

NORTH AMERICAN SOCIETY OF ADLERIAN PSYCHOLOGY

NEWSLETTER

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends:

Thanks to a great deal of careful planning and hard work by many Chicago Adlerians and to the dedicated leadership of convention coordinators, Dorothy Peven and Marilyn Eager, NASAP celebrated its 25th anniversary in grand style. Registration for the convention totaled about 600, making the meeting the largest in the history of the Society. The high attendance was a tribute to the Convention Committee members and to the continually increasing interest in the principles and techniques of Individual Psychology.

One of the goals of this Society during the coming year is to encourage the development of strong regional organizations within NASAP. A significant step toward that goal was taken at the Chicago convention, when the three regions that had not been organized elected leaders and established objectives for the coming year.

In order to support the development of activities under regional sponsorship, the D.A. approved a revenue sharing plan whereby the organization that represents one of the Society's regions may request up to \$200 from NASAP to help fund its organization. Requests for such funds should be directed to Barney Lane, Chairman of the Committee on Development, 219 Cordon Road, Wilmington, DE 19803. The requests should include specific plans for the use of the funds.

Each regional organization is encouraged to conduct one or more educational programs in their region this year. The Society is ready to have a good deal of its work carried out through its regional organizations.

Best wishes,



Francis X. Walton
President

SUMMER CALENDAR OF WORKSHOPS, COURSES

W.I.R.T.H.

- July 1-15 Individualpsychologisches Argeles Sommerseminar (IPASS) VII, in Southern France - Lucy Ackerknecht
Aug. 2-15 Individualpsychologisches Argeles Sommerseminar (IPASS) VIII, in Southern France - Lucy Ackerknecht

Contact for further information: Western Institute for Research and Training in Humanics, 226 Stanford Ave., Berkeley, CA 94708.

SOUTH CAROLINA ADLERIAN SUMMER WORKSHOPS

- July 5-15 Advanced Workshop in Adlerian Approaches to Counseling and to School Discipline, Harold Mosak, Frank Walton

Contact for further information: Frank Walton, 660 Townes Road, Columbia, S.C. 29210

UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT SUMMER SESSION

- July 5-9 Life Style Appraisal
July 11-15 Open-Center Family Counseling - Oscar C. Christensen, William C. Marchant, Maxine Ijams

Contact for further information: Summer Session, Grasse Mount, University of Vermont, Burlington, VT 05401.

HEED UNIVERSITY

- July 5-22 Adlerian Psychology: Practical Procedures; Group Counseling and Psychotherapy - Don Dinkmeyer. Contact: Dr. Marvin Hirsch, Heed University, The Beach House, 337 Johnson St. & AIA, Hollywood, FL. 33022.

RUDOLF DREIKURS INSTITUTE FOR SOCIAL EQUALITY

- July 8-12 Intensive Group Social Therapy - W. L., Miriam L., Michael D., Pew
Sept. 9-13 " " " "

Contact for further information: 1725 Emerson Ave. South, Minneapolis, MN 55403

UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

- July 7,8 Fundamentals Workshop - Edna Nash
July 8,9,10 Introduction to Individual Psychology - Richard Kopp
July 11-15 Classroom Management for Teachers - Achi Yotam
July 11-28 Comprehensive Three Week Program for Counsellors - Achi Yotam

Contact: Education Extension, Centre for Continuing Education, The University of British Columbia, Vancouver, B.C. V6T 1W5.

Summer Calendar cont'd

ALFRED ADLER INSTITUTE OF NEW YORK

- July 11-15 Creative Arts Therapy and Social Rehabilitation
- July 11-21 Introduction to Adlerian Psychology
- July 18-28 Marriage and Family Counseling: A Workshop with Role Playing

Contact for further information: AAI of New York, 37 West 65th Street, New York, N.Y. 10023, call 212/874-2427.

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ALFRED ADLER INSTITUTE OF MINNESOTA

- July 14,21,28 AAI of Minnesota, Workshop, "Growing Together in Marriage", Thomas Wright & Judy Wright, North Memorial Medical Center, 3220 Lowry Ave. N., Robbinsdale, MN
- July 16 AAI of Minnesota, Workshop, "Assertiveness Training for Men and Women", Janice Weiner, Golden Valley House, 4820 Hwy 55, Minneapolis, MN
- July 30 AAI of Minnesota, Workshop, "Divorce", Michael Steinberg, Methodist Hospital, 6500 Excelsior Blvd., Minneapolis, MN

For further information contact: AAI of Minnesota, Suite 128, 5009 Excelsior Blvd., Minneapolis, MN 55416, call 612/926-6511.

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KANSAS STATE COLLEGE OF PITTSBURG

- July 16-17 Phase II, Institute for Career Development with the Non-College Bound - Dr. Cal Merrifield, Dr. John Nield, and Dr. Ward, Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, Kansas
- Oct. 22-23 Phase III

Contact for further information: Dr. Don Ward, Director, Institute for Career Development, Russ Hall 134, Pittsburg State University, Pittsburg, Kansas 66762

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ADLER-DREIKURS INSTITUTE, BOWIE

- July 25-Aug. 5 Ray Corsini, Adlerian Theory and Practice
Wm. H. McKelvie, Life Style and Career Choice

Contact for details of Summer Session offerings and other information: Harold V. McAbee, Director, Adler-Dreikurs Institute, Bowie State College, Bowie, MD 20715.

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- July 31-Aug. 14 Tenth Rudolf Dreikurs Summer Institute, Leeuwenhorst Congress Centre, Holland

Contact: Hal McAbee, 2421 Kelford Lane, Bowie, MD 20715

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Summer Calendar cont'd

ALFRED ADLER INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO

- Aug. 17-20 Group Counseling - Howard Pollack
- Aug. 21 Psychodrama - Adaline Starr
- Aug. 22-25 Group Therapy: An Experiential Course - Leo Lobl
- Aug. 26-29 Introduction to Individual Psychology II - H. and R. Ansbacher
- Aug. 30-Sept. 2 Family Counseling I - Bernice Grunwald
- Aug. 30-Sept. 2 Psychodynamics of Psychopathology III (The Psychoses) - Bernard Shulman

Contact for further information: AAI of Chicago, 159 N. Dearborn, Chicago, IL 60601.

CALIFORNIA SCHOOL OF PROFESSIONAL PSYCHOLOGY, LOS ANGELES

Summer Trimester - Advanced Theories of Psychopathology: Adlerian Psychology, Richard Kopp

Contact for information about dates and registration: CSPP, Los Angeles, 3755 Beverly Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90004.

ADDITIONAL EVENTS

- July 12-22 Positive Approaches to Discipline, Gary McKay, University of Texas, El Paso
- July 18 Lincoln and Lancaster County Child Guidance Center, Workshop, Oscar Christensen, Lincoln, NB
- Aug. 15-19 Family Education Center Workshop, "Techniques for Training Families in Harmonious Living", Ray Lowe, Clover Park Vocational Technical I Institute, Lakewood Center, WA
- Aug. 22,23 Unified School Dist., Teacher-in-service, Oscar Christensen, McPhearson, Kansas
- Sept. 24-25 Region III meeting in Atlanta, GA
- Sept. 25-26 Psychodrama Workshop, Adeline Starr, BCAAP, Vancouver

25th ANNUAL CONVENTION

Attendance at the 25th Annual Convention in Chicago was about 600 with 126 registered for Pre-convention Workshops and 299 for Post-convention Workshops. The keynote address on Friday evening, May 27, was given by Ashley Montagu. Seminars were presented on Saturday and Sunday, May 28 and 29. A Memorial Luncheon was held on Saturday honoring Dr. Rudolf Dreikurs. Past Presidents and Charter Members were honored at the banquet on Saturday night and plaques were presented to those in attendance and mailed to those who were unable to attend. As indicated elsewhere in this NL, Dorothy Peven and her committee are to be commended for a very successful convention.

DEADLINES FOR NEWSLETTER -- September issue - August 5
October issue - September 2

LETTERS

CONVENTION REACTION

Chicago, IL, 6-1-77

We had a great convention. I enjoyed it, and am looking forward to participating again. This letter is to record a few suggestions while they're still fresh. It is not to complain, but to share ideas that I think will enhance future meetings.

1. Identify people by their home base, both on the program and on name tags. This helps us know one another better, to make connections, and to get a sense of where people are working and with whom. It makes communication among members easier and thus more likely. I believe that is one of our Society's goals.
2. More participatory sessions. In the forum I led, we had lots of response from those who attended, and over the period of two hours, I counted 40 people who stayed with us to the end. On the other hand, I attended a session where all but three minutes of the allotted time was used for the presenter to read a paper, and that gets dull. I walked out on another similar reading. If we really want to Share Adlerian Ideas for Living, let's suggest that people read only a synopsis of their papers so that there's time for questions and discussion. Copies of the whole paper could be available for those who want the references and the details.
3. The Delegate Assembly works hard for long hours, but the general membership has very little information about what's going on. Since people generally don't like to sit in meetings and listen to reports, let's do a convention newsletter, make copies and distribute them before people go home Sunday. It would contain a report of decisions taken, plans made, new members, etc. The Relay of Region I for May/June did a superb job of reporting on the special March D.A. meeting. I'm glad I'm a subscriber.

I write this as a letter to the editor because I don't know where else to direct my comments. I'd welcome response from other members who read it in the Newsletter.

Shirley Gould
8944 North Kilbourn Ave.
Skokie, Illinois 60076

COMMITTEE REPORTS

DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

During the March 19-20, 1977, meeting of the DA in Chicago, a resolution was passed requesting the Regions to organize and to actively promote Adlerian psychology within the Regions. Effective with the DA meeting May 27, 1977, in Chicago, several people accepted the responsibility and we will soon see activity in all Regions. This means setting up some sort of structure that will present to the public annual and semiannual meetings patterned on the national meetings, weekend workshops, development of learning centers, use of regional resources, and other items that will strengthen the Region and educate the public. Regional chairpersons will be seeking your assistance in the near future.

The NASAP Bylaws also offer an opportunity to each of us to help in expanding NASAP across the U.S. and Canada. Five Standing Committees have been formed to implement the business of the Society. They are (a) The Standing Committee on the Constitution - Bob Powers. All questions regarding constitution and Bylaws, elections, ethics,

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delinquency, suspension and expulsion. (b) The Standing Committee on Development - Barney Lane. All questions regarding expansion, growth, regional development, and affiliations. (c) The Standing Committee on Public Relations - Richard Berrett. All questions regarding advocacy, public relations, and liaison and other groups, associations and schools of thought in the fields of psychology, education, etc. (d) The Standing Committee on Education - Don Kelly. All questions regarding annual meetings and other meetings of the Society, training workshops, consumer education, accreditation, certification and professional standards and competencies. (e) The Standing Committee on Publications - Janet Turner. All questions regarding scientific development of theory and practice in Individual Psychology, publications and research.

Although each member of the DA is expected to serve on one of these Committees, it is not enough. Each of these Committees needs several members from each of the Regions to help develop and expand the whole society as well as be a mover in the Region. Won't you write the Chairperson of one of the Standing Committees and offer your help. With membership above the 1,000 mark, areas of need identified and responsibility offered and taken, the only remaining ingredient needed to make it all happen is you. Some of you will be able to attend meetings. Some will not. Don't give it a second thought. The mail will carry your thoughts, advice and counsel to the right place. Your Region and NASAP need your help.

Barney L. Lane, Chairman
Development Committee

OF GENERAL INTEREST

TRIBUTE TO ELEANORE REDWIN

Thousands of families in the Metropolitan Chicago area are living richer, more productive lives because of the influence and dedication of Eleanore Redwin. Many years ago, in Vienna, she learned directly from Alfred Adler the counseling techniques which she has used so effectively through the years, with children, adults, and families. When she arrived in Chicago in 1938, she began to work closely with Dr. Dreikurs, and to continue her work through the Community Child Guidance Centers (later the Family Education Association) and the Alfred Adler Institute of Chicago.

She has played a significant role for many years inspiring and guiding the Rudolf Dreikurs Unit of the FEA, touching profoundly the lives of officers and members. She serves on the Board of Directors of the Chicago Institute, and has consistently and generously contributed to its development.

During this time of her illness, we want her to know the esteem and gratitude of her many friends. She may be contacted at Selfhelp Home, 908 Argyle, Chicago, IL 60640.

Eugene McClory, President
AAI of Chicago

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PUBLIC RELATIONS

Carol Arnold, P.R. Chairperson, is interested in starting a P.R. Scrapbook for NASAP. She asks that you send her newspaper clippings, brochures, and photographs pertaining to NASAP members and organizations. Carol's address is: 12020 Canter Lane, Reston, VA 22091.

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1977 SEMI-ANNUAL NASAP MEETING

Becky McDonough, Program Chairperson, writes,

"We want to remind you once again that this year's Semi-Annual NASAP Conference will be held in Minneapolis, Minnesota on October 28, 29, and 30, 1977. Please put these dates on your calendar now. Registration information will be forthcoming in the September Newsletter. The conference will be held at the Curtis Hotel where the rates are quite reasonable.

"The Conference Theme is 'Family: The Roots of Mental Health'. Proposals for the conference program are welcome but must be received by the end of July. We look forward to having some presentations by Canadians who are planning to come to the conference. We have four exciting workshops lined up already for Sunday, October 30."

For further information contact: Becky A. McDonough, AAI of Minnesota, Suite 128, 5009 Excelsior Blvd., Minneapolis, Minnesota 55416.

ADVOCACY FORUM

During the October conference in Minneapolis, the first of a continuing series of forums will be held. The topic of this Fall's forum will be Child Abuse. It is hoped that a broad description, etiology, and treatment of child abuse will be examined. Those interested in making a presentation and responding to questions and discussion in the forum are invited to send outlines of the presentation to: Richard D. Berrett, 2740 East Palo Alto Ave., Fresno, CA 93710.

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS, INC.

NASAP has provided several books for the Resources Exhibit at the Annual Convention of Parents Without Partners, Inc. in Boston this July. Over 2000 delegates and attendees are expected to view CHILDREN THE CHALLENGE, WAGES FOR WEE FOLKS, WINNING CHILDREN OVER, and HOW TO STOP FIGHTING WITH YOUR KIDS. Perhaps seeing the books James Croake and Nancy Catlin have been writing about in THE SINGLE PARENT magazine will encourage family activities committee members to consider Parent Study Groups for PWP members. Some of the over 900 Chapters (150,000 members) have cooperated with local Adlerian groups (Wilmington, Washington D.C., Providence, RI). Virginia Beach had plans to reach out to single parents.

By the way, if anyone wants to know if there is a nearby PWP Chapter, write the International Office, 7910 Woodmont Avenue, Washington, D.C. 20014.

NEW PUBLICATION

COUNSELING IN THE ELEMENTARY AND MIDDLE SCHOOLS: A Pragmatic Approach by James J. Muro and Donald Dinkmeyer, Published by Wm. C. Brown Co. Publishers, 2460 Kerper Blvd., Dubuque, Iowa 52001. Approx. 450 pages/Paper/\$8.95 tent.

The book is a comprehensive coverage of the counseling process with children. Chapters on human developmental ages and their implications for counseling are included. Unique chapters on testing, play media, biblio counseling, simulations, group counseling, counseling in the classroom and counseling and consulting with parents are also included.

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EDUCATION OF YOUNG CHILDREN IN EUROPE

Pat MacEachern is the newly elected President of the American Association for the Education of Young Children in EUROPE, an affiliate group of NAEYC (National Association for Education of Young Children, with offices in Washington, D.C.). Pat reports, "We desperately attempt to keep abreast of happenings in the states as we work with young children, birth to eight years of age of the military stationed in Europe. At our last conference we had an excellent workshop given by Dr. Andy Stropko, from Landstuhl Army Medical Hospital, which dealt with the goals of behavior. I feel that the membership would be very receptive to having other 'Adlerian - Dreikurian' type input. If you should know of a sharing caring individual that plans to take in Germany in the future and would be willing to spend a few hours with interested people, please contact me. Personally I live in Zweibruecken, Germany near the French line, we attempt to hold conferences and mini workshops in more central locations such as Heidelberg or Frankfurt." Pat can be contacted at this address: ZAB Box 93, APO New York 09860.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR--For nonprofit community based youth organization receiving funding from ILEC beginning 2nd year of 4 year "seed" funding. Director will be Supervisor of three staff, two direct service and one secretarial. Organization provides a variety of both counseling and prevention oriented services. Organization has strong commitment to equal youth and adult decision making. Major responsibilities include: Community Organization Board Development, both community and Grant Fund Raising. Qualifications should include a Bachelors or Masters Level Degree in Social Service Administration, Community Organization or some related field. Applicants should also possess significant experience in a similar or organization setting. Salary commensurate with education and experience. Send resume to the District 208 Youth Center, P.O. Box 53, Riverside, IL 60546.

COMMUNITY PSYCHOLOGIST--Community mental health center has a position open in a rural county, managing satellite office. Professional will provide full range of services, including coordination and planning, education and in-service training, consultation to community caregivers and psychotherapy. Person will be able to draw upon Center personnel for assistance.

Heavy emphasis on establishing good working relationships with agencies and caregivers.

Doctorate required. Competitive salary and benefits. Position open immediately. Contact: Dr. Gordon Fuller, Director, Human Services Center, 402 North Fifth Street, Mankato, MN 56001, (507) 388-2993.

ADLER-DREIKURS STUDENT ORGANIZATION

Students of the Adler-Dreikers Institute of Human Relations, Bowie State College, Bowie, Maryland are interested in organizing a Student Association. They would appreciate information or material from other such organizations across the nation. Contact Kerry Thorpe, 4700 Auth Place #200, Camp Springs, MD 20023.

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DELEGATE ASSEMBLY

The Delegate Assembly met on Friday, May 27, 1977 at the 25th Annual Convention of the Society in Chicago. This was the trial run for the new working procedure approved by the D.A. at its special meeting in March. The D.A. met in a general session for about an hour and then divided into the standing committees, where matters referred to the committees were discussed and recommendations brought back to the D.A. at a general session in the afternoon. Action items were handled by the D.A. for the remainder of the day. Nominations for officers were made and the election was held on Saturday, May 28, when the nominees made a brief statement of intention. The following are items to be reported from the D.A. meeting.

1. Election Results -- The following were elected for a three-year term and were seated with vote at the D.A. meeting:

<u>Region I</u>	<u>Region II</u>	<u>Region III</u>	<u>Region IV</u>	<u>Region V</u>
Maurice Bullard	Ron Pancner	Edith Dewey	Judy Bradford	Kurt Adler
Edna Nash	Robert Powers	Dayton Salisbury	Wm. McKelvie	

2. Elected Sylvia Robbins as Region V delegate for one year to fill vacancy caused by only one person being nominated by Region V.
3. Membership Report -- First 5 months in 1977 - 1008 members plus 20 Life Members 1976, full year, 800 plus 20 Life Members.
4. Student Membership -- There has been a substantial increase in the number of student members. Of the 1,008 members, 158 are students. The D.A. voted to ask student members to verify their full-time status the second year. A place will be provided on dues notice for verification by a major professor.
5. Authorized expenditure of \$200 for NASAP exhibit package to be used at APGA and perhaps other association meetings.
6. Computerizing membership records is being investigated.
7. Funding -- James McDonough was appointed Special Advisor on Funding and was asked to form a committee. He sees the program as a two-part one. The first is sharing information with the membership via the Newsletter about things that have been done and what is available in the way of funding for projects. The second part is the development of a project for the Society.
8. The 1978 semi-annual meeting has been changed from Halloween weekend to November 3, 4, 5, 1978. (No invitation has been received to host the meeting!)
9. Hertha Orgler, author of Alfred Adler, the Man and His Work, was elected to Life Membership honoris causa.
10. Recommended that the Election Committee exercise its power in the future to nominate candidates for D.A. for any region for which a nomination is not forthcoming.
11. Constitution Committee has prepared a working draft of a new Constitution and separate By-Laws. The D.A. will vote on the two documents by mail during the summer and they may be submitted to the membership for ratification in the fall.
12. Authorized funds to be made available up to \$200 per region for 1977 in order to encourage regional development. (see President's Message)

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13. "How to" book is being prepared by Development Committee for use by Regions to help in organizing process.
14. It was recommended that regional boundaries be reviewed, rearranged and acted upon. It was suggested that this matter be discussed at regional meetings and referred to October D.A. meeting.
15. The Education Committee has been asked to develop a colorful brochure about NASAP for promotional and public relations use.
16. It was recommended that the Executive Committee appoint a press officer to assume responsibility for publicity for each semi-annual meeting and annual convention.
17. Approved proposal to promote use of acronym, SAIL (Sharing Adlerian Ideas for Living) by local, area and regional groups. It will be tested by a few groups before an official launching at Washington convention in 1978.
18. It was recommended that the present practice for semi-annual meeting be continued; that is, that it be both a working meeting for D.A. and a professional conference. D.A. members will not participate in the conference programs until Saturday afternoon so that they will be available for D.A. meeting.
19. It was recommended that a special symposium be established for annual and semi-annual meetings which will focus specifically on the relationship between theory and practice in Individual Psychology.
20. It was recommended that pre-convention workshops be instituted on a regular basis at annual and semi-annual meetings when financially and logistically possible, but D.A. members will not be participants.
21. It was recommended that a statement be summarized for new D.A. members regarding the structure of NASAP and responsibilities of Delegates.
22. It was recommended that the profits for the annual and semi-annual meetings and workshops continue as in the past: Post Convention Workshops - profits to NASAP; Pre-convention workshops - profits 50-50; Annual meeting - 75% NASAP, 25% host; Semi-annual meeting - 100% host.
23. It was recommended that the Society initiate an active campaign for research/evaluation of F.E.C.'s and study groups.
24. It was agreed that when requests for republishing articles in journals are received, permission must be obtained from the editor and author, a fee of \$25 will be charged for non-NASAP members and no charge for NASAP members.
25. Discussion of new process for D.A. meeting indicated that D.A. members are generally favorable to dividing into the standing committees to carry out work of the Society. There were some suggestions for changing the schedule so that time will be spent more productively and these will be considered further.
26. Election of officers:
President -- Francis X. Walton
1st V.P. -- Harold McAbee
2nd V.P. -- Wm. McKelvie
Secretary -- Edna Nash
Treasurer -- Fr. Maurice Ouellet

(Copies of minutes of D.A. meeting are available upon request at 159 N. Dearborn, Chicago, IL 60601.)

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GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The 25th Annual Convention of the Society was opened Saturday morning, May 28, 1977, with remarks by the President, Frank Walton, who summarized the action taken by the D.A. and talked of future plans and concerns. The following items were brought before the General Assembly.

1. The audience rose for a few minutes of silence to pay respect to Danica Deutsch, who passed away in December, 1976.
2. James McDonough gave his ideas on funding proposals, which had been presented to and approved by the D.A. He will be communicating further with the membership via the Newsletter.
3. Helene Papanek suggested two avenues for trying to interest minority groups in NASAP: a) obtaining a black speaker at convention; b) providing scholarships for minority people in each region. (Scholarships were provided at Chicago convention.)
4. Tee Dreikurs suggested that a message be sent to Eleanore Redwin, who was unable to attend the convention because of illness, expressing appreciation for her many contributions and cherished devotion to the Society and Individual Psychology.
5. ICAASI -- Hal McAbee indicated that there are still openings for the 10th Rudolf Dreikurs Summer Institute to be held at Leeuwenhorst Congress Centre, Holland, July 31 to August 14.
6. Acronym -- Carol Arnold announced the proposal for using SAIL (Sharing Adlerian Ideas for Living) as a trial in several groups with the possible adoption at the Washington convention. She indicated that additional volunteers are needed for the P.R. Committee.
7. Semi-Annual Meeting, October 28,29,30, 1977 -- Becky McDonough told about plans for this meeting. (Information may be found elsewhere in this NL).
8. Dan Eckstein reported that the ASAP Booth at APGA was well received. He stressed the need for more programs on Adlerian psychology at APGA. He is going to put together a half-day or full day program for next year on practical applications of Adlerian psychology.
9. Richard Berrett announced the need for liaison with the National Council on Family Relations and other national organizations. He asked that volunteers contact him at 3822 N. First, Fresno, CA 93726.
10. Father Dayton Salisbury told of his experience as sponsor of Parents Anonymous in Houston and recommended that other individuals consider being a sponsor to groups in their area. The Adlerian approach should be represented with P.A.
11. Walton announced that members are invited to serve on any of the committees of NASAP and should contact him at 660 Townes Road, Columbia, S.C. 29210.

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REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Regional meetings were held at the 25th Annual Convention in Chicago. Regions I and IV are already organized with officers. The other three regions decided to organize and chose temporary officers. Reports follow.

REGION I

Accomplishments of Region I since May, 1976 were reviewed:

- a. Board of Directors formed from four officers and interested persons selected for geographical balance as well as activity.
- b. By-laws formulated, reworked by board by mail, resubmitted to board and adopted.
- c. Region divided into three areas for administrative and activity purposes-- Areas A,B, and C. (When NASAP procedures permit in the future delegates to NASAP will be elected by the Region on a ratio of one from each of the three areas and three at large.)
- d. Regional service centers established: book and printed materials sales in Edmonton, CA and Santa Clara, Cal.; tape sale, Corvallis, OR; lending library Adlerian books, Albany, OR; Children: The Challenge book rental, Albany, OR.
- e. Regional newsletter - Five issues published from Corvallis; future editing from British Columbia mimeo and mailing from Corvallis.

Election of vice-president and secretary and new board members to be by mail ballot this summer by board to conserve time at the Chicago meeting. Method for membership to nominate and elect is being studied.

Activities of Region for 1977-78 proposed or at least discussed.

- a. Immediately secure credit rating and discounts from publishing houses.
- b. Apply for bulk rate postal mailing permit for newsletter and announcements.
- c. Request Relay to publish articles on how to achieve better community relations and techniques of local promotion and public relations.
- d. Region provide leadership and resources for conferences for both education and business pertaining to the Region either by the Region or by selected areas.
- e. Request that NASAP set aside Friday preceding the Annual Meeting as Regional Day. Part of the day would be devoted to business affairs of the Region, especially the needs and fulfillment of on-going programs of the Region. Part of the day could be devoted to scheduled speakers, demonstrations, etc. in response to desires originating within the Regions. This might include a talk by a top public relations professional or how successful programs were achieved in other Regions. Attendance at these could cross lines by Regions.
- f. Detailed discussion occurred on type and areas for staging conferences this year. Consensus was enthusiastic that meetings occur; that an established group host the area covered; that conference may have to occur with convenient geographical areas with invitations to those further away with strong interests.

It should be noted the 45 members in attendance strongly endorsed direction and efforts of the first year. -- Maurice Bullard, Ch.

Regional Organizations cont'd

REGION II

The following interim officers were elected: President, James McDonough, Minnesota; Vice President, Melvin Johnson, Nebraska; Secretary-Treasurer, Fran Yoder, Indiana. The interim officers are to develop a Constitution and By-laws and procedures for regular election. D.A. members from region will be ex-officio members of the group to work with the officers. It was suggested that consideration be given to electing a representative from each state of region. There was a brief discussion of regional boundaries with strong sentiment expressed for Ohio to be included in Region II.

REGION III

Don Dinkmeyer and Don Dinkmeyer, Jr. are serving as chairpersons for Region III while it is in the organizational phase. A Region III meeting will be held September 24-25 in Atlanta. Help is needed for the development of a Region III Newsletter. If you are in Region III and would like to assist in the development of communication with the Region, write to Don Dinkmeyer, 11061 NW 23 Ct., Coral Springs, FL 33065.

REGION IV

Barney Lane, Chm., indicated that Don Tuites has agreed to draw up By-Laws for Region III. Hal McAbee will prepare a list of human resources in the region indicating what they are willing to present at a regional or local meeting. He will draw from this list for the regional meeting scheduled for October 22 and 23. There was considerable discussion about regional boundaries with no specific recommendation. Ohio representatives indicated a strong preference to be in Region II.

REGION V

About 30 people attended Region V meeting. It was very evident that the people wanted a change in the regional set up. The alternatives presented were as follows:

1. That New York be designated a new region - greater metropolitan N.Y. - including New Jersey.
2. That New Jersey become part of the present Region V.
3. That Toronto, New England and Greater New York City (including New Jersey) all be separate regions.
4. That Toronto and Northern N.Y. be separated from Region V. as it now stands and that New Jersey be a part of Region V.

Following this discussion the group decided to elect representatives of the Region who would represent the three geographical areas -- Toronto, New York, New England. Co-chairmen: Larry Nessenbaum, Ontario and Robert Sherman, Bayside, N.Y.; Secretary-Treasurer - Maurice Ouellet, Vermont until October, when he will be replaced by Marie Hartwell Walker, Massachusetts. Marie is currently living in Chicago while a student at the AAI of Chicago and will be returning to her home in Mass. in October.

NEWSNOTES

REGION I--FAR WEST

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Vancouver--BCAAP will sponsor a Psychodrama workshop to be presented by Adeline Starr on September 24 and 25. The weekend course is to be experiential and based on theory. Enrollment is limited. For further information contact BCAAAP, Box 33823 STN.D, Vancouver, B.C., Canada V6J4L6.

CALIFORNIA

Los Angeles--Richard Kopp has been appointed Academic Program Coordinator for the California School of Professional Psychology, Los Angeles. He will be responsible for developing and staffing the academic curriculum for the Los Angeles campus.

WASHINGTON

Lakewood Center (near Tacoma)--The Clover Park Vocational Technical Institute is offering a Family Education Center Workshop, "Techniques for Training Families in Harmonious Living", to be presented by Ray Lowe during the week of August 15 through 19-9:00-3:00 daily at Food Service Building, Clover Park Vocational Technical Institute. The workshop is designed to provide practical training to people who work with families and assist those who would like to set up Family Education Centers in their own Communities. Fee is \$30.00. Enrollment is limited to 40. Contact for registration and information: Tami Johnson, Parent Education Coordinator, 4500 Steilacoom Blvd. S.W., Lakewood Center, WA 98499 (near Tacoma).

REGION II--MIDWEST

KANSAS

McPhearson--Teacher-in-service, Unified School District, Oscar C. Christensen (Ed. Note - Good to hear another Adlerian activity in Kansas. Hope to hear more.)

ILLINOIS

Chicago--Don Dinkmeyer will serve as a consultant to the North Chicago Illinois Parent Child Project at the Illinois State Park July 28, 29, 1977.

Maria Pappas-Nicholas has been included in the most recent edition of Who's Who in American Women.

AAI of Chicago--The North Central Association recently responded to the Institute's Self-Study Report, submitted at the end of April. "... I have reviewed the self-study document and find that it is an excellent document. Therefore, you may be assured that the Alfred Adler Institute will be scheduled for an on-site visit this Fall....Please extend my compliments to all of your colleagues who had a part in preparing an excellent Self-Study Report."

The NASAP Convention in Chicago last month was the occasion for many Adlerians from the U.S. and Canada to visit the Institute. Harold and Birdie Mosak joined the staff in personally welcoming many of the Institute's friends at the open house on May 27. The days of the Convention were busy ones for the AAI staff but they were also enjoyable. Gene McClory indicated that they appreciated being a part of a very successful and meaningful Convention, planned and organized under the direction of Dorothy Peven.

Newsnotes, Region II, Chicago, Illinois cont'd

Openings remain for the five courses which the Institute will offer in August. For details, contact AAI of Chicago, 159 N. Dearborn, Chicago, Illinois, 60601. (See list in Summer Calender)

A lecture by Harold Mosak on "The Convergence of Religion and Psychotherapy" marked the occasion of the dedication of the Sol and Elaine Mosak Library.

At a recent meeting of the Institute's Board of Directors, Gene McClory was unanimously re-elected to another three year term as President of the Institute. Sadie Dreikurs, Bina Rosenberg, and Eleanore Redwin were re-elected as members of the Board.

MINNESOTA

Minneapolis--AAI of Minnesota announces the following workshops for July:

- July 14,21,28 "Growing Together in Marriage", Thomas Wright, Judy Wright at North Memorial Medical Center, 3220 Lowry Ave. N., Robbinsdale, MN.
- July 16 "Assertiveness Training for Men and Women", Janice Weiner, at the Golden Valley House, 4820 Hwy 55.
- July 30 "Divorce", Michael Steinberg, at Methodist Hospital, 6500 Excelsior Blvd.

For further information, contact AAI of Minnesota, Suite 128, Wood-Excel Building, 5009 Excelsior Boulevard, Minneapolis, MN 55416, call (612) 926-6511.

NEBRASKA

Lincoln--Workshop by Oscar Christensen at Lincoln and Lancaster County Child Guidance Center

REGION III--SOUTH

FLORIDA

Coral Springs--The article, "Logical Consequences: A Key to the Reduction of Disciplinary Problems", by Don Dinkmeyer and Don Dinkmeyer, Jr. which appeared in the June '76 Phi Delta Kappan has been reprinted by the National School Boards Academy, 1055 Thomas Jefferson St. N.W., Washington D.C. 20007 as instructional material for participants who attend a Workshop on Discipline and Alternative Schools: Developing Positive Department.

Adlerians interested in an external degree Ph.D. will want to check into the program at Heed University, The Beach House, 337 Johnson St. & AIA, Hollywood, FL 33022. July 5-22, Dr. Dinkmeyer will offer Adlerian Counseling; Practical Procedures, Group Counseling, Advanced Theory and Practice of Counseling and Practicum. Contact for details Dr. Marvin Hirsch, Heed University, The Beach House, 337 Johnson St. & AIA, Hollywood, FL 33022.

TEXAS

Houston--Buzz O'Connell informs us that he is now an activist member of the Board of Directors of the Workshop Library on World Humour (WLWH). Buzz has done pioneering work in this field for many years, particularly in the treatment of retarded children, alcoholics, drug addicts, and terminal cases.

Newsnotes, Region III, Houston, Texas cont'd

For more information on humor, contact H.J. Cummings, President, Workshop Library on World Humour, P.O. Box 23334, Washington, D.C. 20024.

"Death and Dying Weekend", a Life is for Living Lab will be presented by Buzz O'Connell and Irene Corbit on October 21,22,23 at the C.G. Jung Educational Center, 5200 Montrose Blvd., Houston, Texas 77006. Fee is \$60.00 (\$45.00 for students).

REGION IV--MIDDLE ATLANTIC

MARYLAND

Bowie--The semi-annual meeting of Region IV is scheduled for October 22,23 at the Adler-Dreikurs Institute at Bowie State College. The program will be staffed by Region IV talent and will also feature dedication of the new physical facilities in which the Institute will be housed.

The 1978 spring meeting will be held in Baltimore, MD on April 8th and 9th, 1978. Harry and Carol Olson, of Baltimore will serve as co-chairpersons.

The annual series of fall conferences sponsored by the Adler-Dreikurs Institute at Bowie are scheduled October 1-2, October 22-23, and November 12-13. Participants may attend on either a noncredit or graduate credit basis.

NEW JERSEY

Sussex County--Birgit La Mothe, a school counselor and parent study group leader is facilitating the development of an FEA in northwest New Jersey. Gloria and Barney Lane of Wilmington, DE met with Birgit and other members of the community in May to discuss how to organize an FEA and how to train study group leaders. Plans for the summer include (1) a picnic for study group participants and other members of the community, (2) a performance of the play, "Bows and Arrows", (3) starting a newsletter, (4) offering 2-3 study groups, (5) offering lead-to-learn workshops and (6) incorporating the FEA. Our friends in Sussex County, NJ would like to receive copies of newsletters from other organizations. Please send yours to Birgit La Mothe, RD 1, Box 280, Lafayette, N.J. 07848.

OHIO

Athens--Tom Sweeney reports that he is completing development of eleven half hour programs titled, "Coping with Kids". They will be broadcast through public T.V. in the fall. Anyone can watch in the Southeast Ohio area and possibly in parts of West Virginia and Kentucky. The programs are directed to parents and teachers. Both graduate and undergraduate credit can be obtained. The television series will be shown three times per week on WOUB/WOUC TV, Athens/Cambridge, Channels 20/44: Thursdays at 7:00 p.m., Saturdays at 11:30 a.m., and Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m. beginning September 15,17, and 20. The series on individual programs will be available in the future. Others interested in knowing more about the programs, etc. can write to: Thomas J. Sweeney, Ohio University, College of Education, Athens, Ohio 45701.

INTERNATIONAL

ICASSI--A few more spaces are available for ICASSI '77 to be held in Holland, July 31-August 14. Six semester hours of graduate credit are possible. Write or call Hal McAbee, 2421 Kelford Lane, Bowie, Maryland 20715 Telephone (301) 464-2359.

Newsnotes, International cont'd

IPNL

The Individual Psychology NewsLetter, organ of the International Association of Individual Psychology, is published 6 times a year at a cost of \$7.50. It is edited by Paul Rom and contains information about Adlerians in other countries as well as thoughts and ideas about Individual Psychology. Subscriptions may be obtained by writing to Paul Rom, Editor, Six Vale Rise, London NW11 8SD, U.K.

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