Quick News

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Biking Equipment Bonanza

The Bike Faire organizers have created a list of all the specialized vendors with nifty equipment who will be attending the Bike Fair next Friday, May 10th. This is your opportunity to update that helmet or investigate that state-of-the-art water holder.

Technical Publications Lauded

SLAC has received a certificate signed by DOE Secretary Abrahams recognizing our outstanding achievement in moving to fully electronic dissemination of scientific and technical publications three years in advance of the DOE's complex-wide deadline. Congratulations to the Electronic Publications Group.

Stanford Report on SLAC

This week's edition carried several articles of interest to SLAC.

- Persis Drell, SLAC Associate Director for Research
- SLAC's Take Your Daughters to Work Day was mentioned in a sidebox with the main story of the campus event. The sidebox did not make it into the electronic version of the Report.
- Stanford Jazz Festival tickets go on sale.

Stan's Newsworthy Spouse

Palo Alto High School's journalism adviser, Esther Wojcicki was honored yesterday in Sacramento by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing as one of the state's top teachers. A copy of the Palo Alto Daily News' print article is posted outside the library.

"A Chilling Intrusion"

An Op/Ed piece in the Maryland SunSpot.net online newspaper describes how the U.S. Patriot Act will permit increased FBI surveillance of users of academic science and technology libraries. (This is actually already happening and the institutions and staff involved are forbidden by law to discuss it publicly.) Those of us 'of a certain age' will remember the FBI's attempts to track Woodward and Bernstein's Watergate investigations through the newsmen's use of the Library of Congress' Reference and Circulation services.

FleaMarket

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