

NEWS BRIEFS

AIDS Lecture

Dr. William C. Douglas, M.D., an expert on AIDS will share with you an incredible story, with documentation about the underlying cause of AIDS and the direction needed to help its victims.

He is a graduate of the University of Rochester and the Miami School of Medicine and a graduate of the U.S. Naval School of Aviation and Space Medicine.

November 19, 1987 - Clark County Health Department 625 Shadow Lane (auditorium) 7:30 pm. Public is invited to this free lecture.

Local contact is Dr. Norman Engel 736-8535.

Audition

Auditions for *The Cherry Orchard*, a tragicomedy by Anton Chekhov, will be held at the Grant Hall Little Theatre at UNLV on Saturday, December 5th from 1 - 3:30 pm and Sunday, December 6th, from 7 to 9 pm.

Paul Harris will direct *The Cherry Orchard* which opens March 17th in the Black Box Theatre and runs until March 27th. Rehearsals will begin February 1, 1988.

Auditions are open to all those interested in this production. There are ten men and five women in the cast. Two of the men are over sixty years old. A two minute monolog should be prepared and

may be either comic or serious.

Scripts of the new translation by Rhonda Blair are on reserve in the Reserve Room of the UNLV Library beginning November 17th.

You will need to obtain audition forms and sign up for a five minute audition slot in the Department of Theatre Arts Office located in the lobby of the Judy Bayley Theatre. A recent photo or snapshot should accompany the audition forms. For further information please call 739-3666.

Rodeo

UNLV's Intercollegiate Rodeo Team will host a rodeo Nov. 21-22 at Las

Vegas Horseman's Park. Teams from universities and community colleges throughout Arizona, New Mexico, and Nevada will compete in the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association (NIRA) recognized event, according to UNLV's team advisor, Lynne Ruegamer.

The NIRA requires teams to host a rodeo at least once every other year. This event will be the first rodeo sponsored by the two-year-old UNLV team. Events begin at 2 pm, and UNLV is expected to do well in the competition, Ruegamer said.

Since the season began in September, team members have placed in the top four positions at every rodeo in which they participated. UNLV students Steve Felton and Shane Thacker currently rank first and second respectively in the Grand Canyon Region for saddle bronc riding. Female team member Perri Chura is leading the region in breakaway roping. All three members also hold national ranking in their events.

Other UNLV team members include Daryl Branham, Gus Duncan, Toni Mayer, Jesse Norcutt, Tammi Norcutt, and Staci McKnight.

For more information about the rodeo, call Ruegamer at 739-3205.

Senior Day

UNLV is sponsoring its fourth annual *Senior Day* on Nov. 18 from 11:30 am until 5 pm on the second floor of the Moyer Student Union. The program will provide information to local high-school students and their parents about UNLV's academic programs, student services, and campus life.

Senior Day is sponsored each year by UNLV's Admissions Office. More than 600 local students are expected to attend.

The program will begin with a lucheon and opening remarks by Vice

President for Academic Affairs and Provost John Unrue. Representatives from the Academic Advising and Resource Center, Student Services Office, Financial Aid Office, Honors Program, and Career Placement Office will also address the audience.

Later in the afternoon, students and parents will be invited to tour the campus and visit faculty members from various departments. All those attending *Senior Day* will receive free tickets to the Nov. 21 UNLV-University of the Pacific football game.

For more information, call the UNLV Admissions Office at 739-3970.

Speaker

Alpha Kappa Psi presents C.J. Bradham speaking on *Body Language/Professional Etiquette* Nov. 18, 7 pm in the Humanities Building Room 121.

Presidential Forum

The UNLV CR's present Jennifer Kemp speaking on behalf of her father, Jack Kemp. This is the first of proposed 6 part forum.

"The people of Las Vegas will be able to hear the candidates views first hand," said UNLV CR Chairman Scott Black. "They will be given a chance to have all of their questions answered."

The Forum will be presented on November 17th in rooms 201 and 202 located upstairs in the Moyer Student Union at UNLV. It will begin at 5:30 pm. During this time Jennifer Kemp will be able to meet with all of the guests. At 6 pm she will speak for 30 minutes and then answer questions for the remaining half hour. For more information, call Scott Black at 795-2342.

"She'll be speaking on her fathers views," said Black. "From nuclear weapons to the economy to conservation."

Fireside Chat

The Financial Management Association will be hosting John Afden, Comptroller for Valley Bank, Thursday, November 19, 1987. The meeting will be held in the Fireside Lounge MSU from 5:45 to 7 pm. He will be speaking on the "Opportunities Within The Banking System".

Author

Author Carolyn See will lecture on *Golden Days: Don't Settle For Less* during the next Southwest Gas Distinguished Artists Series presentation Dec. 1, 7:30 pm in UNLV's John S. Wright Hall, (room 116).

See has written such novels as *The Rest is Done With Mirrors*, *Blue Money*, and *Mothers, Daughters*. In addition, she has written for *T.V. Guide*, *Esquire*, *Atlantic*, and *Esquire*.

See will be serving as a writer-in-residence with UNLV's English department during her visit.

The Southwest Gas Distinguished Artists Series is sponsored by UNLV's College of Arts and Letters, and it is funded by a grant from the Southwest Gas Foundation. For more information, call 739-3401.

Instructor Honored

UNLV education professor Frank Dempster was recently awarded the Barrick Scholar Award for research in his field.

"The Barrick Scholar Award is the highest research award the university has to offer.

Dempster, who holds a doctorate from the Univ. of California, Berkeley, is also the recipient of the Distinguished Faculty Award.

His areas of specialty are learning, memory, and cognition; memory development; cognitive research and instruction; and individual and developmental differences in information processing.

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