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## GIVE BLOOD -- SAVE LIVES!

Again this year we are having a blood drive for the Red Cross. The drive will be held on October 25, 1977 in the SUL from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. We have a reputation for being the college with the second highest number of donors. Let's pass G.W. and be number one this year!

Be watching for more information about this blood drive. If interested... contact Marian Dickson, Blood Drive Coordinator.

## OTIS HOUSE NEEDS YOU

This is the time of year when many persons give to their favorite charities. The sponsors of the Otis House would like to ask you to remember Otis House when giving this year. Otis House is the half-way house for the deaf here in Washington. It is a residential home for six hearing impaired persons who are in transition between the psychiatric hospital and the community.

Otis House is sponsored by the National Health-Care Foundation for the Deaf, a non-profit organization. They are dependent on donations and contributions for over one-third of their yearly budget. This is why they ask you to consider them in your giving this fall. Your contributions are tax deductible and your checks can be made out to NHCFD and sent to Dr. Wilson Grabill, NHCFD, 1203 Otis St., N.E., Washington, D.C., 20017.

## SEASON PASSES AVAILABLE

The Drama Department will present three productions during this academic year, Ah! Wilderness, The Diary of Anne Frank, and Sleeping Beauty. The department is offering season passes to all faculty and staff members at a total cost of \$4.75, a savings of \$2.75. If you are interested in purchasing a season pass contact Jo Tracy, Box 1001, or call her on ext. 605.

## EXTENSION CENTER OPENS IN MIDWEST

The Center for Continuing Education at Gallaudet has established a Midwest Regional Extension Center at Johnson County Community College (JCCC); Overland Park, Kansas. The new Center will serve the five-state midwest region of Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Iowa and Nebraska.

Located on the campus of JCCC in a suburb of Kansas City, the geographic center of the five-state region, the Midwest Extension Center will offer such services as parent education programs, sign language teacher training workshops, mini-courses in leadership for deaf adults, continuing education internships, professional workshops, and graduate level professional preparation courses.

A first for the College, the Extension Center will provide Gallaudet with a new way of sharing its resources with a specific region of the country. Newly appointed director of the Extension Center, Edward L. Franklin, anticipates having workshops underway as early as this fall.

## SWEET FOOD FOR THOUGHT

The Potomac Chapter of the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf is having an informal gathering on Friday, September 16 in the MSSD Visitor's Lounge at 7:30 p.m. There will be a panel discussion on the deaf consumer's viewpoint on interpreting. Come, join in the fun and bring your favorite dessert to share.

For prompt answers to your questions;

Carol Deninger	262-7031 v/TTY
Carol Pace	362-3962 v/TTY
Jan Nishimura	447-0864 v/TTY

## NAME CHANGE

The Department of Sociology has a new title: Department of Sociology and Social Work.

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*Janet Bailey*

SPECIAL FOSTER HOME SOUGHT

The Fairfax County Department of Social Services has asked me to share this information with you. They are looking for a family who is willing to share their home during vacation times.

"Jessica is a nine year old deaf child enrolled in a special program for autistic-like children who is just beginning to learn to communicate through signs. She learns quickly and is very loving. She sits quietly to do puzzles and look at books and she has excellent motor skills. She follows directions quickly and has learned to watch adults carefully to see what they want her to do. With a family to help her increase her sign vocabulary, we think this child can learn to function normally in a home situation."

If you are interested in learning more about Jessica, please contact Mrs. Lilly at Fairfax County Department of Social Services, 938-5300.

AMONG OURSELVES

--Bill Stokoe has been very busy on his sabbatical editing the quarterly, Sign Language Studies. He is in the process of editing the proceedings of the National Symposium on Sign Language Research & Teaching that was held in Chicago this past May. On September 16 he will be leaving for the fall term as Visiting Fellow at Clare College, Cambridge (address, 19 Croft Lodge, Barton Road). During his stay in England he has engagements for seminars and lectures and hopes to interact with many British and European educators who find signing the main highway to education of the deaf.

--Eli Savanick recently returned from a week in Pennsylvania where he directed a total immersion sign class for beginning signers.

--Wanda Witczak and Larry Berke were married on July 9, 1977.

--The Counseling Center wishes to welcome Matt Searls, Norma Beumi and Roger Beach as new employees.

--Dr. Lloyd Anderson has joined the staff of the Linguistics Research Lab.

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