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**FROM THE
EDITOR**

Happy FALL! There is so much about to happen for the MSRT, don't miss a single page of this Radiographer. President Snider has given the Board direction for this year, catch the facts in the "BOARD CLIPS". Fall brings the start ups of Legislation, Student Activities, and the hint of education in the air. Don't miss all of the opportunities which are at your feet for this fall! Information regarding the NEW R.T. Scholarship, as well as 1995 Annual Conference are also included in this Radiographer.

CATCH UP with your district and find out who to talk with to GET INVOLVED in YOUR profession. Hope to see each and every one of you at a district workshop or seminar this fall.

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THE MISSOURI SOCIETY OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Technologists,

Summer has flown by in a hectic whirl of covering for fellow workers' vacations; and now Fall is approaching. This can only mean one thing - continuing education seminars.

As noted in this publication, several MSRT districts are sponsoring Saturday seminars in the next few months. From reviewing the scheduled speakers and events, it looks like the quality of these "mini-conferences" is constantly improving.

It isn't easy to put a conference together. I encourage you to get involved in those going on in your area. It takes good people to pull off a good seminar. With the advent of mandatory CME, local events are going to be an invaluable resource. Pitch in to make sure that resource is available.

In an effort to make it easier on the districts (many of which have limited budgets, to say the least), the MSRT has donated \$500 to each "actively represented" district in Missouri to help in educational efforts.

Speaking of conferences: The 1995 Annual Conference at the Lake of the Ozarks is coming together quickly. LaDonna Wolfe has already filled the program with high-quality speakers, and Barb Gutierrez has jumped into the Conference Coordinator position with both feet. Mark your calendar now for April 26-29 and watch for more information in future issues of the Radiographer and the MSRT newsletter. (By the way, volunteers to help out with the Annual Conference are also appreciated.)

All of the members of the MSRT Board want to make sure that the Missouri Society of Radiologic Technologists takes the lead in providing quality continuing education to technologists. As always, we want to hear anything you can tell us that helps us improve this organization.

Until next time,
Shawn N. Snider, RT(R)(M), RDMS, BA
MSRT President

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Donita Shipman has assumed the duties of Legislative Activities Chairman for this 1994-1995 year. She worked on this committee last year, under the able supervision of Shawn Snider, and is jumping in with both feet already for this coming year. She has spoken with our lobbyist Harry Hill, and he is still interested in helping us pursue our legislation. Harry will meet with Donita the beginning of September to discuss the strategy for this next session. Harry stated that Senator Joe Moseley, Columbia, still supports our bill and will sponsor it again this next session. Senator Moseley feels if he gets the bill onto the Senate Floor he can get it passed. Harry also let Donita know that he is looking for a sponsor in the House of Representatives for our bill, due to the fact that Carol Roper Park is running for a different office, and will not be available to be our sponsor this year. Anyone at all having connections with a representative who could help with sponsorship should contact Donita as soon as possible.

Donita would like for all Districts to create lists of people wanting to be on the LAC phone network. This would work like the disaster calling schedule most hospitals have. One person would have 3-4 people to call, and they in turn would have another 3-4 people to call, etc. This would be very helpful to relay any legislative information about our bill, or a hearing being held, in a very efficient and timely manner.

Finally, Donita wants any and all advice and support on the direction the MSRT membership would like our legislation to take. If you would like to offer any advice, support, or volunteer in any way, please do not hesitate to contact:

Donita Shipman
HCR 62, Box 10
Smithton, MO. 65350
816-826-8833 ext 530 work
816-343-5376 home



STUDENT ACTIVITIES UPDATE

Hello from you new student activities committee! The MSRT 1994 conference had a WONDERFUL student turnout, with representation from almost all of the programs in Missouri. The Student Bowl competition was intense with nine teams participating. The student rap session gave all students a chance to exchange opinions and ideas, as well as meet new people. Exciting prizes were also given away during the conference, such as radiography examination review books. Interesting exhibits and essays were enjoyed by everyone. Thank you to all the many students who participated. Also, a big thank you to Joan Hedrick for the GREAT job she has done this past year for the MSRT students. Joan gave a lot of effort and dedication as the Student Activities Chairman, and it was greatly appreciated.

Student Activity Plans are being made for the 1995 Annual Conference, at the Lake of the Ozarks. One of the activities will be a style show of DO's and DON'Ts. Students will get to TEACH the technologists about proper (and improper!) dress codes. Start planning NOW to participate. There will be many educational opportunities as well as fun events in the evenings. Any suggestions that students may have for classes, events, contests, or willingness to participate can be sent to me:

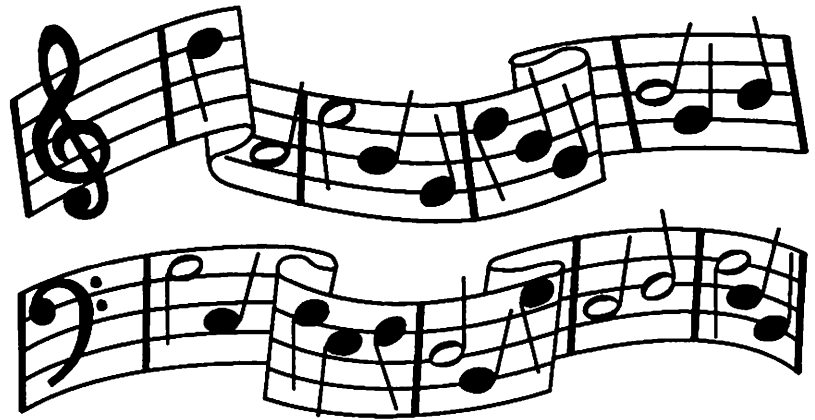
Stephanie L. Patrick, BSRT(R)(M)
Student Activities Chairman
1106 Autumn Ridge Dr.
Holts Summit, MO. 65043
(314)659-3238 work

We want YOUR input. Students are an important part of the Radiologic Technology profession.

Mandatory continuing education is here, so I am encouraging each student to get involved. Local district meetings and the annual MSRT meeting are wonderful ways for students to learn what is happening in their future profession. The MSRT and ASRT both have discounted memberships for students, so JOIN now and don't miss a minute of the fun and excitement. Fall can be a perfect time for fund raising activities to help pay your way to the annual conference. If I can be of any assistance please do not hesitate to contact me. **REMEMBER.....**

**YOU ARE THE FUTURE OF
THE PROFESSION OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY**

MEMBERSHIP NOTES



CONGRATULATIONS!!! GIVE YOURSELVES A ROUND OF APPLAUSE

The MSRT is GROWING because of EACH of you!!! Just look at our numbers:

	1993 year end	1994 year end
ACTIVES	209	336
HONORARY	5	5
INACTIVE	8	14
LIFE	9	9
STUDENT	299	263
SUPPORTING	4	1
TOTAL MEMBERSHIP	534	628

The MSRT membership grew almost 100 members in only one year. Let's make this year even more exciting. Can the MSRT get 1000 members by the end of this next year. Perhaps the **MEMBERSHIP CHALLENGE** will inspire you!!! Recruit 5 **NEW** members and you will receive your membership free. Just make sure that your name appears on the bottom of these 5 persons application forms so you will get the credit you deserve.

If there is anything I can help you with, please contact me:

Donna Lang
MSRT Membership Chairman
2841 Bee Tree Lane
St. Louis, MO. 63129
314-846-2396





THE MISSOURI SOCIETY OF RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS

Application for Membership
July 1, 1994- June 30, 1995

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Name of School ___ Graduation Date ___

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MSRT Treasurer
6306 N. Indiana
Gladstone, MO. 64119

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DISTRICT DATA

District 1: District One meets the last Tuesday of each month. They do not hold meetings in July and August. The next meeting will be held September 27, 1994 at the K.U. Medical Center and Dr. Norman Martin, one of the K.U. Radiologists, will be the featured speaker. New District officers are Sherry Bellafiore--President, Michael Murry--Vice-President, Todd Wells--Treasurer, and Barbara Gutierrez--Secretary. For any information on district meetings and activities in your district, contact any of these people or your district representative:

Laura McNamara
8007 E. 163rd Terr.
Belton, MO. 64012
816-932-2550 work

District 3: New officers were elected at the last meeting held at Lake Ozark Hospital May 19, 1994. They are Jerry Doerhoff--President, Brenda Matthews--Vice-President, Carla McCaghren--Secretary, and Teresa Luyet--Treasurer. The Fall mini-conference was presented by co-ordinator Denise West, and the program is going to be excellent. The next meeting will be held September 22, 1994, 7:00pm, at Columbia Regional Hospital and ECE will be available. For any other details or information you would like, please contact your new district representative:

Josephine Heimsoth
P.O.Box 96
Cole Camp, MO. 65325
816-668-4411

District 4: Busy, Busy, Busy!!! In August two seminars were held the 13th and 20th, each offering 8 hrs. of ECE. Hope you didn't miss them. The next meeting will be held at 6:00 p.m. September 29, 1994 at St. Joseph Health Center in St. Charles. The lecture will be on "New Interventions in Cardiology" with Mark Taber, M.D. as the speaker. Then October 13, 1994 there will be a dinner meeting at The Sevens in Clayton. The lecture will be on "How to Manage Head Trauma" by Franz Wippold, M.D. You will need to sign up for this exciting adventure so contact your district representative for all the details:

Donna Lang
2841 Bee Tree Lane
St. Louis, MO. 63129
314-846-2396

District 5: Summer is winding down, and plans are under way for the fall meetings. The big news for 5th district members is the annual conference that is to be held October 29, 1994. More information on the following page. For more district information please contact your district representative:

Pat Blamey
915 Hillcrest
Monett, MO. 65708
417-235-3144 work

District 6: After a much enjoyed summer break during June and July, the August meeting was held the 18th at Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff. September 10th the district will be co-hosting a Radiology Educational Workshop with the MHA. See all the details on the next page of Educational Opportunities. The October meeting is tentatively scheduled for the 20th at Missouri Delta Hospital in Sikeston. For further details contact your new district representative:

Tina Demeree
PO Box 141
Farmington, Mo. 63640
314-756-4581 ext 212 work

EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

SEPTEMBER 10, 1994

HOLIDAY INN--CAPE GIRARDEAU

CO-SPONSORED BY THE 6TH DISTRICT OF THE MSRT

The 6th district of the MSRT along with the Missouri Hospital Association are presenting the Radiology Educational Workshop 1994. The cost is \$25 per person, with a reduced rate of \$15 for students, which included breaks, lunch and seminar materials. Lecture topics include "Processor Quality Assurance/Control", "Film Sensitometry and the Process Control", "Professional Liability for the Radiological Technologist", "Identification of and Managing Child Abuse Victims in the Radiology Department", "Quality Assurance Managements in the Radiology Department", and "Why Do I Need Continuing Education and How Do I Go About Getting All the Credits I Must Have?" That is seven (7) hours of available ECE in just ONE day, great value for your money!! For further information or to register for this workshop contact the Missouri Hospital Association at 314-893-3700 ext 312. The deadline for registration is September 2nd, so HURRY!!!!!!

OCTOBER 21-22, 1994

LAKE OF THE OZARKS GENERAL HOSPITAL--OSAGE BEACH

SPONSORED BY THE 3RD DISTRICT OF THE MSRT

The third district is very proud to present their First Annual Radiology Educational Workshop. The idea for this workshop was born out of an effort to provide the technologists of mid-Missouri with an affordable way to obtain quality continuing education. The registration fee is \$25 for non MSRT members, and free to all MSRT members. However, a \$10 registration fee is required of MSRT members, but this will be refunded to you when you arrive for the workshop. On-site registration will be available for \$35--so plan ahead now to attend. October 21st lectures will be from 6-9pm and will be pertaining to mammography. October 22nd lectures will include "Mammography Processor Quality Control", "Mammography ACR Overview", "Conscious Sedation", "MSRT-Legislative Activities and YOU", and an MRI video. To register for this workshop or to find out further details contact Teresa Luyet, RT(R), 615 East 10th, Sedalia, MO. 65301 or contact your District Representative.

OCTOBER 29, 1994

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL--JOPLIN

SPONSORED BY THE 5TH DISTRICT OF THE MSRT

The fifth district will be holding their Second Annual Fall Conference. Lecture topics will include "Basic Ethics-Ethical Issues in Health Care Reform", "Future Trends in Radiology", "Humor in Medicine: Therapy for the Technologist", "Historical Approaches to Mammography", "The Pathology of Breast Cancer", and "Breast Cancer in Medical Oncology". This will be an excellent program and for further details about registration and costs contact your district representative, or Tammy Coryell, 5th District President, at 417-885-2500.

1994 CONFERENCE A WINNER!!

Dan Cantrell and his large band of helpers should be very proud of the first class conference held this past April in Springfield, Missouri. There were over 300 participants this year, a number which the MSRT hopes will grow each year. A BIG THANK YOU to Mr. Cantrell for all of his hard work. Dan will tell you though, there were LOTS of other elves in the wings aiding in his task as Conference Co-ordinator.

Mike Vassel did an excellent job obtaining items for the SILENT AUCTION. This year the proceeds went to help the R.T. Scholarship Fund grow a bit, and boy did it. Mike and his generous donators helped the MSRT raise about \$1400.00 for that scholarship. A super accomplishment--Thank you Mike.

The MSRT sold tickets for the annual scholarship drawing, with proceeds going to the MSRT Scholarship for an outstanding student technologist. The winners of items were:

John Coyne--color television from 3-M Corporation
Tonya Roe--attache case from Mallinckrodt Medical
Debbie Hurst--35 mm camera from Kodak
Pat VanderHaar--gift box from 3-M Corporation
Mike with TEMPS,Inc.--gift box from 3-M Corporation
Joan Hedrick--gift box from 3-M Corporation
Kevin Barker--gift box from 3-M Corporation
Debbie Hurst--gift bow from 3-M Corporation
Michael Ward--Answering Machine--TEMPS, Inc.
Mary Feldhaus--AM/FM stereo cassette--E-Z-Em.

TEMPS, INC. of St. Louis donated 10 MSRT LOGO T-Shirts or Golf Hats, and those lucky winners were:

Dean Brake	Shannon Vigneaux	Tim Girobe
Chuck Eaves	Arvis Bulter	Chris Clark
Christopher Newberry	Kim Theabeau-Siercks	Greg Banks
		Catherine Mana

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Saturday Luncheon--Clayton X-Ray Company--Pam Fulmer and Joel Tanner

Karoke Country Fun Night--E-Z-EM, INC.--Linda Robedeau

Past President's Breakfast--Eastman Kodak Company--Dennis Wollnick

1994 STUDENT BOWL HIGH SUCCESS

As usual the student bowl was the most attended event during this past annual conference. Everyone in attendance could feel the excitement in the air as Shawn Snider, Moderator asked the questions of the contestants, and Pat Blamey started that timer each and every time correctly. However, the contestants ALL kept their composure and did a FANTASTIC job during the entire event. The judges Debbie Hurst, Ali Shahrak, and LaDonna Wolfe will never be volunteered again for such duties, however the scorekeepers Barbara Hente, and Stephanie Whisler were each awarded their scoring chinks so the officials as a whole came out unharmed. The big winners of the morning were the contestants from Mineral Area Regional Medical Center-School of Radiologic Technology as they went home with the 1994 Student Bowl Plaque as the reward for their hard work and efforts. CONGRATULATIONS to them and ALL of the student bowl teams for a game well played!!!!

FIRST PLACE-Mineral Area Regional Medical Center
School of Radiologic Technology, Farmington, Mo.
Henry Cashion--Program Director
Christopher Wibbenmeyer-Captain
Cheryl Ann Nelson
Shonda G. Wengler
Jarrod W. Cartee-Alternate
Janice Hickman, R.T.-Coach

Second Place-Penn Valley Community College
School of Radiologic Technology, Kansas City, MO.
Judith Taylor--Program Director
Heather Norton-Captain
Melinda Roth
Mike Shaw
Mary Ahmed-Alternate
Kim Thebeau-Siercks, R.T.-Coach

Third Place-Rolla Technical Institute-Radiography Program
School of Radiologic Technology, Rolla, MO.
Waneta M. Ogden--Program Director
Shelly Boxx-Captain
Tracy Smith
Judy Slone
Chris Heavin-Alternate
Anne Rutz, R.T.-Coach

OTHER PARTICIPATING PROGRAMS

Avila College School of Radiologic Technology--Kansas City, MO.
Barnes School of Radiologic Technology--MIR--St. Louis, MO.
Cox Medical Center School of Radiologic Technology--Springfield, MO.
St. John's School of Radiologic Technology--Springfield, MO.
St. Louis Community College at Forest Park School of Radiologic Technology
St. Luke's Hospital School of Radiologic Technology--Kansas City, MO.

ESSAY AND EXHIBIT WINNERS CLEAN UP WITH HELP FROM THE BIG 6

The MSRT was very fortunate this past conference to be able to present awards of larger monetary value than previously presented. This help came from 6 companies who each contributed very generously for the scientific essay and exhibit competition. These companies are:

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Scientific Essay Competition Winners

1st place student-\$300-Matthew Schneider--St. Louis Community College, Forest Park
2nd place student-\$200-Brenda Francis--St. Luke's Hospital in Kansas City
3rd place student-\$100-Jeanne Combs--St. Louis Community College at Forest Park
Chrissy Bessenbacher--St. Luke's Hospital in Kansas City

1st place technologist-\$300-Debbie Smith--St. Luke's Northland Hospital
2nd place technologist-\$200-Laura McNamara--St. Luke's Hospital in Kansas City

Scientific Exhibit Competition Winners

1st place student-\$300-"Is a Registered Technologist Taking Your Radiographs?"
by Arvis Butler, Kevin Barker, Stephanie Seawel, and Sandra Ford
Barnes School of Radiologic Technology in St. Louis
2nd place student-\$200-"Mass Confusion" by Heather Norton
Penn Valley Community College in Kansas City
3rd place student-\$100-"My Kidneys Hurt" by Kim Hamilton and Margie Meyer
Avila College in Kansas City

1st place technologist-\$300-"CT Scanner" by Kristi Littleton, Independence

MEET YOUR ELITE!!!

MSRT Student Scholarship Winner TWYLA NASH

This year the winner of the MSRT student scholarship was Twyla Nash, a first year student at Rolla Technical Institute School of Radiography. A former manager of Twyla's said "she is a self starter and very highly motivated to better herself. She shows extreme interest in her chosen field....and will succeed at whatever she puts her mind to." Twyla has enjoyed her first year of xray training, and says she is leaning toward attending a Radiation Therapy program to further her education, and perhaps pursue a bachelor degree. Twyla is not only an outstanding MSRT student, she is also the mother of an 8 year old boy who keeps her busy with karate, baseball, and spending time with MOM at the beach. The MSRT congratulates Twyla for her award and wishes her all the best as she continues with her career in radiology.

Feldhaus Scholarship Winner BRIDGETT YOUNG

The Robert Feldhaus Scholarship winner is a second year student at Cox Medical Centers School of Radiologic Technology. She received a recommendation which said "she is a very determined young woman...stays focused on her goals and sets priorities accordingly". Bridgett must be very serious about her education, rumor has it that she left her own wedding rehearsal to receive her scholarship during the conference. Bridgett has not only won the Feldhaus Scholarship this past spring, but she did get married, and is expecting a baby in March. When will she find time to work at her PRN job in Bolivar, take care of her 3 year old son, finish up school, and take her registry. We know she'll do it all, and succeed at each and every item, because she is another example of the hard working and dedicated students that are involved with the MSRT. Congratulations and Best wishes to Bridgett for the future.

Mallinckrodt Award of Excellence Winner DAN CANTRELL, RT(R), CNMT

Dan graduated from Cox School of Radiography 20 years ago, and has been loving his profession ever since. Dan says it is the numerous people that he has gotten to meet which really make the job fun and exciting. Dan has worked for Cox Medical Center all of his 20 years in the profession, where he now is the Department Manager at Cox North. Dan is also a very VALUABLE MSRT member. He has served in numerous capacities: 5th District President, 5th District Representative, Radiographer Editor, Conference Program Chairman, Exhibit Chairman, Commercial Funding Chairman, Conference Co-ordinator, and last but not least, he has served the MSRT President 3 year commitment. Dan has done just about all of it, so no one could be more deserving of this years Mallinckrodt Award of Excellence than Dan. Dan and his wife Vickie have two boys, 10 and 13 years old. So when not working for Cox or the MSRT, Dan helps out with Cub Scouts, and Boy Scouts, which allows him to fish and camp, 2 of his favorite hobbies. Dan says he's seen a lot of people get into our profession, and a lot of people leave it, and he doesn't understand why. He enjoys his work, and his involvement with the MSRT. "It's a real pleasure, and I wouldn't be there if I didn't want to." Congratulations Dan. The MSRT thanks you for all of your hard work over the past numerous years!!!

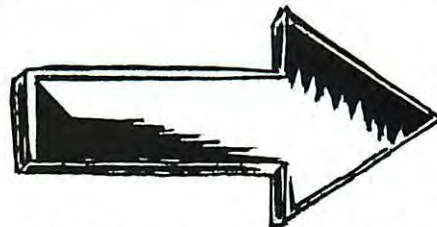
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Congratulations

to Karen Zimmerman, St. Lukes Hospital, Kansas City
Winner of the Student Centennial T-Shirt Design Contest
Karen won \$100 and the first t-shirt off the line.

Karen's logo is a 3 color logo, and it will be featured in all of its colorful glory on ALL publications during 1995. However, you can get an advance look of the RED, BLUE and BLACK by obtaining a t-shirt or golf hat NOW.

You now can purchase for \$10.00 either a t-shirt or a golf cap, or BOTH, from your district representative, or contacting the editor. We want you to wear with pride OUR profession.

SCHOLARSHIP FOR TECHNOLOGISTS

The Missouri Society of Radiologic Technologists announces the availability of a scholarship for registered technologists who are continuing their professional growth through continuing education.

The MSRT is committed to advancing the art and science of the radiologic sciences and to promoting professionalism of MSRT members. The MSRT R.T. Scholarship assists members who are seeking continuing education. The Scholarship amount is for \$500 per award.

To be eligible for consideration the technologist must:

- Be a current member of the MSRT
- Be employed in the radiologic sciences
- Provide proof of ARRT Registration
- Submit a completed application.

Previous winners of the MSRT Technologist Scholarship are eligible.

Members of the R.T. Scholarship Committee are NOT eligible.

APPLICATION DEADLINE--must be postmarked by March 15, 1995

For further information or to obtain an application contact:

Cindy Daniels
MSRT Senior Board Member
314-362-1791 work
OR
Your District Representative



MSRT BOARD "CLIPS"

YOUR Board of Directors are already hard at work. With the end of the Annual Conference, the new officers assumed their duties, and each of them are working very diligently to move the MSRT forward in its goals. President Snider has set the goal for the next year as getting back to basics. That being to provide better educational opportunities and actively promote our profession. With the fantastic turnout for the last annual conference it is clear to see that Missouri technologists are actively pursuing those important ECG credits. The Board will continue to try to improve the quality of the annual conference while lowering the cost to you the technologist. Many members don't realize that the cost of the annual conference has gone DOWN every year for the last 3 year. Check it out, it's a great value for the money. The Board does also realize that not every technologist has the freedom to take off during the week, so to help the MSRT districts provide SATURDAY educational opportunities, the Board has contributed \$500 to each actively functioning district in the state. Hopefully, we are all working together to bring ECE to you, and you to the MSRT. The Board has ironed out all of the wrinkles for the R.T. Scholarship, and the applications are being printed for distribution to all interested technologists. Check out the information in this Radiographer. The FIRST R.T. Scholarship will be presented at the 1995 Annual Conference. To help the MSRT finance all of these scholarships, district aid package, and our lobbyist, we call on each and every one of us. This year there are 1995 MSRT logo T-Shirts, and Golf Hats available for a mere \$10 each, and we also have restocked our "IS A REGISTERED TECHNOLOGIST TAKING YOUR X-RAY?" bumper stickers. These stickers are only \$1.00, and you can find any or all of the above by contacting your district representative or the editor. REMEMBER, we are YOUR Board of Directors, and we do what the membership of the MSRT directs us to do. Take an interest in your professional organization and GET INVOLVED. WE DARE YOU!!!!!!

NOMINEES NEEDED FOR THE MALLINCKRODT AWARD OF EXCELLENCE

General Criteria

1. The final selection will be made by the Awards Selection Committee from candidates provided by the M.S.R.T. Board of Directors.
2. Candidates shall have a minimum of five (5) years of consecutive and current membership in the M.S.R.T.
3. Candidates shall be: a) a registered technologist b) supporting member c) other-such as a physician or other interested participant d) non-RT's who have made unusual or exceptional contributions
4. All candidates shall have outstanding contributions to the M.S.R.T. above and beyond those normally required by the M.S.R.T. (example-recruiting several new members for several years)
5. Technologist candidates for this award may have been previously honored with Life Membership or invited lectureship; they may have served as officers /committee charman. Candidates may be considered who have not been previously honored.

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6. a) "Missouri Society of Radiologic Technologists" shall be spelled out on the plaque presented to award winner
b) the name of the winner will be presented by the committee to a representative of Mallinckrodt Diagnostics at least four (4) weeks prior to the Annual Meeting
c) candidate nominations shall be open to all M.S.R.T. members and must be forwarded to the Board of Directors meeting of the year in which they are to be considered, mailed to P.O. Box 881, Columbia, MO. 65205-0881
d) the "Master Plaque" will be housed by the Historian and brought to each Annual Meeting for display

Please send the name of your nominee to:

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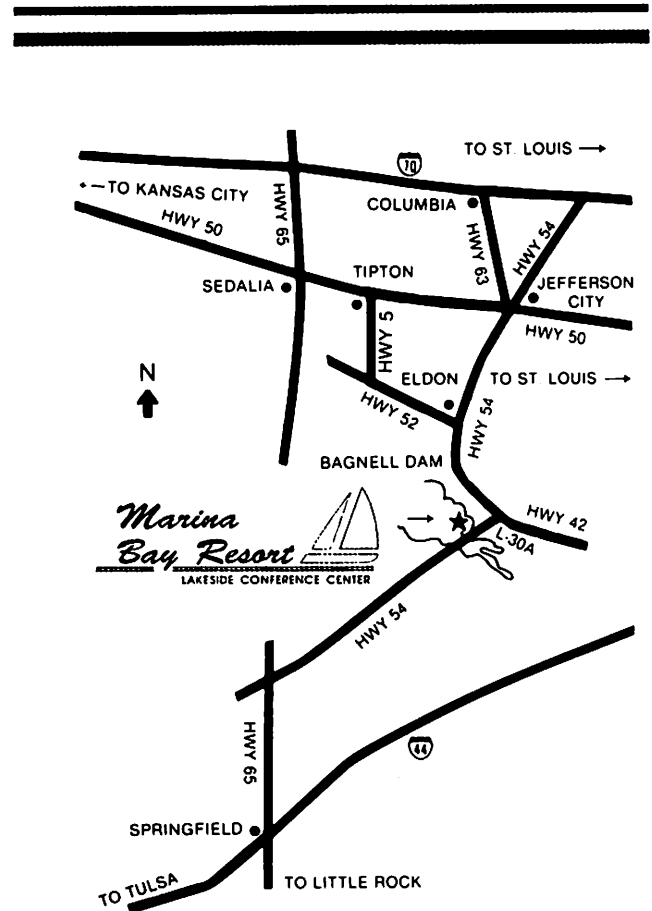
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