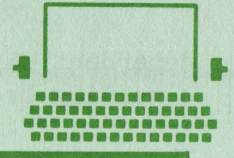


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CAR SAFETY SEAT EXHIBIT AT RILEY

Indiana will soon be joining the other 40 states that require car seat restraints for children. The Hoosier law takes effect Jan. 1, 1984, and mandates that all children from newborns to 3-year-olds be restrained in a federally approved car seat. Children 3 and 4 years old must be in either a car seat or restrained with a seat belt.

The Child Restraint Law carries a Class C infraction punishable with a fine from \$25 to \$500. The law was not passed to stress the monetary penalty but to help save lives and to curtail disabling injuries to "little Hoosiers."

To help parents decide on the best car seat for their child and their car, the Automotive Safety for Children (ASFC) office at Riley Hospital will display 30 different models of infant, toddler, and convertible car seats in the lobby of the hospital Thursday and Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day.

The exhibit will invite visitors to compare, test, and ask questions about the type of car seat appropriate for their child. Professionals from the ASFC office will be on hand to answer questions and give guidance about buying car seats.

"The display will focus attention on Indiana's new child restraint law and help educate people about the importance of car seat safety for children," said Karen Bruner Stroup, ASFC research associate.

Last year in this country, 720 infants were killed and another 29,000 children were seriously injured in car accidents, according to a report from the American Academy of Pediatrics. Ninety percent of the fatalities and 60 percent of the disabling injuries could have been avoided with the proper use of child car safety seats, predicts the National Traffic Safety Board report on traffic accidents involving children.

The ASFC has planned this "try before you buy" two-day display just before the gift-giving holidays to encourage parents, grandparents, or family friends to give a car seat as a Christmas gift for a baby or expectant mother.

The display is geared to educating people about the factors important in the selection and proper use of car seats. There is no "best" kind of car seat to buy brandwise; rather, it is the car seat that fits the child and fits the vehicle that is "best."

For more information about the car seat program at Riley, call ext. 2977.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Staff and faculty members, covered by the group health insurance plan, with

dependent children between the ages of 19 and 23, recently should have received a mailing from Blue Cross/Blue Shield requesting dependent certification.

The mailing indicated the enclosed form should be notarized, but this is not necessary! However, you should be sure to complete the form, sign it someplace on the back, and return it directly to Blue Cross/Blue Shield in the envelope provided.

Failure to return the dependent certification will cause dependent children from ages 19 to 23 to be deleted from your coverage effective Jan. 1, 1984.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Adult Psychiatry Clinic at I.U. Hospitals is looking for candidates for participation in a seven-week outpatient study of an investigational antidepressant called Fluvoxamine. The drug was developed by Merck, Sharp, and Dohme Company--sponsors of this seven-week study--in an attempt to develop an antidepressant that does not have the side effects and other drawbacks of current antidepressants.

All psychiatric care, physical examinations, and medications will be provided free to study participants who will have an opportunity to continue receiving the new drug free during the one-year investigational period. Candidates for the study can be either male or female between 18 and 70 years old who are suffering from moderate to severe depression.

Those who take part in the study will receive a psychiatric and physical examination and be given either the new drug, a placebo, or a standard antidepressant. Study participants will meet with a psychiatrist and a research nurse on Tuesdays between 5:30 p.m. and 9 p.m.

The study is also part of a clinical research program on depression involving the inpatient and outpatient psychiatric services at the I.U. Hospitals and the Institute of Psychiatric Research.

For more information or to register for the study, call ext. 7422.

NEWS & NOTES FROM HERE & THERE

Post the Insert -- Enclosed with this Green Sheet is a poster advertising the services of the University Writing Center. Please post it in a prominent place.

Bell Ringers -- IUPUI students and staff will brave the cold for a cause on Thursdays and Fridays this month as they ring bells for the Salvation Army collections in the afternoons on the Circle (in front of AFNB). If you're downtown, drop by and say hello and drop something (preferably money) in the kettle. If you don't get downtown and you normally make a holiday donation to the Salvation Army, you can send it or bring it to Scott Evenbeck in AO 112. That way, it will be included with the funds collected by the university Bell Ringers and be included with the IUPUI donation as part of a competition among universities in the area. IUPUI currently holds the trophy for the best collections in this competition and our goal is to maintain that record and keep the trophy.

Senator Coming -- Sen. Dan Quayle will be on campus Tuesday to speak informally with selected persons on "health cost containment." An invited audience of about

70 persons will attend the discussion sponsored by the School of Public and Environmental Affairs and its graduate program in health administration. The group will assemble in BS/SPEA 4095.

Cards -- You can buy UNICEF Christmas cards Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday (not Thursday) in the lobby of the Union Building from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

A Place for Those Old Magazines -- The Riley Family Library needs all types of magazines for the waiting areas in the hospital. Please send your no-longer-needed magazines to Riley, Room 408.

Grant Deadlines -- The Office of Research and Sponsored Programs (R&SP) will close for the holidays Dec. 23 at 5 p.m. and reopen Jan. 3 at 8 a.m. Grant applications having an agency receipt date of Jan. 6 or earlier must be received by R&SP no later than Dec. 16. No arrangements will be available for processing applications during the holiday period. Anyone anticipating difficulty in meeting the Dec. 16 deadline should contact R&SP immediately, ext. 8285. . .Persons preparing materials for review by the IUPUI Committee on Protection of Human Subjects at the Jan. 10 meeting must have completed materials to R&SP by 5 p.m. on Dec. 22. Contact Joan Straszewski, ext. 8289, for more information.

Position -- Acquisition/Serials Librarian. MLS for ALA-accredited school and two years' professional library experience required. Preference to those with acquisitions and/or serials cataloging experience on OCLC and to those who have worked in a law library. Apply before Jan. 1, 1984. Send applications and resume to: Prof. James F. Bailey III, Director of the Law Library, I.U. School of Law, 735 West New York Street, 46202.

Ride Wanted -- From Butler University area to Medical Center, 7 a.m., Call ext. 8732.

Found -- Several music cassettes have been found in the gift shop in University Hospital. Please contact shop personnel.

MINI-CALENDAR

Now through Dec. 14 -- "Figurative Ceramics--New Directions," display at the Herron Gallery.

Reach Out and Put the Touch on Someone -- "Who Will Pay for Telephone Service After January, 1984?" will be answered Monday at a seminar at 4 p.m. in Lecture Hall 100. Three 15-minute talks on the economics of charging for local telephone services by time, distance and call length will be presented by Robert Sandy, assistant professor of economics; Parvin Price, Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor, and Frank Biddinger, counsel for General Telephone Electronics. A general discussion period will follow. All interested persons are invited.

Monday -- Biochemistry Seminar by Paul Yin, graduate student; "Identification, Purification and Characterization of Atypical Human Liver Alcohol Dehydrogenase Isoenzymes;" Med. Sci. 326, 4 p.m. (The Dec. 12 Biochemistry Seminar has been cancelled.)

Give an Original -- The Herron School of Art annual student art sale is Tuesday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the auditorium at the school. Paintings, ceramics, prints and some sculpture will be sold. Students will price their work and benefit from the proceeds.

Users -- The regular monthly meeting of the IUPUI Microcomputer User's Group will be Tuesday from 3:30 to 5 p.m. in Nursing 110. The program will be a demonstration of the Apple Lisa Computer System. All persons interested in microcomputers are welcome.

USSR Nationalities -- Alvin Kapusta, special assistant for Soviet nationalities, Soviet and East European Bureau of Intelligence and Research, U.S. Department of State, will give two lectures Wednesday on "Soviet Nationalities and the Nationality Problem in the Soviet Union." The first will be in Cavanaugh 213 from noon to 1 p.m. The second will be at Howard Johnson's Restaurant, 501 West Washington Street, at 7:30 p.m., with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Reservations for the dinner (\$10 each) can be made by calling the Office of International Programs, ext. 2081 or ext. 8877. The lectures are co-sponsored by the Indiana Council on World Affairs.

Thinking about Law School? -- Anyone considering entering law school should consider attending a Pre-Law Seminar on Wednesday from noon to 1 p.m. in Cavanaugh 439. Pertinent questions will be discussed by G. Kent Frandsen, associate dean of the law school; law students; Stephen Sachs, political science pre-law adviser, and Norman Merkler, University Division pre-law adviser.

Wednesday -- "Chemical Reaction Dynamics in Liquid Solution," Chemistry Seminar by Steve Adelman from Purdue; Krannert Bldg., 38th Street, Room 231, 4:30 p.m.

Thursday -- "Student-Teacher Job Readiness Seminar," sponsored by the Office of Career Counseling and Placement, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in BS/SPEA 3015. For information, call ext. 2010.

Forum -- "A Socio-Linguistic Approach to Abortion," Faculty Forum by Leon Bourke, professor of French; Cavanaugh 537, noon to 1 p.m. Thursday.

Seminar -- "Production of Bacterial Insect Toxins," Microbiology and Immunology Seminar by Dr. Arthur I. Aronson from Purdue; Med. Sci. 205, 4 p.m. Thursday.

Madrigals -- Don't forget the IUPUI Madrigal Dinners, featuring the King's Court Singers from North Central High School, will be Friday through Sunday at 7 p.m. in the Union Building. Tickets are \$10. For reservations and information call ext. 7685.

New NEEDD -- Necessary Education to Eliminate Drunk Driving (NEEDD) is a new campus group being organized by Janet Holmes, a psychology major in the School of Science. Members of the group, along with representatives of MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Driving) will hold a session to explain their goals and purposes next Sunday (Dec. 11) at 3 p.m. in Lecture Hall 101. A film also will be shown. All interested persons are invited.

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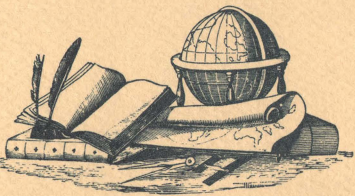
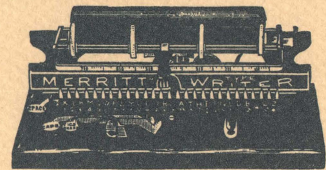
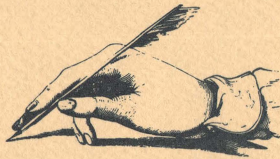
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