It’s been quite some time since the last edition of ENT News and our Department has many new faces to welcome —

Dr. Kokoska—VA Hospital
Dr. Moore—IU Hospital, AOC
Dr. Agostino—ROC
Lindsay Clark—Speech Language Pathologist, Riley Clinic
Julie Johnson—Clinical Study Technician, DeVault Lab
Michelle Van Gorden—Cochlear Implant Audiologist
Megan Carter—Infant Lab
Sarah Pope—Infant Lab
Hayleigh Harker—Infant Lab
Julianne Moore—Riley Clinic
Melissa Teske—Graduate Student
Chantel Hazlewood—Cochlear Implant Team
Jennifer Engstrom—Clinical Fellow, DeVault Lab
Michael Harris—GL1 Resident
Andreas Kaden—GL1 Resident
Ahmed Sufyan—GL1 Resident
Bryan McRae—Research Resident
Kristen Simko—Infant Lab

CONGRATULATIONS
Peter and Cole Schilt on the birth of baby, Micah on May 15, 2008.
Tabby Quinn and her husband on the birth of Kameron Eric on July 21, 2008. He weighed 8 lbs. and was 20 1/2 inches long.
Dr. Stacey Halum and her husband on the birth of Brady Ramon on April 27, 2008.


The United Way helps improve lives in ways with more sustainable results. Over 100 United Way human service agencies provide life-changing opportunities. They prevent problems in future generations through programs that help kids enter school ready to learn and leave school ready to succeed.

All employees should receive an email with their personal link to log-in to the IUPUI United Way Campaign E-Pledge site. From this site you can respond to the pledge request and make a donation.

Visit www.uwci.org for additional information or contact Jane Adamson at 278-1258. The campaign will run through October 15.

The United Way Day of Caring is Friday, September 26, 2008 from 8—1:30.
Serving Our Country

Jonathon “Marc” Miller, son of Debi Myers, is currently serving with the Indiana National Guard’s 76th Infantry Brigade and stationed in Al Taqaddum, Iraq. He has achieved the rank of Sergeant since his tour in Iraq began. Along with this promotion he was most recently selected NCO (Non-Commissioned Officer) of the month. This honor has made him eligible to compete for the Audie Murphy Award, which is a very prestigious award that is given to an outstanding NCO.

Best of luck to Sgt. Miller, he is expected to be back home with his family, wife Casey and children Jaren age 7, Caylee age 5 and Cian age 3 by the middle of December.

Did you know?

Jeanne Carr has published a children’s book called Agatha Bagatha very bad cat. Jeanne has copies for sale for $10.00 each. The book can also be purchased at Amazon.com.

Very soon IU employees will be going to the TIME system which will require them to log on and off on an electronic timesheet. More complete information will be coming to you soon.

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The conference room across the hall from administration in Riley Research has video conferencing (Polycom) capabilities as well as DVD and VCR complete with audio. A document viewer is also available for use. The conference room has seating for 12 at the table and an additional 16 around the perimeter of the room. If you would like to reserve the conference room for a meeting or presentation, please contact Becky @ 8-1259 or Jane @ 8-1258.

Dr. John Barnhill established the Department of Ear, Nose and Throat Medicine in 1909 here at the Indiana University School of Medicine. He was appointed Department Chairman as well as Professor of Head and Neck Surgery. 2009 will be our Centennial year!!!
Publications


Presentations

The following people attended and presented at the CI2008 conference: Shirley Henning, Tonya Bergeson-Dana, Derek Houston, Marcia Hay-McCutcheon, Nathan Sanders, Steve Chin


“Early Infant Speech Discrimination and Later Language Ability”, Jonathan Y. Ting, Derek M. Houston & Richard T. Miyamoto

“Audiovisual Attention in Hearing-Impaired Children Following Intervention”. Jonathan Y. Ting, Tonya R. Bergeson & Richard T. Miyamoto

“Word Omission In Sentence Imitation Tasks By Children Wth Cochlear Implants”. Steven B. Chin & Jonathan Y. Ting

David Horn presented a poster at ASPO (COSM) on “Nasal Glioma in an Infant” with Drs. McSoley and Klein as coauthors.


Eri Hashino presented at the Center for Developmental Biology Symposium “Turning Neurons into the Nervous System” in Kobe, Japan.


Other Physician News

Dr. James Ulm was a panel member for the Sinus Forum in Chicago in July discussing Balloon Sinuplasty Advanced Techniques.

Dr. Stacey Halum has been nominated for a Task Force position in the American Board of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery and is also a new member of the Academy Voice Committee.

Dr. Ilka Naumann received the 2008 Humanitarian Resident Travel Grant for an upcoming medical mission trip.

Productivity Tip:

Recharge and clear your head by taking short breaks throughout the day. Getting some fresh air can be an invigorating break from your routine and give you the energy you need to tackle your next assignment.

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