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Stanford Linear Accelerator Center

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Particle Listings Updated

The 2001 Update of the Particle Listings from the Review of Particle Physics (RPP) is now available on the Web. The review articles are scheduled to be updated in October 2001 and the next printed edition of the RPP will be in June 2002.

SLUO Meeting Date Set

Mark your calendar for Friday, June 29th for the SLAC Users' Organization (SLUO) Annual Meeting. An agenda should be coming soon.

Intermediate Spanish Class---Students Needed!

Next Monday, June 18th, begins a new session of the SLAC Spanish language class. This eight week class is taught by Daniel Robins on Mondays and Wednesdays, 12 to 1pm in the Yellow Room, Building 041. Prospective new students should have a basic knowledge of Spanish, including verbs and their tense forms. For more information, contact Harry Shin, shin@slac.stanford.edu.

Mail Rates Rise on July 1st

While it appears that the basic one ounce letter rate won't increase, many other charges will. Check out the SLAC Mail Service's web page for details.

Theory Skills Find Real-World Application

In a recent article in Nature Medicine, frequent Theory Group visitor, Carsten Peterson, Lund University, and his co-authors report outstanding success with a new "Classification and Diagnostic Prediction of Cancers Using Gene Expression Profiling and Artificial Neural Networks."
Live from Sausage Tree Camp

SLAC'er Cherrill Spencer and family will be at this year's total eclipse of the sun on June 21st. She recommends the Exploratorium expedition's web page on Eclipse 2001: Zambia, Africa. Check out the daily dispatches and watch the live Webcasting on the big day.

Florida Voting Rights Denied

The U.S. Commission on Civil Rights' Draft Staff Report on the voting irregularities in Florida ends with a powerful warning: "Voting is the language of our democracy and regrettably, when it mattered most, real people lost real opportunities to speak."

In the Dubious Distinction Category

The June 13th issue of the Palo Alto Daily News reports that the Bay Area has the highest gas prices in the nation. Perhaps Gas Price Watch, which gathers reports from volunteers across the U.S., can help identify Bay Area stations with the lowest gasoline prices?

FleaMarket

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