

Weekly Bulletin



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SAD NEWS

Older members of the School will be sad to hear of Lindsay Wilson's death on 13 March. Lindsay started his association with the School in 1964 as an apprentice in Fitting and Machining in the Mechanical Workshop. He was Apprentice of the Year in Trade in 1967, and in 1968 completed his Mechanical Engineering degree at the then Canberra Technical College. He had a short spell away in 1969-71 when he took the position of Mechanical Designer at Barlow Winches in Sydney, a firm that made winches for racing yachts. But the School attracted him back to the position of Technical Officer, then later Senior Technical Officer, in Reg Mills' Diffusion Research Unit from which he retired in 1999. Lindsay will be remembered for his outgoing personality as well as his skill and inventiveness. Those who worked under him remember him with great fondness, as do academics in the School who were fortunate enough to know him. The School extends its sincere condolences to his wife Jean and their family.

SCHOOL SEMINAR

Department of Nuclear Physics Seminar

Amended date

Monday 22 March 2010

11.15am

“Mechanisms and Systematics of Breakup in Reactions of ^9Be ”

By Ramin Rafiei (Exit PhD Talk)

Nuclear Physics Seminar Room

All welcome

AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL FABRICATION FACILITY

The ACT node of the Australian National Fabrication Facility has just released the March issue of their quarterly newsletter. It highlights important developments and interesting work being carried out by the node at both the ANU and

UWA facilities. Check out the 'News & Links' page of their website for more details at http://anff-act.anu.edu.au/index_files/newslinks.htm. There are also links to previous issues of the newsletter if you are interested.

FROM THE SCHOOL FACILITIES & SERVICES MANAGER

Footwear and Feet Safety in and around RSPE.

A number of staff or students have been noticed not wearing shoes within RSPE. The University does have a policy for footwear and feet safety.

http://policies.anu.edu.au/procedures/footwear_and_feet_safety/procedure

In particular please note:

“3. Bare feet and the wearing of thongs should be discouraged, due to exposure of unprotected skin to harmful materials and surfaces around the urban environment, hazardous locations and personal hygiene considerations for other staff.”

VISITORS

Dr Robert Cokery, Research Director, YKI Ytkemiska Institutet AB, Stockholm will be working with members of Applied Maths over the next few weeks. He will be located in the Cottages, Rm 21.