

what's happening

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Image is topic of nursing conference

"Professional Image: How Successful People Recognize Each Other" is the topic of an all day nursing conference on Tuesday, September 13, 1988, in the Dana Center.

During the past two years the keynote speaker, Kit Stahler-Miller, RN, MSN, has addressed over 15,000 nurses nationwide on professional images and career development. Her seminars have been conducted to enhance morale, image, and professionalism for personnel in health care facilities, educational institutions, and professional associations.

Stahler-Miller, former assistant professor of nursing at La Salle University in Philadelphia, PA., is founder and president of *Images in Transition, Inc.*, of Palmyra, N.J. The firm provides consulting services to people in all walks of life to enhance image and self esteem.

This conference is an opportunity for nurses to learn how to translate the changes, choices, and challenges facing nursing today into actions that can positively influence career and profession.

During the conference, a poster session will be presented in the Dana Center Lobby, sponsored by the Nursing Research Advisory Group. Posters reflecting projects and achievements of MMC nurses will be displayed.

Please call Dee Roberts, Staff Development at x2397 for further information.

Harris named Director of Pulmonary Medicine

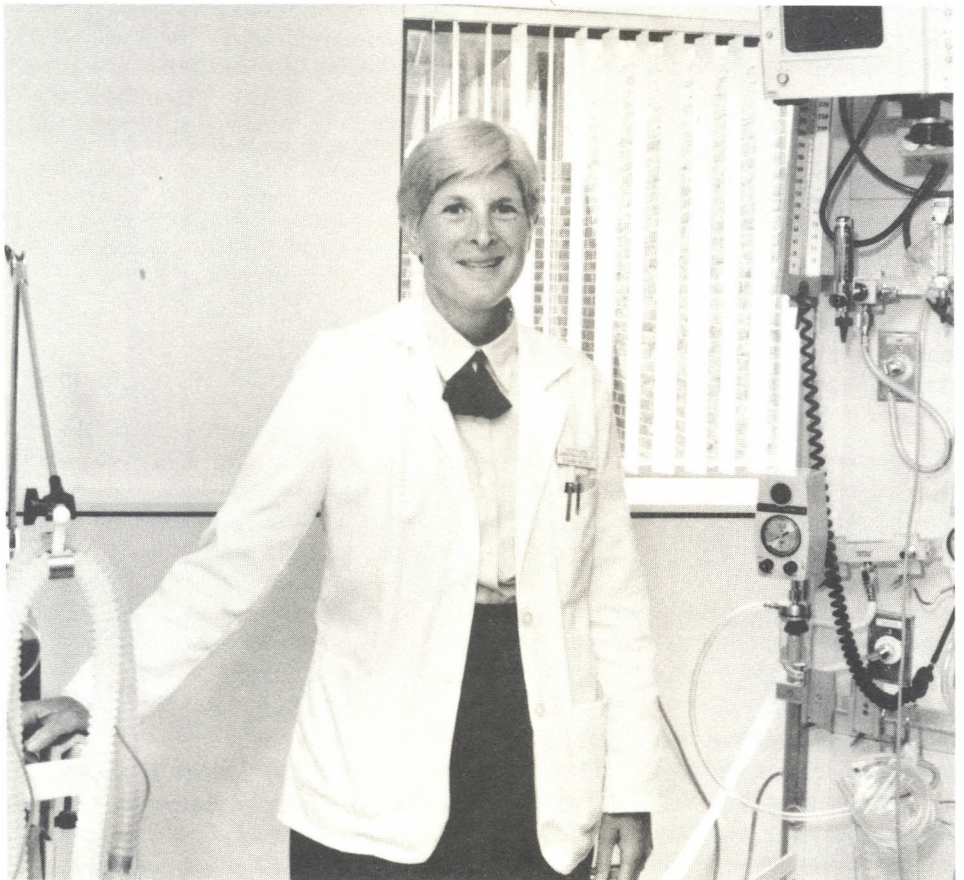
Kathryn W. Harris, Associate Director for Respiratory Care at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, has been named Administrative Director for Pulmonary Medicine at Maine Medical Center.

In her new position, Harris will be responsible for directing all non-physician managers and clinical personnel in the respiratory therapy, pulmonary function laboratory and hemodynamic monitoring.

Harris joined the Respiratory Care staff at Mass General as Associate Director in

1985, and was appointed Associate Anesthesia for Respiratory Care at Harvard Medical School. Prior to this, she was Director for the Department of Respiratory Therapy at Loyola University Medical Center in Maywood, Illinois.

She graduated from the Respiratory Therapy Program at Northwestern University Medical School in Chicago, Illinois, and is a masters candidate at the Boston University School of Public Health. Her memberships include the American Association for Respiratory Care, Society of Critical Care Medicine, Massachusetts Thoracic Society, and the American Public Health Association.



KATHRYN W. HARRIS (A/V Photo)

**Normal Male Volunteers
over 25 years old wanted
for blood donation,
\$10 for 20cc blood.
Call ext. 4689 between
7 am-3 pm.**

About People

Mary Main has been named the new Employment Representative in the Personnel Department. Main, formerly Employment Representative in Nurse Recruitment, possesses several years of personnel generalist experience.

Vickie Cowen has been named the new Personnel Assistant in the Personnel Department. Cowen, a recent graduate of the University of Southern Maine, will be responsible for recruiting most entry level positions.

Phyllis Bastone, RN, will join the Department of Personnel as Nurse Recruitment Manager on August 29. She is currently the Head Nurse on the Nephrology Unit.

Ann-Marie Abbott has joined the Personnel Department as the Employment Representative in Nurse Recruitment. Abbott formerly was on the Personnel staff at UNUM and a division coordinator for a Portland area employment agency.

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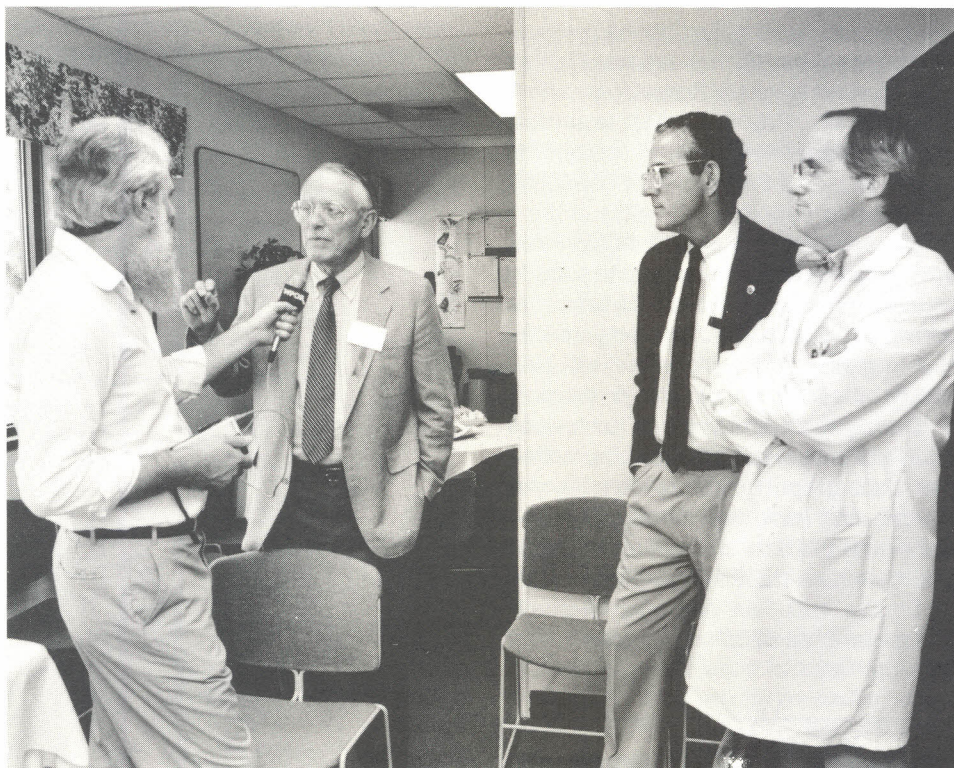
All contestants in the 1988 MMC Employee Photo Contest may pick up their photos in the Public Information Office (MGB-1) starting Wednesday, August 17, 1988 from 9AM-4 PM.

Oops!

The announcement that Peter C. Barnard, MMC's Director of Development and MMC Corporator Sherry Huber were elected to the Waynflete School Board of Trustees, as stated in the last issue of What's Happening, is incorrect. Barnard and Huber were the two new Trustees Emerti elected to the Waynflete School Board of Trustees, both with MMC affiliations and earlier service as Active Trustees at Waynflete.



TOUGH CHOICES confronted the panel of judges who were charged with selecting nine winning photographs from an impressive array of entries. The judges were from left to right, photographer Jeffrey Stevensen, photographer Donald Johnson, and graphic designer Thomas Hillman. (A/V Photo)



AL DIAMON, WPOR news reporter, interviews president Edward C. Andrews Jr., at last weeks Open House for the Maine Cytometry Research Institute. On hand is Leon A. Gorman, Chairman of the Board, left, and Edmund J. Lovett III, Ph.D., Director of MCRI. Guests included MMC's board members and members of the medical staff who were invited to meet MCRI's staff and tour the facility for an introduction to flow cytometry. (A/V Photo)



IDA DEMAKIS, center, is joined by friends and co-workers at a retirement coffee in her honor. Ida recently retired after 17 years in MMC's Department of Cardiology. (A/V Photo)

New Employees

NURSING: Daniel Jeans, Lynn Kemna, Mary Mrozek-Orlowski, Lora Anderson, Carole Barton, Tracy Bliss, Beverly Crommie, Lisa Dickerson, Linda Gibbens, Tracy Hicks, Laurie Hodges, Lauren Jacoby, Bonnie Knowlton, Elizabeth Thompson, Lisa Turnbull, Muriel Faherty, Ann Fitzgerald, Karen Hamilton.

RADIOLOGY: Karen Sandora, Lori Webb, Heather Faloon, Alberta Gorham, Marilyn Williams, Florence Coolack, Debra Robinson, Jeffrey Seifert, Melissa Hinds, Kevin Queen, Katherine Ward.

PERSONNEL: Ann-Marie Abbott, Victoria Cowan.

HOUSEKEEPING: Debbie Bernier, Andrew Cordes, George Jackmeyer, Harold Martin, Christine Savard.

MEDICAL RECORDS: Valerie Cahoon.

PHARMACY: Stavey Blair, David Dumont.

NURSING: Marilynn Harr.

PARKING: Christopher Winslow.



Please remember the guidelines for what can and cannot be said outside the hospital concerning patients. They are: 1) no information concerning a patient may be offered without patient's consent, and

2) only a patient's presence in the form of the patient's name, may be acknowledged to anyone inquiring about a patient.

More Marketplace

FOR SALE: 1982 Volvo, 4 door sedan, DL model, low mileage, 37,000 approximately, automatic. Asking \$7,500 or best offer. Call 799-8364.

ROOMMATE WANTED: Professional female looking for non-smoker to share townhouse on the West End. Off-street parking available. Call 772-7411, x355 or 773-9641 evenings.

ROOMMATE WANTED: To share 2 BR Portland apartment. \$300/mo. plus ½ utils. All you need is a bedroom set. Available immediately, must like cats. Call 775-5103.

FOR RENT: Spacious 2 level unit with 3 BR, 2 full baths, eat in kitchen, dining room, living room and study. \$995/mo. plus utils, lease, security deposit, no pets. Call 774-7910.

FOR RENT: 3 BR, 1 bath, full house, full kitchen, 1 car garage, yard, baseboard hot water oil heat. Asking for 1 year lease or more, security deposit, references, no pets, in South Portland between Willard and Fort Williams. \$850/mo., 2 persons includes heat. Call x 4093.

FOR SALE: Amana refrigerator/freezer with automatic ice maker. 20 cu. ft. Almond, 1 year old. \$750. Call 761-2488.

FOR SALE: Full-size mattress and box spring, brand new Therapedic with a 10 year guaranty. Call 761-2975 after 6 PM.

FOR SALE: 1979 Peugeot, 1 owner, 4 door standard. Runs great, \$1,000 or best offer. Call 772-3780 after 6 PM.

FOR SALE: 1977 25' Albin deluxe cabin cruiser, fiberglass with Volvo diesel engine, sleeps 4 in 2 cabins. Excellent condition, well equipped, Portland slip available. \$16,000. Call 773-5761 or 892-4483.

FOR SALE: Queen size pedestal waterbed with basic headboard, \$100. Call 797-5862.

FOR SALE: Must sell queen size Sealy mattress, box springs and frame, top of the line, \$350 or best offer; matching antique chest of drawers and dresser, \$400 or best offer. Call 772-8533 after 6 PM.

WANTED: Plumbing jobs. Experienced plumber with masters license and excellent references. Reasonable rates, prompt, clean, service. Call 767-4038.

FOR SALE: 1982 Honda CBX 1100. Detachable saddle-bags. Good condition. Call 799-0991 after 5 PM.

FOR SALE: 12 speed Shogun bicycle, brand new. Retail for \$200, will sell for \$150. Call 892-3087.

Marketplace

CHILDCARE: Alternative to day care. Activity class starting in September, daily from 2 PM on. Steven's Avenue area, call now 871-7106.

FOR SALE: By owner, 4 BR Cape, new siding, windows, and roof. Oversized 2 car garage. \$112,500. Call 767-4476.

FOR RENT: Spacious, recently remodeled 3 BR apartment adjacent to MMC. All appliances, storage space, porch, limited parking and W/D on premises. \$650/mo. includes heat. Call 775-1677.

FOR SALE: Top pedigree AKC registered Cocker Spaniel puppies. 3 males, 2 black, 1 black/tan, ready to go. \$275. Call 767-2377.

FOR SALE: Mobile home, 129 Hemlock Drive, 15 minutes from MMC. Call 839-6667.

FOR SALE: Must sell, new tires and chrome rally wheels, fits up to 1988 GMC/Chevy truck, chrome modular wheels, canoe rack, light bar, and rear locking console, fits Jeep. Make offer, call 839-3853, leave message.

FOR SALE: 1982 Honda CR250R, good condition, excellent runner, new exhaust, rear fender, and kick start. \$500 or best offer. Call 799-4405 after 4 PM.

FOR RENT: Gorham Village, new 2 BR townhome, fully appliance country kitchen with microwave, full basement with W/D hook-ups. Nice yard, walk to schools and town center. \$595/mo. plus lease/security deposit, and utils. Call 892-3629 or 772-6627.

ROOMMATE WANTED: Female professional non-smoker to share modern 2 BR apartment in residential area. Back yard, W/D, and parking. \$283/mo. includes heat and hot water. Call 797-4943 evenings or early mornings.

CHILDCARE: The Steven's Avenue Co-op Nursery School is accepting enrollment for 3-5 year olds for the coming school year. The school meets Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings. For information, please call 797-6502.

FOR RENT: Higgins Beach, Scarborough, September to June, cozy 2 BR furnished cottage, fireplace, W/D, oil heat, lease, security deposit. \$495/mo. plus utils., no pets. Call 892-3629 or 772-6627.

CHILDCARE: Chevrus High School area, quiet dead end street with fenced in yard. Mother of 3½ year old and 4 month old girls, former CNA, non-smoker, has college degree and would like time at home with children. Child proof house with 2 play rooms. Meals included, rates negotiable. Call 773-6806 and leave message, or call after 6 PM.

FOR SALE: American Tourister luggage, Escort series, molded with steel frames, light blue, like new. 27" Pullman, \$40; 24" suitcase, \$30; \$65 for both. PSS-170 Yamaha keyboard with adapter, carrying case and how-to book, like new, \$75. Call 774-5146 evenings.

CHILDCARE: Mother of 2 will babysit full or part time. Approximately 3 miles from MMC. Call 799-0991.

WANTED: Good home for 3+ year old black lab/setter mix, neutered black male. Call 775-4633, days, 655-3993 evenings.

WANTED: Ride from Lewiston to MMC, first shift hours, 7 AM-3:30 PM. Call x2721 days or 782-0752 evenings.

FOR RENT: M/F to rent room in private home, non-smoker, quiet street, walk to bus, stores, Quick care. Rosemont area of Portland. \$225/mo. includes all. Call 772-3058.

FOR SALE: 1981 Buick Regal. 51,100 miles plus, runs great. 2 tone green. Have to see to appreciate. \$2,200. Call x2381 or 775-5339.

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WANTED: Lawns to mow, rake or clean. Experienced person will trim bushes and hedges, and do general yard work. Excellent references. Call 775-6708 after 7 PM.

WANTED: Homes to wallpaper or paint. Professionals with excellent references will wallpaper your rooms (\$75 for an average room, wall preparation extra) or paint (estimates given). Please call 774-9506, leave message.

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