

Contest for President's Club

by Emma Sadgrove

One lucky student will have the opportunity to attend President's Club functions in the company of Students' Union President Dave Oginski.

Donors of \$1000 or more in any area of the university become members of the Presidents Club. Donations made by the Students' Union entitles Oginski to membership as the SU representative.

Members of the President's Club enjoy use of the library and sports

facilities and invitations to various special functions. Oginski is allowed to take one guest to these functions.

The winner of a contest to be held next week will receive this honor. SU VP External Mike Hunter said that interested persons should write "why they think that they would make a good student-at-large representative to the President's Club" in 75 words or less.

This contest will be advertised next Tuesday. Requests should be directed to Mike Hunter or Dave

Oginski next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. A selection will be made by the SU executive over the weekend.

According to the Development Office which is in charge of the President's Club, the next function is a dinner to be held on Oct. 23 at the Four Seasons. They said that "we consider this to be the highlight of the year for the President's Club."



"So ... when does the party start?"

Possible osteoporosis cure?

TORONTO (CUP) — Two researchers may have found a possible treatment for osteoporosis, a disease which causes bone tissue to degenerate and is usually found in older women.

Cherk Tam of the University of Toronto and Wing Sung of the National Research Council have manufactured a chemical duplicate of the parathyroid hormone (PTH), which stops degeneration of osteoporosis and may prevent the disease from building up in weak bones.

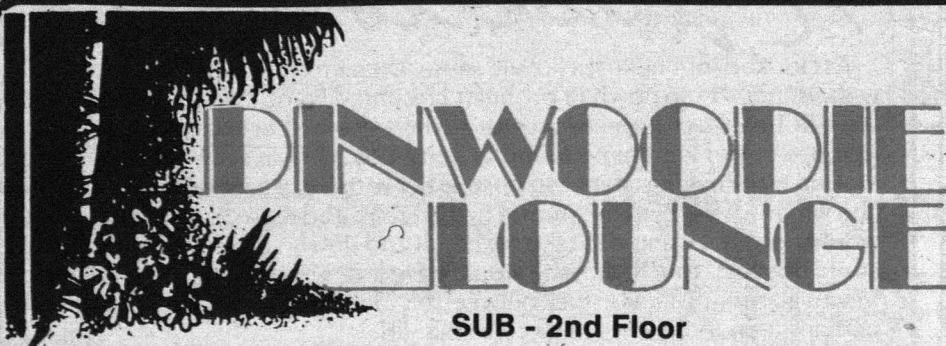
There are two types of cells that work together in bone tissue — osteoclasts, which break down tissue, and osteoblasts, which create new bone. In osteoporosis, osteoclasts reabsorb bone mass faster than osteoblasts can build it up. The bones lose mass and become thin and brittle.

Tam said the mechanics of the reaction of bone mass to PTH is not fully understood, and added that PTH may not provide a cure to osteoporosis. "It's not really curative by curing the physiological

problem," he said.

However, "this is probably the most effective treatment that I've ever seen, and it has the least side effects," he said.

The synthetic hormone can be made more cheaply than the natural hormone, which currently costs about \$600 per milligram. While testing and producing PTH will run into the millions of dollars, Tam said the hormone "has to be as affordable in the future as common antibiotics."



SUB - 2nd Floor

NEW HOURS:

8:30 p.m. to 1 A.M.!

DINWOODIE LOUNGE

2nd floor, SUB - Phone 432-2048

Tickets are available from SUB Box Office (432-5145) and various club members.

NOTE: These cabarets are open to U of A students, staff and guests.

DESIGNATED DRIVERS' PROGRAM

Absolutely No Minors Admitted — Age ID Required

SUB THEATRE MOVIES



Friday, SEPTEMBER 26
8:00 p.m.



Sunday, SEPTEMBER 28
8:00 p.m.

CIRCLE K CONCESSIONS



Saturday, SEPTEMBER 27
8:00 p.m.
Six place for U of A Students' Choice Awards

2nd Floor SUB

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT DOOR 1/2 HOUR PRIOR TO SHOW

\$1.00

for U of A Students
(\$3.50 for Non-Students)



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"Octoberfest Party"

for Shinerama

EDMONTON CONVENTION CENTRE

October 4, 8:00 p.m.

presented in association with NAIT

TICKETS ALSO ON SALE AT HUB & SUB INFO DESKS

The U of A Students' Union ☆ presents ☆



QUESTION: Who makes Johnny Carson laugh?
ANSWER: Rodney Dangerfield and ...

STEVE LANDESBERG

(Dietrich of Barney Miller)
National Association of Campus Activities 1985
Comedy Star



LIONA BOYD AND BAND

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7
SUB Theatre
Tickets Available at all BASS Outlets
NEW SHOW!

Liona's accompanied by a band, performing from her new album 'Persona' that feature Eric Clapton and David Gilmore (Pink Floyd)

JUBILEE AUDITORIUM
Monday, September 29 - 8:00 p.m.
Tickets at BASS

