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Robert Rosenwasser, MD, FACS Named Chair, Department of Neurosurgery

Cerebrovascular surgeon Robert H.



Rosenwasser, MD, FACS, has been named Chair of the Department of Neurosurgery at Jefferson Medical College (JMC) of Thomas Jefferson

University and Thomas Jefferson University Hospital.

Dr. Rosenwasser is now Professor of Neurosurgery and Director of the Division of Cerebrovascular Neurosurgery and Neuroradiology at JMC and the hospital. He succeeds William Buchheit, MD, who is retiring.

Immediate Past President of the Society of University Neurosurgeons, Dr. Rosenwasser is world renowned for his surgical expertise in both preventing and treating life-threatening brain aneurysms. He does more such operations annually than any other surgeon in the country.

Dr. Rosenwasser has been Vice Chair for Clinical Services in Neurosurgery at JMC since 2000. He has been Fellowship Program Director for Neurovascular Surgery and Interventional Neuroradiology since 1995 and is Director of Interventional Neuroradiology for the Jefferson Hospital for Neuroscience.

Thomas J. Nasca, MD, JMC Dean, sees Dr. Rosenwasser's focus on education and training as particularly important for his new role. "Dr. Rosenwasser has been instrumental in providing the best training possible for neurovascular surgeons at Jefferson for nearly a decade," he says.

"Dr. Rosenwasser has played an important role in the growth of the neurosurgery program at Jefferson University Hospital," says Thomas J. Lewis, hospital President and CEO. "I have no doubt that his expertise and leadership will help to continue Jefferson's well earned reputation as a premier hospital for neurosurgery."

Pioneering New Stent

He most recently has helped pioneer the use of a soft, flexible stent made of a non-metallic polymer - the first of its kind in the world to be used for brain aneurysms that could not be readily treated surgically. The type of stent, called an intracranial stent, was developed specifically for blood vessels in the brain and for cerebral aneurysms.

Before coming to Jefferson in 1994, Dr. Rosenwasser was Assistant, then Associate Professor of Neurosurgery at Temple University Hospital. From 1985 to 1994, he was Director of the Neurosurgical Intensive Care Unit, Chief of the Cerebrovascular Surgery Section and Deputy

Director of the Department of Neurosurgery at Temple. He was also Residency Program Director and Trauma Co-director. In 1992, he became Chief of the Cerebrovascular and Endovascular Neurosurgery Section there.

He is a member of numerous neurosurgery organizations, including the American Academy of Neurological Surgery, the American Society of Therapeutic and Interventional Neuroradiology, the Society of Critical Care Medicine and the Society of Neurologic Critical Care. He is Chair-elect of the Cerebrovascular Surgery Section, American Association of Neurological Surgeons.

He is author or co-author of three textbooks on vascular disease of the central nervous system and more than 200 publications or abstracts. He has lectured widely.

Dr. Rosenwasser received a BS from Nicholls State University in Thibodaux, LA, in 1975 and his MD from Louisiana State University in 1979. He completed his residency at Temple University Hospital in 1985. He completed fellowships in neurovascular surgery, University of Western Ontario, in 1984, and in interventional neuroradiology at New York University in 1993.



From left, Rani Anné, MD, Joy Soleiman, Thom Holden, Catherine Coleman, Brian Costello,

Cancer Survivors Again Celebrate Life

There are two ways to live your life. One is though nothing is a miracle, the other is though everything is a miracle. Albert Einstein

Catherine Coleman, Director of Product Management at ImpactRx, Inc. of Mt. Laurel, NJ, and a two-time cancer survivor, quoted those words in her speech to a full house at the Kimmel Cancer Center (KCC) at Jefferson's fifth annual Celebration of Life. She also thanked her own personal Jefferson "miracle workers."

Ms. Coleman spoke about her experiences as a cancer survivor, the changes she has made and ways she has grown since her initial cancer diagnosis in June 1995 and subsequent diagnosis in July of 1997.

Another cancer survivor, Thom Holden, founder of Thom & Dave Marketing Design and the White Birch Gallery, an arts venue in Media, PA, recalled how his passion for art and music inspired him as he underwent treatment at Thomas Jefferson University Hospital. Mr. Holden personalized his hospital room with favorite paintings by his wife, and derived comfort from listening to his favorite music. A fouryear survivor of non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Mr. Holden also shared poetry that he wrote during his cancer treatment.

Rani Anné, MD, Delivers Keynote Address

Dr. Anné, a Jefferson Hospital radiation oncologist and Instructor of Radiation Oncology at Jefferson Medical College, delivered the event's keynote address, "Finding Hope in the Face of Cancer." Dr. Anné paid tribute to her late aunt, a patient with ovarian cancer who defied her original prognosis long enough to see her daughter graduate from medical school by finding and enrolling in a life-prolonging clinical trial.

The Celebration this year, attended by more than 200 cancer survivors and their families, featured an interactive Health Expo in which staff from the Jefferson-Myrna Brind Center of Integrative Medicine, genetic counselors from the Jefferson Hereditary Cancer Center, clinical trials specialists, social workers and representatives from community organizations serving cancer patients provided information and demonstrations. In addition, the event displayed artwork by cancer survivors. See photos on Page 3.

Cancer survivor Brian Costello, Director of the University's Human Resources Operations, a speaker at last year's event, introduced this year's speakers.

VITAL SIGNS: MAY 2004

	Budget	Actual	Prior Year
Admissions	3,321	3,251	3,262
Length of Stay	6.28	6.16	6.28
Patient Days	20,847	21,196	20,911
TJUH, Methodist Outpatient Visits	37,927	38,189	37,231
Patient Satisfaction Overall Mean Score (Jan-Mar) 82.4			

Honoring 500 Jefferson Volunteers

During National Volunteer Week, Thomas Jefferson University Hospital honored each of the 500 volunteers who give so generously of their time and commitment the year round.

Every volunteer, who range from 14 to 93 years of age, received a personalized letter of thanks from Thomas I. Lewis, Hospital President and CEO. In addition, the Department of Volunteer Services hosted 120 volunteers at the annual recognition luncheon.

Special honors went to Anne Hirata for her 25 years of service. Three other volunteers were recognized for 15 years, four for 10 years and 10 for 5 years. See photo on Page 4.



Anne Hirata, Patricia A. Wallace, Program Director, Community, Pastoral and Volunteer Services, Thomas J. Lewis.

'Signout' Saves Medical Residents Valuable Time

Information System's LastWord Physician Team has developed "Signout" -a wireless way for resident physicians ending their shifts to view patient data on the Hospital Intranet instead of keyboarding the information into a spreadsheet document.

In addition to reducing paper, the system can save each resident using a portable wireless PDA (Personal Digital Assistant) up to one hour's time each shift. This hour can now be used in patient care and educational

Since the portable devices only browse and do not store any data, the new system does not pose privacy or confidentiality issues.

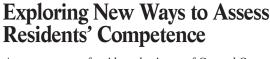
"We found that it took each resident from 45 minutes to an hour to collect the necessary data from LastWord and sign over 10 to 12 patients at the end of a shift," says Mary McNichol, Director of Hospital Applications, Information Systems.

"Not only was this time-consuming but there were no safeguards

against transcription errors when patient data, results and medications, were entered in the spreadsheet."

Now, Department of Medicine "nightfloat" residents carrying PDAs can log directly to the "Signout" website, view or print their patients' data, and add notes or instructions about each patient's care.

"We think 'Signout' provides a quicker, less error-prone and secure way for resident teams to sign their patients over at the end of a shift affording residents more time for patient care," Ms. McNichol sums up. Signout can also be used by covering attending physicians for weekend patient rounds.



As a new group of residents begin their hospital rotations in July, they and all other residents may soon be benefiting from a research study by five Jefferson Medical College (JMC) faculty members published in June in Academic Medicine.

The study's title reflects its purpose: "Do Global Rating Forms Enable Program Directors to Assess the ACGME Competencies?'

The researchers raise their question in response to a new set of General Competencies developed by the Accreditation Council on Graduate Medical Education (ACGME) to assess residents' competence.

The ACGME has mandated that Graduate Medical Education programs require their residents to develop and demonstrate proficiency in six General Competencies - Patient Care, Medical Knowledge, Practicebased Learning and Improvement, Interpersonal and Communication Skills, Professionalism, and Systems-based Practice.

As the JMC research team sees it, a different way to assess the new Competencies should be found to assure more accurate and meaningful evaluations.

Propose Using Different Methods

The use of standard "Global Rating Forms" is the most common way to measure competencies in medical education. Because the new competencies bring a new focus to assessment of the resident stressing the attainment of competence by the resident as opposed to a former emphasis on educational process -within the residency -- the JMC research group feels new or different

methods to measure resident competence must be explored as well. This is especially important since the ACGME regards the six new competencies as the cornerstone of a major, long-term initiative in accreditation, the "Outcome Project," to focus on how well residents learn.

The JMC researchers hope their published study will encourage other medical schools to follow Jefferson's lead and examine this issue at their institutions.

The research team:

Principal Investigator, Cynthia G. Silber, MD, Associate Dean, Graduate Medical Education. JMC; Co-Investigators, Thomas J. Nasca, MD FACP, Senior Vice President and Dean, JMC; David L. Paskin, MD, Professor of Surgery, Senior Associate Dean of Graduate Medical Education and Affiliations, JMC; Glenn Eiger, MD, Chief of Academic Affairs, Albert Einstein Medical Center; Mary Robeson, MS, Project Coordinator, Center for Research in Medical Education and Health Care, JMC; J. Jon Veloski, MS, Director, Medical Education Research. Center for Research in Medical Education and Health Care, JMC.



Second year Jefferson Medical College residents Erev Tubb, MD, JMC '02, at left, and Will Harvey, MD, Department of Medicine, view patient data on a wireless PDA while changing shifts on 3 Gibbon as Mary McNichol, Director of Hospital Applications, Information Systems, accompanies them.

Health Policy Presents 13th Annual Grandon Lecture, David B. Nash, MD, MBA, Invested as Grandon Chair

John W. Rowe, MD, Chair and CEO of Aetna, one of the nation's leading health and related benefits organizations, presented the 13th Annual Raymond C. Grandon Lecture to a full house at the DePalma Auditorium. His topic was "Health Care Costs - Why Are They Rising?" During the lecture, Dr. Rowe remarked

that Aetna and other insurers are moving toward HSAs (Health Savings Accounts) that help to reduce unnecessary care by letting consumers direct their own healthcare expenditures and help employers to lower the cost of providing health insurance.

Later that day, colleagues, family, staff and friends gathered as David B. Nash. MD. MBA. Associate Dean, Jefferson Medical College (JMC), and Director, Health Policy, was invested as the Raymond C. and Doris N. Grandon Chair of Health Policy.



health care during the Raymond C. and Dr. Brucker Grandon Lecture.



John W. Rowe, MD, Chair and CEO of Dr. Nash, at left, and Dr. Grandon display the proclamations presented Aetna, discusses the rising cost of to them. Also pictured are, from left, Dr. Nasca, Mr. Harrison, Mrs. Grandon,

The Chair was endowed by a generous gift from Dr. and Mrs. Grandon.

The ceremony began with a white-coat procession of JMC faculty and included remarks by Paul C. Brucker, MD, President, Thomas Jefferson University; Brian G. Harrison, Chair, University Board of Trustees; Thomas J. Nasca, MD, Dean, JMC; Dr. Nash and Dr. Grandon.

As a surprise to Dr. Nash, Health Policy staff presented a slide show depicting his activities with the department.

Because pressing Senate business kept him from attending as the event's keynote speaker, Senator Max Baucus (D-MT) instead sent a letter of congratulations to Dr. Nash that Dr. Nasca read aloud.

Dr. and Mrs. Grandon and Dr. Nash received beautifully engraved armchairs and illuminated proclamations to mark the occasion. A reception was held in Eakins Lounge following the investiture.

Sign Up Now for Fourth Big Walk for Little Feet!

It was such a success the previous three years that the "Big Walk for Little Feet" will again be added to the Jefferson Hospital Philadelphia Distance Run festivities for 2004. So get your walking feet ready for the fourth annual "Big Walk for Little Feet," which will raise funds to benefit Jefferson's Labor and Delivery suite and



the Neonatal Intensive Care, Transitional and Well-Baby Nurseries.

Over the summer, watch for registration tables set up in the Atrium so you can sign up as these two employees are doing with Patricia A. Wallace, Program Director, Community, Pastoral and Volunteer Services.

The three-mile fun walk on Sunday, September 19, is for the entire family - parents, children and friends. It begins at 8 a.m. at 12th and Market Streets, just after the last half-marathon runner takes off for the Distance Run, and finishes at 16th and Benjamin Franklin Parkway, near the Distance Run finish line.

Walkers and runners may register now online at either www.philadistancerun.org or www.JeffersonHospital.org/pdr

To form a team of 5 or more members, call Phyllis Nangle in the hospital's Development Office at 215-955-9136.

Volunteers Needed for Race, Walk

Jefferson Hospital sure would appreciate your help as a volunteer for the Race or the Walk. From Thursday, September 16, through Sunday, September 19, there are a host of volunteer opportunities for you and your family members. Some are appropriate for children. And all are guaranteed to be family fun!

Please respond to our call for volunteers so that we can achieve our goal of 125 Jefferson volunteers to cover all these exciting activities. To volunteer, call the Volunteer Office at 215-955-6222.

Many Nurses Honored During 2004 Nurses' Week Recognition Activities

The Department of Nursing of Thomas Jefferson University Hospital honored many staff nurses during Nurses' Week celebration – a week filled with recognition and award ceremonies.

Staff nurses were recognized in a ceremony titled "Dessert with Champions" for their participation in the Dermal Defense, Diabetes and Pain Resource Nurse Committees. This group serves as nursing unit representatives who meet monthly to discuss clinical practice issues related to their respective committees.

The Janet C. Hindson Award luncheon honored 13 nurses as nominees and two nurses as award recipients. The Janet C. Hindson Award recognizes individuals who demonstrate steadfast caring for the most vulnerable in society, respecting colleagues and creating environments that enhance the physical, mental and spiritual comfort of others.

The nominees: Lucinda
Brzozowski, RN, Patty Dallmer,
RN, BSN, Sheila Downing, RN,
BSN, Catherine Dugery, RN,
Elizabeth-Jones Pisel, RN, BSN,
Jennifer Malone, RN, BSN, Jackie
Lahnemann, RN, Sean McGrath,
RN, Shirley Morgan, RN, Terry
Silver, RN, Erin Simko, RN, MSN,
Marge Zarella, RN, and Mary
Vergara, RN.

The award recipients: Nora Kramer, RN, MSN, Nurse Manager NICU, INICU/ASU and Mary Ann Koval, RN, BSN, staff nurse 3 Center.

As reported previously, the Thomas Jefferson Nurse of the Year award was given to Arlene Greiner, RN, staff nurse at the Jefferson Hospital for Neuroscience, NICU.

Booklet Displays Nursing Talents

A booklet titled, "Jefferson Nurses Go Beyond Hospital Walls" was distributed to all staff during



Don Walker Photography

Mary Ann McGinley, RN, PhD, Senior Vice President for Patient Services and Chief Nursing Officer, Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, presents annual Janet C. Hindson Award to Nora Kramer, left, and Mary Ann Koval.

Nurses' Week displaying the contributions and talents of our nursing staff in the areas of community outreach, patient

education and serving the underserved populations.

This booklet was a compilation of submissions by staff nurses describing their activities in the community. Some examples of these include traveling to Kijobe, Kenya, with the World Medical Mission to perform cleft lip and palate repairs on children of the region, working with the Salvation Army to help women transition

from welfare to work, serving as a parish minister for troubled youth and acting as a resource for mothers with a disability who are expecting a child.

Other Activities

Other activities included a professional poster display showcasing the clinical and professional activities of the nursing staff.

These posters were created by staff nurses to describe their participation in the areas of performance improvement, education and research. This event was a forum for highlighting the image of the nurse as a professional.

Thanking the Nurses' Week Committee

None of these activities during Nurses' Week 2004 could have come to fruition without the untiring efforts of the Nurses' Week Committee whose membership includes several staff nurses – Nancy Parks, RN, Kathy Jaffe, RN, Beth Ann Piotrowski, Ellie Shaible and Rae Fierro. This committee spent many hours to help make these as well as other Nurses' Week events such a success this year.

Monday, July 5, Happy Indepen

Monday, July 5, is an official University Holiday. Happy Independence Day!



Scenes from 5th Annual 'Celebration of Life'

The fifth annual Celebration of Life by the Kimmel Cancer Center (KCC) at Jefferson featured an interactive Health Expo (middle photo). As in previous years, artists, writers and photographers displayed their work. Clockwise, from top left, Anna Marie Juliano; Ramona Cutter with her husband, Clifford, and 4-year-old daughter, Makayla; Barbara Martella, left, with Rachael Pinsley; Minnie and Art Zack; Caryn Levitsky.

New Meter Reading System Hikes Energy Efficiency and Cuts Costs

As Energy Manager for the University and the Jefferson Health System

(JHS) member hospitals, including Thomas Jefferson University Hospital, Randy Haines's job is to make sure energy – electricity, natural gas, steam and water – is delivered efficiently.

At the same time, he needs to lower energy costs – at both Center City Jefferson and JHS member hospitals. Sound easy? Consider how Mr. Haines had to do it a year ago:

"I was having to go around once a month and manually read all our primary meters and submeters at 18 Center City Jefferson buildings – the five major hospital buildings, plus 13 University buildings. Not surprisingly, the task took me all day and omitted the Methodist Division and Ford Road buildings. Also, we had no practical way to get readings from 15 JHS buildings."

Fast forward to today:

Without leaving his desk, Mr. Haines now can log on to his computer and instantly access real-time readings from all 250 primary meters and submeters in the 35 buildings spread through Jefferson and JHS facilities. As important, so can 27 other managers at various key locations.

How? By using Internet Explorer to go through a Web server connected to an automatic meter reading system. The system uses a special software that automatically updates – at 10-minute intervals – to collect, store and analyze the data in every meter.

As a result, Mr. Haines and other managers can fine-tune consumption use more efficiently, resulting in dramatic cost savings.

In fact, thanks in part to the new real-time metering system, JHS has selected a new supplier for electricity and is saving \$1.1 million a year on its annual contract. More than half of those savings are realized at the 18 Center City buildings, plus Methodist and Ford Road – about \$335,000 savings for seven hospital buildings and \$222,000 for 13 University buildings.

The system has earned industry recognition, nationally and internationally, calling to light that few other energy systems in the United States have the same capability to fine-tune consumption so precisely and efficiently, literally meter by meter.



JEFF**CALENDAR**

Jefferson Bookstore Has Moved

The Jefferson Medical and Health Science Bookstore is now located at 1009 Chestnut St. Hours are Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Phone number is 215-955-7922. Visit www.jefferson.edu/bookstore

Save Money, Use New Direct Dial with Methodist

Information Systems is pleased to announce 7-digit inter-office dialing between Jefferson and Methodist Hospital.

How to Dial from Jefferson to Methodist

- 1. Dial access code "24"
- 2. Dial "2" and the last 4 digits of the extension at Methodist that you are trying to reach
- 3. Example: 24-2-5678

How to Dial from Methodist to Jefferson

- 1. Dial access code "24"
- 2. Dial 3-xxxx or 5-xxxx
- 3. Example: 24-3-4567 or 24-5-4679

If you have any questions, please contact the Information Systems Client Service Desk at 215-955-7975 and select Option "3."

Notables

Christopher R. B. Merritt, MD, of Radiology **Named ARRS President**

Christopher R. B. Merritt, MD, Professor and Vice Chair for Informatics in the Department of Radiology, Jefferson Medical College, has been named 2004-2005 President of the American Roentgen Ray Society (ARRS).

Chair of the Department of Radiology at the Ochsner Clinic and the Alton Ochsner Foundation Hospital in New Orleans for 22 years, Dr. Merritt has long been an active contributor to the field of diagnostic radiology.

Dr. Merritt is a past President of the American Society of Clinic Radiologists, the American Institute of Ultrasound in Medicine, the Society of Radiologists in Ultrasound and the Intersocietal Commission for Accreditation of Vascular Laboratories. He has held many editorial positions in the field.

Saying Thanks to 100 Faculty Members

The Course Director for "Medical Practice for the 21st Century" (MP 21), J. Lindsey Lane, MD, Associate Professor of Pediatrics, Jefferson Medical College (JMC), and Director, Pediatric Undergraduate Medical Education, JMC, thanked the fulltime and volunteer faculty who ran small groups for first-year students with a pair of recognition luncheons. Currently more than 50 faculty are involved as small group leaders with the year-long course. An additional 50 faculty participate as skills educators or lecturers. Each received a certificate of thanks.

The recognition event marked the end of the inaugural year for MP 21 as part of the revised year-one JMC curriculum instituted last year.



Among the 120 volunteers honored at the Annual Volunteer Luncheon, seated from left, Mary Olson, Gertrude Lippman, Pearl Basser, Ilse Korona, standing from left, Sylvia Kaminsky, Ruth Kirk, Sara Barskey, Eleanor Castleberry, Paula Cohen and Blanche Robinowitch

Blood Donor Center hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Please call 5-7791 to schedule an appointment if you are eligible and willing to give blood.

June 1 - 30: Eye Injury Prevention and matosis Screening Awareness n

July 9: Dental Awareness.

BROWN BAG LUNCHES

· Lesbian and gay lunch group for staff, students and other members of the lefferson community. The meetings will be held every third Wednesday of each month, noon to 1 p.m., 1508 Pavilion. Contact John at JeffGala@aol.com for more information.

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS Thursday, July 8

· Internal Medicine, John Spandorfer, MD, Internal Medicine, "Publications of Interest in General Medicine," 8 to 9 a.m., 833 Chestnut St., Suite 701.

UPCOMING CONFERENCE

Thursday, August 19 Home Infusion Service and The Philadelphia

Area Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition, ASPEN Audio Teleseminar, "Blood Glucose Management in Nutrition Support Patient," 4 to 5:30 p.m., 101 BLSB. To register, call Sue Buccieri at 215-955-5200.

GRAND ROUNDS

Wednesday, July 7
• Pediatrics, C. William Hanson, III, MD, Professor, Anesthesia, Surgery and Internal Medicine, University of Penn, Medical Director, Surgical Intensive Care Unit, Section Chief, Critical Care Medicine, The Hospital of the University of Penn, "Computers in Medicine: Past, Present and Still to Come," 8 to 9 a.m., Lecture Hall, duPont Hospital for Children. (Video teleconference from duPont Hospital for Children to AtlantiCare and Christiana Care Health System.)

Wednesday, July 14

• Pediatrics, Jerome A. Paulson, MD, Associate Professor, Pediatrics and Public Health, George Washington University, Children's Pediatricians and Associates Washington, DC, "An Introduction to Children's Environmental Health," 8 to 9 a.m., Jimmy Brent Conference Room, 7th fl., JMC, and Lecture Hall, duPont Hospital for Children. (Video teleconference from Jefferson to duPont Hospital for Children, AtlantiCare and Christiana Care Health System.)

Wednesday, July 21

• Pediatrics, Sharon Lehman, MD, Clinical Assistant Professor, Ophthalmology and Pediatrics, JMC; Chief, Ophthalmology, duPont Hospital for Children; Jing Jin, MD, PhD, Attending Staff, Ophthalmology, duPont Hospital for Children: Nannette Refice, MD. Attending Staff, Ophthalmology, duPont Hospital for Children; Ralph S. Milner, MD, Community Physician, Ophthalmology, duPont Hospital for Children, "What's New in Pediatric Ophthalmology?" 8 to 9 a.m., Lecture Hall, duPont Hospital for Children, and Jimmy Brent Conference Room, 7th fl., IMC. (Video teleconference from duPont Hospital for Children to Jefferson, AtlantiCare and Christiana Care Health System.)

CLASSIFIED

To place an ad to sell or rent property complete a housing registration form available at the TJU Housing Office, 103 Orlowitz Hall or at the nications Office, Suite 300, 211 S. 9th St.

For more information on any property listing. call 5-6479. Telephone numbers do not appear in JeffNEWS real estate ads.

July 1 Apartment for rent: South Phila., 8th and Oregon, 1st floor, one bedroom, bath, kitch room, den (or 2nd small bedroom), yard, no pets, \$575 a month plus utilities.

July 2 Shore rental: N. Wildwood, 18th St., one block from boardwalk, Bayside: 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, 2nd floor, 2 single beds and queen sofa available May 28 through Sept. 6, season \$6,500; Oceanside: 2 hedrooms 1 hath 2 single heds 1 full and queen sofa. Available May 28 through Sept. 6, season \$6,500.

July 3 Shore rental: Rancher, Cape May, NJ, center sleeps 8, close to beach, tennis, central air, many

July 4 House for rent: East Mount Airy, _ block from R-7 train (22 minutes to Center City), 2 story twin, 4 bedrooms, large living room, dining ro kitchen-fenced in yard and porch. Available July, \$1,000 a month plus utilities.

July 5 Vacation rental: Condominium, 258 Simpson, 2nd floor, Ocean City, NJ, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths. Call for pricing.

July 6 Vacation rental: Ocean City, NJ, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, sleeps 8, newer construction, walking distance to beach, shopping and recreation. Weekly rentals available from \$800 to \$1,850.

July 7 Vacation rental: Massachusetts, Martha's Vineyard, spacious house on private road, 4 bed rooms, 2 bathrooms, post and beam construction cathedral ceilings, fireplace, stained glass windows lofts, skylights, upstairs and downstairs decks, washer/dryer, dishwasher, microwaye, new kitchen, access to town beaches and tennis courts, \$1,000 a week, June and September, \$1,600 a week, July and August.

To place an ad to buy or sell personal items, send written copy and a photocopy of your Jefferson ID to Ruth Stephens, 211 S. 9th

Street, Suite 300. Please include you Jefferson extension and area code for home

For sale: Medical office/clinical furniture, excellent condition: exam tables, base sink, wall cabinets, waiting room furniture, desks, chairs, etc. sonable offers accepted. Possible delivery Call Sy at 570-407-2716.

mber. (Please do not abbreviate copy.)

For sale: Baldwin Piano, upright, walnut, 41" h x 56" l x 24" w, \$2,200. Call Sandy at 215-503-4701 (day) or 215-477-0144 (evening).

For sale: Combi Savvy Z Stroller, brown/beige and black leopard print, lightweight, easy to push, super compact folding for storage and travel, retractable canopy, adjustable backrest, armrests, guardrail, waist/crotch restraint, under seat storage basket carrying strap, swivel wheels and washable seat cushion, original price \$275, will sell for \$95. Call Marc at 215-955-8706.

For sale: Excellent tires with many miles left or them, Michelin or Dunlop 205, 15" or 16" size from luxury cars, \$46 each; Duxiana best back support design mattress set, \$189 each, 50 gallon hot water heater, used 2 seasons, \$149; Sharp microwave oven with Pyrex turntable, \$89; kitchen counter top with double stainless steel sink and Delta One handle faucet and spray hose, \$149: woodworking tools, 10" Craftsman table saw, and her professional items. Call Theresa at 856-424 8255 or email Leo at Leo8255@Earthlink.net

Loving home needed: Full breed black lab retrieve (male), 5 years old, very smart, housebroken, very calm, fixed, has all shots, excellent for a couple owner moving, unable to take him. Call Geveneen at 215-831-8089.

Looking for a puppy: Do you know a maltese puppy who needs a home? If you have any infor mation about a breeder, please call Alycia at 215

Loving home needed: GW is a 2-year old (approxi mately), healthy, neutered grey and white male cat in need of a good home. He is a very sweet cat (to people). Looking for a good home where he will be loved and cared for forever. If you would like to take him, even on a trial basis of one or two months, I would take him back if you ever need me to. Call Joann at 215-928-3126.

Wednesday, July 28

 Pediatrics, Lainie F. Ross, MD, MA, PhD. Associate Professor, Pediatrics, MacLean Center for Clinical Medical Ethics, University of Chicago Children's Hospital, "Children in Medical Research - Has the Pendulum Swung too Far?" 8 to 9 a.m., Lecture Hall, duPont Hospital for Children, and Jimmy Brent Conference Room, 7th fl., JMC. (Video teleconference from duPont Hospital for Children to Jefferson, AtlantiCare and Christiana Care Health System.)

MEETINGS

Monday, July 26 Full Board of Trustees, noon, 636 Scott.

Thursday, July 29

Thomas Jefferson University Hospitals, Inc. Board, 8 a.m., 101 BLSB.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Monday, July 12

• Activities Office, Group Pilates mat classes, beginner level, six weeks, Commons group exercise studio, 1 to 2 p.m. Pre-register in Activities Office, B100 JAH, \$30 Commons members and TIU students, \$35 Jefferson employees.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Tuesday, July 6 Christian prayer meeting, praise, prayer and

Bible reading, non-denominational, noon to 1 p.m., 219 Curtis. Also Tuesdays, July 13, 20 and 27.

Wednesday, July 7

 Hospital Christian Fellowship, brown bag, Bible study, 1 to 2 p.m., 302 MOB. Call Hyacinth Williams at 215-474-0864. Also Wednesdays, July 14, 21 and 28.

Thursday, July 8

• Interfaith Prayer and Meditation Service, noon, Chapel, 9 Gibbon. Anyone from any faith is welcome. During brief service silent prayer is offered from requests written in books placed in the Chapel, Bodine Cancer Center and several other hospital areas. Also Thursdays, July 15, 22, and 29. Call Theresa at

Monday, July 26

· Bible study session: video showing and Bible study at noon, 12:30 and 1 p.m., 139 JAH. All welcome. Call Ester or Luel San Diego at 610-352-9167 or Nenita Cuarto at 215-725-1579.

JMC Class of 2006 Initiates Excellence in Teaching Awards

In an effort to recognize the outstanding efforts of many Jefferson Medical College (JMC) professors during the second-year curriculum, the JMC Class of 2006 has created the "Excellence in Teaching Award."

In announcing the award, Mary Bove, JMC '06, Student Council

"After each block, students will elect two professors who have demonstrated their commitment and enthusiasm to our growth as academicians and clinicians. It is our hope that this award will serve to further encourage excellent teaching here at Jefferson, and to foster an environment of positive energy and rapport."

Honorees receiving certificates in spring 2004: William Kocher, MD, Dale Berg, MD, Thomas Klein, MD, and Katherine Worzala, MD.

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