GET THE SPIRIT.

"The Sounds of Christmas," an annual yuletide dinner and concert, are scheduled for Monday (December 8) in the Union Building cafeteria.

A party atmosphere will prevail for the 6:30 p.m. roast turkey dinner, followed by carols and sing-alongs with the IUPUI New York Street Singers. And, of course, Santa Claus will make an appearance.

Cost of the dinner (which you may pay at the door) is $3.50. The concert, which begins at 7:30 p.m., is free.

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WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE & SOMETIMES WHY

Pharmaceutical -- Pharmacy displays this week in University Hospital will be Blue Line Chemical on Monday, Astra Pharmaceuticals on Wednesday and Merck, Sharp & Dohme on Friday. Mead-Johnson will have a display in Riley Hospital on Wednesday.

Mass -- Holy Day Mass, Feast of Immaculate Conception, will be celebrated Monday at 12:05 p.m. in University Hospital, Room C303.

Biochemical -- "Catalysis, Regulation and Specificity of Protein Phosphorylation," Biochemistry Seminar by Dr. Donald J. Graves, professor of biochemistry and biophysics at Iowa State University; Medical Science Building, Room 205, Monday at 4 p.m.

Attn. Female Types -- Faculty, staff and student women are invited to an "open gym, free play" evening Monday at the School of Physical Education, 1010 West 64th Street. It will be a just fun-and-games and a workout from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and then Jeff Vessely and other coaches will hold a meeting to talk about intramural basketball that begins after January 1. Jeff says he is also open to suggestions from non-basketball people who would like some other physical exercise programs. If you go, wear or take some "athletic-type" clothes (there are lockers). For more information, call Ext. 3764.

Communicate -- Dr. Connie Clodfelter from the Counseling Center will conduct a Staff Training Program on "Communication Skills" Tuesday from 10 a.m. to noon in Room 210 of the School of Nursing. This is the fourth program in the "Effective Office Worker Series." For information or to register, call Ext. 4537.
Genetic I -- "Prenatal Influences on I.Q. and Behavior: An Overview of Behavioral Teratology," Medical Genetics Seminar by Dr. Laura Russell, postdoctoral fellow; Riley Research, Conference Room 138, Tuesday at 4 p.m.

Environmental -- Robert N. Kennedy, director of the Indianapolis Department of Metropolitan Development, will speak on "Challenge to the Environment: Downtown Indianapolis" Tuesday at 4 p.m. in Lecture Hall 103. The program is part of a series sponsored by the School of Public and Environmental Affairs and the Department of Geography.

Ideas Time -- The IUPUI Staff Council is eager to get ideas, share ideas and concerns, explain what it does to anyone interested on campus. So they have scheduled another "brown bag lunch" session for Wednesday in Room 439 of Cavanaugh Hall. The session is informal, so you can come and go anytime between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Who's on WAT -- "Surgical Correction of Impotence" is the topic for this month's "Grand Rounds in Surgery" series on WAT 21 Medical Television. The program can be seen Wednesday at noon and 7:30 p.m. and at the same time this Friday and December 16.

Microbiological -- "Are the Transposable Controlling Elements in Maize Intrans?", Microbiology and Immunology Seminar by Dr. Drew Schwartz, Department of Biology at IUB; Medical Science Building, Room 205, Wednesday at 4 p.m.

Pathological -- Dr. William B. Ober, a surgical pathologist and well known medical historian, will be visiting campus this week as a guest of the Department of Pathology. He will give a formal lecture on "The Iconography of Leprosy" at noon Thursday in University Hospital, Room N436. (For those interested in the history of medicine an informal session has been planned for Wednesday at 4 p.m. in Emerson Hall, Room 137.)

Genetic II -- "The Vascular Pathogenesis of Disruptive Structural Defects," Medical Genetics Seminar by Dr. H. Eugene Hoyme, senior fellow in dysmorphology in the Department of Pediatrics and the University of California, San Diego Medical Center; Riley Research, Conference Room 138, Thursday at noon.

Special Guest -- A nationally known pediatrician will be on campus this week to give a Child Development Seminar on "The Developing Brain and Child Language." Dr. Peggy Ferry, professor of pediatrics and neurology and director of the Section of Child Neurology at the University of Arizona Health Sciences Center in Tucson, will speak at 3:15 p.m. in the School of Nursing auditorium. Dr. Ferry has published extensively on communication and neurologic disorders in children. She is a member of the Committee on Nutrition, Brain Development and Behavior of the National Research Council and chairman of the Section of Neurology of the American Academy of Pediatrics. All IUMC faculty and students are invited.

Physiological -- "Obstruction of Single Tubules in the Rat Kidney," Physiology Seminar by Dr. George A. Tanner; Medical Science Building, Room 205, Thursday at 4 p.m.

Drama Potpourri -- Eight one-act plays directed and performed by students are on the theatrical docket this week at the Marott Building. The selections include contemporary and classic productions, some from Broadway and off-Broadway. There is no admission charge, and each night's first play begins at 7:30. Thursday night's schedule is "Overtones," Dinner for Two" and "Not Enough Rope." Friday's presentations will be "My Cup Ranneth Over," "Monica" and "Dark Lady of the Sonnet." Saturday's shows are "The Indian Wants the Bronx" and "Lone Star." For information, call Ext. 2094.
Meet -- The Stew Committee (Men's Division) will be meeting nonstop Friday at the usual place.

Take the Kids -- The IUPUI Children's Theater group will give a special performance of their current touring play, "Land of the Dragons" Saturday. The occasion will be a Winter Art Fair in the atrium of the Hyatt Regency downtown. The play -- it's free -- starts at 1:30 p.m., while the fair starts at 10 a.m. and lasts till 6 p.m. "Dragons" is an authentic Oriental fairy tale comedy and stars IUPUI students Susan Rosecrans, Mike Renda and Diane Charles. During the art fair 30 local artists will be working at their crafts and displaying them. Choral groups from several local high schools also will entertain.

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NEWS 'N' NOTES FROM HERE 'N' THERE

Disoriented -- There will be no "Orientation for New Employees" on December 22 or December 29. Orientation will be held December 15 at 8:30 a.m. and December 18 at 2:30 p.m., but will not be held again until January 5 at 8:30 a.m. when the regular schedule for orientation will be resumed. For further information, call Barbara Jones at Ext. 4537.

Changes -- Please make a note of the following changes that have occurred in the School of Nursing since the printing of the campus directory:

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2618 Director Dr. Sharon Alger NU 137
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2806 Counselor, Baccalaureate Vernell Bussell NU 125
2806 Freshman/Sophomore Lois Valasek NU 123
2806 Junior/Senior Charline Small NU 143

Dean -- Nominations and applications are invited for the position of dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at I.U. Bloomington, to assume office July 1. Candidates should have demonstrated a commitment to and capacity for excellence in scholarship. Previous academic administrative experience is desirable. Information should be sent to: Search and Screen, College of Arts & Sciences, Office of the Vice President, Bryan 100, IUB, 47405.

Search -- Dr. Steven C. Beering, dean of the School of Medicine, announces the appointment of a search and screen committee for the recruitment of a qualified person to fill a new position in the dean's office titled Director of Minority Student Programs. The committee, chaired by Dr. James Carter, associate dean for student affairs, is seeking a person with special training in higher education or behavioral science dealing with counseling, study skills or learning. A doctoral degree is desired with special training in these areas. However, interested persons with a master's degree with experience or special training to meet these qualifications will be considered. Any recommendations for nominees for this position should be directed to Dr. Carter.

Assistant -- Position available in near future for research assistant in electron microscopy program involving study of vascular endothelium. Interested persons should call Joyce Jones, Department of Surgery, Ext. 7491.
Opening -- The Department of Biology has a part-time opening for someone interested in teaching a microbiology course for allied health students in the evening hours of the spring semester. Please contact Dr. Ralph Ockerse at Ext. 271.

Research Associate -- A position is available for a research associate to study regulation of nucleotide metabolism and antitumor effects of nucleoside analogues. The research will involve HPLC, tissue culture, enzyme purification and experimental chemotherapy in rats. Ph.D. in biochemistry or pharmacology required. Salary $14,000 to $16,000. Send curriculum vitae and names of the three references to: R.C. Jackson, Laboratory for Experimental Oncology, I.U. School of Medicine.

Seasonal -- UNICEF Christmas cards will be available in the lobby of the Union Building on Thursday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day.

Reception -- Freda Austin of the Hospital Accounting Department will be retiring at the end of the month and a reception in her honor will be held December 15 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Long Hospital Conference Room on the fifth floor. All friends and acquaintances are invited.

Getting Here -- Ride needed to and from work, hours 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. (or 4:30 p.m.), from John Marshall High School Area (38th and Mitthoeffer Road), will pay $25 to $30 per month, need ride by December 19. Please call Ext. 7800. . . Would like to share ride from Carriage House Apartments (10th and Lynhurst) to Medical Center, Monday through Friday, 8-5. Call 244-1378. . . Ride needed from Carriage House (Beachway Drive) to Medical Center, Monday through Friday, 8-5, willing to pay expenses. Call Ext. 7845 or 247-6096 after 5:30 p.m. . . Need ride to and from 7000 West Washington Street, Monday through Friday, 8-5. Call Ext. 4225.

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DEPT. OF HONORS & ACCOLADES

Dr. James R. Roche, associate dean for faculty development and professor of pedodontics at the School of Dentistry, was elected chairman of the American Board of Pedodontics at the recent annual meeting in Miami.

Michael Watts and John Silvia, from the Department of Economics, have been cited by the Joint Council on Economic Education in its National Awards Program for the Teaching of Economics. The two will be recognized this month at the council's annual meeting to be held in Washington in conjunction with the American Economic Association.

Speech pathologist Dr. James Shanks has returned from Europe where he spoke on laryngectomee rehabilitation. For a week in Nurnberg he co-directed a workshop to train teachers of speech after laryngectomy. And on his return through London, he lectured at Charing Cross Hospital and University College.

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