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FROM THE PRESIDENT

BILL GODFREY

Several of us attended the Delegate Assembly on January 28th and 29th and were pleased with the new spirit in UUP of great openness and political awareness.

In past years we have tended to hit legislators with dozens of demands with no particular order of priority. This year we are focusing on three main issues:

1. A restoration of 250 lines lost over the years with the particular focus on undergraduate instruction so that they can complete their education in four years.
2. An investment of the twelve million dollars to update undergraduate technology and equipment.
3. Support of hospital flexibility legislation.

It continues to be even more necessary to remain in touch with the legislators in the districts where you live. They are responsive to their constituents. Besides, this is an election year and it is the year that we are more likely to make state legislators respond to our needs.

TAX GUIDES

A limited supply of The 1994 Educator's Income Tax Guides is available in the UUP office. If you would like to receive a copy, please call the UUP office at 2-6570 or JWEITZNER on all-in-one.

PDQWL UPDATE 1994-95 LIBRARIAN AND PROFESSIONAL APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE

Rounds III and IV of the Librarian Study Leaves and the Development and Study Leave Grant Program for Professional Employees (formerly called Professional Study Leaves) applications are available in the UUP office. Please note that there are TWO deadline dates for the 1994 - 1995 academic year:

Round III - April 15, 1994 for the period covering 7/1/94 - 6/30/95 and

Round IV - September 1, 1994 for the period covering 7/1/94 - 6/30/95.

These changes in the application deadlines will hopefully assist members in planning their study leaves on a more timely basis.

DINNER DANCE

The 9th Annual UUP Dinner Dance has been scheduled for Friday, March 11, 1994 at 7:00 at the Port Jefferson Country Club. If you haven't yet received your invitation, please call the UUP office at 2-6570.

LA FRONTERA ART SHOW

The Neuberger Museum at SUNY Purchase has an exciting show opening April 17 to June 26, featuring painting, sculpture, photography, and video art influenced by the United States-Mexico border experience. This is an important show and its only east coast venue for the exhibition.