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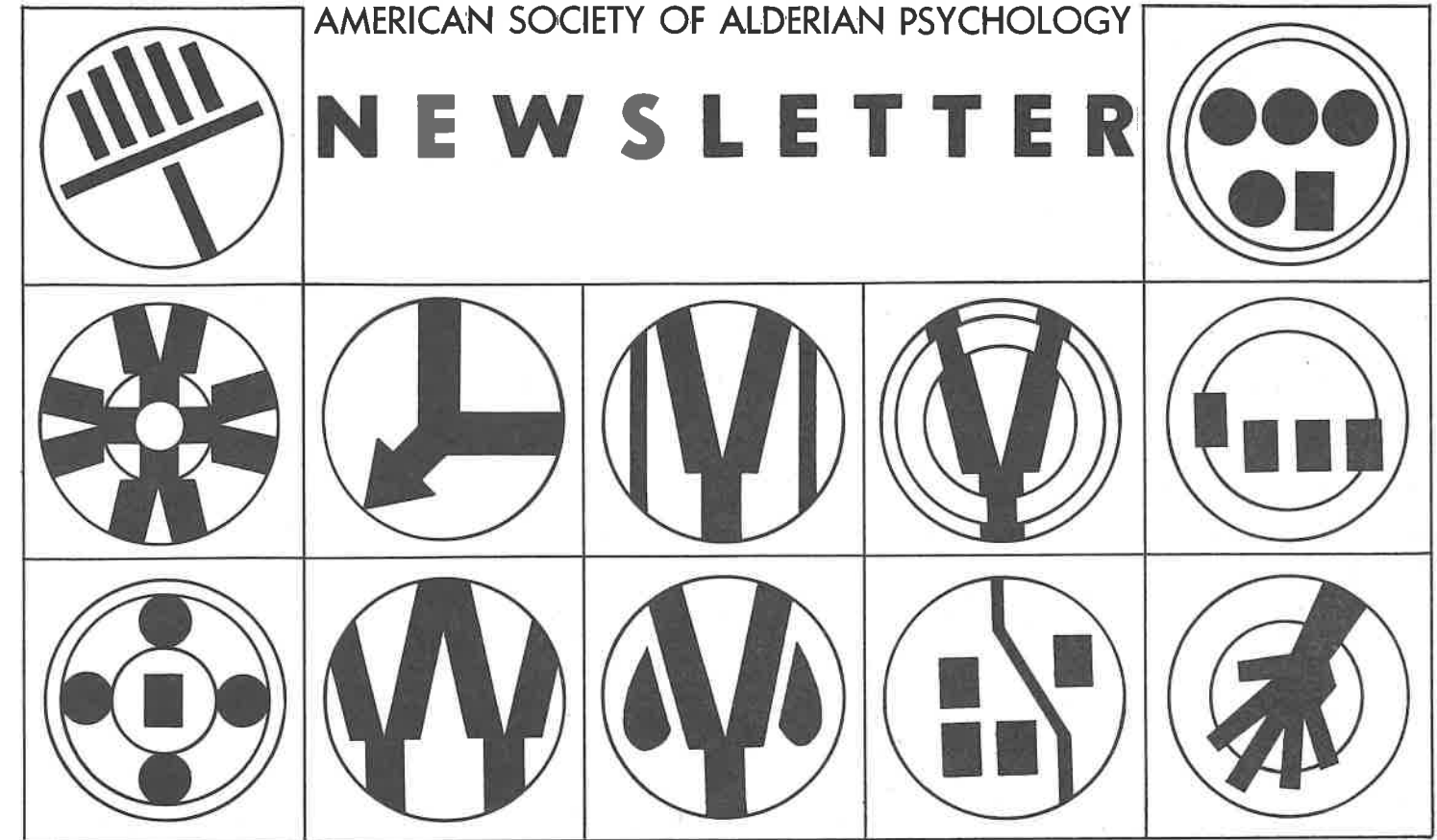
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CALENDAR

1972

- July 25,26 - Dr. Harold Mosak gave a course on Life Style, Olmstead Unitarian Church, North Olmstead, Ohio.
- August 3 - Dr. Walter E. O'Connell presented a workshop for 300 teachers titled "Sanity: Theirs and Ours," Fort Worth, Texas.
- August 11 - Dr. Walter E. O'Connell conducted a workshop for the students and faculty of the Univ. of St. Thomas on "Encouragement."
- September 1 - Dr. Harold Mosak gave an orientation to the faculty of Northmont School District, Englewood, Ohio.

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- September 1 - Bernice Grunwald presented a program to the Englewood School Group on "Techniques of Encouragement and Group Dynamics."
- September 5 - Dr. Harold Mosak presented a program for elementary teachers, Michigan City, Indiana.
- September 6 - Dr. Walter E. O'Connell presented a paper, "Action Therapy: Values for Education and Society" at the Symposium on Psychodrama, American Psychological Association Convention, Hawaii.
- September 23,24 - Bernice Grunwald will conduct a "Group Procedures" workshop for teachers, St. Louis, Missouri.

EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENTS

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FALL QUARTER 1972

All classes will begin the week of October 2, 1972. Each course is conducted once a week for a two-hour period on the weekday noted.

- MONDAY - 5:30 P.M. - DIAGNOSIS I - Harold H. Mosak, Ph.D., and Staff
- 5:30 P.M. - PRACTICUM IN GROUP PSYCHOTHERAPY - Robert Cross, P.S.W.
- 7:30 P.M. - AN INTRODUCTION TO INDIVIDUAL PSYCHOLOGY I - Robert Powers, B.D., M.A.
- TUESDAY - 4:30 P.M. - FAMILY COUNSELING I - Bernice Grunwald, M.Ed.
- 6:30 P.M. - READING INSTRUCTION AND DIAGNOSIS IN THE PRIMARY AND ELEMENTARY GRADES - Bernice Grunwald, M.Ed., Marcella Anderson, M.A. Ed.
- WEDNESDAY - 6:00 P.M. - THEORY AND PRACTICE OF GROUP PSYCHOTHERAPY II - Bina Rosenberg, M.D.
- THURSDAY - 10:00 A.M. - PHYSICAL, SOCIAL, AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE CHILD I - Howard J. Klapman, M.D.
- 4:30 P.M. - INTERVIEWING TECHNIQUES - Bernard H. Shulman, M.D., Dorothy Peven, M.S.W.

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resolution "that the Division be actively involved in encouraging and formulating state and national laws to outlaw corporal punishment in the schools and that such laws should be formulated to extend beyond corporal punishment to other more subtle forms of punishment as well."

The School Psychologist, Aug.'72

ASAP BOARD MINUTES - May 8, 1972

The Board met on call of President Powers after the annual membership meeting on May 28, 1972, for a short business meeting. The secretary was instructed to write letters of appreciation to Reba McCoy and Father Dayton Salisbury. The Board discussed the problem of facilitating the change-over of treasurers. How was money to be transferred from Rowena Ansbacher to Marvin Nelson, if he accepts the position? The Board decided that money would be sent to Ansbacher who will then transfer the monies to a bank of Nelson's choice. The following revisions were made in membership: Pearl Cassel to active membership, moved by Pew, seconded by Dewey, carried; Maurice Ouellet from associate to active membership, moved by O'Connell, seconded by Pew, carried; Joe Tabachnik to active membership, moved by Willhite, seconded by Pew, carried. W.L. Pew moved to authorize the executive committee spending up to \$2,000 for the Common Goals project in the coming year. Willhite seconded the motion. It carried unanimously. W.L. Pew, Robert Powers, and Manford Sonstegard were appointed a committee to work on this project. Other items discussed were whether the bills for membership dues for the current year had been sent; whether OSIP had paid or was going to pay their assessment; whether a list was being maintained of persons who attended the workshops in connection with the ASAP Board meetings. It was announced that

Mary Ann Pappas would be the executive secretary

for the coming year. Then the meeting was adjourned.

RUDOLF DREIKURS MEMORIAL FUND

Throughout his life Dr. Dreikurs' talents and energy were directed towards (1) training professionals and laymen in the theory and techniques of Individual Psychology, & (2) meeting the mental health needs of children and adults. To continue and to expand this work, the RUDOLF DREIKURS MEMORIAL FUND will provide the means to establish:

- (1) The Rudolf Dreikurs Educational Resource Center to purchase, re-duplicate and distribute films, audio and videotapes of Dr. Dreikurs and other prominent Adlerians. The Center will also make available books and articles on Individual Psychology, and increase the number of volumes in the Center library. In brief, the Educational Resource Center will provide for the training needs of thousands through the years.
- (2) The Rudolf Dreikurs Psychological Services Center to offer children and adults low-cost therapy employing the techniques of Individual Psychology, with a special emphasis on child and family counseling and psychotherapy. A full-time Center is planned, and will be operative as soon as funds permit.

Since both are very costly projects, they will require funds for their operation as well as their establishment. Perhaps you would wish to contribute to the Fund now, and add to it through the months and years. Whatever your choice may be, we thank you for your generosity. Through the Alfred Adler Institute Newsletter you will be apprised of the progress made on both Centers.

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MEMORIAM

PROFESSOR DR. RUDOLF DREIKURS 1897-1972*

Bruno Kunz, Uster (Switzerland)

The following obituary of Dr. Rudolf Dreikurs was submitted by Joseph Meiers, M.D. (Historian of ASAP) during his travels in Switzerland. He asserts that this translation of the German (Swiss) original deserves an unabridged appearance in an organ of the American Adlerian Society. It is, according to his careful observation, the only eulogy to so far appear in an official national teachers' Association journal in Europe and reflects much of the European attitude about Dr. Dreikurs and his work. It is one-half page length (with a photo portrait) appearing less than one month after Dr. Dreikurs' death. (Bruno Kunz is an Adlerian member of the National Swiss Teachers' Union). The ASAP Newsletter Editors wish to thank Maurice L. Bullard for sending this material.

"Recently in Chicago died Professor Dr. Rudolf Dreikurs, age 75. Dreikurs was a student and co-worker of Alfred Adler (Vienna), the founder of Individual Psychology; he had internationally the reputation as an outstanding expert in psycho-and-group dynamics. As an important representative of this depth-psychological school -- interpreted and expanded according to the needs of this age -- he refined the principles of Individual Psychology and made them, in a magnificent manner, clear cut, teachable and learnable.

Thousands of therapists, psychologists, teachers, social workers have been trained by him in several continents, in Individual Psychology theory and practice.

Besides his work as psychotherapist, Director of the Alfred Adler Institute, Chicago, and as professor at several universities, to his pragmatic mind, the training of parents and teachers was the most important task.** In the U.S.A. (for instance in the states of Oregon, Illinois, California, Texas, Ohio, West Virginia, and many others) Dreikurs was influential in organizing changes in education; the same also in Israel. He put all of his efforts, convincingly, to achieving a truly democratic school.

For many years Dr. Dreikurs gave (within the framework of the Swiss Society of Individual Psychology) in Zurich and elsewhere, week-long seminars, teaching and training courses. His public "demonstrations" in educational and life consultations will remain unforgettable.

What Dreikurs leaves as a heritage consists, on one hand, of the large number of his students whom he, in a masterly way, introduced into the techniques and into the underlying bases of individual-psychological therapy and counseling; on the other hand, he has left a rich treasure of his writings. His books, such as Fundamentals of Individual Psychology, The Challenge of Children, Psychology In the Classroom, Encouragement as Help in Teaching (which have all been published by the Klett Company, Stuttgart) have conveyed to many readers pathfinding ideas. Dreikurs postulates a democratic style of education aimed at social integration; his modern methods of education (upbringing) -- neither authoritarian nor anti-authoritarian -- entail an attitude both "friendly"

(Memoriam continued)

(educator as a friend) and still coupled with firmness. This is based upon the image of the human being as a living entity which is social, decision-making, responsible-to-itself, with the human being wanting to be accepted as equal-valued partner and participating in decision-making.

The work of Dreikurs is apt -- as hardly any other -- to spread clarity, help, direction and courage on today's insecurity as it exists among educators, both in the family and in school."

*As printed in the original German

NEWS

Psychiatrist or Pediatrician who would like to share and further develop a private practice in individual and group Adlerian Counseling and participate in the very active community work of the Family Education Association of Champaign County, Illinois, please write: Genevieve Painter, Ed.D., 206 W. Springfield, Champaign, Illinois 61820. This is a challenge to blend psychiatric or pediatric knowledge with active social engagement.

Jai Godiej, Bombay, India, receives the Newsletter regularly. She is finding the opportunity to use democratic approach in her classroom more difficult now than previously although she persists!

Mrs. Dreikurs has made the suggestion that the archives of Dr. Dreikurs be deposited in the Alfred Adler Institute of Chicago. If you possess letters, manuscripts, tapes, etc., of Dr. Dreikurs, would you send the Institute a copy? In this way the Institute's Educational Resource Center will serve as a resource and distribution center, while at the same time the Dreikurs' papers are available in the Library of Congress for scholars and researchers.

Paul J. Kahn, Chairman of the Research and Publications Committee, San Francisco Bay Area Society for Adlerian Psychology, is preparing an Author-Title Index for the Journal of Individual Psychology for the period 1952 to 1972. The Index contains over 500 entries, and the first draft will be available about the first of September. Estimated cost is \$2.00 per copy, obtainable from the above, address 425 Grant Avenue, Palo, Alto, California 94306.

Rev. Gordon M. Aldrich is a counselor and researcher at the Minnesota State Training School in Red Wing. The therapeutic counseling model being practiced and tested at the training school is called "Positive Peer Culture."

Ms. Nancy Catlin, President of the Florida Adlerian Society, School of Home Economics, Fla. State University, is now reporting for the Calendar-Newsletter from the Florida area.
