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The construction of the renovated and expanded Harmon Hall for the School of Business and Entrepreneurship is moving ahead at a fast pace. Students will be attending classes in the new facility in the spring 2010.

Lindenwood began the renovation and expansion of Harmon Hall in September 2008. Named for the father of the late Lindenwood Chairman of the Board Ray Harmon, the building housed the university's School of Fine and Performing Arts from 1969 to 2008, when the school moved to its current home at the J. Scheidegger Center for the Arts. After construction is complete, Harmon Hall will be the new home of the School for Business and Entrepreneurship, which is currently housed in the Lillie P. Roemer Memorial Arts Building.

"The refurbished Harmon Hall will give our business students a sense of cohesion and identification," said Ed Morris, dean of the School of Business and Entrepreneurship. "It will provide stateof the-art facilities and technologies to prepare our students to successfully compete and contribute in today's highly sophisticated economy."

When the two-year project is complete, the building will have nearly doubled in size. The existing interior also will have been remodeled and a new façade added to the entire building.

However, the new building will house more than classrooms. There will be a 100-plus seat auditorium equipped with the latest technologies for special presentations by students, faculty and guest speakers. There are break-out rooms throughout the building for students to work together on special projects, and lounges for club meetings or just to socialize. In addition, there is a well-furnished boardroom for meetings. All of the renovation and expansion is meant to give business students a sense of cohesion and identification as well as and a dynamic setting to help prepare for careers in today's highly sophisticated business world.

Spring International Speakers Series Boasts Great Lineup

The Center for International and Global Studies has a great lineup for its Speakers Series in the spring semester.

The spring series begins at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 17, in the Spellmann Center's Anheuser-Busch Leadership Room with a talk by Ling Thumin, instructor in Chinese language and culture at St. Louis University. Thumin will discuss "The Cultural Revolution in the PRC (Peoples Republic of China)."

Thumin came to the United States from her native China in 1989 with bachelor's degrees in Chinese literature and education. She and her family were tragic victims of the Cultural Revolution under Mao Zedong. Thumin earned her master's degree in library science from Southern Connecticut University in 1991 and later worked as a reference librarian and as the coordinator of Asian services at St. Louis County Library.

More recently, she has been teaching Chinese language and culture at Saint Louis University and Missouri Baptist University. She has also started a business called TLC International, which provides Chinese language and culture services to businesses, organizations, the U.S. government, and educational institutions.

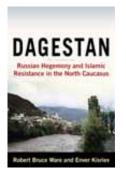


At 4 p.m. on Thursday, March 18, 2009, Dr. Robert Ware, professor of philosophy at Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville, will discuss "Russian Hegemony and

Islamic Resistance in the North Caucasus."

Ware is the author of Hegel: The Logic of Self-consciousness and the Legacy of Subjective Freedom. Since completing his doctorate at Oxford University in 1995, Ware has conducted extensive field research in North Caucasus and has published extensively on the politics, ethnography, and religion of the region in scholarly journals and in the popular media. He is a noted expert on North Caucasus and a leading specialist on Dagestan. His new book,

Dagestan: Russian Hegemony and Islamic Resistance in the North Caucasus, was published in June 2009.



Then, at 4 p.m. on Monday, April 12, 2009, Dr. James Wertsch, professor of anthropology and director of the McDonnell International Scholars Academy at Washington University, will persent "The Impact of the Russian Intervention in Georgia." Wertsch is the Marshall S. Snow

professor in anthropology and is also a member of the philosophy, neurology, and psychology programs at Washington University.



He has written extensively about collective memory and its impact on various cultures, especially with respect to Russia. Wertsch has done extensive research in Russia, the Republic of Georgia, and Estonia. He is also the author of Enough! The Rose

Revolution in the Republic of Georgia.

If you have questions regarding the Spring Speakers Series, please contact Ray Scupin, Ph.D., director of the Center for International and Global Studies, at rscupin@lindenwood.edu.



Participants braved unseasonably cold weather for the benefit walk-run and raised more than \$700. Pictured are Calvert-Rogers

RD Brittany Hoelscher (left) and Calvert-Rogers RA Sarah Schuette.

Residential living on a college campus offers many things: a nice room, a convenient location near classes, security, and community involvement. Lindenwood University's handbook describes a resident's experience as an, "opportunity to learn, live, and work with others of varying ages, cultural backgrounds, and interests." Strong friendships are formed that last a lifetime. The students living together in the halls become family to each other, sharing the day-to-day college challenges.

This community involvement is thriving at Lindenwood, as evidenced by the actions of hundreds of Lindenwood students starting last summer, when it was discovered one of their own was diagnosed with cancer. It began when one of the freshmen football players discovered a suspicious condition when reporting for his sports physical. He returned home, and his family doctor determined that he had cancer. In the face of this, he decided to return to school and begin his college experience.

The response in Flowers Hall, where the majority of freshman football players reside, was tremendous. Led by Billy Clark, resident director (RD) of Flowers Hall and co-captain of the LU Lions football team, the student was greeted by all of the players in front of Flowers when he returned. When his mother was concerned about her son sharing a bathroom with three other young men because of his compromised immune system, Clark asked the residents at football practice if anyone would swap rooms, and two players immediately stepped up an gave up their room with a private bathroom.

Clark wasn't finished. After meeting with Housing Director Michelle Giessman, he received the go-ahead to work with the RDs of the other 16 LU residence halls to raise funds for the American Cancer Society in honor of the student living in his hall. Because cancer touches virtually every family in some way, the group felt that their efforts could affect the entire Lindenwood community. "Lions Take a Bite out of Cancer" was formed.

To begin with, they started a window sticker fundraiser. Window stickers, which include a space to write someone's name, are available for \$1 and are then put up in the entryways of the residence halls. The residence hall that sells the most will win a prize. The stickers debuted on Homecoming weekend to an enthusiastic response by the many alums and parents who arrived at Lindenwood for the celebration.

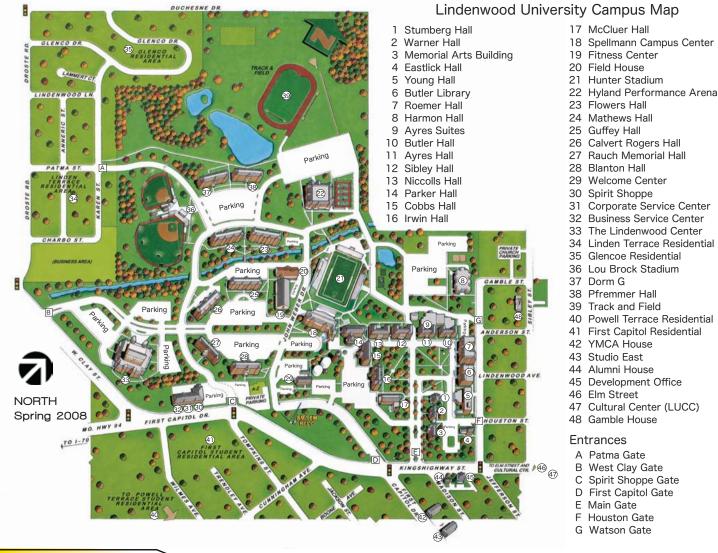
Additionally, Calvert Rogers and Mathews Halls, under the direction of RDs Brittany Hoelscher and Patrick Soener, teamed up to hold a run/walk on October 14, in which participants donated \$5 each to compete on a course on the Heritage Campus. A theme t-shirt, chili and hotdogs at the end of the run was included. The run was a great success with more than 100 participants signing up in the first two days of registration.

Since "Take a Bite out of Cancer" was launched, cases of other students afflicted with cancer have come to light, including a young lady in Blanton Hall who returned home for treatment in the hopes of coming back to Lindenwood in January 2010 and a young man currently at the Mayo Clinic in treatment with an estimated return to LU in the fall of 2010.

Resident life has taken on a whole new meaning this fall. The efforts of these students show their commitment to the family connection students feel here at Lindenwood. As their connection to their friends in the halls grows throughout their years in school, there is a family here at Lindenwood that cannot be denied. It is the hope of Clark and the rest of the RDs that the students affected by cancer will have many Homecomings at LU for years to come—that they will return to greet their Lindenwood family throughout their lifetime.

Main Campus Guide

A Quick Reference



Important Phone Numbers

Box Office(636) 949-48	378
Business Office (Last Names A-L)(636) 949-49	967
Business Office (Last Names M-Z)(636) 949-49	968
Campus Life(636) 949-49	985
Career Development(636) 949-48	306
Business Office (Last Names A-L)	325
First-Year Programs Office	⁷ 28
Housing(636) 949-48	348
Information Services (Computer Service)(636) 255-51 Library(636) 949-48	100
Library(636) 949-48	320
Maintenance(8am-5pm)/(after 5pm)(636) 949-4922/(636) 262-46	522
Maintenance(8am-5pm)/(after 5pm)(636) 949-4922/(636) 262-46 Spirit & Supplies Shoppe(636) 949-76	570
Success Center/Tutoring(636) 949-48	869
Work & Learn Office(636) 949-45 Writing Lab(636) 949-45	562
Writing Lab(636) 949-48	870

Spirit & Supplies Shoppe

Adjacent to Welcome Center. 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. (M-TR) 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. (F)



Fitness Center

8 a.m. - 10 p.m. (M-F) 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. (Sat.) 1-8 p.m. (Sun.)

8 a.m. - 10 p.m. (M-TR) 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. (F)

10 p.m. - 12 a.m. (Sun. - TR)

*Quiet Hours -- Basement Level Only:

8 a.m. - 4 p.m. (S) 2 p.m. - 10 p.m. (Sun.)



Butler Pool

Located on lower level of Butler Hall.

12 – 8 p.m. (M-F) Closed for cleaning (Sat. and Sun.)

Cafeteria

Located on the 2nd floor of the Spellmann Campus Center.

Monday – Friday Hot Breakfast 7-9 a.m. Continental 9-10 a.m. Lunch 10 a.m. -2 p.m. Monday – Thursday: Dinner 4:30-7:30 p.m. Friday: Dinner 4:30-6 p.m. Saturday-Sunday: Brunch 11 a.m. -2 p.m. Dinner 4:30-6 p.m.



The Loft

Library

The Loft, located on the lower level of Butler Hall, includes a lounge with big screen TV, tables for study, wireless Internet access, activity bulletin boards, Foosball tables, the Intramural Sport and Activities Check-out Center and the Lion Mart. Grab-and-Go's are available in the Lion Mart, as well as other food and drink items available for purchase.

9 a.m. - 12 a.m. (M-F) 2 p.m. - 12 a.m. (Sat.-Sun.)



*Grab-and-Go's *

Grab-and-Go's are quick lunches in a bag for students on the go. They are available in The Loft.

Monday-Friday 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Computer Lab

PCs for Lindenwood students on the 3rd floor of the Spellmann Center. Check your LionMail!

8 a.m. - 12 a.m. (M-TR) 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. (F) 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Sat.) 4 p.m. - 12 a.m. (Sun.)



Academic Services

Located in Roemer Hall, Terrace Level

8 a.m. - 6 p.m. (M-TR) 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. (F-Sat.)

Business Office

Located in Roemer Hall, First Floor

8 a.m. - 6 p.m. (M-TR) 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. (F-Sat.)

Financial Aid Office

Located in Roemer Hall, Terrace Level 8 a.m.-6 p.m. (M-TR) 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. (F-Sat.)

All Hours are subject to change



The Connection, located on the lower level of the Spellmann Center, offers two 65-inch projection TVs, a concession stand, activity boards and patio and assorted tables for study and social activities.

9 a.m. - 12 a.m. (M-TR) 9 a.m. - 8 p.m. (F) 12 - 6 p.m. (Sat.) 2 p.m. - 12 a.m. (Sun.)





Spring 2010 is hot with Student Activities

Starting off on January 28 in the loft is a brand new '70s Disco night. Come ready to dance. On February 7 come to the Connection to cheer for your team of choice at the Lindenwood Super Bowl party. On March 23 the second edition of the Latin Dance will spice things up in the Loft. Drive-In Movie Night will return to the Performance Arena parking lot on March 17. Come and experience this event; you will be able to tune your car radio to hear the movie's sound.

So get out your calendars and make sure to reserve time for these and other events that are coming up.

Spring Fling

Spring Fling 2010 edition will be bigger than ever. This year's Spring Fling starts on Monday, April 19, and will be packed with activities through Sunday, April 26. Student Activities, LSGA and several of the student organizations will host events on campus during the week. The week will start off with the Spring Festival, which will include inflatable game and other activities from the student organizations. This will be a great opportunity to check out LU's many clubs and to get involved. The spring dance on April 24 is sure to be bigger and better.

Spring Concert

Student Activities has been putting on great concerts for the last three semesters and the crowds keep growing. Secondhand Serenade, Sean Kingston, Gym Class Heroes, Trailer Choir and Shiny toy Guns are among the names that have come, and other acts are sure to follow. Make sure to keep an eye on bulletin boards and LUTV and become a member of the Student Activities Facebook page to find out the latest on the spring concert.

Dates to Remember

Jan. 28	'70s Disco night (The Loft)
Feb. 7	Super Bowl party (The Connection)
Feb. 24	Sibley Day
Mar. 17	Drive-in Movie (Performance Arena parking lot)
Apr. 19	Spring Festival (outside 3rd floor Spellmann Center)
Apr. 25	Spring Dance (TBA)
May. 10	Midnight Breakfast

Student



Activities, like the popular Rootbeer Kegger, will be in abundance in 2010

LU Career Center Enters the Online Conversation

In an effort to better serve students and alumni, the Career Development Office has been posting career advice and articles via the Twitter network. Twitter is a real-time short messaging service that works over multiple networks and devices and enables users to follow sources of information most relevant to them.

For job seekers, Twitter provides up-to-date career information in a quick and concise format. In addition, Twitter provides a unique opportunity to develop relationships with potential sources of job leads. In fact, many organizations have begun "Tweeting" their job openings in an effort to attract candidates that are actively engaged in social media.

For professionals, Twitter serves as a mechanism to connect with other professionals and also provides an opportunity to convey relevant and time-sensitive information.

In just a short amount of time, the Career Center has developed a followership of more than 1,300 and was recognized by jobhunt.org as one of the "Top 50 College and University Career Centers Using Twitter." More recently, Pongo Resume added LU to its "15 College Career Centers You Should Follow on Twitter" list. To become a Career Center follower, simply create an account at www.twitter.com or click on https://twitter.com/careercenter_lu

Activities

J. Scheidegger Monday, Nov 9 Free to Lil Students TPM

Comedian Dan Cummins Performs for Big Crowd at LU

Outrageously funny comedian Dan Cummins performed to a large, appreciative crowd at Lindenwood's J. Scheidegger Center for the Arts on November 9, 2009. Cummins has had two Comedy Central specials and has been featured on HBO and The Late, Late Show with Craig Ferguson and has played hundreds of shows across the nation. Lindenwood Student Activities Director Kerry Cox said more shows featuring name performers are planned.

Work and Learn

Sign-ups Will Take Place in Spring

During the period of March 1 to 5, students returning to Lindenwood for the fall 2010 semester and wishing to retain their current jobs must submit to the Work and Learn Office their approved job renewal forms. This form can be obtained from the Work and Learn Office beginning Feb. 25 or from the Work and Learn webpage beginning the same date; it will be available only during this period.

A returning student who wants to switch to a different job may obtain the paperwork and begin job searching beginning March 8 and must submit the completed paperwork no later than April 30. This paperwork may be obtained from the Work and Learn Office or online throughout the period.

Remember that all jobs are limited regarding how many students will be assigned to the. Students must reapply every year for their jobs (no job carries forward), and once the renewal period is completed the first student to apply and be accepted has the job. If you wait too long to apply, you may miss out on your desired assignment.

Summer Work and Learn Program Has Limited Availability

Beginning March 1,2010, students who wish to participate in the Summer Work and Learn program may obtain the paperwork from the Work and Learn Office or from the Work and Learn webpage.

The completed paperwork must be returned to the Work and Learn Office by May 3, 2010. Successful applicants will be notified no later than May 5, 2010.

This program is limited to 180 students for each four-week period beginning May 15. Participating students will be assigned to either grounds work or housekeeping; selected students will be accepted for work in the cafeteria.

In return for 128 hours of work, students will receive the costs of their tuition for one three-credit-hour class (lasting four weeks) and room and board. All jobs (with the exception of the cafeteria) are available from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday to Friday. No work is available evenings and weekends.

To participate in the summer Work and Learn program, an applicant must be a resident student in the spring 2010 semester and enrolled in the fall 2010 semester. Additionally, applicants must have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher and not be on academic probation.

Applicants may take at least one four-week, three-credithour class for the period of enrollment and must live on campus during this time.

Further information is available through the Work and Learn Office, located on the third floor of the Spellmann Center, adjacent to the mail room.

Sports News



Highlights



Lindenwood Athletics Bring Excitement for 2009-10

The Lindenwood athletics department is in the middle of one of the most exciting sports years in school history, and many exciting events will take place on campus during the final part of this semester and the beginning of next semester.

The buzz in the fall has been the Lindenwood football team, which has been putting up video game type numbers. The Lions have regularly scored more than 50 points a game, and have bagged the conference title. To follow the Lions in the playoffs, visit lindenwoodlion.com.

The top winter headline is the most anticipated season in men's basketball history after the arrival of Head Coach Brad Soderberg, a former NCAA Division I coach at the University of Wisconsin and Saint Louis University. Among the top players on Soderberg's team are two returning all-conference players, including preseason All-American candidate Toriano Adams and NCAA Division I transfers Joey Parker and Brett Thompson.

In its first year under head coach George Little, the women's basketball team compiled its largest win total since 2000–01. Little has lost to graduation nearly 80 percent of his scorers from last year, but a strong mixture of freshmen and transfers has the Lady Lions pointed towards a breakthrough season.

The Lindenwood ice hockey teams made history last year when the men's and women's teams swept the ACHA Division I National Championships. Early indications are that feat will be repeated in 2010. The men's team defeated the University of Illinois in last year's national championship contest and the Lions picked up two early wins over the Illini this season. The Lady Lions have defeated Robert Morris College the last two years in the championship game, and, like the men's team, Lindenwood's ladies picked up an early season sweep over their top rival.

No sports program at Lindenwood can match the recent success of the Lindenwood wrestling team, which has won five national championships since 2002, including the last three. Head coach Joe Parisi has graduated four former individual national champions, but the Lions will still be the favorites, led by returning All-Americans Sam Schmitz, Chris Chionuma, and John Murray.