

STAFF

CONGRESS

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1985 DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS

Distinguished Service awards will be presented at the Staff Awards Luncheon on Thursday, September 26, 1985. The NKU Distinguished Service Award is bestowed upon staff employees who have made exemplary contributions to the growth, image, or efficient operation of the University. Nominations for the award are reviewed by a committee of staff members and are judged on the basis of criteria which demonstrate such exemplary contributions. Nominations can be made by faculty, staff, and students.

Nomination forms will be distributed to the campus community in August and must be submitted by Tuesday, September 10, 1985. The committee members for this year are: past award recipients, Carla Chance, X-5125; Gary Eith, X-6490; Rich Feist, X-5660; Marjorie Scheller, X-5126; Allen Thomas, X-5503; and Phyllis Weeland, X-5657. Also on the committee are Steve Meier, X-5198; Sharon Taylor, X-6365; Pat Coleman Mullins, X-5181; Barb Herald, ex-officio, X-6387; and Delores Thelen, past award recipient and chairperson, X-6326.

Please feel free to contact any of the committee members with any questions concerning the nomination process.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONCERN

At the May 8, 1985 Board of Regents meeting Dr. Boothe stated that for the terminations submitted for the previous quarter, the reasons for terminations were as follows:

- 40% - better pay for the same type of job
- 30% - change in career (could include anything from dissatisfaction with job to problems with a supervisor)
- 15% - left the work force completely
- 11% - promotion opportunities
- 4% - involuntary

Dr. Boothe expressed to the Board that 51% of terminations are for more pay and better opportunities and is an extremely high rate of turnover. He stressed that better salaries are necessary to attract and retain quality employees.

A. D. ALBRIGHT SCHOLARSHIP

The Staff Congress A. D. Albright scholarship is a one-year full tuition scholarship at in-state undergraduate rates awarded to a family member of NKU staff. This award is based on academic excellence. The 1985 recipients are Lori Martz, daughter of Ralph Martz of Physical Plant and a recent graduate of Bishop Brossart High School in Alexandria, KY and Bonnie Riffe, daughter of Audrey Riffe of the Registrar's Office and a recent graduate of Highlands High School, Ft. Thomas, KY.

A continental breakfast for the scholarship recipients, their parents, and the staff of NKU will be held in late June or early July. A notice of the exact date will be published soon.

RETIRING?

Retired NKU employees may now attend athletic events and theater productions at NKU free of charge. Spouses are included in this benefit. I. D. cards will be issued for this purpose. Call Barb Herald, X6387 for more information.

EMERGENCY SICK LEAVE BANK PROPOSAL

The benefits committee have been working on a Emergency Sick Leave Bank recommendation and will present this recommendation to the administration in the near future. The purpose of this bank of sick leave (which would be donated from individual employee's accumulated sick leave) is to provide extra sick leave for long-term major illnesses, accidents and/or hospitalization. We will keep you informed on the progress of this policy.

ANNUAL FACULTY/STAFF PICNIC

This year's Faculty/Staff family picnic will be on Saturday, August 17 at Camp Marydale in Erlanger, KY from 1 p.m. till dark. Watch for more details in the July newsletter.

NEW EMPLOYEES

Teresa Malone - President's Office	Donna Leadingham - Registrar
David German - Physical Plant	Alicia Greis - Media Services
Mary Volmer - Child Care Center	Bill Wayne - Communications
Sheila Rue - WNKU	Dave Reed - Physical Plant
Jennifer Mason - Psychology	Helen Wilhelm-Olsen - Assoc. Provost
Marilyn Gosney - Special Services	Cathy Cate - Math Department

TRANSFERS

Ann Whittle - Main Library	Sherry Maxey - Biology
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FAREWELLS

Judy Grainger - Biology	Stacey Sanders - Talent Search
Jan Werf - Public Safety	Kelley Veatch - Education
Tim Guilkey - Physical Plant	Gene Elliott - Roads & Grounds
Ann Jordan - Homemaker ReEntry	Alice Hughes - Law Library
Elana Herold - Chase	William Simpson - Physical Plant

NEW ARRIVALS

LeRoy Lauer, University College has a new daughter. Melisa Dawn was born June 7 and weighed 7 lbs. 3 1/2 oz.

June 6, Kim Carius, University College had a new daughter. Her name is Amanda Kate. She weighed 7 lbs. 6 oz.

Helen Tucker, Advising, Counseling, Testing Center is the proud grandmother of Matthew Alan Tucker. Matthew Alan is the son of Alan (former NKU employee) and Rae Tucker. He was born May 1.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

July - Road construction on Nunn Drive
July 11 - Staff Congress Meeting
August 8 - Staff Congress Meeting
August 17 - Faculty/Staff Picnic
September 10 - Distinguished Service Awards - Last
date for nominations
September 12 - Staff Congress Meeting
September 26 - Staff Awards Luncheon