hearing students. This is the first time in the history of Gallaudet College that hearing undergraduates have been admitted.

Applications are being taken from students who are in their second year of college and who will begin their junior year in the fall of 1986. Students who are already juniors will also be accepted.

Students who are interested in working with deaf persons in a professional capacity will be accepted. For more information about the new program, contact Gallaudet College, Office of Marketing/Recruitment, 800 Florida Ave, NE, Washington, DC 20002 -- phone 1-202-651-5070. The UAD Business Office also has information on this program.

## Making Your Long Distance Choice?

Many of you are being asked to choose your long distance phone company. You may wish to remember that although some long distance phone companies offer lower rates, AT&T offers discount to hearing impaired customers who TTY/TDD as their mode of communication.

Quality of transmission also counts heavily when calling by TTY/TDD, and you will want to be sure that the long distance phone company you choose will give high quality transmission.

## News of Note

Ron Burdett, son of Kenneth & Priscilla Burdett, Ogden, and a former Utahn, made his TV debut in a 60 second spot on the problems of special population. This gave publicity to the deaf program at Ohlone College in Fremont, CA, where he is a teacher of computer science, supervisor for the Center for the Hearing Impaired, and a consultant for Ohlone College.

Called to serve on the Valley LDS Ward for the Deaf Elders' Quorum were Neal Farnworth, president; Steve Ryan, first counselor; and Greg Rathbun, second counselor. Released were Robert Bonnell, president; Robert Gillespie, first counselor; and Coleman Cornell, second counselor.

Larry Payne, a nightside composing room printer at Newspaper Agency Corporation in Salt Lake City, was chosen Employee of the Year for the period June 1985 to January 1986. He received \$100.00, a free day and a free dinner for this honor. He has worked at NAC since 1970.

The Salt Lake Frats honored Dorothy Young as Frater of the Year, for her work in preparing food during the year. Her willingness to be of help during the time when the National Fraternal Society of the Deaf board of directors were here last May counted heavily in the selection of Dorothy for this honor.

## To a Greater Glory

**January 15** -- Kenneth Shoemaker, 57, of Salt Lake City, died. His mother, Myrtle Shoemaker, had passed away recently.

**January 24** -- Jennie Allred, 87, of Lindon, passed away. She was the mother of Kirk Allred, Kearns, and a sister of Olive Stanley, Ogden. Following funeral service in Lindon, interment took place in Pleasant Grove.

**February 7** -- David Wilding, of Rexburg, ID, passed away. George Wilding, Roy, and Jerry Wilding, Gooding, ID are two of his sons.

## Rattles 'n' Powder

**January 22** -- Mark Wayne, son of Dee & Wayne Millar and a grandson of Beverly Nunn, all of Sun Valley, CA.

**January 27** -- Amber Marie, daughter of Wendy & Scott Newton, Roy.

## Hospital Rounds

**January 14** -- Brenda Ford, Orem, was in Holy Cross Hospital in SLC to have a lump removed from one side of her thyroid. The lump had caused hyperactivity.

**Unknown** -- Elfonda Haddon was transferred to St. Vincent's Hospital in Portland from Seaside Hospital in Oregon. She had a tumor and about half of her colon removed. She is the mother of Veldon Haddon of Seaside, OR.

**January 30** -- Diane Cornell was at Holy Cross Hospital for an operation, and will be back to work after six weeks.

## Classified Ads

**FOR SALE:** Timex-Sinclair 1000 computer with 12: black & white television, \$60.00. Can use with an ordinary cassette recorder. You will love it. See George Gavros.

**FOR SALE:** Queen sleeper couch -- make offer. See Ron Forbush, 758 W. 1400 S. #4, Woods Cross, UT.

**FOR SALE:** Model 15 TTY, with Phonetype coupler -- will take best offer. Call 479-5259 (Ogden) or 295-8245 (Bountiful).

## Update on Closed Captioning

(Programs listed below are offered with closed captioning. For exact date and time, check your local listing).

\*\*\* Hearing impaired children will enjoy the popular animated children's series, **The Littles**, with closed captioning. This program is based on successful series of books published by Scholastic, Inc, and gives strong moral, social and environmental values in its storylines revolving around a loving society of little people.

\*\*\* **Frontline**, a timely and provocative public affairs documentary, premiered in late January with closed captions. Its one hour program is seen on PBS on Tuesday evenings. Two special two-hour programs will be offered -- one on AIDS and the other, coproduced with NOVA, about the strategic defense initiative, better known as Star Wars. Another documentary will explore the impact of escalating malpractice suits on doctors and lawyers; other special reports will focus on the Soviet Union, Nicaragua and Iran.

\*\*\* Although this new program started February 1, **Cats and Dogs** will continue for 26 weeks with half hour programs offering a wide range of tips and techniques for the new "parent" as well as the experienced breeder or trainer. Dr. Anita Migday, a respected veterinarian, will be the hostess.

\*\*\* PBS specials coming up will include **Masterpiece's 15th Anniversary Celebration**, to be aired in March, and **By The Sword Divided**, which runs from March 23 to May 18.

\*\*\* **Mystery!** on PBS is currently airing **The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes II**, until March 13; after that, **Charters & Caldicott** will run from March 20 to April 24.

\*\*\* American Playhouse, which airs on PBS Monday evenings, will have **Tell Me A Riddle**, March 17; **Displaced Person**, March 24; **Under the Biltmore Clock**, March 31. It is currently airing **Adventures of Huckleberry Finn**, February 10 to March 3.

\*\*\* Two Boston television stations will be the first in the country to air their regular nightly newscasts with closed captioning. One is a PBS station and the other is an ABC station. In addition, one of the stations will air its nightly news magazine program with closed captioning. The project will begin in March and will be the most extensive news service for the deaf and hard of hearing in the United States. Approximately 342,000 deaf and hard of hearing people live in Massachusetts.

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