Blood drive gets 1894 pints

By Dave Danford

1894 pints were collected in the MIT Spring blood drive according to Gal Rubin '76, TCA blood drive publicity chair. Undergraduates donated 740 pints, or about two-thirds of the total, according to TCA figures. Graduate students accounted for 17%. Draper Lab and Institute employees both donated over 100 pints, 125 and 115, respectively. Staff donated 155 pints, while faculty supplied an even 100. Spouses and other donors gave the remaining 17%. The total donation from MIT since September now comes to 3811 pints.

The Spring drive marked milestones for sixty donors, who, as of this donation, have given exactly one, two, or three gallons. The one new four-gallon donor is Dario Franchetti Jr., a Draper Lab employee.

Rubin expressed TCA's thanks to the Tech Matrons, Tech Waves, Personnel Office, and the staffs of The Tech, Tech Talk, and Thursday.

NOTES

* The internationally known Kalmia Dance Company of North India will give a performance on April 11 in Kresge Auditorium. The program is the first public event sponsored by MIT's new Center for Asian Music and will be presented in conjunction with the 26th annual meeting of the Association for Asian Studies to be held April 9 in the Statler-Hilton Hotel, Boston. General admission tickets will be $3. Tickets for MIT and Wellesley students will be $2 on presentation of identification cards.

* Classes in Kundalini Yoga will be held during four quarters on Monday and Wednesday mornings from 7:45-9:00 in the Exercise Room of the Student Center. Registration is necessary and will be held Monday, April 1 and Wednesday, April 3 from 1-3 and on Tuesday, April 2 from 10-11 and 2-3. The course of study is advanced. Enrolment is limited. Class instruction will include breaths, chanting, meditation, breathing techniques and philosophy.

* The Young Socialists are sponsoring a book and record sale in the lobby of building 10 between 10am and 2pm today.

* Today is the last day for seniors to specify an elective for pass-fail grading.

* The Rocket Society of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology will host the seventh annual Technical Model Rocketry Convention, Friday (March 29) through Sunday (March 31) in the MIT Student Center. Highlights will be a rocket launch Saturday (March 30) at 4:30 pm on Briggs Field, according to Geoffrey Landis, a freshman at MIT from Winooski, Ill., who is convention secretary. During the launch there will be a broadside competition--gliders launched from airborne rockets and judged on duration of flight. Other competitions during the convention will be plastic model rockets, judged primarily on appearance, and research and development projects in model rocketry, judged on practicality and execution. The research projects will be presented in ten minute oral reports.

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