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The Lindenwood Colleges have international appeal

by Sheryl Fuller

A world of new faces has appeared on campus this semester. Many Lindenwood students are in the Foreign Exchange program. We have a wide variety of nationalities and languages represented at Lindenwood.

COUNTRY	LANGUAGE
Afghanistan	Persian
China	Chinese
Columbia	Spanish
Egypt	Arabic
El Salvador	Spanish
Greece	Greek
Honduras	Spanish
India	Indian
Iran	Persian
Japan	Japanese
Kuwait	Arabic
Liberia	Kapelle
Libya	Arabic
Mexico	Spanish
Nicaragua	Spanish
Oman	Arabic
Pakistan	Hindi
Russia	Russian
Saudia Arabia	Arabic
Syria	Arabic
Thailand	Thai
Turkey	Turkish

Many students are enrolled in the English as a Second Language program (ESL) to learn basic English skills.

To apply for academic admission, the student must pass an examination called the Michigan test. This tests them on basic grammar, aural and written

skills. If they make a score of 80% or better they may go into other areas of study.

Lindenwood has advantages over many schools in other countries. Some international universities do not offer what their native students are interested in. Many schools are overcrowded or closed.

Lindenwood offers intensive programs in English as a second language and other major academic subjects.

Lindenwood is small, so the international student receives a lot of extra care that a big university doesn't have time to give. Each student has a tutor (if needed) who is paid by the ESL program to help the student with any problems.



No more than 50 foreign exchange students are accepted into the ESL program each semester in order to keep a "family like" atmosphere.

Getting to know these people gives valuable insight into the lifestyles and customs of other people.

Anyone interested in tutoring should contact Su Relya in the International office.

KCLC marathon seeks big bucks

by Randy Gittelman

Spring is just around the corner and KCLC will have it's annual spring event, *Marathon '79*.

What is *Marathon '79*? It's when KCLC asks listeners for their support.

Since the station can not receive money from advertising, the listeners have to donate money to keep the station running smoothly and make improvements.

A record \$2,000 was pledged last year. The money helped remodel the station and give it a better sound.

This year KCLC hopes to raise even more money. That is why plans are already being made for this big event which will be held at the end of April or beginning of May.

The KCLC staff is meeting to bring ideas together...ideas of how to present *Marathon '79* in an interesting and entertaining way.

It may not take place for quite a while, but if ideas and plans are made early this could be the best marathon KCLC will ever have.

Entertainment column

St. Charles night life

by Dan Fry

It's that time of the year! Everyone is back at school and homework seems to be the most exciting thing to do!

Well, when you've read those five chapters in biology and done the first few problems in accounting, what else is there to do?

The Student Union offers pinball, pingpong, foosball and pool...but what if you are tired of those games and you just want to get off campus?

To some, transportation, age and money can be a problem. In the next few issues of the IBIS, I will try to give you information on what's happening in the greater St. Charles and St. Louis area.

You don't have a car! Main street is just under a mile away from the campus and that's where you will find the PRESS BOX. It is located at 122 S. Main (946-0345).

The PRESS BOX features live music on Fridays and Saturdays and there is no cover charge. The "Mad Hatters," a soft rock band, is now playing through March 2.

During the live entertainment, the price of draught beer is increased \$.10 from their usual \$.50 and mixed drinks are \$1.10 instead of \$.85.

They also have pinball, darts and a bowling machine. There are luncheon plates served on weekdays from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and an "all you can eat" pizza special on Wednesdays for \$2.50.

The PRESS BOX is open Monday thru Saturday from 11 a.m. to 1:30 a.m.

Just a few miles west on the I-70 North Service Road is the FIRESIDE LOUNGE (724-9614). It features entertainment Tuesday through Saturday. "Quiet Fire" is now playing.

There is no cover charge and drinks are \$1.35 to \$1.60 and draught beer is \$.75. "Happy Hour" is from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Hours of operation are Monday thru Saturday until 1:30 a.m.



Disco has come to the St. Charles area! MAZZIER'S LOUNGE is where you can disco dance Monday through Saturday.

MAZZIER'S is located on the I-70 South Service Road in the Hawknest Plaza. Drinks are \$1.10 to \$1.65 and bottled beer is \$.90.

Every Wednesday night is "Ladies Night" and drinks for ladies are \$.75. "Happy Hour" is from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Hours are Monday thru Saturday, 1 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Next issue: A look at entertainment across the bridge.

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The IBIS welcomes letters and commentary from the Lindenwood community. All letters must be signed; however, names may be withheld upon request.

Food innovations suggested

by Suzy Rendlen and Karen Simmons

A number of food committee meetings were held last month in the cafeteria on behalf of the students.

As a result of these meetings several innovations have been added. Yogurt will be provided on Monday and Friday mornings. On Wednesday mornings hash browns will be served. Breakfast on Sunday and Wednesday will include bagels.

When asked about leaving the food out after 8.30 a.m. Bob Fortel said that last year we tried that but the students

complained that the food was cold.

The milk containers have been labeled "whole" and "low-fat." Weekly menus have been posted in the dorms and throughout other buildings on campus.

Special ideas for international meals are currently being discussed for this semester.

The next meeting will be February 13 and people with ideas are urged to come. The time will be posted. A representative of the international student organization would also be welcomed.



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Fourth in a series

What is dorm life like?

by Karen Simmons

Head resident...there is none. Desk sitters...there are none. A locked front door at night is non-existent. The place is Irwin Hall, one of the two male dorms on campus.

These are just a few of the differences that exist between the male and female dorms at Lindenwood.

Life in Irwin, to some, is jovial, exciting and fun-loving. Others think Irwin life can become a little hectic.

Many residents refer to Irwin, serious or not, as "Irwin Zoo." Some students call it the "Animal House" of The Lindenwood Colleges.

"Quite simply, I like everything about Irwin," said Karl Kelly. "I like the fact that nobody else on campus likes Irwin. I like the fact that when they show people around the campus, they don't come over here and I like the fact that people don't come over here except for parties."

Kelly seriously added, "The only thing I have to gripe about is that we don't have any beer openers on the walls. We have to use the furniture when we want to open our bottles." One of the residents then proceeded to demonstrate this art, using the mantel as the opener.

As far as the building structure is concerned, Saleh Benhmeid commented, "I like the rooms. They are nice." Another resident added, "I like the view from Irwin. It is nice to look out the windows and see the front lawn filled with snow."

One thing Irwin lacks, which is provided in women's dorms, is a staff of desk sitters. Sam Word commented, "We need desk sitters. We should have student aides to work off their work grants by sitting desk. We need phones on all three floors."

Yet another resident added, "We have a central floor system. The building is made with the winding staircase. We like the system we got for giving messages... like yelling up the stairs."

"It's a zoo," admits Martin Reider. Yet in the spirit common with most of the residents, he added, "I enjoy the mountains of furniture."

It is a typical sight to see trash strewn throughout the dorm.

"No one cares about the dorm," said Nsar Wohaibi. "We are men. We have to produce something. We don't want anyone to control us."

However, Wohaibi is concerned about the appearance of the dorm. "I would like for the students in Irwin to treat it as their home and take care of it," he said.

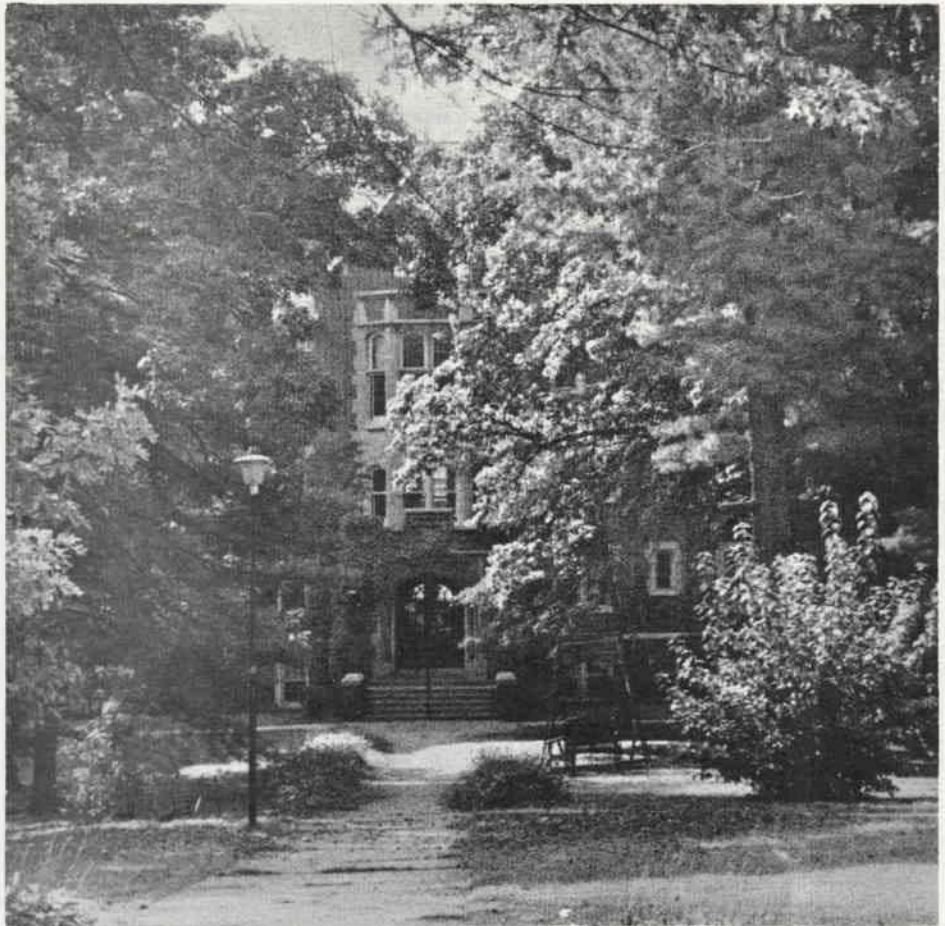


photo by Lisa Ritter

The maid picks up where the residents leave off when they fail to take care of the dorm. The sentiment of all of the residents towards her is, "We like Rosie the Maid. We really like her."

Sadik Sheweihdi commented on the hectic life of Irwin. "We don't care about music, but we care when we want to go to sleep. When we ask them about their music, they say 'go to hell.' Sometimes they have no respect for one another."

"There's a good mixture of people here," observed Kelly, "...rich people, poor people and people from different ethnic groups. We all get along fine."

"We get along together pretty good," added Mark Thomas, dorm manager. "There's a lot of craziness."

Wohaibi summarized the Irwin atmosphere when he said, "We like the freedom ...all animals like to be free."

movies:

FEBRUARY 10-11 The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman:
Starring: Cicely Tyson (RATED G)

FEBRUARY 17-18 The Wild Bunch: Starring: William Holden,
Ernest Borgnine (RATED PG)

Admissions phon-a-thon recruiting new students

by Suzy Rendlen

The second annual Admissions Phon-a-thon began January 15. The project is to call prospective students that are interested in the colleges.

Kathy Pennington, junior, said that the phon-a-thon is a good idea because she would value this type of personal contact and it shows more of an interest in the individuals than letters.

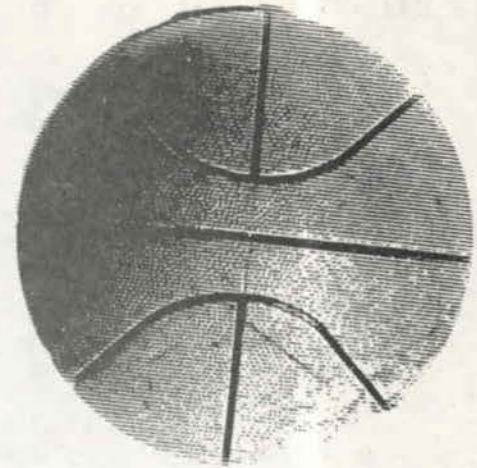
Amy Basore, assistant director, said, "We are getting good responses and 50 percent of the calls are positive."

Admissions staff members are on hand to answer any questions that may arise while the calls are being made. Both

volunteers and staff encourage prospective students to visit the campus and consider enrolling at Lindenwood.

Volunteers are permitted one long distance call within the continental United States when they are done working each evening. "Even though it costs some money to make that initial call," said Pennington, "hopefully it will pay off in the long run with an increased enrollment."

Anyone wishing to help call prospective students should contact anyone in the Admissions Office in Butler Hall. The phon-a-thon will run through February 15.



Women's B-ball starts strong

by Greg Zink

The women's basketball team started their season by winning their first four games.

"This year's team is really good," said Paula Pettit, team captain. "The players really work well together."

The Lions opened their season with a 60-24 pounding over conference rival Lutheran Hospital at Lutheran, then beat Maryville College, 68-45, in their home opener.

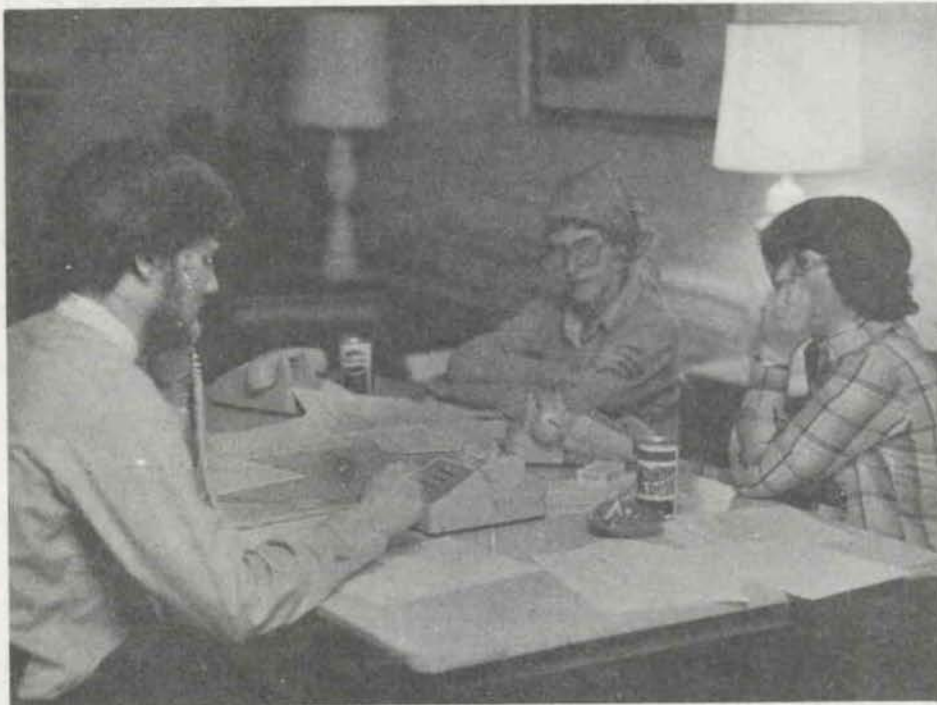
The Lions turned back another conference foe when they won against Deaconess Hospital, 60-48.

Lindenwood followed by whipping Lutheran, 69-34. Prior to Tuesday's game, the Lions were 4-0.

The recent loss of Forward Valerie Mims, who averaged 24 points a game, has hurt the team. Mims recently transferred to a local business college.

"The loss of Valerie really is going to hurt," stated Pettit, "but we still expect to continue our winning ways."

Leading scorers for the Lions are Denise Begrowicz, freshman, and Pettit, senior, who average 20 and 15 points a game respectively.



Barry Basore, Suzy Rendlen and Kathy Pennington calling prospective students.

photo by Paul Butts

A large variety of activities will be offered to Lindenwood students this month.

"I've revised the activities to meet the needs of what the students want, as long as they are within our capabilities," said Mike Halloran, assistant to the deans.

Numerous intramural sports have been planned this month. On Monday and Tuesday, a variation of hockey called broonball will be available for girls. Broonball starts at 7:45 p.m.

Preceding broonball will be intramural basketball meeting on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 5 p.m. Other intramural basket-

Activities

ball games will be held on Sundays at 2:30 p.m.

On Tuesday and Thursday, exercise classes will meet from 5 to 6 p.m. The classes will center on flexibility, toning, and cardiopulmonary.

Co-ed volleyball will continue on Wednesday from 7 to 8:30 p.m. and Hoc-Soc will follow volleyball. Hoc-Soc will also be played on Saturday from 2 to 5:30 p.m. Intramural bowling at Brunswick Plaza Bowl will begin Thursday February 15 at 9:30 p.m.

Many other activities will be available for students. Tentatively scheduled at this time are a February 9 skating party, a February 10 orienteering day at Tillis Park, and February 16 Valentine's Dance, a February 23 visit to the Golden Rod Show Boat, a February 18 cross country skiing day and a February 25 ten kilometer (6.2 miles) run at Washington University.

Despite the large variety of activities already planned, Halloran is still open to new ideas. "I'd like to hear from students on what activities they'd like to have," he said.

Inconsistency hinders men's basketball

by Rick Frese



photo by "Bugs"

The Lindenwood Colleges' men's basketball team has played Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde this season. "It's been a see-saw year," said Lion Coach Dan Odom about his club's 11-11 season.

But with much talent Lindenwood's record should be better. The Lions recently lost four games by a total of nine points.

"We should be better," the first-year coach said, "but for a variety of reasons we're not. We just have to settle for what we have."

Lindenwood lost to East St. Louis College, 89-87, blew a 15 point second half lead and lost to Maryville College, 79-77, blew a second half lead to St. Mary's and lost, 78-76, and lost in overtime to Logan College, 89-86.

"We would lose our intensity late in the second half, like with eight minutes to play," said Odom. "If we play like we did the first 32 minutes, we would be all right. We would fall apart and get beat on a shot in the last few seconds."

"We lost a couple of tight games and they (the team) got down on them-

selves," he added. "They haven't been the same since. It's hard to keep a good attitude when you lose four games by a total of nine points."

Injuries have also contributed to Lindenwood's up and down year. Forward Vince Dawson has been out with a knee injury since December and recently Mike Layton also suffered a knee injury.

Despite the inconsistency Stan Lawrence and Mark Thomas have played well. Lawrence leads the team in scoring with a 21 point average and Thomas has a 17 point average.

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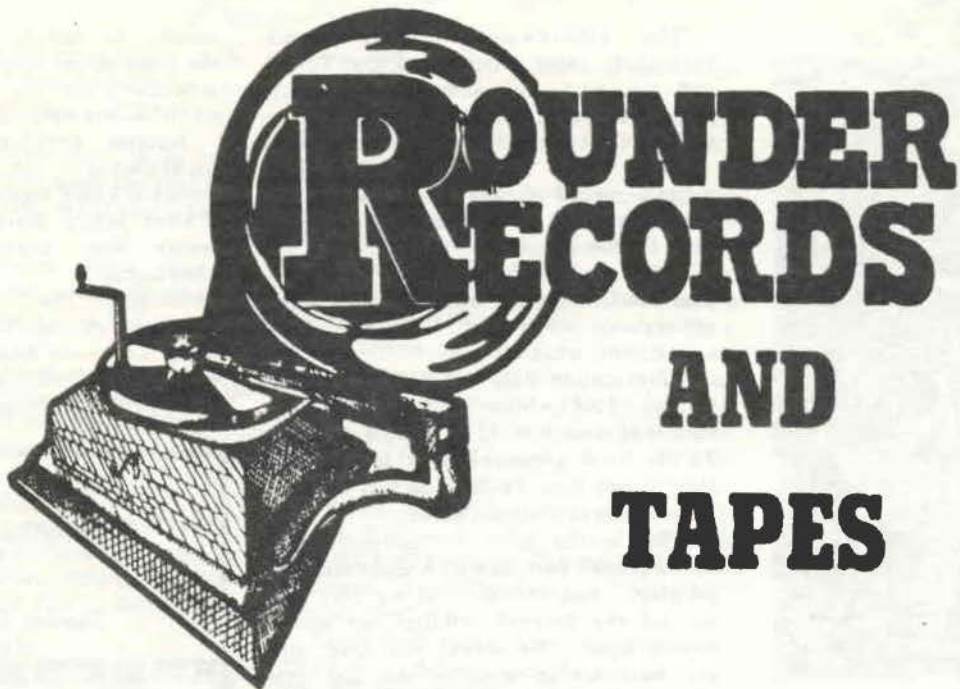
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