

Mini-Medical School returns

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RENO--Last year 175 people from the Reno community had a tantalizing taste of what it was like to be a medical student at the University of Nevada School of Medicine without studying for exams, losing sleep or incurring debt.

During four sessions, held over a two-month period, members of the community learned how their bodies work and became familiar with some of the latest information in medical research by attending the school's Mini-Medical School.

Enrollment for the 1993 sessions is now underway; don't put off signing up. Space is limited to the first 175 who sign up for the four-session course. This year, Mini-Medical School will delve into our cells; how they work and what happens when they do not work as they are supposed to.

The Reno sessions will be held on Feb. 23, March 9, March 24 and April 13 in the school's Manville Auditorium, from 7 to 9 p.m.

The sessions will focus on the following:

Feb. 23: F. Donald Tibbits, Ph.D., will teach the first session on "Living Cells: Their Many Faces as Seen by an Anatomist."

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March 9: The second session will be taught by Charles E. Dreiling, Ph.D., who will discuss "Cells: Islands of Order in a Sea of Chaos."

March 24: The third session will be taught by Iain L.O. Buxton, D.Ph., who will lecture on "Cells as the Object of Our Fancy."

April 13: In the final session, Dorothy Hudig, Ph.D., will delve into "The Cancer Cell: The High Price of Immortality."

The Mini-Medical School, which is offered free to the community, is supported by American Federal Savings Bank in Reno.

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