Student participation in MIT Clubs increases

Students home for the holidays are being invited to attend MIT Club luncheons and meetings in eighteen cities across the country as guests of the clubs. The purpose seems to be to bring together students and alumni in these cities so that alumni can learn at first hand how changed MIT is from their days. Alumni are also interested in knowing how students from their cities are getting along.

Christmas holiday meetings

In this issue of The Tech the Alumni Association is listing all club programs scheduled for the year end period. Each club mails an invitation to the undergraduates from their area describing its meeting and also depends on The Tech to let all students know so as to reach students who will be visiting these cities.

Summer picnics

Alumni Clubs in these and other cities hold Summer Picnics to which they invite incoming freshmen and upperclassmen and alumni so as to introduce the incoming students to upperclassmen and alumni from the same area.

The Alumni Association assists Clubs planning such programs by providing envelopes addressed to students and to alumni and publicizing undergraduate-alumni meetings.

Summer employment

A few Clubs have Chairmen of Summer Employment for Students Committees. These Committees secure a list of local summer employment opportunities (described approximately by background in selected departments at the Institute) and mail these to students from their home city.

Apparently, there are as many students who would like summer employment in strange parts of the country instead of at home. The Alumni Association funnels such requests to Clubs in the desired geographic area.

Students visit clubs, talk to alumni

Since the term started, fifteen students have visited alumni clubs to appear on programs.


98 Alumni Clubs around the world

There are 73 Alumni Clubs in the United States; 13 in North, Central and South America; and 12 overseas in such cities as London, Paris, Hanoi, Bangkok, Hong Kong, Taipei, Tokyo and Manila.

In the United States last year, 141 alumni club meetings brought together an estimated 9,500 alumni, wives and guests to hear faculty speakers and local speakers on subjects of continuing interest to MIT.

STUDENTS INVITED TO BE GUESTS OF ALUMNI CLUBS

Opportunity to meet alumni, describe MIT, discuss career factors, make friends.

ATLANTA, GEORGIA
MIT CLUB OF ATLANTA
James E. Vielhauer ’56, President
Friday, December 27: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the Mariott Hotel, Terr. Room 1 A 2

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON
MIT CLUB OF PUGET SOUND
Orte E. Kirchner, Jr. ’49, President
Thursday, December 12: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the Country Kitchen Rest. in Bellevue

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI
MIT ASSOCIATION OF CLEVELAND
Leonard N. McKeeben ’49, President
Friday, December 27: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the University Club, 3607 Washington Street

CLEVELAND, OHIO
MIT ASSOCIATION OF CLEVELAND
Leoard N. McKeeben ’49, President
Friday, December 27: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the University Club, Cleveland

TOLEDO, OHIO
MIT CLUB OF TOLEDO
A. Gideon Spieker, Jr. ’50, President
Saturday, December 28: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the Toledo Club, 14th & Madison Street

DALLAS, TEXAS
MIT CLUB OF DALLAS
George A. Fink ’54, President
Monday, December 30: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at North Park Inn, No. Central Expwy at Park La

DENVER, COLORADO
ROCKY MOUNTAIN MIT CLUB
Edward Hanley ’68, President
Thursday, December 26: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the Denver Athletic Club

PITTSBURGH
MIT CLUB OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA
Dr. Edward M. Knocksky ’55
Monday, December 30: Luncheon meeting at 12:30 at “The Edge” on Mount Washington, Pittsburgh

MILWAUKEE
MIT CLUB OF MILWAUKEE
J. Dunn Harris ’48, President
Friday, December 27: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the University Club, 524 E. Wells, Milwaukee

OKLAHOMA CITY
MIT CLUB OF OKLAHOMA
James W. Greenly ’54, Chairman
Monday, December 23: Get together and luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the Petroleum Club

TORONTO, ONTARIO
MIT CLUB OF ONTARIO
Michael M. Koenner ’59, President
Monday, December 23: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at 10 Bay St., Toronto

LOS ANGELES
Charles M. Edwards ’40, Chairman
Thursday, January 2: Evening Meeting at 7:30 at University Club, 1 University Plaza, Los Angeles

PROVIDENCE
MIT CLUB OF RHODE ISLAND
Herbert L. Spalding ’49, President
Monday, December 30: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at Johnson’s Palm Court Restaurant, 1000 Green, Providence

ROCHESTER, NEW YORK
William O. O’Neill ’43, Chairman
Monday, December 23: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon, Oak of Commerce Building, Koenor Place, E. & F. 65 South Street, Rochester. Professor Avery Ashdown, Speaker

BETHLEHEM, PENN.
MIT CLUB OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY
William V. Bennett ’59, President
Friday, December 27: Luncheon at 12:30 pm at the Lehigh Research Building at Bethlehem Steel Company, Bethlehem

BALTIMORE
MIT CLUB OF BALTIMORE
Edward Clus Park ’40, President
Thursday, December 26: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at the Memorial Club

COLUMBUS, OHIO
MIT CLUB OF CENTRAL OHIO
William F. Moore ’48, President
Friday, December 27: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at Battelle Memorial Institute, 505 King Avenue, Columbus

TULSA, OKLAHOMA
MIT CLUB OF OKLAHOMA
Richard Haeg ’47, Chairman
Sunday, December 29: Open House at 2:30 pm at the home of A. W. Bill Chandler, Jr. 27, 2517 E. 28 Street, Tulsa

WASHINGTON, D.C.
MIT CLUB OF WASHINGTON
Robert W. Biale ’41, Chairman
Monday, December 30: Luncheon at 12:00 Noon at Cosmos Club, 1601 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D.C.