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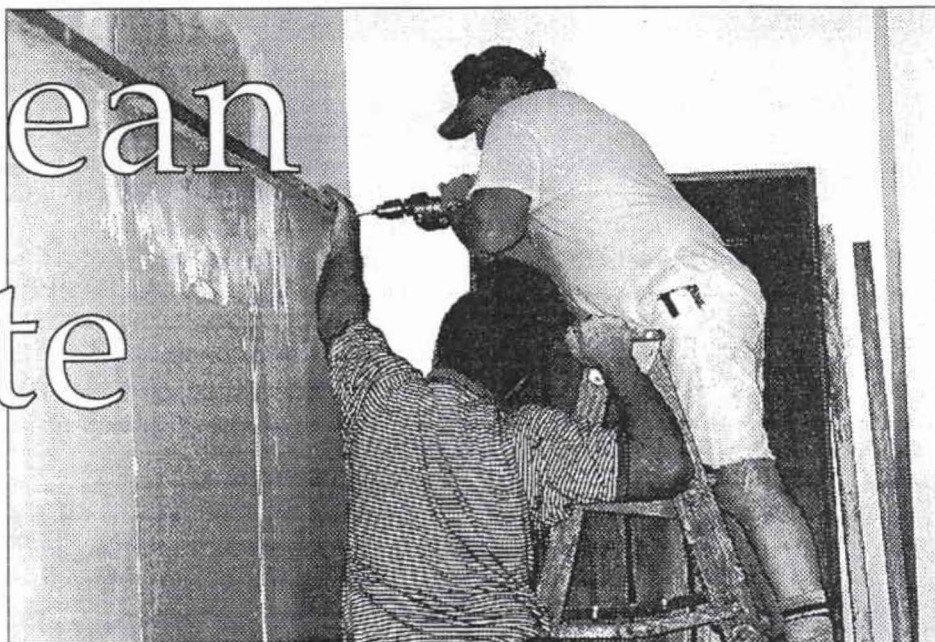
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A Clean Slate

Students will return in fall to newly renovated classrooms

Roemer Hall is undergoing a significant classroom renovation this summer with most rooms receiving new or repaired blackboards, new audio visual equipment, paint, floor refinishing and restoration of old trim and fixtures in some cases.

The renovation calls for repair or replacement of existing blackboards, added front projection screens, front desks and chairs and permanently



Summer at Lindenwood was filled with the sounds of carpenters making significant renovations to classrooms in Roemer Hall.

mounted television/VCR combinations in each of the 24 classrooms being renovated. In some cases, unused doors will be removed to accommodate larger blackboards and unusable closets and cabinets will be removed.

Where possible, the existing slate from some blackboards will be retained, but otherwise it will be replaced with the finest

blackboard material available. In all cases, the existing woodwork framing for the blackboard will be retained and refinished.

One room, 209, will receive special attention. The room still has its original wood desks and trim, which are largely in good condition, and a finished wood floor. In addition to the basic

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renovations the other classrooms have received, the project calls for refinishing of the existing floor, desks and woodwork and replacement of the lighting with period lighting to enhance the historic feel of the room.

"With the original desks and the flooring in that room already, it is a natural for this type of restoration," said Don Babbitt, assistant professor of management and one of the overseers of the Roemer classroom renovation project. "We're restoring it to what we think it would have been like when the building was built – kind of show the history of the school. This was a major building in 1922."

Roemer Hall was built in 1922 for an estimated \$500,000, and it has been renovated several

times since then, including in 1974, when the Jelkyl Theatre received a major renovation.

Also in progress is an "enhanced classroom" project that entails the renovation of four classrooms in Young Hall and the addition of a mobile unit that will serve five second-floor classrooms in the Lindenwood University Cultural Center. The upgrades will make for increased presentation capabilities with "smart boards," computer projection units and visual presenters (which allow an



In addition to new video monitors and a variety of other improvements, more than 20 classrooms in Roemer Hall received a new coat of paint.

instructor to project the image of a three-dimensional object onto a screen).

Babbitt said the enhanced classroom upgrades should be completed by the start of fall classes in August. A second phase of the enhanced classroom project, to be completed next year, would include two classrooms in Roemer Hall.

New Butler Student Centre will make debut in fall semester

Renovations include improved mail service

Butler Hall will take on a new look this fall with numerous renovations – most notably the addition of a new student center in the former Butler Gymnasium, according to Sheryl Guffey, Dean of Campus Life.

Mail service for residential students will be improved with the addition of new mailboxes. Each student will be assigned a mailbox with a combination lock, Guffey said.

"That will be nice, because everyone will have their own mailbox, and they won't have to keep track of mailbox keys, like before," Guffey said.

Butler Parlour, on the building's first floor, has also been redecorated.

The most significant renovation in the building, however, is the metamorphosis of the former Butler Gymnasium into the Butler Student

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Dean of Campus Life

television have been added.

"It will be a great place for students to socialize, study, talk, play cards, watch television... whatever," Guffey said. "It will be accessible to residential and commuter students alike with extended hours until midnight."

Centre. The floor has been carpeted, and tables, couches, additional vending machines and a large-screen

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Lindenwood welcomes new faculty members for fall

Lindenwood University announces nine new faculty members for the 1998 fall semester. The new faculty are Doris Eschbach, Kay Hammond, John Knoll, Patricia Moore, Carla Mueller, Renee O'Daniel, Donald Otto, Joe Parisi and Jenny Warren.

• **Doris Eschbach** (management) was previously chair of the business administration department at Blackburn College in Carlinville, Il., and has also taught at Benedictine University in Lisle, Il., and St. Louis University. She has worked since 1973 in education and the private sector and has a doctorate in business administration from St. Louis University.

• **Kay Hammond** (management) has worked since 1972 in various administrative and executive capacities at companies like McDonnell Douglas and, most recently, the Boeing Corporation, where she was an administrator. She has a master's degree in business administration and a bachelor's degree from Lindenwood.

• **John Knoll** (communications) has worked in corrections, education and marketing/sales for a variety of employers since 1976. He has held college-level teaching positions at the University of Texas at San Antonio, Sangamon State University in Illinois, Webster University in St. Louis and Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

• **Patricia Moore** (education) has spent most of her 33-year career working as a public school teacher and administrator, most recently at the Fort Zumwalt School District in St. Charles County, where she was assistant superintendent for special services from 1994 until this summer. She has a doctorate in education from St. Louis University.



Lindenwood University welcomes nine new faculty members for the fall 1998 semester. They are (from left) Donald Otto, Carla Mueller, John Knoll, Joe Parisi, Doris Eschbach, Kay Hammond and Jenny Warren. (Not pictured are Patricia Moore and Renee O'Daniel.)

• **Carla Mueller** (social sciences) has 22 years of experience in social work, most recently as program manager of the Family Resource Center in St. Louis. She has a master's degree in social work from the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana.

• **Renee O'Daniel** (mathematics) has taught two years as a graduate teaching assistant at the

University of Missouri-St. Louis, prior to which she taught high school math at Tarkio Academy in Tarkio, Mo. She has a master's degree in mathematics from UM-St. Louis and was the recipient of a number of awards and honors.

• **Donald Otto** (management) has worked for Monsanto and MEMC Electronic Materials since 1963. His background is specifically concentrated in human resources with direct experience in domestic and international employee issues of staffing, training, development and numerous other areas. He has a master's degree in human resources from Webster University.

• **Joe Parisi** (human service agency management) earned a master's degree in human service agency management from Lindenwood in 1996. He comes to Lindenwood after two years as an instructor of human service agency management and recreation administration education at Missouri Valley College in Marshall, Mo.

• **Jenny Warren** (psychology) has a doctorate in psychology with a concentration in educational psychology from the University of Tennessee in Knoxville. Among other teaching positions, she has taught part-time at Lindenwood since August of 1997 and taught as an adjunct professor at the University of Missouri-St. Louis this spring.

Fall sports promise excitement and intensity in drive for titles

Football

The Lion football team is looking to prove this year it is a force to be reckoned with in the tough Heart of America Athletic Conference.

Head Coach Dan Kratzer will look to a healthy number of returning players and a strong recruiting season, plus the addition of assistants Dan Dieringer and Tim Johnson, to touch off a winning season.

After a scrimmage at home against Greenville at 7:30 p.m. on Aug. 29 and a "Black and Gold" intersquad game at 7 p.m. on Sept. 5, the Lions will start their regular season on the road at Culver-Stockton on Sept. 12.

Cross Country

The men's and women's cross country teams brought home matching conference championships last year, and coach Clark Wille expects to repeat. The men's and women's teams compete on a common schedule that starts with the Lindenwood Kickoff on Sept. 5 and proceeds with meets at

Washington University, Eastern Illinois and Chicago, among others. The team will host the Great Midwest Classic on Oct. 24.

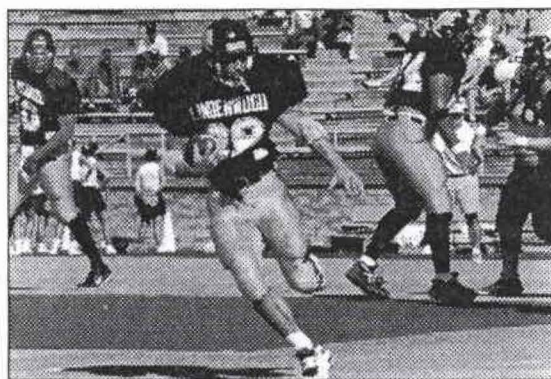
Women's Soccer

Though All-American Bridget Stewart graduated in May, a solid nucleus returns from last year's conference championship team. Coach Kevin Kilcullin has his sights on a third consecutive conference championship and the national tournament this year.

The team starts its season on the road against the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee on Aug. 30 and has its home opener at 5 p.m. on Sept. 11 against Southern Nazarene.

Men's Soccer

The men's soccer team has been a perennial top performer, and this year promises to be exciting as well. Under the direction of Carl Hutter, the team has its eyes on another trip



to the post season.

The team will play an alumni game at 6 p.m. on Aug. 29 in Hunter Stadium and will play its first regular season home game at 7 p.m. on Sept. 11 against Southern Nazarene.

Volleyball

Under the direction of Dave Witter, the volleyball team is used to success, and this year is no different with several strong returning players and an active recruiting class to work with.

The team will play an alumni scrimmage at 7 p.m. on Aug. 28 in the Hyland Performance Arena and will play its home opener at 7 p.m. on Sept. 8 against Central Methodist.

Splash!

Swimming, diving teams to make debut

In the spring, Lindenwood announced the launching of two new athletic programs – swimming and diving.

Both teams will compete at the St. Peters Rec-Plex and will be coached by Craig Penrose, a former high school and collegiate coach and now coach of the highly successful Sharks USS program at the Rec-Plex. Anyone interested in competing should call Penrose at (314)939-2386, ext. 636.

Regular Season Home Openers:

Sept. 5	Cross Country LU Kickoff at 10 a.m.
Sept. 8	Volleyball vs. Central Methodist Hyland Performance Arena at 7 p.m.
Sept. 11	Women's Soccer vs. S. Nazarene Hunter Stadium at 5 p.m.
Sept. 11	Men's Soccer vs. S. Nazarene Hunter Stadium at 7 p.m.
Sept. 26	Football vs. Evangel Hunter Stadium at 7:30 p.m.

Lindenwood plans \$30 million in campus improvements

Plan includes four new residence halls and a grand new student center

Lindenwood President Dennis Spellmann recently unveiled a \$30 million campus improvement plan that will bring about four new residence halls, a new student center and a gleaming new front entrance off First Capital Drive.

Spellmann said the need for additional on-campus housing has been growing steadily in recent years because of meteoric

enrollment growth. In fact,

Lindenwood's total enrollment for 1997-98 was nearly 8,500, which represents an increase of 23 percent over the previous year, making

Lindenwood the fastest-growing four-year college or university in Missouri.

Residential enrollment has also been very strong, to the extent that Lindenwood's housing capacity has been maxxed out. So, the need for additional on-campus housing has become

more and more apparent.

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Dennis Spellmann
Lindenwood President

needed space for additional growth. The student center would house an expanded and improved dining hall and other amenities; the building would be similar to the construction of Lindenwood's newest building, the Robert F. Hyland Performance Arena, which was

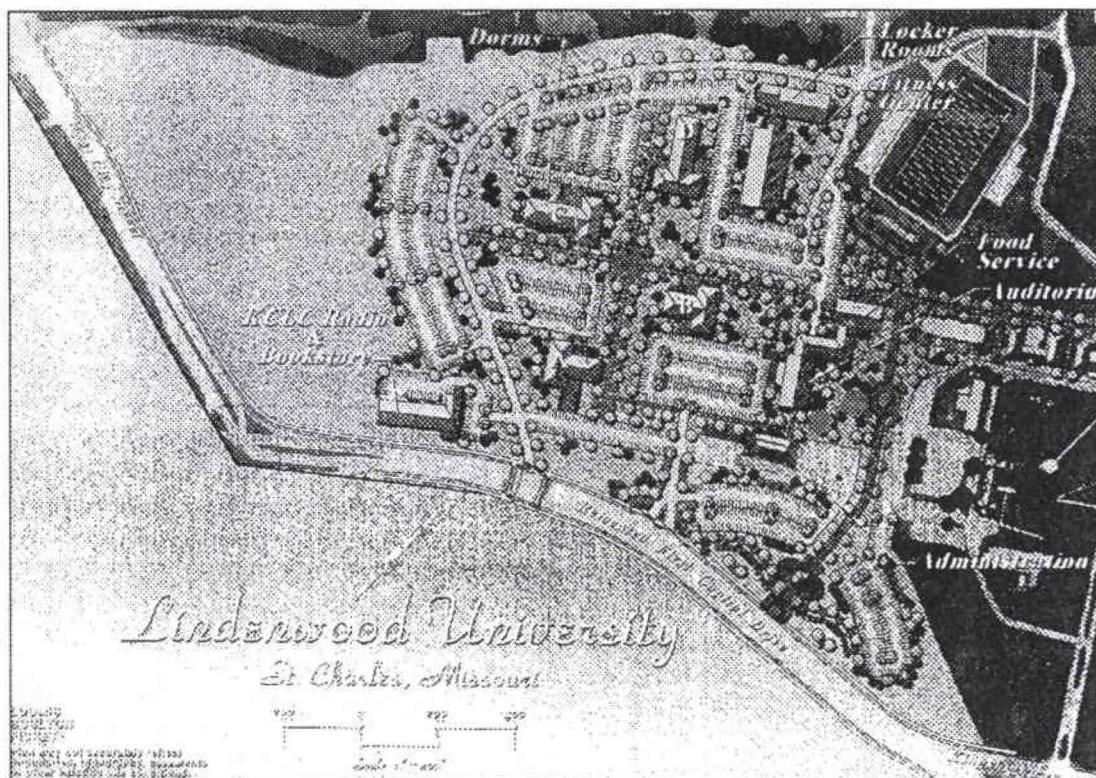
The new residence halls would allow for the removal of the mobile homes currently situated on the south side of campus next to the fitness center and provide

completed in 1996.

The centerpiece of the project is a new front entrance on First Capitol Drive, south of Kingshighway. The entrance will be an architectural gem, featuring a clock tower matching the campus' classic architecture.

The plan is dependent on the realignment of the boomerang curve in First Capitol Drive south of Kingshighway, a project that is currently being considered by the city of St. Charles.

"As always, we are looking to the future, planning for our growth and looking back on our heritage and our history to plan this project," Spellmann said. "It will be something we can all be



A planned campus improvement project includes four new residence halls, a student center and a new front entrance off First Capitol Drive.

Memorable mainstage season will include music, drama, dance

The Lindenwood Theatre Program has long been known for its fine mainstage productions, and this year's mainstage season promises not to disappoint.

The season will feature "The
"Whether you like music, dance, comedy or drama, we have got it all."

Bryan Reeder
*Lindenwood Theatre
 Program Director*

World Goes Round, The Songs of Kander and Ebb," a musical revue of works by two of America's best theatrical song writers; a dance concert featuring Lindenwood's renowned dance program; Lindenwood's traditional holiday production of "A Christmas



The Lindenwood Theatre Program performed the famous musical "The Fantasticks" during the summer in Jelkyl Theatre.

Carol;" the classic plays "Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead" (by Tom Stoppard) and "The Children's Hour" (by Lillian Hellman), and the return of "Dance Alive."

Bryan Reeder, director of the theatre program at Lindenwood, said there is something for everyone in the mainstage season this year.

"Whether you like music, dance, comedy or drama, we have got it all," Reeder said. "This is going to be a really exciting season."

Lindenwood students can receive two free tickets to each production by showing their student identification at the box office. For

more information, call the box office at (314) 949-4878.

The World Goes 'Round

The Songs of Kander and Ebb

October 8, 9, 10, 15, 16 and 17 at 8 p.m.

Jelkyl Theatre

Dance Concert

November 12, 13, 14 at 8 p.m.

November 15 at 2 p.m.

Jelkyl Theatre

A Christmas Carol

December 3, 4 and 5 at 8 p.m.

December 5 and 6 at 2 p.m.

Jelkyl Theatre

Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are Dead

by Tom Stoppard
February 18, 19, 20, 25, 26, 27 at 8 p.m.

Jelkyl Theatre

The Children's Hour

by Lillian Hellman
April 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17 at 8 p.m.

Jelkyl Theatre

Dance Alive IV

April 22, 23, 24 at 8 p.m. April 25 at 2 p.m.

Hyland Arena

Lindenwood Box Office-
(314) 949-4878



Sunlight and Shadows II by Shirley Eley Nachtrieb
Nachtrieb exhibit to open art season

Local artist Shirley Eley Nachtrieb will bring her current exhibit, "Sunlight and Shadows," to Lindenwood University's Cultural Center Gallery, where it will hang from Aug. 23 through Sept. 30. An opening reception will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. on Aug. 23 at the gallery, which is located at 400 N. Kingshighway.

The exhibit will include about 30 works (watercolor and acrylic paintings and collages), which focus on pastoral themes. The gallery is open from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday.

New president Hupper and LSGA ready for a busy year at LU

Just prior to the end of the spring semester, Courtney Hupper, of Eolia, Mo., was elected president of the Lindenwood University Student Government Association. Hupper, a junior majoring in human resource management, is a graduate of Clopton High School.

"I wanted to give this a try as a challenge to myself," Hupper said, of her run for LSGA president.

Hupper has been involved in the student government association each of her two years at Lindenwood, this year as treasurer. The president acts as a liaison between the University President Dennis Spellmann and the students and student groups. The government association also acts as a clearinghouse for funding requests from student groups.

"We have general meetings once a week where we listen to club news and do a lot of planning for various campus events," Hupper said. "I would like to see more school involvement. I would also like to implement a freshman day before the fall term where we could recruit new members. I'm

New coaches will debut in 1998-99

Terry Beer (tennis) teaches art and coaches tennis at Wentzville High School. He is a certified tennis professional.

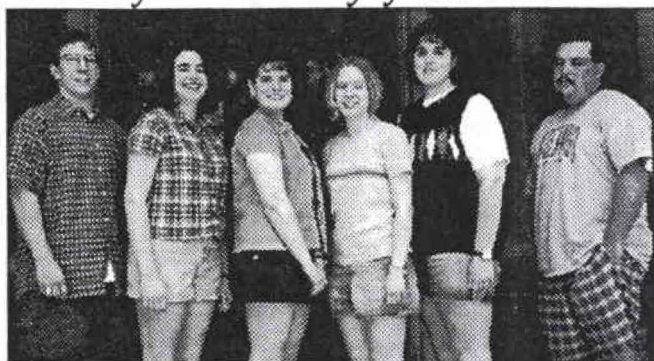
Dan Dieringer (asst. football), who teaches physical education, has been coaching at the college level since 1990, most recently at Lewis and Clark College in Portland, Ore.

Roger Ellis (golf) has taught at Lindenwood for a year and was assistant golf coach here last year. He has competed as an amateur in the PGA Gateway region for 20 years.

Tim Johnson (asst. football), who teaches physical education, has coached at the college level since 1985; most recently at Lambuth University in Tennessee.

Joe Parisi (wrestling) was a very successful assistant wrestling coach for several years at Missouri Valley College.

Craig Penrose (swimming/diving) has coached aquatic sports successfully at various levels. (See story on page 4.)



The Lindenwood University Student Government Association officers for 1998-99 are (from left) Student Activities Chairman Mike Huber, Vice President Lisa McKee, President Courtney Hupper, Secretary Chrissy Kurtz, Treasurer Darla Brassel and Public Relations Chairman Scott Minger.

looking forward to the challenge."

Other student government association officers elected with Hupper were Vice President Lisa McKee, a sophomore from St. Charles; Treasurer Darla Brassel, a senior from Wentzville; Public Relations Chairman Scott Minger, a senior from Phoenix, Ariz.; Student Activities Chairman Mike Huber, a sophomore from St. Louis, and Secretary Chrissy Kurtz, a sophomore from O'Fallon.

Homecoming will return Oct. 9-11

With October comes the turning of the leaves, frost on the ground, a nip in the air and, of course, Homecoming.

This year's Homecoming will feature a celebration of 50 years of KCLC at Lindenwood and other events for returning alumni, in addition to the following games and events.

- **Women's Soccer vs. Baker University**, 6 p.m., Hunter Stadium.
 - **Men's Soccer vs. University of Illinois**, 8 p.m., Hunter Stadium.
 - **Women's Volleyball vs. Union College**, 5 p.m., Hyland Arena.
 - **Football vs. Benedictine College**, 1:30 p.m., Hunter Stadium.
 - **Dance**, 9 p.m., Lindenwood University Club.
- Call Student Activities at x4980 for more info.

Mark It On Your Calendar!

The following are some dates of upcoming events you will want to put on your calendar. This is not a complete list of events. You will receive more information on events, times and places throughout the year. Periodic calendars and information sheets will be sent around during the academic year to keep you informed of what is happening on campus.

Welcome Week	August 23-28	Sacred Music Concert, Chapel, 5:30-7 p.m.	December 6
Student Move-In Day	August 23	Chorus & Voice Concert, LUCC, 7:30 p.m.	December 8
Shirley Nachtrieb Art Exhibit, LUCC	August 23-30	Last Day of Classes	December 11
Alumni Art Show, Hendren Gallery	August 24-30	Final Exams	December 12-17
Semester Classes Begin	August 24	Student Move-in & Orientation	January 10
Opening Convocation, 4 pm	August 25	Bill O'Donnell Exhibit, LUCC	January 10-31
Volleyball Alumni Scrimmage, 7 p.m.	August 28	Semester Classes Begin	January 11
Football Scrimmage, 7:30 pm	August 29	Faculty Art Show, Hendren Gallery	January 11-31
Pep Rally, Hunter Stadium, 6:30 p.m.	September 10	<i>Rosencrantz & Guildenstern Are Dead</i>	Feb. 18-20, 25-27
Deadline to apply for December graduation	October 2	Hot Flashes Art Exhibit, LUCC	February 28
<i>The World Goes Round</i> , Jelkyl Theatre	Oct. 8-10, 15-17	Patches Cross Stitch, Hendren	March 4-7
Homecoming Weekend	October 9-11	Spring Break	March 6-14
Homecoming Pep Rally, 6:30 pm	October 9	I-Ching Kuo Exhibit, LUCC	March 16-31
Homecoming Dance, 9 p.m., LU Club	October 10	Rhonda Schrum Exhibit, Studio East	March 16-31
Parents Day	October 24	Belinda Lee Exhibit, Hendren	March 21-31
The Wedding Bandit, Jelkyl Theatre	October 29-31	Easter Break	April 2-4
John Nagle Photography, Hendren	November 1-6	Symphonic Band Concert, LUCC	April 6
Libby Reuter Sculpture, LUCC	November 1-13	<i>The Children's Hour</i> , Jelkyl	April 8-10, 15-17
Chi-chung Hung's Exhibit, Studio East	Nov. 1-	Annual LU Student Juried Art Show, LUCC	April 11-30
Deadline to apply for May/June graduation	Nov. 6	Cotillion	April 17
Dance Concert, Jelkyl Theatre, 8 p.m.	November 12-14	Spring Fling	April 18-24
Jazz Band Concert, LUCC, 7:30 p.m.	November 14	Cabaret Night, LU Club	April 21
Dance Concert, Jelkyl, 2:00 p.m.	November 15	<i>Dance Alive IV</i> , Hyland Arena	April 22-30
Annual High School Juried Art Show	Nov. 15-30	Honors Convocation, LUCC, 2:00 p.m.	April 25
Madrigal Matinee, 10:30 am	November 18	Student Designer Fashion Show, LUCC	April 30
Madrigal Dinner, 6:30 p.m.	November 20-22	Annual LU Student Juried Art Show, LUCC	May 1-17
Senior Fashion Design Showing	November 21	Jazz Band & Show Choir Concert, LUCC	May 1
Doug Clark Art Exhibit, LUCC	November 22-30	Sacred Music Voice Recital, Chapel	May 2
Chi-Hsiu Lin Exhibit, LUCC	November 22-30	Chorus & Private Voice Concert, LUCC	May 4
Thanksgiving Holiday-No Classes	Nov. 26-27	Last Day of Classes	May 7
<i>A Christmas Carol</i> , Jelkyl, 8 p.m.	Dec. 3-5	Final Exams	May 8-13
Madrigal Dinner	December 4-6	Baccalaureate, LUCC	May 14
Christmas Walk, 5:30-7 p.m.	December 6	Commencement, Main campus	May 15
Symphonic Band Concert, 4 p.m., LUCC	December 6		

Parents' Day

Lindenwood parents invited to visit campus on October 24

So much of what goes on at Lindenwood is geared toward the students, but this fall at least one event is intended for their parents.

Parents' Day gives our students' moms and dads a

chance to take a look around some of Lindenwood's beautiful campus, visit the Historic Daniel Boone Home (which merged with Lindenwood this spring), attend a football game (the Lions vs. MidAmerica Nazarene at

1:30 in Hunter Stadium) and take part in a variety of activities designed specifically around them.

More information is coming soon, so be sure to visit for what promises to be a great time.