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STAFF REPRESENTATIVES SOUGHT FOR ORC FOLLOW-UP TASK FORCE

In his State-of-the-Laboratory address on March 13, Director Harold Furth announced plans to expand membership in the Follow-up Task Force on the ORC Attitude Survey. The current Task Force, established last fall, has recommended a series of Laboratory-wide actions in response to employee concerns expressed in the Survey. These recommendations were summarized by Harold Furth in his talk last month. These actions include initiation of on-site employee training and development, expanded supervisory training, steps to improve two-way communications be-

tween managers and employees, reorientation of the HOTLINE, and modifications in the personnel appraisal process.

According to Task Force Chairman Jim Clark, one non-supervisory employee from each of the six staff groups (Lab and Shop, Senior Lab and Shop, Office and Support Staff, Administration, Engineering and Scientific Staff, and Research Staff) will be invited to join the Task Force in helping to implement the approved recommendations and to develop additional recommendations. "The ob-

ject of the effort is to strengthen Laboratory performance, enhance staff capabilities, and improve the quality of work-life at PPPL," Clark explained. "Harold Furth has asked that the expanded Task Force continue in operation for at least a year," he added.

Employees who are not supervisors and who are interested in participating are asked to complete the nomination form and forward it by Monday, April 6 to Deputy Director for Administrative Operations, Jim Clark, Chairman of the Follow-up Task Force, Room B384, C-Site.

ORC SURVEY FOLLOW-UP TASK FORCE NOMINATION FORM

_____	Name	_____	Lab Phone
_____	Organization	_____	Job Title
_____	Supervisor's Name	_____	Years of PPPL Service

STAFF (please check staff affiliation):

_____	Research	_____	Senior Lab and Shop
_____	Engineering and Scientific	_____	Lab and Shop
_____	Administrative	_____	Office and Clerical

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY. RETURN TO JIM CLARK, CHAIRMAN FOLLOW-UP TASK FORCE, ROOM B384, C-SITE, BY MONDAY, APRIL 6.

OBITUARIES

Henry Chandler, Jr. died March 27 after a short illness. A long-time employee of PPPL, he joined the Laboratory as a member of Project Matterhorn in 1959. At the time of his death, he was Head of the Motor Generator Section in the Engineering Department.

He is survived by a niece, Diana Kenner, and a nephew, Stephen Dilworth.

A memorial service will be held at the Princeton University Chapel on Thursday, April 2 at 1:30 p.m.

The family has requested that in lieu of flowers donations be made to the Hill School in Pottstown, PA or to the Princeton University Class of 1942.

John Woolsey and his wife, Kathleen, died March 27. He was employed at the Laboratory since 1978 as a Technician in Technology Operations.

They are survived by their four children, John Patrick, Joseph, Gregory, and Kristen.

Donations can be made to the J. Woolsey Children's Fund, Hamilton Fire Company, 1805 E. State Street, Trenton, NJ 08609.

Joseph Bottinelli, who retired in 1983 after 23 years as a technical associate in the Engineering Division Vacuum Section, died in October.

He is survived by his wife, Gertrude, and his brother, Edward.

John Leary, who retired in 1979 after 19 years as a technician in the Engineering Division MG Section, died in mid-February.

STATE of THE LABORATORY MESSAGE AVAILABLE to EMPLOYEES on VIDEOTAPE

Director Harold Furth presented the State of the Laboratory message on March 13. His presentation was videotaped and is now available for viewing by Laboratory staff. Managers are encouraged to show it to employees who were unable to attend. Contact the Photo Lab, ext. 2090, to make arrangements for group viewing of the video.

The talk is also available on VHS videotapes which may be borrowed by PPPL personnel for home showings. Contact Pat Stephens, ext. 2750, to checkout a copy.

SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday, May 2 has been tentatively selected as the date of a Family and Community Day open house at PPPL. TFTR will be open for visitors, as well as PLT, PBX, and S-1. Displays on the Laboratory program and refreshments are planned. Diane Carroll is coordinating the arrangements, and she can be reached at ext. 2751. Plan to bring your family and friends for a fun and informative day.

APRIL SPEAKERS

A series of colloquiums are given each year from September to June. They are held on Wednesday at 4:15 p.m. in the MBG Auditorium, unless otherwise noted. The March colloquiums include:

"Spatial and Temporal Characteristics of Decreasing Stratospheric Ozone," by Donald Heath, Goddard Space Flight Center, Maryland, 1 April.

"Alternate Energy Strategy to 2020," by Robert Williams, Center for Energy and Environmental Studies, Princeton University, 15 April.

"Recent Research in Muon Catalyzed Fusion and Fusion with Polarized Nuclei," by Russell Kulsrud, Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory, 22 April.

SPRING FORWARD

Daylight savings time begins this weekend. Clocks are officially set forward one hour on Sunday morning, April 5 at 2:00 a.m.

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