

what's happening

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1988 New Year's Resolutions



"Never to resolve to do anything again."

—Laura Racicot
CT Scanning

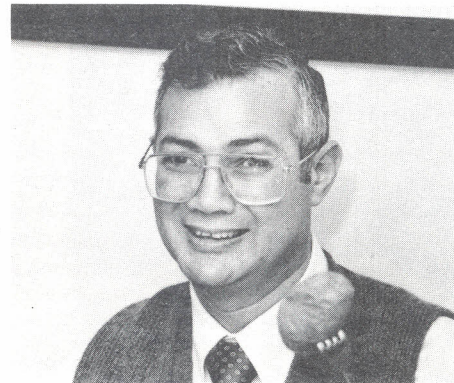


"Why give up my vices?"

—Patty Williams
Library

"To keep laughing, and take more vacations."

—Kim Thomstad
Nursing



"Stay fat and happy."

—Phillip Torrano
Housekeeping

I resolve to cheerfully accept that all epidemics occur late in the day."

—Nancy Beuerle
Infection Control



"To get Donna Williams out of her shell and become more outgoing."

—Scott Willson
Public Affairs

"To have a kid."

—Chris Jacobs
Histology

"To buy the winning megabucks ticket."

—Jan Rankin
Housekeeping

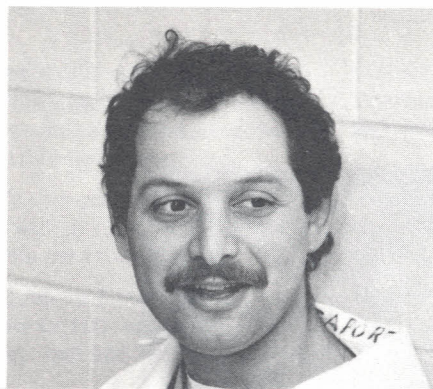
"To have more patience with people who ask silly questions on the phone."

—Vicki Whited
Purchasing



"To save money—not spend it."

—Dottie Noury
Maternity



"I resolve to spare my wife by not watching another football game after January 31."

—Pat Caporino
CSD



"Never get fixed up again."



"Basic survival."

—David Blakney
Materials Management

"Increase my acceptance of other folks and their beliefs while still having confidence in my own so that together we can bring encouragement through faith to people in need."

—Reverend Dr. Alexander B. Cairns
Pastoral Services



"To learn pediatrics, and my way around the hospital."

—Jim Faust
Medical Student



on a blind date

Julie Johnson
Administration

"To dig myself out from under a mound of forms and reprints."

—Sandy Walling
Print Shop



"Get into shape."

—Beth Skelton
Personnel

MMC hockey night

The Maine Medical Center is sponsoring its annual hockey night on Saturday, February 6, 1988. The Maine Mariners will play the Nova Scotia Oilers at 7:35 PM at the Cumberland County Civic Center.

Two free tickets will be available in the Employee Benefits Office to the first 500 employees on a first-come, first-served basis. Additional tickets will also be available for purchase at \$4 each (a \$6 value).

Tickets will be available in the Employee Benefits Office beginning at 7:30 AM on Monday, January 18, 1988.

PC user group meeting

Wednesday, January 20, 1988

4:30–6:30 PM

Charles A. Dana

Education Center

Classroom 1

Call x2550 for further information

English assistance available

The course "English as a Second Language" will be offered by the Office of Training and Development. The class combines conversation, reading, and written practice in English.

The class is scheduled to meet every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 3:30 PM–5:00 PM, January 11–May 26, 1988. Anyone wishing to receive further information, or to register for the course should call the Office of Training and Development at x2824.

New Employees

HOUSEKEEPING: William Cote, Laurie Diggins, George Gooden, Zella Merchant, Russell Piper, Abdul Wakil Azimi, Delores Bouthellette, Linda Bowden, Mary Crawford, Dianna Smith, Patricia Smith, Roxanne Pendleton

HEMATOLOGY: Mary-Elise Alexander, Ruth Weeks

NURSING: Karen Singer, Jane Walker, Marie Aikens, Jolene Nadeau, Hazel Guptil, Colleen Sullivan, Sheila Hanlon, Robert Poutenis

CARDIOGRAPHY: Shane Ellis, Kristine Whaples

Reserved space for AM parker

Effective January 18, 1988 the space reserved for evening shift parkers will be open for employees and volunteers scheduled to work mornings. However, AM parkers must vacate this space by 1 PM for the evening shift to park.

Employees and volunteers who want to use the reserved parking area will be provided with a special pass for admission. A parking attendant will be stationed at the D-E entrance to control admission. Parkers must leave the pass for validation purposes on the dashboard of their vehicle while in the garage. Parkers who do not vacate the reserved space by 1 PM will lose the privilege of parking in the reserved area.

There are 50 or so AM parkers who could use the reserved space, and this change should free up space. This will be tried for one month, if successful, it will continue. Success is completely dependent upon cooperation.

Please contact the parking office at x2123 to receive a special pass for reserved space.

Weight Watchers at Work

The next ten week session of Weight Watchers at Work will begin the week of January 18, 1988. In order to run as scheduled, each class needs a minimum enrollment of 20 people. The cost is \$72 for the 10 weeks.

Times for the classes offered are:

Mondays 12–1 PM

January 18–March 21

Tuesdays 4–5:30 PM

January 19–March 22

MATERIAL MANAGEMENT: Carlisle Goodine

LABOR/DELIVERY: Janet Beckwith

SWITCHBOARD: Sylvia Berry

FOOD SERVICE: Dorothy Butts, Scott Harding, Kristi Wood

LAUNDRY: Thomas Cummings

PULMONARY MEDICINE: Julia Haverinen

DIAGNOSTIC RADIOLOGY: Maureen McCluskey, Reece Young

OPERATING ROOM: Mary Ellen Milette

PHYSICAL THERAPY: Catherine Chabot

Southern Maine
Oncology Nursing Society

**"Nursing and Resuscitate
Status (DNR): Involvement,
Issues and Conflicts"**

Estelle A. Lavoie, Esquire

January 19, 1988

5:00 p.m.—Business meeting

5:30 p.m.—Program

Classroom 3, Dana Center
Maine Medical Center



Continuing Education

Nursing Staff Development

• **"Nursing Management of Patients
with Empyema and Pneumothorax"**

Nursing Grand Rounds

Thursday, January 21, 1988

1:30 PM, Classroom 7

Sponsored by R1 Nursing Staff

• **"Orientation to Professional
Practice"**

Wednesday, January 20, 1988

7:45 AM-4 PM

prior registration only

**Films sought for
noon time enjoyment**

To carry everyone through the darker months of winter a lunch time entertainment series will be offered by the Office of Training and Development. They are looking for one hour films to rent or borrow. If you have any comedies, adventures or other enjoyable films you'd like to share please call x2824.

Marketplace

ROOMMATE WANTED: Female professional wanted to share 2 BR apt., non-smoker, heat included. \$275/mo., plus utils. and security deposit. Call 767-1050.

ROOMMATE WANTED: Female wanted to share apt., 10 minutes from MMC., \$250/mo. plus utils., call 761-2136.

ROOMMATE WANTED: M/F to share 3 BR apt. on West Street, 5 minutes from MMC. \$233/mo., plus 1/3 utils., call 761-2762.

ROOMMATE WANTED: M/F to share house in South Portland, \$300/mo. plus 1/2 utils., pets considered, 15 minutes from MMC.

FOR SALE: LLOYD B. breast pump, \$25. Call 729-1038 after 6 PM.

FOR SALE: 1 pair Heierling ladies ski boots, \$50, or best offer. Call 846-3528 after 6 PM.

FOR SALE: 1985 VW Jetta GLI, 4 door, sunroof, AM/FM stereo/cassette, 5 speed, manual, A/C, power windows, excellent condition, call 829-3379, evenings.

FOR SALE: Alpine car stereo, have a receipt, comes with a new head cleaner, \$200; adjustable art table, \$45.

FOR SALE: Baldwin Fun Machine about 6 years old, new \$1,200, now \$800 or best offer. Cash only, call 926-3771 after 6 PM or weekends.

FOR SALE: 1980 Subaru hatchback, 5 speed, 54,000 miles, AM/FM cassette/stereo, \$900. Call 774-0834 after 4 PM.

FOR SALE: 1982 Subaru GL wagon, 4 WD, 64K, new tires, no salt until 11/85, a/c, blue, 4 speed, AM/FM. Good condition, must see! \$2975 or best offer. Call 781-4634.

CHILD CARE: Wanted in Reiche school area for kindergartener. Call 871-0212 after 5 PM.

WANTED: Ride to and from Burlington, VT on weekends, call 761-2762.

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FOR RENT: 2 BR home in South Portland-Scarborough area. Available 2/1/88. \$650/mo., call 799-0257.

FOR RENT: Unique Cape-style renovation, fireplace, parking, 4 rooms, \$700/mo., call 774-9303.

FOR RENT: Newly redone, 1 BR, carpeted, parking, storage, brick building, \$425/mo., call 774-9303.

FOR RENT: 1 BR condo with ocean view. Large balcony, laundry hook-up, parking, pool, tennis, saunas, \$575/mo., plus utils., call 772-0328 evenings and weekends. Available 2/1/88.

FOR RENT: Professional office space. Plenty of free parking, lots of space, both new and renovated. Situated on a high visibility highway in Gorham, 15 minutes from Portland. Call 839-4664.

FOR RENT: Charming, new luxury apt., master BR, study, spacious living room/dining room area, private entrance, laundry, storage, 1 1/2 blocks from MMC. \$650/mo. heated, call 774-4732.

FOR RENT: Falmouth Foreside, furnished bedroom, in private 12 room home, on 2 1/2 acres with water view. Private bath, and large den with skylights, share kitchen, all modern conveniences, W/D, must love animals, 10 minutes to downtown Portland, \$300/mo., call 781-4758 after 5 PM.

FOR SALE: 4 Michelin snow tires, P185-75/R14, used for 1 month, must sell \$175. Call 883-3750.

FOR SALE: Antique Oak Cabinet, \$450. Call 775-1213.

FOR SALE: Casio Keyboard (CT-320), full size keys in perfect condition. \$300 new, will sell for \$169, or best offer. Call 773-4216 after 3 PM.

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