

Announcements

Volunteers are needed to do literature surveys and article abstracting for the *JSH*. Please write Professor J. Thomas Jable, Department of Physical Education, William Paterson College, 300 Pompton Road, Wayne, New Jersey 07470.

Volunteers are needed for prospective book reviewers for the *JSH*. Please contact Lawrence Fielding, Department of Physical Education, University of Louisville, Louisville, Kentucky 40208.

CENTENNIAL ISSUE OF THE RESEARCH QUARTERLY FOR EXERCISE AND SPORT

The year 1985 marks the 100th anniversary of the AAHPERD. As part of the centennial celebrations, a special issue of the *Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport* which will focus upon the *historical development* of our professional field has been planned. The Editorial Committee is desirous of achieving an issue which reflects the scope of the Alliance (health, physical education, recreation, dance, safety, athletic sport, the discipline, etc.), and will consider manuscripts in any or all such areas. Particular, but not exclusive, emphasis is to be given to events which have been of consequence to the professional organization itself.

The Editorial Committee is committed to an issue which contains historical research of the highest quality, and scholars who intend to submit manuscripts for consideration should be guided by the criteria and standards currently in use by the RQES. Historical studies must give proper attention to objectivity, thoroughness, sound logic, analysis, synthesis and interpretation. Where appropriate, events in the field should be related to broader social, cultural and/or intellectual contexts (see: "Research Quarterly Evaluative Criteria," *Research Quarterly*, 47:4, p. 879). Manuscripts must conform to the University of Chicago Manual of Style, 12th edition. In general, manuscripts should not exceed 24 pages.

It is anticipated that the issue will be composed of both *solicited* and *unsolicited* manuscripts, that the reviewing process and other technical matters will proceed in a manner similar to that outlined in the "Guide for Contributors to Research Quarterly for Exercise and Sport"; see volume 52:1, pp. 136-139. Authors whose manuscripts are accepted will *not* be assigned page charges.

To be considered, manuscripts for the 100th Anniversary Issue of the RQES must be directed to the Editor and postmarked no later than January 2, 1984. All inquiries concerning the issue should be directed to the Editor.

The Editorial Committee of this special issue consists of

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We are pleased to announce the founding of the British Society of Sports History at Liverpool University on Sunday, March 22, 1982:

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Vice-Chairman: Mr. R. W. Cox (Liverpool University)
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THE BRITISH SOCIETY OF SPORTS HISTORY aims to:
stimulate, promote and co-ordinate interest in the historical study of sport, physical education, recreation and leisure with special reference to the British Isles.

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Three bibliographies have been recently compiled by R. W. Cox at the University of Liverpool ("Theses and Dissertations on the History of Sport, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance Approved for Higher Degrees and Advanced Diplomas in British Universities, 1900-1981"; "Theses for Higher Degrees in Progress on the History of Sport, Physical Education and Recreation in British Universities"; "American Theses on the History of British Sport and Physical Education"). For more information, please write the compiler at the School of Physical Education, University of Liverpool, P.O. Box 147, Liverpool, L69 3BX, England.