



WHAT'S HAPPENING...

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EVENING FOR NURSING

Mrs. Eleanor Catir, R.N., nurse supervisor, is chairman of the planning committee for "An Evening for Nursing" scheduled Wednesday, May 31, in classrooms 2 & 3 at 7:30 p.m. The theme: "Supervisors...Their Thing."

AREA REPRESENTATIVES

Miss Phyllis B. Cushman, R.D., chief therapeutic dietitian, has been named representative of Area 1 on the nominating committee of the American Dietetic Association. Area 1 includes the New England States, New York and New Jersey.

Miss Eleanor C. Cairns, Health Sciences Librarian, has been named to represent the New England area on the membership committee of the Medical Library Association.

DATE WITH DISASTER

The President's Office of Emergency Preparedness has loaned us the documentary film, "Date with Disaster" which deals with the multi-hospital preparedness plan developed by the Hospital Council of Southern California. Narrated by Jack Webb, the film documents the resulting orderly response by the hospitals in the 1971 San Fernando Valley earthquake. The film will be shown in the Irish classrooms for all who can attend on Wednesday, May 31, at 4 p.m.

RECEIVES ACS AWARD

Mrs. Grace Moulton, R.N., oncology nurse clinician, was honored for her work with cancer patients last week at the annual meeting of the Cumberland County Unit, American Cancer Society. Mrs. Moulton received a jewelled pin bearing the ACS sword from Ronald J. Carroll, M.D., MMC oncology division director and president of the Cumberland County Unit.

MORNINGS ONLY

Mrs. Ada Sleeper, R.N., nurse-in-charge of the Employee Health Office, Chisholm House, has asked us to remind MMC people that she is on duty only during the mornings, and that this is the time for Tine tests and other services of her department. Appointments may be made with the EHO secretary any time during the day.

WAY BEYOND THE WALLS

Miss Pauline M. Fahey, R.N., assistant director of Nursing for clinical services and President of the Maine State Nurses' Association, joined Mrs. Elaine Keyte, R.N., head nurse, R2, to present a full-day program on orthopedic nursing in Calais Thursday. Attending were more than 50 nurses from all over Maine's far downeast.

DRAWING PAYS EXPENSES

Manager-coach Art Stevenson of the MMC Softball team says a total of \$225 was earned in the recent drawing, all of it to be used for league entry fees, uniforms and equipment. Top ticket seller was Bob "Scooter" Tillman, Pathology, who marketed \$50 worth. Carol Studebaker, secretary in the Medical Services Federal Credit Union, was one of the winners. Softball practice this week is scheduled Wednesday and Thursday at 6 p.m. at Quinn and Jack Junior fields respectively.

ARBOR DAY AT MUSCONGUS BAY

A tiny tree that may some day be 150 feet tall and eight feet thick will soon be planted on Indian Island, Muscongus Bay, by the chief of the tribe, Jim MacKenzie. The six-inch California Redwood sprout was grown in a pot by Arthur Wilkinson of Research from seed sent east two years ago by Arthur's daughter. Mac has only one concern...if the tree gets too big, the island may tip over.

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