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Calendar

- Feb. 8 Monday, 6:45 pm. Beginners' Class
Monday, Membership Meeting, 8:00 pm
at the MONROE CENTER
- Feb. 8 Deadline for Spore Prints Material. Send all ma-
terial to 2559 NE 96th, Seattle, WA 98115.
- Feb. 15 Monday, Board Meeting, 7:30 pm. Monroe Ctr.
- March 12 Friday, The 18th Annual Survivors Banquet
- March 13 & 14 Spring Educational Workshop

FINAL REMINDER TO PAY YOUR 1982 MEMBERSHIP DUES

This will be the last issue of Spore Prints that you will receive
if you have not sent in your check for renewal of your PSMS
membership. (Dues are \$12 for a family; \$8.50 for a single;
and \$6 for a student membership.) Send your check immediate-
ly to our membership chairman, Aino Kunz, 12552 - 19th NE
Seattle, WA 98125 in order to remain a member in good stand-
ing. New members who have joined PSMS since September
1981 are paid up through 1982.

WELCOME TO THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS

Benson, Patrice & Edward: 324 - 9037; Davis, Joryl: 623 -
6541; Ford, Thomas & Brenda: 952 - 4069; Lawson, Michael:
243 - 4441; Mitchell, Bernard: 938 - 2830; Muller, Charles
& Angela Ginorio: 523 - 0091; Novark, Bruce & Sharon:
453 - 8544.

Membership Meeting

Monday, February 8, 1982, 8:00 pm in the auditorium of the
MONROE CENTER, 1810 N.W. 65th Street, Seattle.

Program: Through the efforts of Dave & Jennie Schmitt we
are able to have a repeat showing of the film: Mushroom
Cultivation in Japan, which entranced us through the exqui-
site photography of the mushrooms and dishes prepared with
them. This is a second film, not the one we saw about a year
ago. It also shows how many different varieties of mushrooms
are cultivated in Japan today.

In addition, a panel consisting of Drs. Stuntz and Ammirati,
and Charles Volz will discuss the recent death of a girl in
Spokane caused by Galerina poisoning.

BOARD NEWS

H.R.H.

As the first order of business, the Board discussed the new
meeting place at the Monroe Center. Generally, the com-
ments by the membership was favorable. Several members ex-
pressed their wish to have the parking lot lighted, and espe-
cially the entrance to the parking lot. The Center manage-
ment told us that it was expecting information on a long-term
lease from the City within the next month.

Carl Hermanson has taken over the chairmanship of the 1982
Exhibit. He said that he and our treasurer, Earl Harrison are
making cost comparisons about holding the Exhibit at the
Flag Pavilion or possibly moving it to the Monroe Center.
The only date available at the Flag Pavilion is the first week-
end in October (and this reservation was made over a year
ago) which is rather early in the fruiting season. A final de-
cision will be made soon. Any comments from the membership
are welcome!

The Board again decided to award scholarship money at the
Banquet. Drs. Stuntz and Ammirati will make recommenda-
tions.

In a future issue of Spore Prints we will present the financial
position of the Society.

Dr. Susan Libonati-Barnes is preparing a presentation for the
Seattle School District on Galerina and Psilocybe look-alikes.
She also is reviewing and redoing the PSMS Poison Pamphlet.

John Kunz presented the necessary additional information on
the 1982 Spring Educational Workshop, which will be held
Saturday and Sunday, March 13 & 14. It was agreed to in-
vite the mycological societies in the State of Washington.
Details about the Workshop are covered elsewhere in this is-
sue and a sign-up form is included.

LomNee March reported that the preparations for the Survi-
vors Banquet are on schedule. Kit Scates will be the Banquet
speaker.

The Society received a letter of thanks for the donations from
the director of the Oakpatch Camp. It further stated that the
Society is welcome to come back for future fieldtrips.

BEGINNERS' CONTINUED IN FEBRUARY

M.M.H.

The fourth session of the Beginners' Class again will start at
6:45 pm on Monday, February 8, 1982 at the Monroe Center.
Monte will wind up the lectures on general mycological in-
formation. Milton Grout, who holds our regular classes on
mushroom identification in the fall, will begin with his part
in the spring series during this session, and carry through to
the identification of spring fruiting mushrooms in April. In

March (the date will be published next month) there will be a learning field trip.

PHOTOGRAPHY SESSION FOR AMATEURS Joy Spurr

The first session will start at 6:45 on Monday, May 10. The limited program is designed to help the beginner improve his/her photography of mushrooms in the field. There will be tips on lighting, composition, backgrounds, care of equipment, choice of lenses, film, etc. This session is limited to PSMS members only.

SPRING EDUCATIONAL WORKSHOP John Kunz

Would you like to eat more kinds of mushrooms? Or would you like to be able to better understand the words used in mushroom books? Would you like to enjoy two days with good friends and beautiful mushroom slides? You can do this and more at PSMS' Spring Educational Workshop.

Mark the weekend of March 12 - 14th as a mushroom special. Following our Survivors Banquet, PSMS has organized a two-day workshop to improve your skills in identifying and describing mushrooms.

Participants will be given a pictorial key to genus developed by Kit Scates. Two sessions (built around lots and lots of slides) will give you facility at using this unique key. This pictorial key presentation has been a great hit at a variety of mushroom meetings around the country. Several PSMS members participated and can vouch for its effectiveness at the recent NAMA Foray held at Port Townsend. You too will actively participate in these sessions. Participants will also be given an illustrated glossary of mushroom definitions. The glossary will be demonstrated in one session with slides to make sure you see the meanings.

One session is planned to give you practice in using a key to identify mushrooms to species. Since we can't expect to find many mushrooms this early in the year, color prints will be made available for use in this session.

Kit Scates is a member of PSMS, but since she lives in Idaho we see her only occasionally. She takes beautiful slides of mushrooms (about 150 of her slides are used in the brand new Audubon Society Field Guide to North American Mushrooms by Gary Lincoff). Kit founded the Pacific Northwest Key Council, which has developed keys to the mushrooms of our region. She is an enthusiastic and skilled teacher (with an M.A. in teaching).

The workshop sessions will be held in our new meeting place - the Monroe Center in the Ballard district of Seattle. Ample parking (free) is available there. The morning sessions will start at 10:00 and the afternoon ones at 1:00 pm. Bring your lunch.

Tickets for the workshop are \$15 per person or \$25 per couple. The cost includes the picture key and illustrated glossary. Coffee and cookies will be there too!

For reservations use the enclosed form. Tickets also will be available at the February Membership Meeting, the Banquet and at the door. For further information and directions call 362-7402.

This is a special opportunity. Take advantage of it.

THANK YOU STAN MARCH

The drawing on the cover of this, our Banquet issue of Spore Prints, again was provided by Stan March, who has generously shared his artistic talent with us. He is an excellent example of the volunteer effort which makes our Society so great!

BANQUET NEWS

LomNee March

The preparations for our 18th Annual Survivors Banquet are proceeding on schedule. Again this year, we will meet on Friday, March 12, 1982 at the South Seattle Community College (a map will be included in Spore Prints next month). The Chef and the students again prepare to treat us to another elegant gourmet dinner which will include wild mushrooms. Specifically, the menu will feature a special salad, breast of chicken with a mushroom glaze; wild rice croquettes; green beans; Florentine tomatoes; and for dessert we can expect another surprise special.

Our banquet speaker will be Kit Scates, a PSMS member who lives in Idaho. She is a trustee of NAMA and will conduct our Spring Workshop the following days. She will talk and show us slides of the genus Ramaria.

The tickets must be purchased in advance. They will be available at the February membership meeting, or by mailing a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your check to Ethel Bennett, 3023 NW 63rd, Seattle, WA 98107. Dinner is \$14.50 per person. An additional fee of \$2.00 is added for those desiring wine with their dinner. A charge of \$3.50 is made for the champagne reception.

There will be door prizes. The lovely table arrangements will again be made by students of the College, and will be available for sale after the banquet. Seating capacity in the College dining room is 250. So get your tickets early!

DONATIONS OF MUSHROOMS ARE NEEDED

Donations of frozen Chanterelles, dried Morels and Boletes are requested, and will be included in the dinner. Bring them to the February membership meeting, or call LomNee at 885 - 0375 for other pick-up arrangements.

DANIEL E. STUNTZ, A DISTINGUISHED PROFESSOR AND FRIEND (continued from last month) by David R. Hosford

We continue the above article with a list of names of the students who earned graduate degrees under his supervision. The article also included ten photographs of Dr. Stuntz and mostly mycological friends. We were not able to acquire the originals and the reproductions of the copies from the journal would have been poor pictures. Only the two childhood pictures of Dr. Stuntz printed below are of quality to be printed here. They show him at a time in his life when none of us knew him. The long list of names listed on page 4 and the jobs these persons are doing in universities and research shows a tremendous accomplishment for Dr. Stuntz. We are all very proud of you, Dr. Stuntz.



Left - Daniel, about 4 years old. Photo taken in Ohio.
Right - Daniel, about 10 years old. Photo taken in Seattle.

GRADUATE DEGREES COMPLETED UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF

DANIEL E. STUNTZ

- 1951 M.S. Polyporaceae of Flathead Lake region of western Montana
Robert Lewis Gilbertson
Department of Plant Pathology
University of Arizona
Tucson, AZ 85721
- 1951 M.S., Forestry An investigation of two species of fungi associated with Bark-Beetles on Pacific Silver Fir
John Hunt
Pacific Northwest Regional Experiment Station,
Forest Service
Portland, OR
(Died 1959 en route to assume Dr. Boyce's position at Yale)
- 1957 M.S. The ontogeny of the laticiferous system of *Lactarius aurantiacus* (Fr.) Fries
Harvard Lyman
address unknown
- 1957 Ph.D., Forestry *Cenococcium graniforme* - its distribution, ecology, mycorrhiza formation, and inherent variation
James Martin Trappe
Forestry Science Laboratory
3200 Jefferson Way
Corvallis, OR 97331
- 1962 M.S. *Pholiota* of Washington State
Darryl William Grund
Department of Biology
Acadia University
Wolfville, N.S. Canada
- 1962 M.S. A survey of the Tremellales of the Pacific Northwest
Hubert Clifford Klett
Department of Biology
Olympic College
Bremerton, WA 98310
(Died 1976)
- 1963 M.S. A survey of the pileate Hydnaceae of western Washington
Dennis Melvin Hall
Department of Biology
Northeastern Ill. University
Bryn Mawr at St. Louis
Chicago, IL 60625
- 1963 M.S. A survey of Boletaceae of Washington
Theodore Charles Hoffman
Mason Lake, WA
(deceased)
- 1963 M.S. A survey of *Agaricus* in Washington, Oregon, and California
Bill Forgest Isaacs
Tewa Enterprises
Sante Fe, N.M. 87501
- 1964 Ph.D. North American Species of *Eridia*
Hurbert Clifford Klett
Department of Biology
Olympic College
Bremerton, WA 98310
(Died 1976)
- 1964 M.S. A survey of the macrofungi on serpentine and non-serpentine soils in the upper Teanaway River Valley, Washington
John Lewis Maas
Fruit Laboratory
BARC-W
Beltsville, MD 20705
- 1965 Ph.D. A survey of *Russula* occurring in Washington State
Darryl William Grund
Department of Biology
Acadia University
Wolfville, N.S. Canada
- 1965 M.S. A taxonomic survey of *Peziza* in western Washington
Phyllis Margaret Hicks
- College Biological Supply
Bothell, WA
- 1965 M.S. A survey of *Amanita* in western Washington
Naoshi Nakamura
Okinawa
- 1967 M.S. A survey of genus *Guepinopsis* with comparison of genera *Guepinopsis* and *Dacrymyces*
Betty Ann Alder
Bremerton, WA 98310
- 1967 M.S. A survey of the genus *Dasyocyphus* and related genera in western Washington
John H. Haines, Ph.D.
New York State Museum
Albany, N.Y. 12234
- 1968 Ph.D. A survey of the pileate Hydnaceae of western Washington
Dennis Melvin Hall
Department of Biology
Northeastern Illinois University
Bryn Mawr at St. Louis
Chicago, IL 60625
- 1968 Ph.D. *Leptonia* and related genera of the west coast with a preliminary revision of the Rhodophylloid fungi
David Lee Largent
Department of Biology
Humboldt State University
Arcata, CA 95521
- 1968 Ph.D. *Ramaria* of western Washington
Currie Daniel Marr
Science-Biology Department
State University College
Oneonta, N.Y. 13820
- 1971 Non-thesis Masters "A study of *Histoplasma* in the Pacific Northwest"
R. L. Holman
Seattle, WA
- 1971 Non-thesis Masters A taxonomic survey of the coprophilous taxa of *Coprinus* (Agaricales) in western Washington
Fred Van De Bogart, Jr.
Seattle, WA 98133
- 1972 Ph.D. *Rhizopogon* of the north-western United States
David Ramon Hosford
Department of Biological Sciences
Central Washington University
Ellensburg, WA 98926
- 1974 M.S. Algunos Hongos de El Salvador Tremellales, Thelephorales y Discomycetes
Gustavo A. Escobar
Apartado Postal #05-50
San Salvador, El Salvador
Central America
- 1975 Non-thesis Masters Studies on the Bird's Nest Fungi of Washington State
Carol Sue Davis
Everett, WA
- 1975 Ph.D. The genus *Coprinus* in Washington and adjacent western states
Fred Van De Bogart
Seattle, WA 98133
- 1975 Ph.D. The Collybioid fungi of western Washington
Joanne Helen Williams
(Lennox)
Issaquah, WA 98027
- 1978 Ph.D. Contribution towards a monograph of neotropical species of *Hymenochaete*
Gustavo A. Escobar
Apartado Postal #05-50
San Salvador, El Salvador
Central America
- 1979 Ph.D. (to be completed) "Selected Pleurotoid genera of western Washington"
Susan D. Libonati
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