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SCIENCE NOTES

July 20-25 Integrating Art and Science (2 credits) Ms. Caroline Petty
Step-by-step art skills and hands-on science experiences for the classroom teacher and ready-to-go lesson plans. Instructed by a national award winning artist and art teacher.

July 27-August 1 Pond Insects in the Classroom Prof. A.C. Haman
(1 credit)

Stream, pond and marsh insects will be studied, emphasizing identification, collection and laboratory activities. Classroom activities will be developed which relate to insect behavior and life requirements.

Write UNI Continuing Education, Cedar Falls, IA 50614 or call (within Iowa) toll free at 1-800-772-1746 for more detailed information and pre-registration forms.

— C.W.B.

Search For Excellence In Science Education 1985-1986

The 1985-86 Search for Excellence in Science Education is seeking programs for state and national recognition in the following areas:

1. Science-Technology-Society, K-12
2. Environmental Education, K-12
3. Pre-service Secondary Science, College/University

Application forms and instructions are available through the Iowa Academy of Science, P.O. Box 868, Cedar Falls, IA 50613. Additional information is available from Dr. Jack A. Gerlovich, Dept. of Public Instruction, Grimes State Office Building, Des Moines, IA 50319.

The deadline for state selections is April 1, 1986.

Programs selected for national recognition are presented at the national meeting of the National Science Teachers Association. Although no 1984-85 programs from Iowa will be recognized at the meeting in San Francisco this spring, the Career Awareness program for K-6 from Stuart-Menlo received 1984-85 Iowa State recognition.

— C.W.B.

Statewide Summer 4-H Camps

4-H camping is for those who enjoy the outdoors, like to learn, like to meet new people, and like to make new friends. A variety of camping experiences are planned throughout the summer. Camps offered include Goin' Fishin' Camps 1 and 2, Family Backpacking Camp, Camp Compute, Soccer Camp, Photography Camp, Wilderness Canoe Trek, and many more exciting camping opportunities. These camps are scheduled throughout June, July and August.

Financial aid is available from the Iowa 4-H Foundation. Application forms may be picked up at each County Extension Office. Camp registrations as well as financial aid registrations are due May 15. For more information contact: Jim Pease, Asst. State 4-H Leader for Camping and Environmental Ed., 1986 Statewide 4-H Camps, 33 Curtiss Hall - ISU, Ames, IA 50011.

— K.L.C.