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Four Nominated for Women's Awards

Four employees have been nominated to compete with other federal agency nominees in the St. Louis Metropolitan Federal Women's Program Federal Women's Awards Program.

Nominated in the self-development category (non-supervisory) were: Roberta Braundel, Betty Townsend, and Patricia Hudson, all of the Aerospace Cartography Department. Nominated in the managerial/supervisory category was Thomas Deem also of CD.

Braundel was nominated for her achievement of a degree in Data Information Systems while at the same time being an outstanding trainee in the successful conclusion of the cartographer upward mobility program at the Center. She maintained a 4.0 grade point average during her achievement of the BS degree.

Townsend was nominated for her self-

New Deputy Director-Col. Boe

Col. Harold T. "Tom" Boe has assumed duties as the new deputy director of the Aerospace Center replacing Col. John McKenney who departed last week for a new assignment with the Air Force in Washington, D.C.

Colonel Boe is a veteran of 24 years Air Force service and a native of Iowa. He comes to the Center from the base commander's position at Pope AFB, N.C.

The new deputy holds a bachelor's degree from Grinnell

College, Iowa and a master's in Public Administration from Auburn University, Ala.

During his career, the command rated pilot flew C-123, C-130, C-131, T-37, T-38 and T-39 aircraft in a variety of assignments. He was part of the first squadron of C-123 aircraft to arrive in Vietnam during the early part of 1962.

He arrived at Pope AFB in 1978 and served as Chief of Operations and Training and Deputy Base Commander before assuming the Base Commander's position.

development efforts in completing or now attending five work related college courses. Additionally, her external organization activities include active membership in eight professional societies and organizations.

Hudson's nomination cited her for self-development efforts in six work related college courses and active participation in eight professional societies or organizations. She is considered one of the top cartographers in her section.

Deem was nominated for his superior managerial skill in encouraging the women assigned to his branch to volunteer for assignments to the division staff offices. He has also selected women in greater proportion than their assigned numbers for transfer, promotion, or advanced training classes.

The Women's Award Program will take place Oct. 15 at the Cedars when the overall metro area winners will be announced.



Among his medals and decorations are the Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf clusters and the Air Medal.

He and his wife, Pat, and one daughter will make their home in Caseyville, Ill.



Sharing is Caring . . .

Jimmy Brockmeyer has cerebral palsy. He has no control over his arms or legs. But he knows what it feels like to go swimming, thanks to the Combined Federal Campaign and the Webster Groves YMCA swim and gym program for handicapped children. The YMCA is one of over 100 agencies in the St. Louis area which benefit from the CFC. The Campaign begins Monday at the Aerospace Center and provides everyone the opportunity to care and share. Use the convenient payroll deduction method to help the other Jimmy's in the world.

"Newsboys" Needed

Old Newsboys Day celebrates its Silver Anniversary on Nov. 17 this year. For 25 years thousands of volunteers have taken to the streets of the St. Louis metropolitan area to hawk special Old Newsboys editions of the

team have participated in this special volunteer effort.

Last year the Aerospace Center set an all time record, collecting \$1,510.30. In the 20 year history of the Aerospace Center's participation in the Old Newsboys

Fire Prevention Week Will Feature Unannounced Drill

The first full week in October (4-10) has been declared Fire Prevention Week by Presidential proclamation and will be celebrated at the Aerospace Center in a variety of events.

Monday (Oct. 5) will feature an evacuation drill (at an unannounced time) of all buildings at the 2nd Street installation in St. Louis and the Center's Office in Kansas City. The drill will test the alarm system and evacuation procedures. In St. Louis, the City Fire Department will assist in the evacuation and provide an equipment demonstration.

Today

The St. Louis Region of the American Society of Photogrammetry will hold a technical meeting this afternoon at the 2nd Street Dining Hall. The guest speaker will be Dr. Paul R. Wolf from the University of Wisconsin-Madison who will present the topic "Photogrammetry in Traffic Accident Reconstruction". Dr. Wolf has been a consultant in traffic accident reconstruction for more than 12 years.

The meeting will begin at 4:30 p.m. preceded by a social hour at 3:30 p.m. Admission is free and non-members are welcome.

Tuesday (Oct. 6) will be clean-up day for all installations in St. Louis providing employees the opportunity to clean out desks, cabinets and storage areas to eliminate excess waste materials and "collected junk".

Wednesday (Oct. 7) the Center Safety personnel will conduct an inspection of all areas at the St. Louis installations. A fire awareness presentation is planned for the Kansas City Office.

Thursday (Oct. 8) there will be an evacuation drill (at an unannounced time) of all buildings at the South Annex. The Lemay Fire

Department will assist with the drill.

Friday (Oct. 9) there will be an inspection of the family housing area at Jefferson Barracks and the awarding of Fire prevention Plaques. The inspection will be of fire prevention items only, such as smoke detectors and fire extinguishers.

The week will climax at 1:00 p.m., Friday, with the awarding of Fire Prevention plaques for the cleanest areas at a meeting of the area fire marshals in the 6th floor conference room of Building 36.

President Asks Help For RIFed Employees

President Ronald Reagan has asked executive departments and agencies to assist federal employees who face the prospect of losing their jobs during reduction-in-force situations.

In a memorandum, the president said, "Reducing and streamlining the federal bureaucracy is central to the economic recovery of America."

This means that some federal workers face the prospect of losing their jobs. To lessen the impact of job loss, the Voluntary Interagency Placement Program is seeking

placement of affected employees in the public and private sector by using a computer-matching system. The Office of Personnel Management is cooperating with private employers and state and local governments in outplacement efforts.

"For the sake of those personally affected—and for the economy—we must strive to retain the skills of our many talented civil servants in the nation's work force while reducing the size of government and redirecting its purposes and direction," the president said.

Old Newsboys editions of the Globe-Democrat. All the proceeds collected from this effort go to assist more than 200 children's agencies in the St. Louis area. The funds received are allocated for specific needs such as books, wheelchairs and playground equipment.

The Aerospace Center is also celebrating its own anniversary. This year marks the 20th time members of the Aerospace Center

participation in the Old Newsboys program, employees have donated over \$16,000.

Aerospace Center Old Newsboys and Newsgirls are being sought for both the 2nd Street installation and 8900 South Broadway. If you would like to tempt the elements and help a needy child, call Jim Mohan in the Public Affairs Office, ext. 4142 and sign up to be a volunteer.

The deadline for signing up to volunteer is October 9.



Last week's cold snap reminds us that it won't be long til Old Newsboys Day rolls around again. Last year, Jaunetha Cade, SDDAC, was one of 26 volunteers who raised a record amount at the Aerospace Center.

Agency Goals Identified For Coming Fiscal Year

DMA Director, MG Richard M. Wells, USA, has identified the agency goals for the coming fiscal year in a letter to component directors. "Our challenges for FY 82 are both difficult and demanding", commented the general. "You will note that on the attached listing are items that will tax our programs and our administrative ability to further advance DMA's internal and external posture of efficiency, effectiveness, productivity and responsiveness."

While indicating that the list was not all inclusive, he urged the list of significant goals be factored into the organizational objectives.

The goals are:

-Insure that future collection systems are optimally configured to satisfy MC&G requirements. Assure that Centers have the technological capability and trained personnel to efficiently utilize these systems materials in hydrographic, topographic and aeronautical programs.

-Implement the pay provisions of the Merit Pay System and the new performance appraisal system for grades GS-12 and below and Wage Grade employees. Upgrade the development of performance standards and critical elements for GS-13 through GS-15 Merit Pay employees.

-Meet the minimum essential cruise missile and PERSHING II program goals according to schedules developed between DMA and the user. Refine user requirements to insure optimum collection of source materials.

-Complete the upgrade of DMA's main frame (scientific and technical) computer systems, the requirements analysis of DMA's operational management and MC&G data bases, and the

systems capability.

--Expand efforts to eliminate fraud and waste in DMA programs through immediate and vigorous investigatory actions on suspected cases of fraud, through increased emphasis on participation in the E/P program, and in increased attention to operational efficiency during management effectiveness and technical inspections.

--Expand DMA's cooperative mapping and charting program into new areas to reduce costs of satisfying DoD MC&G requirements and assure timely fulfillment of DMA commitments.

--Implement DMA's Affirmative Action Plan and increase efforts to recruit, place and provide training and development opportunities for minorities and women at all skill levels.

--Enhance the professional standing of DMA within the MC&G national and international communities, and advance the role of professionalism in the DMA work force by training and developmental assignments.

Bits And Pieces

From the Black Book:

The editor is on vacation for this issue and that gives me the opportunity to return to "the scene of the crime", so to speak, and once again put together a newspaper. Mrs. Brannon has been doing such a good job that I've seldom had the opportunity to draw a line or crop a photo. After she sees what I've

CFC—Who Benefits?

Who benefits from the Combined Federal Campaign?

All of us. And that isn't merely a hollow promise.

The Combined Federal Campaign is the means for supporting the vital agencies in the community which handle human problems from disaster relief to family counseling, youth programs to rehabilitation of the handicapped. Without the CFC—without your contributions—these

voluntary services couldn't exist, at least not without government support funded by higher taxes.

Consider the following situations:

If a permanent crippling illness struck a member of your neighbor's family, to whom could he or she turn for help?

Who would provide emergency food, clothing and medical assistance if a flood hit your town?

Who offers the counseling programs that help in the rehabilitation of drug abuse victims in the St. Louis area?

YOU provide these services through your contribution to the CFC. YOU control the purse strings, and YOU determine how able your community is to respond to personal tragedy, natural disaster or emerging social problems. The Combined Federal Campaign is a way for your contributions to reach the organizations which can solve the problem.

One commonly asked question during the campaign is, "If I designate an agency, will they get all my money?" The answer is 97% is assured of going directly to the agency you designate, and the other 3%, or 3 cents of each dollar, is for administrative costs such as pledge cards, givers guides, pins, a very limited staff, etc.

Quoting the Civil Service Manual covering Campaign Practices and Procedures: "True voluntary giving is the free response of an individual to an appeal which gives him full knowledge of the human needs at stake and encourages him to contribute generously in relation to his financial ability and his responsibility as a good citizen."

Remember, your contribution, no matter how small, will help someone in need in our community.



What My CFC Gift

"As a past CFC campaign humbled to see the great num-

MC&G data bases, and the selection of contractors to develop conceptual designs of DMA's data base environment. Further, continue efforts leading to the implementation of a DMA modern programming environment.

-Develop and publish a comprehensive MC&G priority system that addresses national, theater and production priorities.

-Emphasize the Terrain Analysis Program with respect to validation of required products, standardization of data bases and area production requirements, and implementation of data base production.

-Emphasize the production and distribution capability required to satisfy the minimum essential needs of the Rapid Deployment Force and continue to refine user requirements. Initiate new support plans as required.

-Strengthen production process quality control, refine techniques, and refine product accuracy and production management procedures for quality control of MC&G products.

-Continue the identification and formalization of an all digital "System 90" capability by formulating initial concepts regarding subsystem test, evaluation and distribution.

--Complete plans for accomplishing G&C surveys in support of M-X (pending the basing decision), TRIDENT, and other strategic systems, and continue to pursue advanced instrumentation development for new survey

photo. After she sees what I have done to this edition, she may wish I had stayed in meetings and out of the trenches.

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The change of command for both the director and deputy has brought about a new wave of hustle and bustle throughout the agency as the duo begins their round of orientation briefings. Everybody, of course, is attempting to put their best foot forward. I already put my foot, not necessarily forward, when I forgot to change the credit box on the last issue of the Orientor from Colonel Burns to Colonel Small. The big disadvantage of being in public affairs work is that when you make a mistake, everybody knows, there's no hiding it. Anyway, we welcome the new colonels to the world of the Aerospace Center.

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The Combined Federal Campaign begins Monday. It provides all of us with the opportunity to extend a helping hand in the form of monetary assistance to the many charitable and service oriented organizations in the metro areas. A little each pay period from the giver can mean a lot to the receiver.

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In Sympathy

Word has been received of the death of former employee Ferdinand (Fred) Heine on Aug. 14.

He is survived by his wife and three sons. Interment was in St. Peters Cemetery.

Three-year-old David Grone is too busy having fun to worry about his cerebral palsy. Thanks to your CFC contributions, David is able to attend the United Cerebral Palsy Center.



Through the Visiting Nurses Association, 80-year-old Leo Mabry can come and go as he pleases. Leo almost lost his cherished independence several years ago to glaucoma, high blood pressure and two severe heart attacks. However, the Visiting Nurse Association, a CFC agency, rescued Leo from institutional confinement by providing weekly checkups in his own apartment.



The first pledge at the Aerospace Center to the Combined Federal Campaign is made by Center Director Col. J.W. Small as the President of NFFE Local 1827, Virgil Haun, and Center CFC Project Officer, Kenneth Diers, look on. The official campaign will begin Monday in St. Louis and last through October 23rd. The Center's goal has been announced at \$160,000. The theme for this year's East-West Gateway CFC at the Center is "Sharing is Caring".



Michael Brundy, a young bachelor in his 20's, has been a Big Brother to Tony for more than a year. They were introduced through Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Greater St. Louis, a CFC agency. Their first meeting proved successful and the two have been friends ever since. It's the CFC tradition of people-helping-people.



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anager I was touched and
of human beings that were

Why I Give To CFC...

"Contributing to CEC through payroll deductions is an easy

*'a pathetic sight to see tiny
elder people needing constant
care praised for its devotion and
generosity. I urge all AC employees to
support the campaign. Invest in life."*

—Edward Kendrick/SOP

A teacher for the Emmaus Home for mentally retarded women confers with Julie, a young woman at the organization's St. Charles residence for women. When Julie arrived at the Emmaus Home, she was a 27-year-old who had never received any type of educational training. With a great deal of patience and caring from Emmaus teachers and attendants, Julie is now in good spirits, helpful, neat and responsible. Your CFC contribution will help the Emmaus Home continue its efforts so all the patients will enjoy and appreciate life.

"Contributing to CFC through payroll deductions is an easy way to help others. Often I would intend to donate money to a certain organization, but would never get around to it. I've been able to do this through CFC. The amount deducted from each paycheck is hardly missed and I can direct the money to the agency in which I have a particular interest."

—Lorie Tellor/CDVAA

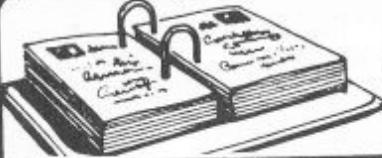
CFC Helped Me ...

"I give to CFC because it has personally benefitted me. I was born with a crippling birth defect which impaired my ability to walk. Through the services of many organizations in the CFC and many years of treatment, this defect was corrected and I now enjoy a normal life."

—Marty Walls/POP



Dr. William H. Danforth talks with youngsters at the University City Day Care Center. The center is one of over 100 human service organizations supported by the Combined Federal Campaign. Your contributions make their operation possible.



Calendar

October 1981

OCT.	EVENT	WHERE	RESPONSIBILITY
1	Toastmasters	Lindbergh Rm.	C. Morgan/4093
6	Charters Golf	Triple Lake	B. Touzinsky/4406
8	DMAAC Women's Club	Grant's Cabin	J. Fahy/843-1293
8	IMAGE Mtg.	4604 Gravois	C. Athie/4276
13	BAG	5th Flr. Conf. Rm.	G. McGuire/8443
13	FBA Mtg.	Carpenters Hall	D. Black/4141
15	Toastmasters	Lindbergh Rm.	C. Morgan/4093
15	Arsenal 76 FEW	Dining Hall	E. Connelly/8432
16	Bloodmobile	2nd Street	C. Hardin/4047
22	Toastmasters Extra Mtg.	Lindbergh Rm.	C. Morgan/4093
27	NFFE Local 1827	Dining Hall	V. Haun/4044
Every Tues	JA Mtg.	GA Conf. Rm.	J. Hagedorn/4974

Contact Nancy Brannon/4142 to have your November events listed.

Carto Class Grads



Former Employee Maps at Garden

A recent issue of the Missouri Botanical Garden Bulletin bore proof of the old adage- "once a cartographer, always a cartographer" as it featured an article on former Center employee Rosemary Rudde.

Although she retired from the Center in 1969 after a 26 year career in the cartographic profession, she couldn't stay away from the contour lines and grid projections. For the last six years, Rosemary Rudde has worked as a volunteer in the Missouri Botanical Garden archives caring for the

Thirty Years and Counting

JOHN E. BRUEGEMAN, SDCO-C, celebrated his 30-year anniversary of federal service on Aug. 4.

Brueggeman began his federal career with the U.S. Post Office on Market Street in 1948. He began working for the Aerospace Center as a cartographic draftsman in September 1951. Later he worked as a negative engraver.

After attending the Cartographic Training School at South Broadway, in August 1969, he was assigned as a cartographer in the Missile Support Division of the Scientific Computer Branch. He has held various positions before assuming his present position as a section chief in the Scientific Data Department.

HARRY S. M. BATES, JR., CDKP, completed 30-years of federal service on August 20.

Bates began his federal career as a cartographic draftsman with the Army Map Service in August 1951. Later he became a photogrammetrist for the same agency, eventually assuming the position of supervisor photogrammetrist.

In 1967 (from February to May) Bates taught Cadastral Surveying to Vietnam personnel in Long Xygen, Vietnam. Later that same year, he was assigned to the U.S.A. Topographic Command. He was assigned as a supervisor at CDK-BA in 1977. Presently, he is program manager of the Production Management Office.

GRAHAM E. HORTON, GD-MDC, marked 30-years of federal service on August 26.

Horton joined the Army Air



Brueggeman



Horton

Force in 1948 as a firefighter-crash crew member.

He began his civilian service in 1957 with the Aerospace Center. Horton attended the first Cartographic Training School Class. Upon completion of school, he was assigned as an Air Intelligence Specialist performing decibel analysis (radar) in the Photogrammetry Division. In 1962, he was assigned to the Analytical Branch of the Missile Support Division. From 1965 to the present, he has worked in the Photogrammetric Data Division of the Geopositional Department.

MONICA M. BENDA, CMDC, completed 30 years of federal service on September 24.

Benda began her career in 1951 as a keypunch operator and a class A file clerk at the Army Finance Center on Goodfellow Boulevard. After 18 months, she transferred to the Aerospace Center's Comptroller's Office as a keypunch operator.

She held various positions in CM, including key punch operation, keypunch supervisor, project planner and finally her present position, computer programmer.

Team Tennis Winners

Recent graduates of Cartographic Training Class 81-E were: First row, left to right: Ronald W. Peacock, BS Frostburg State College, Frostburg, Md., MS Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Ill.; Michael D. Liberman, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Ks.; Gary J. Wager, BA State University of New York at Plattsburgh, MA University of New York at Binghamton; Earl W. Studer, California State University, Hayward, Ca.; Kelly D. Gregg, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Ks.; Scott D. Butler, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Arizona; Karen A. Buehler, Harris Teachers College, St. Louis, Mo.; Michael J. Jarosz, University of Missouri, Kansas City, Mo.; Larry E. Hornsby, University of Maryland, European Division, Wiesbaden, Germany. Second row, left to right: Gina F. Hensley, Memphis State University, Memphis, Tn.; Karen L. Thompson, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Ks.; Steven T. Frick, Kansas State University, Manhattan, Ks.; Raymond O. Farley, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Ill.; Gregory G. Barac, Southeast Mo. State University, Cape Girardeau, Mo.; Michael C. Allen, Stephen F. Austin State University, Nacogdoches, Tx.; John B. Tettow, BA, MA, University of Arizona, Tucson, Az.; Shane K. Brady, Arizona State University, Tempe, Az.

CORRECTION

Last issue of the Orientor incorrectly listed Pearl J. Rodriguez in the Honor Roll under the Outstanding Performance Rating/Quality Salary Increase heading. The individual should have been listed only under the Outstanding Performance Rating heading.

Speech Winner

Ronald Mordhorst, Aerospace Center Toastmaster from PPP, was the winner of the Humorous Speech Contest on September 3. Ron will represent the Aerospace Center club in the Area 8 contest on September 30 where he will compete with the winners from eight clubs in the Area 8.

Garden archives, caring for the extensive map collection located there.

The article featured her work to preserve an old 19th century subdivision map of St. Louis. Because the map is brittle and riddled with holes, she must carefully piece parts together and then apply special coatings to preserve the precious paper.

The Garden's library contains over 5,000 maps from 17th century Africa to those of contemporary South America.

When she volunteered for the Garden, she requested placement in the Herbarium because of her interest in Botany, but there were no positions available. Because of her cartographic experience, she was offered a position in the newly created Archives.

Striders 2-Mile

Oct. 24

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Members of the Broken Strings tennis team, winner of the Aerospace Center Team Tennis league for the second consecutive season, get together to receive individual trophies and pose for the championship photo. Team members (left to right front row) are: Bill Holtz, Ward Klocke, Dennis Shannon, John Goodwin, Elio Barbis, (back row) Mary Beth Farrar, Jim Butler, Emmett Burton, Frank Mosley, Bennie Martin and Dennis Fiske.

Golf Deadline Near

Registration ends Sept. 30 for the Aerospace Center Sports and Recreation Council's Golf Classic to be held Oct. 12 at Paradise Valley Golf Course. Tee time will begin at noon for the 18 hole event.

Registration is open to all Aerospace Center employees, dependents and retirees. There will be three flights in the men's and women's division with trophies being awarded to the top three finishers. The Callaway system will be used to score a handicap with scratch golf determining the flight.

Fees for the classic will be \$11.00 or \$14.50 with a golf cart. Four-somes or individuals can make reservations by contacting Noble Ladd/4778 or Chuck Arns/4901.