# October 2000

# Tidbits from Congress:

A presentation was given by Bruce Schinhous, TIAA-CREF, about the Kentucky Education Savings Plan Trust. This is a great program to help parents start saving early for a college education for their children. To receive an information packet, call toll free 1-877-KY-TRUST or

### http://www.kentuckytrust.org.

- Shew Mei Chen, Irene Boling and Tom Selby have resigned from Staff Congress. Shirley Welitzkin and Ron Vasko have agreed to fill two of the vacancies, but we still have one vacancy remaining. If interested in serving on Staff Congress, contact Audrey Riffe at 572-5227 or Rita Thomas at 572-6400.
- Staff Regent Chuck Pettit gave a report on the Board of Regents retreat held September 11 and 12. Also, the Board had their regular meeting on September 27. He reported that the President's contract has been extended, the Master Plan was adopted, and the annual fiscal report was given. He noted that the Board meetings are open to the public and encouraged everyone to attend.
- Vice President Baker reported on the recent announcement regarding the regular audit of the Department of Public Safety. He noted NKU should be very proud of its safety record and commented on the diversified police force. Anyone interested in seeing the DPS crime log can access it from the DPS web site.

#### http://access.nku.edu/dps/crimelog.htm

- The University's health care contract with PacifiCare will end on December 31, 2000. The new contract for health insurance is with Anthem. The selection committee was commended for a tremendous job in evaluating the five proposals submitted. The deadline for turning in completed insurance forms to Human Resources is November 16 at noon.
- The Transportation Committee has been busy studying traffic problems on campus and reported that two new bus shelters will be installed soon along Kenton Drive.
- A report summarizing the results of the Staff Satisfaction Survey will be available soon. A full copy of the report will be on file at Steely Library, in Human Resources, in each department, and in the Staff Congress office.
- The Policy and Procedure for Accommodation Appeal was submitted for review by Disability Services. Various issues were discussed with minor changes recommended.

### http://access.nku.edu/congress

### Announcements:

### Joe Wind



#### Kathleen Hughes



Community and Government Relations, is the proud father of *Joseph "Reece" Wind*, born September 14 7 lbs, 7.4 oz., 20" long. Congratulations to Joe, his wife Patty, and big sister Kelsey.

Chase College of Law and Local Government Law Center, and her husband Patrick are the proud parents of *Julia Mae Hughes*, born September 25 at 7:45 p.m. and weighing 7 lbs, 10 oz. Congratulations!

# With Deepest Sympathy:

Carla Behymer	Former Chase Law Library employee, on the death of her brother John Kelsch.	
Bonnie Smith	University Printing, on the death of her father, Jack Williamson, and her mother- in-law, Mary Smith.	

# Happy Retirement:

Janis Neltner	Math and Computer Science	
Bill Schack	Physical Plant	

### **FYI...**

Anyone seeking legal council may contact the Northern Kentucky Bar Association at 781-1300 for a referral. The Bar Association is located in Nunn Hall on the third floor.

Humar	Resources Re	eport for July 1, 2	2000 - Septemb	er 12, 2000
Activations:	Todd Asalon Lori Beck Kimberly Blackburn Jane Bratton Karen Clark Linda Fisher-Hartig Timothy Gross Peter Holloway J. Webb Horton Judith Huff	Athletics Office of Comptroller Admissions Admissions Human Resources Technology Residential Life Information Technology Athletics Political Science	Deborah Luck Jayne Martin-Dressing Michael Meyer Becky Miller-Thomas Stephen Moon Susan Mueller Jerry Wallace Jessica Whyte Steven Winford Milissa Zloba	HCT & Disability Srvc. Ed. Talent Search Athletics Ed. Talent Search Steely Library Early Childhood Center Residential Life Soc/Anthro/Philosophy Physical Plant Physical Plant
Temporary/ Contract to Regular Status:	Eric Landwehr	IT-IFS	Lee Weiner	CINSAM
Reassignments, Reclassifications, Re-Engineering, Title Changes, & Promotions:	Terri Bridewell Michael Goldberg Daniel Jones Angie Schaffer Leonore Chambers Jennifer Cornett	University Center WNKU Institutional Research Office of Fin. Planning VP Acad. Affrs/Provost Technology	Ruth Griffith Marilyn McGinley Sandra Medley John O'Neill Kimberly Sanders	Eco/Fin/IFS Eco/Fin/IFS Physical Plant Physical Plant WNKU
Transfers:	Sally Allen Mimi Assanuvat Gail Goedel Daniel Jones Lisa LaMar Edwinna Meister Kathleen Ruck Deborah Sumpter Laura Walter Karen Ware Linda Wright	Dept. of Accountancy NKU Foundation Bookstore Institutional Research Admissions Information Technology Office of Vice Provost School of Education Econ/Fin/Info. University Commun. Bookstore	toEntrepreneurshiptoUniv. AdvancementtoAll Card AdministrationtoInformation TechnologytoCommunity EducationtoEnrollment Management.toContinuing EducationtoV.P. Acad. Affrs/ProvosttoCOB-AdvisingtoCINSAMtoAll Card Aministration	
Terminations:	Lee Coates Meichelle Gibson Gena Grigson Dana Hall Catherine Harvey Merlyn Jefferson Cindy Lacey-Tieman Edward Lear Eileen Long Leslie Manke Lacey Martinez	School of Education Ed. Talent Search Ed. Talent Search Ed. Talent Search KTIP/EDU Fac. Senate/Staff Congr. Campus Recreation Telecommunications Bookstore Institutional Research Soc/Ant/Phil	Karen O'Brien Roseria Petruzzi Marc Ridder Larry Schabell Dona Stallard John Stevens John Sugg Aleashia Walton Constance Ward Andrew Whitley	Fine Arts Bookstore Physical Plant Physical Plant Technology Information Technology Registrar Information Technology Bursar Chase Law Library

Congratulations to the Regents Distinguished Service Award Winners!!!

William Davis, Service/Technical Category Royleen Seibert, Professional Category Debbie Billiter, Clerical Category

# FYI...Lost or Found

Listed below are the various Lost or Found locations across campus:

Information Desk, University Center, Plaza Level Department of Public Safety, 415 Johns Hill Road Campus Recreation, Health Center, First Floor Circulation Desk, Steely Library, Third Floor Office of Residential Life, Norse Commons For Lost or Found NKU ID's: Business Services, Admin. Center, Sixth Floor

For Lost or Found NKU keys: Department of Public Safety, 415 Johns Hill Road

## Third Annual Steely Library Christmas Tree Lighting November 30, 2000 at 10:00 am

The University Community is cordially invited to the Third Annual Steely Library Christmas Tree Lighting. Join us again as we kick off the Christmas Season with entertainment by the children from the Early Childhood Center and decorate the tree. Ornaments from previous years will be available. New ornaments from departments not yet represented are welcome. Festivities will be held on the third floor of Steely Library near the main entrance.

# Important Dates to Remember:

November 1	Wellness Fair
November 12	Faculty/Staff Follies
November 16	Health Insurance Applications due in Human
	Resources by noon.
November 30	Steely Library Christmas Tree Lighting

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Call or e-mail us with your news!!

In the spirit of the new Millennium we are going totally ONLINE!! The December issue of the Staff Congress Newsletter will be the last paper copy you will receive. However, we understand that not all employees have ready access to computers. So if you need to continue receiving the paper copy please fill in the information below and mail to Rita Thomas, Staff Congress, Secretary, AC 105, by December 31, 2000.

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Department address