PHYSICS MAJOR'S ROOM ACCESS RULES

1. The purposes of the following rules are to allow physics majors the privilege of greater access to the Physics Major Classroom Facility (PSH-356, 358) while keeping it and its computers in first-class operating condition and appearance. Your cooperation and assistance in achieving these goals will be appreciated.

2. Independent student access hours to the facility will be 8 AM - 5 PM, M-F, holidays excepted, during hours when classes are not actually meeting. The alarm will be deactivated and deadbolt opened by 8 AM each morning, allowing student access. Students will typically be asked to leave and the deadbolt will be locked about 5:00 PM. Students working in the room independently are asked to leave 10 minutes before the start of a regularly scheduled class or other "official" event in which they are not participating.

3. Authorized access is only for Physics\Astronomy Majors currently enrolled in a class which uses the room, or as otherwise arranged through a member of the faculty who teaches such a class.

4. Students may not give out the lock code to anyone. Only instructors or DoPA staff are allowed to give out a lock code. Violation of this rule will result in permanent loss of room privileges.

5. The purpose of this access is to allow serious work to be done on physics-related assignments. This access is NOT intended to provide a social gathering place, and is specifically not granted for purposes of socializing, recreational web surfing, personal use, and other similar purposes. Students should leave the room when no longer seriously engaged in studies-related work. All games have been removed from the computers and non-course-related game playing is strictly forbidden, as, of course, is horseplay of any kind.

6. No software of any type may be installed on the computers by students. Students may maintain individual directories on the computers only insofar as permitted or directed by their course instructors.

7. All floppies must be virus free; if you are not sure, check it before accessing it through a DoPA computer. You may be held responsible for any losses due to viruses transmitted through your floppy disk.

8. All equipment, supplies and materials in the room not directly pertinent to the student's activities are off limits. Students may be held accountable for damages and losses incurred during their occupancy of the facility.

9. Doors are to remain shut and latched. Each authorized student can use the code to let themself in. When exiting, each student should check to be sure the door shuts and latches.

10. Students may be asked by DoPA staff on short notice to move out of the way or otherwise facilitate servicing of the room or for placing or removing lab equipment.

If the above rules are observed, students should be able to enjoy expanded access to this facility while preserving the appearance, operation and security of the room and the equipment therein. If the rules are not observed and/or room operation problems related to student access arise, it may be necessary to revoke these access privileges. Thank you for your cooperation.