Alumni from the Salt Lake City area gathered at the Spaghetti Factory in Taylorsville, Utah on November 18, 2010 to honor Dean Paul Cady as the 11th Dean of the College of Pharmacy. If you are interested in sponsoring an alumni dinner in your area, please contact the Dean’s Office. (208) 282-4597

In memory of Dean Ira Hillyard, alumnus Dr. David C.K. Chu, 1970 graduate, recently donated money to the College of Pharmacy towards a scholarship in Dean Hillyard’s name. Dr. Chu stated in his letter to the College that he had great respect and admiration for Dean Hillyard. He still remembers his kind words towards students and faculty.

Dean Hillyard passed away on November 15, 2009 in Mapleton, Utah. He served on the faculty at the College for several years and as dean from 1979 to 1986.

Ira served his country during World War II and again during the Korean War. He served primarily as a member of the U.S. Navy Medical Corps and as a combat medic with the Fourth Division, U.S. Marine Corps. He received two Purple Hearts for wounds received in these actions. He is survived by his wife, Norma and nine children.

Dr. Chu has given generously to the College in the past. He was recognized in 2008 for his donation to the Robert and Janice Goettsch Scholarship Endowment. The College is grateful to this alumnus for his generous donation that will go toward helping many students who show great leadership.
Dr. Alok Bhushan is one of ISU’s Brightest and Best

Dr. Alok Bhushan, Professor in the College of Pharmacy Department of Biomedical and Pharmaceutical Sciences is currently featured as one of ISU’s Brightest and Best for his work in cancer research. The Brightest and Best initiative was established to recognize the work being done by ISU’s greatest achievers. Bhushan’s latest accomplishment is understanding use of glycolytic inhibitors to enhance effect of cancer drugs in pancreatic cancer.

Dr. Bhushan says, “My goal has been to understand mechanisms in cancer development in order to find new ways to treat the disease. Specifically, I study brain tumor invasion, pancreatic cancer resistance, ways to prevent breast and oral cancer and use of nanotechnology to enhance effectiveness of cancer drugs. In addition, I do research to develop new agents to treat and prevent cancer.”

Please join us in congratulating Dr. Bhushan. If you would like to read more about this honor, you can view his profile on ISU’s Brightest and Best website at the following link: http://www.isu.edu/brightest/

Dr. DeKlotz and wife Lila to be Honored at ISU Gem Legacy Banquet

1951 Alum Robert John and Lila Benson DeKlotz and his wife Lila will be honored by ISU at the Gem Legacy Banquet for their generous donations to the College of Pharmacy.

Robert earned his Bachelor of Science degree in pharmacy in 1951 and a Bachelor of Science Degree in zoology in 1955 from Idaho State University. He later received his Doctor of Medicine degree in 1959 from the University of Kansas where his wife, Lila, also received her Bachelor of Science degree in nursing that same year.

Robert started his career as an intern at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland, Oregon, where he also spent a year as a surgical resident. In 1964, he served as a urology resident at Stanford University in San Francisco.

Robert served as Chief of Surgery and President of Medical Staff at the Valley Children’s Hospital in Fresno, California. He also served as the Chief of Urology for 13 years.

Over his career, Robert has taught many students and was instrumental in the formation of the urological antiquities collected for the western section of the American Urological Association. He was also named ‘Distinguished Member of the Western Section AUA’ in 2006. He has spent much of his life educating those around him in urological health and was awarded the William P. Didusch Award in 2009 for his outstanding contribution in his field.

Robert and his wife enjoy spending time with their two children, Franz and Karl, and four grandchildren, Emerson, Parker, Lloyd and Olivia.

Wes Lewis is Recognized with ISU Cares Spot Award

Congratulations to Wes Lewis, Video Instruction Manager at the COP tltL.S. Skaggs Pharmacy Complex, for being a December 2010 ISU Cares Spot Award winner! Wes receives a certificate of appreciation and a Visa card, courtesy of ISU Credit Union. The ISU Cares initiative is designed to recognize those employees that go above and beyond their duties to provide excellence providing excellent customer service.
Take Time to Join Us:
College of Pharmacy & ISU Events

• **18th Annual Spaghetti Feed and Raffle/Auction**, Pocatello, Feb. 25, ISU Pond Student Union Ballroom, 6 p.m. ~ pharmacy.isu.edu/live/sfra for more information.

• **Continuing education classes**, Call 208.282.4794 for more info.

  - **Meridian** ~ February 27, Meridian School District Service Center, 1303 E. Central Drive.
  - **Pocatello** ~ March 13, ISU Pond Student Union Building, 1065 Caesar Chavez St.
  - **Post Falls** ~ April 3, Red Lion Templin’s Hotel, 414 E. First Ave.

• **Executive-in-Residence speaker series**, Pocatello campus and Meridian via distance learning, Mary Morrissey, BS, ’65, ISU, March 10 & 11.

• **Dean’s Advisory Council meeting** ~ Meridian, April 16.

• For information on Pharmacy events please contact the Kathleen at 921 S. 8th Ave, Stop 8288 Pocatello, Idaho 83209-8288 (208) 282-4597.

18th Annual Spaghetti Feed - Friday night

Join us for the 18th annual spaghetti feed fundraiser, Friday night Feb. 25th at 6 pm in the Pocatello Student Union Ballroom. Pharmacy faculty and students will prepare a delicious spaghetti dinner for $5 a person or $20 a family. There will also be door prizes, a raffle and auction and all for a great cause! 25% of all the proceeds will be donated to The Make a Wish Foundation of Idaho. This year’s recipient is a 6-year old girl in the Pocatello area who was recently diagnosed with a brain tumor. Her wish is to go to Disneyland with her parents and 9-year-old brother. The rest of the proceeds will go toward buying the supplies that PPSA needs to keep all of its community service projects going strong and to increase the College of Pharmacy’s representation at state-wide and nation-wide pharmacy conventions. Help us break last years Make a Wish donation of $7,000 by attending the event. If you are unable to attend monetary donations can be made by contacting the college at (208) 282-4597.