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NEWSLETTER 1995/96.4 (April)

You are invited to attend the meeting of the Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy with the Central Division of the American Philosophical Association at the Palmer House in Chicago Friday, April 26, 1996, 7-9 p.m. in Parlor F.

Chair: Julius Moravcsik, Stanford University
Robert Mayhew, Seton Hall University, "Aristotle On Civic Friendship"
Priscilla Sakezles, University of Akron, "Aristotle and Chrysippus on the Physiology of Human Action"

Copies of these papers are, or should be, enclosed with this newsletter for those who have paid dues for 95/6.

ELECTION

We are happy to announce the election (unanimous among those sending in Ballots) of Thomas M. Robinson of the University of Toronto as "W" member of the Program Committee of the Society. Professor Robinson replaces Joseph Owens, who has retired from the Committee by reason of age. He represents members of the Society who reside in Canada and other non-US countries; he has undertaken this responsibility after an eventful presidency. In his new role, he is organizing the Society's contribution to this summer's conference on Plato and Political Philosophy, in Greece (see below).

DUES

Dues are $7.50 per year US; $12 Canadian. Make out your check to SAGP. We honor multi-year dues payments. If you have not yet sent your dues for the 95/6 academic year, we urge you to send your check now. It costs us more to mail out "back issue" papers than to mail them in the bulk mailing. If you are paid up on your dues, the number 95 or a higher number (e.g. a number beginning with "0") appears on the label. The letter in the third location in the selection code indicates your voting constituency: E=Eastern Division, C=Central Division, P=Pacific Division, L=Philologists, W=outside US. When you pay your dues, please let me know which constituency you wish to vote with, if it is different from the one noted on your label.

SAGP Speaker Policy

The Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy sponsors sessions with the annual meetings of the American Philological Association and with the Eastern, Central, and Pacific Divisions of the American Philosophical Association. In addition, SAGP has since 1980 participated in a joint meeting with the Society for the Study of Islamic Philosophy and Science and several other groups, and occasionally meets with various other groups (IAGP, World Congress of Philosophy, etc.). Members and potential members of the Society are invited to submit abstracts or papers for any or all of these meetings.
Procedure

Those wishing to present a paper at any meeting of the SAGP are requested to send an abstract (or paper) to A. Preus, Secretary SAGP, c/o Philosophy, Binghamton University, 13902-6000 or to apreus@bingvmb.cc.binghamton.edu, fax 607-777-2734. Submitters should include their name and address directly below the title of the paper on a separate title page, and nowhere else; that allows for anonymous review by the Program Committee. Submitters should also include a cover letter indicating at which meeting(s) of the Society they would like (be willing) to present the paper. Deadlines for receipt in Binghamton are as follows:

January 1 for Philology meeting subsequent December (seven copies requested).
February 1 for Eastern Division meeting subsequent December (seven copies requested).
June 1 to be included in the distributed October SSIPS program (one copy is sufficient).
September 1 for Pacific and Central Division subsequent Spring (seven copies requested).

These deadlines reflect the necessity for a month turnaround to the Program Committee and a month to put the program together. Submitters should expect a response about six weeks after each of the deadline dates.

The members of the Program Committee are: the President and Secretary, ex officio; John Anton, William W. Fortenbaugh, Julius Moravcsik, Thomas M. Robinson, Robert Turnbull.

SAGP Call for Papers

Submissions of abstracts or papers are invited for the meeting of the SAGP with SSIPS et al October 25, 26, 27, 1996; the deadline for inclusion in the printed program is June 1, 1996.

Submissions of abstracts or papers are invited for the meetings of the Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy with the Pacific and Central Divisions of the American Philosophical Association, 1997. The Deadline is September 1, 1996.

Joint Meeting SAGP and IAGP, 4-15 July, 1996

Plato's Political Philosophy and Contemporary Democratic Theory: A Dialogue

The Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy will be meeting with the International Association for Greek Philosophy in Greece July 4-15, 1996. Topics of the meeting include (approximately):

1. Plato's metaphysics and theory of human nature in relation to politics.
2. The public, the private, and the universal good in Plato's political philosophy.
3. Rights and responsibility of state and citizen in Plato and democratic theory.
4. The state, justice, and the good in Plato and democratic theory.
5. The qualifications of leadership in a democratic state.
6. Education, the citizen, and the state.
7. Change and political stability: "correct" and "deviant" constitutions.
8. Democracy and virtual democracy.

Inquiries about the meeting: President IAGP: Prof. K. Boudouris, Simonidou 5, Alimos, Greece, 174 56. Tel. 01-9923281, 01-7291488ext.2545, FAX017248979. kboud@atlas.uoa.gr.

T. M. Robinson is organizing the SAGP panels for the meeting: Philosophy, U. of Toronto, M5S 1A1 Canada; 416-978-2824; fax 416-978-8703; tmrobins@epas.utoronto.ca. The deadline for submission of abstracts was February 13, but it may still be possible to find room for an additional paper if you act quickly.
THE JOURNAL OF NEOPLATONIC STUDIES

The Journal of Neoplatonic Studies Volumes I, II, and III have been published and are available. Volume IV.1 will be ready soon. Subscriptions are a very reasonable $15 per year (two issues); write your check to "JNS" and send it to A. Preus, Philosophy, Binghamton University, 13902-6000. Please specify the volume(s) for which you are subscribing.

Submissions of papers: two copies (and if possible a diskette in a DOS program—e.g. WP5.1) to James T. H. Martin, Philosophy, St. John's U., Jamaica, NY 11439. Books for Review: Douglas P. Lackey, Philosophy, Baruch College CUNY, 17 Lexington Ave., New York, NY 10010; Advertisements etc.: P. Morewedge, IGCS, Binghamton University, 13902.

Boston Ancient Philosophy Colloquium

Remaining event for this academic year: Anthony Price at BC, April 11. For more information contact Michael Pakaluk at 508 793 7496 mpakaluk@vax.clarku.edu.

Society for Ancient Medicine

SAM publishes a critical bibliography (The Society for Ancient Medicine Review), available to those who join SAM. SAM is meeting with the AAHM in Buffalo, May 9, 1996. For information, or to join, contact Heinrich von Staden, President, Society for Ancient Medicine, Yale University, Department of Classics, New Haven CT 06520-8266.

Individual and Polis, Ancient and Modern Sociopolitical Theories

The VIIth International Symposium of the International Center of Philosophy and Interdisciplinary Research will be held at the International Olympic Academy, Olympia Greece, August 13-18, 1996. Contact Dr. L. C. Bargeliotes, President of the ICPIR, 9, Aristotelous St., 151 24 Amaroussion Athens Greece. Tel/Fax (011) 301-802-9313 or (011) 0625-61388, or Prof. George Anagnostopoulos, UC San Diego, (619) 481-8501, or Prof. Christos Evangelion, Towson State, (410) 825-2755. Deadline for abstracts and registration: March 30, 1996.

Aspetti della terapia nel Corpus Hippocraticum

The University of Pisa will host the 9th International Hippocrates Colloquium September 25-29, 1996. For information contact, as soon as possible, Daniela Manetti, Dipartimento di Filologia Classica, Via Galvani 1, I-56126 Pisa; tel 050/911614; Fax 050/20054.

ΠΑΙΔΕΙΑ: Philosophy in the Education of Humanity:

XXth World Congress of Philosophy, Boston, August 10-16, 1998

For information, contact American Organizing Committee, 745 Commonwealth Ave., Boston, MA 02215. Tel: 617-353-3904, Fax 617-353-5441, amo@acs.bu.edu. The Society for Ancient Greek Philosophy will most likely participate. More on that later.

SELENE BOOKS

Robert Navon has decided to get out of the publishing business. He is willing to sell his remaining inventory of books en bloc at a very low fraction of their cover price to any Neoplatonist who wishes to get into the publishing business. In the meantime (until summer), he offers all titles at 50% off. Selene Books, P.O. Box 1475, Hobbs, NM 88240.