

# Let's Get Physical

The Newsletter of the Health and Physical Education Department—*The Action Department*  
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Jillian Leedy (Illustration)

## The Winners of the First Health and Fitness Student Art Competition

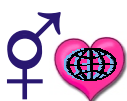


Esther J. Crotty (Illustration)

Illustration majors dominated the first Health and Fitness Student Art Competition, with the two winners representing that major. Esther J. Crotty and Jillian Leedy won the two prizes of \$200 each, with one winner determined by student votes and one winner selected by the members of the Health and Physical Education Department, which sponsored the competition.

Other students who submitted entries included: Ka-Kyung Cho (Fashion Merchandising Management), Elizabeth Degen (Illustration), Mika Furuya (Illustration), Wendy Lee (Illustration), Richard Marot (Photography), Linda Petuchovas (Fashion Design), and Roman Sharf (Illustration). Their entries can be seen on page 2, viewed at our website, or while they are on display in our Health and Fitness Art Gallery outside of AX13 in the subbasement of the A Building.

We would like to thank all of the students who participated, and Prof. Melanie Reim from the Illustration Department, who used the competition as a project in her classes.



## International Focus on Health and Human Sexuality

Are you looking for an interesting, alternative course to satisfy part of your Health and Physical Education requirement next semester? Consider Human Sexuality.

Among the topics covered in this course focusing on sexual health and behavior from an interdisciplinary perspective are: Healthy Sexuality; Music: The Language of Love; Sex, Gender, and Fashion; the Psychosocial and Biological Aspects of Sex; Religious, Cultural, and International Perspectives on Sex; Sexual Orientation; . . . *and more!*

The course is being taught by Dr. Ray Noonan, current chairperson of the Department,

who recently co-edited *The Continuum Complete International Encyclopedia of Sexuality*, a compendium of current knowledge on sexual values, attitudes, and behavior in 62 countries and places around the world.

Human Sexuality is being offered twice in the Fall (HE201-301, CRN: 23263, Thursdays 2:10-5:00 PM, and HE201-35A, CRN: 23264, Tuesdays 6:20-9:10 PM; 3 credits). The course may also be taken by students who need a Liberal Arts elective/selective.

Call Dr. Noonan (212.217.7460), or come to AX13, for more information or if you have questions about the prerequisite.

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**Have a healthy and happy summer!**

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## New Courses Coming in Spring 2005: Tennis II, Tai Chi II, and Creative Movement Exploration

Faculty in the Health and Physical Education Department have developed three new courses that were approved this year, which will be offered next spring: Tennis II, Tai Chi II, and Creative Movement Exploration. They are part of our ongoing efforts to create new courses that expand the choices students have for meeting the Health and Physical Education requirements for a degree—or just for fun and fitness in an active, structured environment.

Tennis II will focus on more advanced skills for doubles, singles, and competitive play. Tai Chi II will focus on the Yang-style form of this ancient, holistic Chinese exercise and martial art. Creative Movement Exploration will teach students to use their bodies to explore design elements in creative expression.

You can expect more new courses, both in specialized health-related areas as well as in new activities that students can enjoy doing.

HPE on the Web: <http://www3.fitnyc.edu/healthandphysicaleducation/>

## The Entries from the Health and Fitness Art Competition Now on Display



Entries are now on display in the Health and Fitness Art Gallery and at <http://www3.fitnyc.edu/healthandphysicaleducation/>.

### Music Anyone?

An Accoustic Music Club is being formed for students who are interested in playing for fun in the fall. Contact Dr. Ray Noonan or Prof. Stephanie Bird in AX13 or at the numbers below.

### Who's Teaching What When?

Do you want to know who is scheduled to teach HPE courses this summer or next fall? The tentative schedule can be found in the Summer and Fall Previews of faculty course schedules at our website shown to the left. Updates to their schedules will also be available there as they become known.

## Faculty Phone Numbers (HPE Main Office: 212.217.7724)

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Eisenstein, Anne-Michele.....217-7785	Manno, Dana .....217-7166	Schubert, Monique.....217-7183
Galante, Lawrence .....217-7801	Mehlman, Arlene.....217-7784	Skirka, Nicholas.....217-7173
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