

# HYGIENISTS' HI-LITES

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## 2nd Alumni Day Is March 31

HEAR YE! HEAR YE! COME ONE, COME ALL!  
The time is "NOW", but, do you remember "THEN"? Yes, we are really excited about the Second Dental Hygiene Alumni Day, SATURDAY, MARCH 31st, 1973. The theme of this event is "THEN AND NOW", which we feel is quite appropriate for 1973.

Just think back to when you were in school, and some of the fun, crazy things you did. We want to see everyone that can possibly make this "fun" event turn out - talk with former classmates and friends about THEN, and just catch up with what is happening NOW.

We will be happy to give you a sneak preview of the day's activities. All of the day's events will be held at the Union Building, Indiana University Medical Center at Indianapolis, Indiana. Registration will begin at 10 a.m., Saturday, March 31st, 1973. Greet friends and former classmates during the coffee hour, and there will be an "extra" surprise in store while everyone catches up on the latest.

We know everyone will enjoy the luncheon that has been planned, which will be attended by some V.I.P.'s from Indiana University. We are very excited about our guest speaker, Dr. Frances D. Rhome, Associate Professor of English, Indiana University; IUPUI

Commissioner on the Status of Women; and Vice-Chairperson of Mayor Lugar's Task Force on the Status of Women, Indianapolis. She will speak on a very NOW topic, "The New Women As A Professional".

Also, some "different" entertainment by Dental Hygiene Alumni, a tour of Riley Hospital, and an open house at the Dental Hygiene Clinic will complete the day's activities. All should be over by 3:00 p.m.

We are honoring four classes: the Class of 1953, the Class of 1958, the Class of 1963, and the Class of 1968. We hope all of you will make an extra effort to be with us this year. There are some special activities planned for these "honor" classes.

The reservation envelope for the luncheon is included with this newsletter. The luncheon meal, registration, and coffee hour will be \$3.75. This amount should be included in the reservation envelope. Deadline for returning your reservation will be March 27, 1973.

See you on March 31st. Drive Carefully!

Susan B. Frank, RDH '69  
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### PLEASE REMEMBER

WHAT: "THEN AND NOW" - Second Dental Hygiene Alumni Day

WHEN: SATURDAY, MARCH 31st, 1973  
Registration Begins: 10:00 a.m.

WHERE: UNION BUILDING  
INDIANA UNIVERSITY MEDICAL CENTER  
1300 WEST MICHIGAN  
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46202

## I.U. DENTAL HYGIENE PROGRAM HAS GROWN

Mrs. Suzanne S. Boundy

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Whether you graduated last year, ten years, or twenty years ago, you would note changes in the Dental Hygiene Program today. There are new clinical facilities for the programs at Ft. Wayne and Indianapolis. Of course Evansville's program, which will graduate students for the first time this year, also has a new clinic. These three schools and the one at South Bend have a total of 65 clinical units available for instruction and patient care.

Thousands of persons receive the services of first and second year students during each school year at the four locations.

Class sizes, too, have changed. From the first enrollment in 1950 of nine students, the 1973 state-wide enrollment has risen to an all-time high of 176 in the first and second-year classes. At each school, Indiana State University at

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Evansville, Indiana University at Ft. Wayne, Indiana University at South Bend, and Indiana University-Purdue University at Indianapolis, one year of college is required for all applicants for admission. There will be 86 students graduating from Indiana's schools in May, 1973, and joining the ranks of the Dental Hygiene profession. In addition, 15 students are enrolled in the fourth or senior year leading toward a bachelor of science degree.

Last year the University adopted a new school calendar. This new calendar sees students beginning the first semester in August. The first semester then ends in December allowing the students to better enjoy the holiday break, because they have already completed their exams. The second semester runs from January to May.

A school's curriculum must always change to keep pace with the times. Course changes reflect changes in dental and dental hygiene practice such as amalgam polishing, plaque control, and diet counseling. Lectures, laboratories and clinical sessions are used. Closed circuit television is being utilized to teach some courses to the campuses and students who are spread from the northern to the southern parts of our state.

Some things, however, have not changed:

1) the thrill of receiving the letter saying you were accepted into the Dental Hygiene class, 2) the recognition that the first tooth you carved does resemble a tooth, 3) the anticipation of working on your first "real" patient, 4) spotting bacteria in microbiology class, 5) the pride of your parents on the day of capping, 6) the anxiety of preparing for boards (now the national board as well as state board), 7) and the pride you had for your classmates who received honors on Honor Day, plus your personal pride upon graduating as a Dental Hygienist!

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