WHAT'S HAPPENING ...

June 11, 1973

PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT MAINE MEDICAL CENTER PORTLAND, MAINE 04102 A VISIT WITH THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

The second in what is expected to be a continuing series of employees' meetings with Philip K. Reiman, MMC executive director, has been scheduled June 19 through June 22. The sessions are expected to take the same format as the series held last December, and are the result of suggestions from employees that the informal gettogethers might be repeated. Topics will be hospital events, progress and policies. Here's the schedule:

Tuesday, June 19	8 a.m. and 2 p.m.
Wednesday, June 20	1 p.m.
Thursday, June 21	3 p.m.
Friday, June 22	3 p.m.

All the meetings will be held in the Rolland Irish Classrooms. All are welcome.

STEVENSON HEADS U-FUND

Unit Manager Arthur Stevenson, chairman of the Employees' Activity Committee and over the past several several years coach-manager of the MMC softball and football teams, has accepted the chairmanship of the 1973 United Fund Campaign within the institution. Executive Director Philip K. Reiman, announcing Stevenson's appointment Thursday, noted that the hospital drive will be among those conducted in September, one month ahead of the community-wide effort, in the campaign's "Pace-setter" phase. About 60 percent of MMC's 2,000 employees contributed a total of \$17,500 last year, and Stevenson hopes both the participation and the pledges will be increased in 1973.

MHA ANNUAL SESSIONS

A delegation from MMC will attend the various sessions of the Maine Hospital Association's annual meeting this week in Kennebunkport. The annual business meeting, highlight of the convention, will open at 9 a.m. today, and will be followed by the annual meetings of several affiliated groups. All events will be held at the Colony.

AWARDED DOCTORATES

The Rev. Karl S. Andersen and the Rev. John N. Simpson, chaplains at MMC, have been awarded the degree of Doctor of Ministry by Andover Newton Theological School, Newton Center, Mass. The granting followed completion of a two-year course undertaken by the chaplains while they were engaged in their duties at MMC and other Portland hospitals. The doctorate was recently approved by the American Association of Theological Schools as a professional standard.

R8 PRESS PREVIEW

Ladies and gentlemen of the press, radio and television toured the new cardiac facilities on R8 this week, guided by the director, Dr. Harold L. Osher. It was the second in a series of open-house events to be staged this Spring in the new Cardiac Center. Employees were first to view the new facilities late last week, and other tours have been scheduled June 25 and July 11.

40 PERCENT COMPLETE

Maintenance Engineer Donald Bail told department heads Thursday that construction of the new radiation therapy-pathology laboratories building is 40 percent complete and on schedule. He noted that workmen are pouring the columns that will support the structure's roof, one floor above ground level. He also reported that more than 100 trees and shrubs have been planted around and in front of the parking ramp, and that construction of a cyclone fence that will surround the complex, essentially, will begin this week.

RESERVATIONS SWITCH

Responsibility for booking the Rolland Irish Classrooms, cafeteria conference rooms, and for arranging meals for special meetings has been assigned to the office of Dr. Albert Aranson. Jane Crosby or Candy Kucharik will take telephone reservations, phone 2111, 2651.