



WEEK OF APRIL 24, 1988

STATION NOTES

STATION'S UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN KICKS OFF THIS WEEK

Many aspects of the 1988 United Way campaign are identical to last year except for a 6.5 percent increase in the Station's goal of \$12,120.

The campaign this year will be headed by Bob Seem, Plant Pathology. Last year, \$11,380 was donated by Station men and women following a campaign that had Bob Lamb at the helm.

"We have a very achievable goal if those who currently contribute raise their pledge slightly, and if those who haven't participated in the past decide to do so," Seem says. About 60 percent of the Station's employees contribute to the United Way.

"People will receive pledge cards from department or unit representatives soon. These same people (listed later) can answer questions and, as the campaign winds down, will collect all pledge cards," Seem says. He added that as in past years it is important that all cards are returned, even if no pledge is made.

The United Way represents an easy way for people to support worthwhile agencies within the community. In the Geneva area for example, United Way supports such groups and organizations as the Association for Retarded Children, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, Geneva Senior Citizens Club, The Salvation Army, Family Counseling Service of the Finger Lakes and several recreational and welfare agencies, including the American Red Cross.

"The easiest way to contribute is through payroll deduction," Seem says. "Just check the box and sign your name on the pledge card. Of course, alternative methods of contribution such as single, lump-sum payments, or quarterly contributions, can be made." Donors can designate one or more agencies to receive their contribution, if they wish.



1988 United Way Campaign Chairman Bob Seem

Assisting with this year's Station campaign are the following men and women: Roxanne Broadway (348), Entomology; Mollie Burke (353), IPM; Tom DeYulio (293), Farm Crew and Greenhouse; Sue Dwyer (244), Germplasm Resources; Ben Gavitt (263), FS&T, Floors G and I; Wolfram Koeller (375), Plant Pathology.

Also, Dave Lasher (220), B&P, Heating Plant; Bruce Reisch (239), HS, Hedrick; Pat Krauss (201), Jordan Hall; Cyrus Samimy (242), HS, Sturtevant; and Bea Stoyla (275), FS&T, 2nd Floor.

CREDIT UNION SPONSORS USED CAR SALE

The Cornell Federal Credit Union is sponsoring The Hertz Used Car Sale. It's being held at the East Hill Plaza parking lot, Judd Falls Road, Ithaca, April 30 - May 1 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. There will be a large selection of late model cars, special discounts offered, service maintenance records available on all cars, pre-approved loans, and special financing rates. For additional information contact Charlene Dunham, Personnel Office, extension 203.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesday, April 26, 6:30-9:30 p.m., staff room, Jordan Hall: *Red Cross instructor's training session*

Wednesday, April 27, Secretary's Day

Wednesday, April 27, 7:00 p.m., staff room, Jordan Hall: *Finger Lakes Stamp Club*

Thursday, April 28, 3:00-5:00 p.m., staff room, Jordan Hall: *International Agriculture group meeting*



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SEMINARS

SPECIAL

Date: Monday, April 25
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Place: Food Science Conference Room
Subject: New chromatography applications for the food industry
Speaker: "EM Science" TBA

ENTOMOLOGY

Date: Monday, April 25
Time: 3:30 p.m.
Place: Room 310, Barton Lab
Speaker: Tracy Frisch
Subject: How New York apple growers manage pests:
 An examination of several grower strategies

INTERNATIONAL AGRICULTURE

Date: Thursday, April 28
Time: 3:30 p.m.
Place: Seminar Room, Barton Lab
Speaker: J. E. Haldeman
Subject: Opportunities for training programs in International Agriculture: Role of Geneva

♥ GOURMET DINNER COMING UP ♥

The posters for the May 7 Gourmet Dinner are now blooming on your department bulletin boards. All Station employees and their spouses or friends are invited to Jordan Hall for hors d'oeuvres at 6:30 p.m. and dinner at 7:00 p.m. Please bring a dish to pass and its recipe. The recipe cards will be compiled for a forthcoming cookbook. Also, bring your own personal table setting. A \$1.50 per person donation at the door will help defray costs. "Beet" the crowds and sign up today for a truly enjoyable evening.

SIGMA XI ANNUAL BANQUET TO BE HELD

The Annual Banquet of Sigma Xi, Geneva Club, will take place on Tuesday, May 3 at the Scandling Center, Hobart & William Smith Colleges. A wine and cheese social will begin at 6:00 p.m. and dinner at 6:30 p.m. Members, please return your banquet reservation forms to Andy Rao by April 25.

The Annual Spring Lecture, sponsored by Sigma Xi and open to the public, will be given on Tuesday, May 3 at 8:00 p.m. in the Geneva Room of the Warren Hunting Smith Library, Hobart & William Smith Colleges. Dr. Donald Perry of UCLA will give the lecture, "A drive through the jungle treetops." Dr. Perry has published his views of tropical biology in book, newspaper, magazine and televised formats, including segments on "Nova", National Geographic's Explorer series, "Merv Griffin," etc.

RETIREMENT PARTY

Don't forget, a dinner for Bernadette D'Amico will be held Friday, May 6 at Club 86. You are invited for cocktails and hors d'oeuvres at 6:00 p.m. and dinner at 7:00 p.m. The deadline for reservations is Friday, April 29. For further information contact Alice Martin, B&P, extension 302.

LIBRARY BOOK MISSING

Please check your shelves for the following journal and return it to the library as soon as possible: *Handling, Transportation and Storage of Fruits and Vegetables*, Vol. 2, 1982. Call number 634.04/R95 v.2.

*See you at the Bowling Party
Saturday, April 23*

1988 TENNIS LADDER SET

At long last, the moment you've all been waiting for is here. The 1988 Tennis Ladder will be "serving" off on May 4. It is open to all Station employees and their families (players of all skill levels). Anyone who would "love" to join should contact Donna Gray, Entomology (X325). Come join the fun and get some fresh air and exercise at the same time.

CLASSIFIEDS

WANTED: Looking for a good, used vacuum cleaner. Call Mollie, extension 353.

AVAILABLE: Playmate for your dog and/or children from June 1988 to June 1989. Loveable, obedient, house trained, 18-month old spayed, female black lab. Will pay expenses plus \$30 per month. Call Norm Weeden, extension 245 or 789-7286.

FOR SALE: Conifer seedlings of Austrian Pine (*Pinus nigra*), 2-years old, 5-9" tall; Scotch Pine (*Pinus sylvestris*), Booneville strain, 2-years old, 4-6" tall; Douglass Fir (*Pseudotsuga menziesii*), 2-years old, 8-17" tall, seed source=Lincoln, Kiabab. Contact Stan Comstock, extension 278 or 789-4517.

FOR SALE: Twin size Sealy Posturepedic bed in excellent condition, dresser, various baskets and lamps, hair dryer, ironing board, etc. Contact Kristin Bartik, extension 240.

FOR SALE: 1984 Ford Tempo GL, 4-door sedan, new front tires, red. Excellent condition. One owner, no accidents, 35,100 actual miles. Owner retiring. Contact Bernadette at extension 301 or 789-1427 after 6:00 p.m.

FOR RENT: One-bedroom apartment on North Main St. Off-street parking, near downtown. Friendly landlady. \$250 per month plus electric. Contact Jim, extension 364 or 781-2744 evenings.