

# PRIDE

LINDENWOOD UNIVERSITY

KICKOFF CELEBRATION

## Lou Brock Sports Complex

April 15th at 4:00

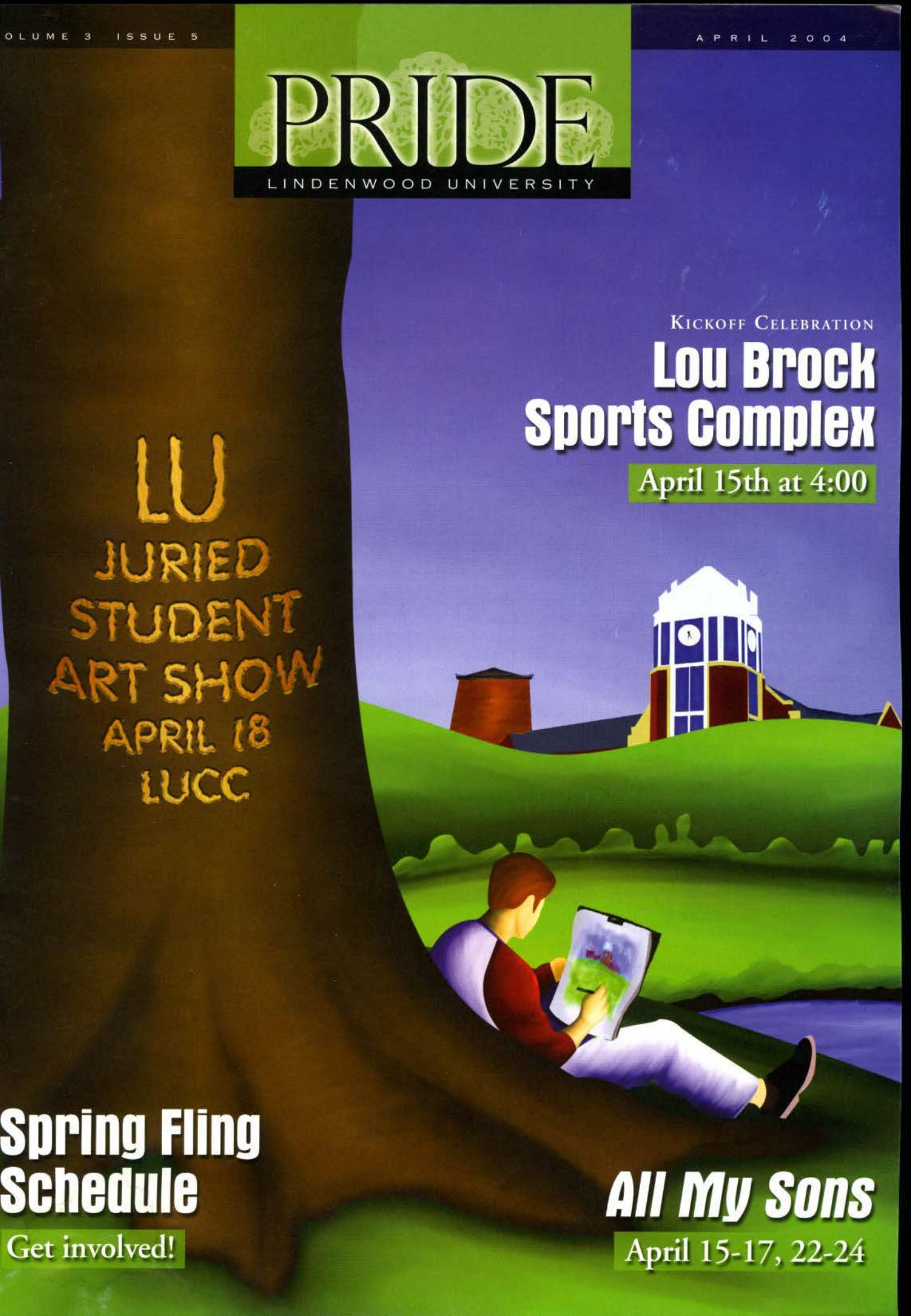
LU  
JURIED  
STUDENT  
ART SHOW  
APRIL 18  
LUCC

## Spring Fling Schedule

Get involved!

## All My Sons

April 15-17, 22-24





3

## Table of Contents

### 1 In the Manestream

Lou Brock Sports Complex ▪ Recap of the Human Service Networking Fair  
Graduation Dates & Deadlines 2004 ▪ Resident Directors Wanted  
Dates You Should Know



13

### 8 Sports

Keeping Their Heads Above Water ▪ Women's Ice Hockey  
Lindenwood Champions ▪ Basketball Makes Broadcasting History  
Lacrosse: Returning National Champions



15

### 14 The Arts

Art's First, Second, and Third ▪ Sacrificing Comfort for the Love of Art  
The Art of Dance Is Alive ▪ The Dead Speak in *All My Sons*



21

### 19 The Clubs

Spring Fling Schedule ▪ Literary Enthusiasts  
The New Butler Centre ▪ Get up, get out, and do it





## Lou Brock Sports Complex

Paul Lee

Everyone is invited to attend the kickoff events at 4:00 p.m. on April 15th.



Lindenwood University has undertaken the consolidation and expansion of the baseball and softball fields into one complex. It will be dedicated to Lou Brock, the legendary St. Louis Cardinal, base burglar and Hall of Famer, and it will be named The Lou Brock Sports Complex, in his honor.

The kickoff celebration will occur on Thursday, April 15th at 4:00 p.m. on the upper parking lot of the Hyland

Performance Arena. The cost of admissions is free, and it is open to the public. Scheduled to be in attendance are Cardinals players, Baseball Hall of Famers, local and county leadership, and others.

The new 2 million dollar facility is an exciting reflection of the growing prowess of the Lindenwood Athletic Program. The project will include an event plaza and state of the art baseball and soft-

ball fields with restrooms, concessions, and press boxes.

A special feature shall be the Gathering Plaza, which shall include a tribute to Brock and a memorabilia area. The field is to be finished for the 2005 season.

Come on out, and join us in celebration of this great baseball legend, Lou Brock.

## Campus Expansion, part 5

Paul Lee

Have you seen the scoreboard lately? Well, if you haven't, then you definitely missed one of the most visible signs that things are on the move yet again here at Lindenwood University. The newest renovation project on which the university has broken ground is the Harlen C. Hunter Sports Stadium. This project, estimated cost of about 5 million dollars, will fill the stadium with new features and amenities that will impress even the non-sports fan. With the hard work and dedication of some of our graduate assistants and work-study students, the demolition phase has already begun on the awe-

some facility. As far as the demolition phase is concerned, the wood benches on the visitor side are being chopped into mulch and being reused on campus, and the aluminum bleachers will be recycled, saving the university money. The actual field will remain the same, but everything else is changing. The new bleachers, located on both sides of the field, will be concrete with aluminum seats, with possible growth to include backing for these. There will be a VIP section on the Spellmann Campus Center side, with bucket-style seats. Under seats on the opposite side of the VIP section will be the concession stands

and restrooms. There will be a walkway to gain entrance into the stadium, stretching from Hunter across Weber Drive going to the Hyland Performance Arena. This new facility will be able to hold over 6,000 people, with possible expansion to 17,000 people. The new press box will be a two-story building, to house both the radio and television departments. The Presidential Suite will also be within this complex. There will be a new scoreboard and sound system to enhance this beautiful arena that will host both male and female soccer and lacrosse.



The American Humanics Department has been very busy over the past months, putting on events and gearing up for even more as it moves through the semester. Some of the events that members have completed included the blood drive, the Easter egg hunt, and the nonprofit forum. Marie Major chaired the American Red Cross blood drive, which was held in The Connection. There were over 75 people who gave, with many more coming down for support. Our Lindenwood family saved over 225 lives through giving blood, and we are all grateful for your support. The Easter egg hunt, chaired by student Kyle Hagan, brought together many kids, from birth to 11, to have a good time and to enjoy the outdoors. Many of the kids took part in the actual hunt, while others just enjoyed being outside and playing with the most famous ever-popular Easter Bunny.



Photo: Jackie Beasley

The Lunch & Learn nonprofit series kicked off on April 5th. Thirty individuals from the non-profit sector and students from the university gathered for a lunch and discussion concerning "Trends in Nonprofit Management." Many people enjoyed the event, and

talks are under way to develop this as an ongoing event.

Keep your eyes open for the American Humanics Golf Tournament, set to tee-off on the 17th of April, as well as the annual AH Spring Banquet in May!

## Recap of the Human Service Networking Fair

Paul Lee

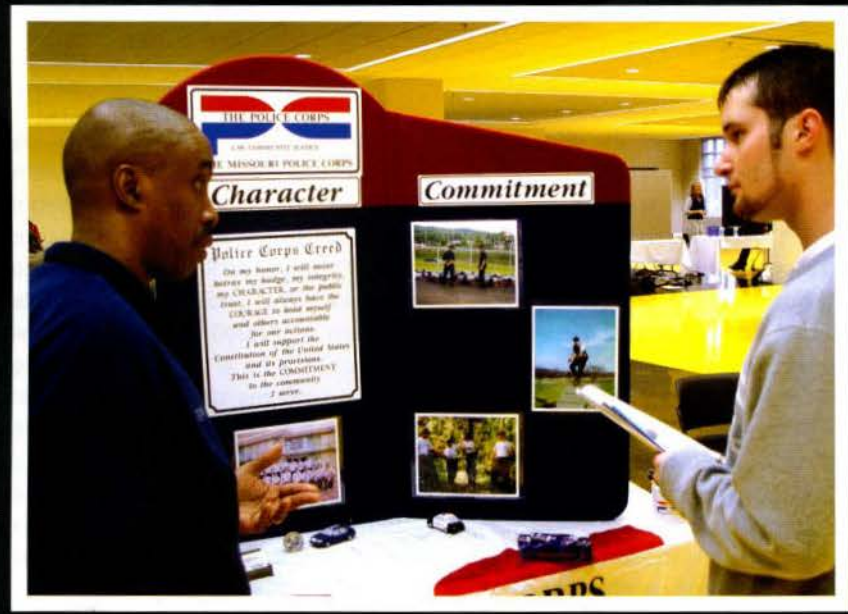


Photo: Jackie Beasley

The Human Service Networking Fair was a huge success! Over 30 employers from area companies were in The Connection, located on the first floor of the Spellmann Campus Center, looking to interview and hire some of our very own students. Many students attended, and each one of them left with information from at least one company in which they were interested. Special kudos to the Criminal Justice Student Association in collaboration with the Career Development Office for putting on such a wonderful event!



# Boone Home Restoration

Jayme Slown

The Daniel Boone Home, owned by Lindenwood University, is the recipient of a \$200,000 Save America's Treasures grant, which was approved by the U.S. Department of the Interior. The grant will be used to repair the roof and foundation masonry of the home, which is located in Defiance, Missouri.

Lindenwood acquired both the Boone Home and Boonesville Village in 1998. Since then, Lindenwood has worked to restore and enhance the 261-acre historical site and popular tourist attraction.

The Boone Home was originally constructed in the early 1800's. It was one of 63 historical sites chosen out of 452 nationwide applicants for the Save America's Treasures grant. The work funded by the grant will relate directly to preservation of the historic property. Lindenwood University expects to begin the renovation work in the spring.

During previous renovation work, the Boone Home and Boonesfield Village remained open for public tours, and the beautiful Old Peace Chapel was still available for weddings. Over the past several years, Lindenwood has acquired adjacent property to the Boone Home and has also purchased forgotten historic buildings and worked to restore them at Boonesfield Village. Lindenwood's plan is to turn the village into the "Sturbridge of the Midwest," modeled after Old Sturbridge, a recreated 19th century New England village near Boston.

The Save America's Treasures program addresses the urgent preservation needs of the nation's most significant

historic sites and collections. The program is administered by the National Park Service in partnership with the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities, the National Park Service, the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

Laura Bush is the honorary chair of the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities. She said about the Save America's Treasures program, "The story of America is told through historic architecture, arts, and writings. The money provided by Save America's Treasures will help preserve the pieces of our heritage for future generations."



The Daniel Boone Home is now open for tours! We would like to invite you to come out to the Boone Home with your family and friends. Tours run now through December 30, 2004.

Three sessions of The Boone Challenge semester will begin May 24th, June 21st and July 19th. Students will live at the Daniel Boone Home Campus in historic buildings and work in Boonesfield Village as part of their learning experience.

The semester consists of courses in a three-core class and internship format, totaling sixteen credit hours. Some of the classes offered are Literature of the American West, Introduction to Ceramics, Environmental Biology, Art of the American West, Character Education, Theater/Puppetry, Museum Studies and More. Saturday classes offered are Archeology and Site Interpretation. This is a great opportunity to spend your summer in a unique educational experience. Substantial Financial Assistance may be available.

For details about the Boone Challenge Semester, call C.W. Stewart at (636) 949-4939, mobile (636) 219-6255 or the Lindenwood Admission Office (636) 949-4933

## Admission

1. Hour (Boone Home or Boonesfield)  
- Adults \$7.00, Seniors (55+) \$6.00, Children (4-11) - \$4.00
2. Hour Tour (Boone Home or Boonesfield)  
- Adults - \$12.00, Seniors (55+) - \$10.00, Children (4-11) \$ 6.00

Group rates available; please call for information. Reservations are required for groups of 10 or more.



# Graduation Dates & Deadlines 2004

Andrea Walker

- Class rings are now available for purchase in the bookstore.
- Honors Convocation is scheduled for 2 p.m. on Sunday, April 25 in the Lindenwood University Cultural Center at 400 N. Kingshighway.
- Financial Aid exit interview deadline is 5 p.m. Friday, April 9.
- Business Office clearance deadline for student payment of any college bills is 5 p.m. on Friday, April 9.
- Cap and Gown Pickup is May 3 through May 14 in the bookstore.
- Commencement Rehearsal will be at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, May 12 in the Hyland Performance Arena. Instructions for Baccalaureate and Commencement will be distributed at rehearsal.
- Baccalaureate Service and Masters Degree Commencement (MA, MBA, MS, MSA, EdS) will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, May 14 at the Lindenwood University Performance Arena. Assembly for the service will be at 7 p.m. in the Performance Arena.
- Undergraduate Commencement (BA, BS, BFA) will be held 10 a.m. on Saturday, May 15. Assemble in designated areas in the Performance Arena by 9 a.m.
- Diplomas are held in the Business Office for pick-up. They may be mailed with a written request. Masters Degree recipients may pick up their diplomas at the lower level concession stand in the Performance Arena after the commencement ceremony on May 14, 2004. Undergraduate degree recipients may pick up their diplomas on May 15, 2004 at the lower level concession stand in the Performance Arena.



Diplomas will be available for May 2004 graduates if all of the following conditions have been met:

1. All graduation requirements met-as stated in the university catalog.
2. All course work complete and all grades submitted by instructors.
3. All paperwork complete with Advisor.
4. Zero balance in the Business Office.
5. Exit interview completed with Financial Aid.
6. Resident students must complete checkout with Michelle Giessman.

If you have met all the above conditions and you do not wish to get your diploma at graduation, you may pick it up the week of May 17 in the Business Office. June 2004 diplomas will be available the week of July 5, 2004. August 2004 diplomas will be available the week of September 6, 2004.

## Graduation Information

Jayme Slown

As a reminder, there will be some changes at graduation this year. To avoid any weather-related problems, graduation will be held in the Hyland Performance Arena. In order to accommodate enough guests, there will be two separate graduation ceremonies. Graduate commencement will be on Friday, May 14, and undergraduate commencement will be on Saturday, May 15.

Each graduating student will receive four admission tickets to distribute to his or her guests. Only guests with valid graduation tickets will be allowed to enter the Hyland Performance Arena for the ceremonies.

### GRADUATION SCHEDULE:

Friday, May 14 - Baccalaureate Ceremony at 7:30 p.m. with Graduate Commencement to follow

Saturday, May 15 - Undergraduate Commencement at 10:00 a.m.



## Business Office

Jayne Slown

It is now well into spring semester at Lindenwood, and we hope that everything is going smoothly for all LU students. If you are having difficulty keeping your financial arrangements, please contact someone in the Business Office so that he or she can advise you. Lindenwood knows the value and importance of a quality education, and the administration does not want to see an unmet financial arrangement prevent any student from continuing at Lindenwood for future terms.

If you are a senior and are planning to graduate this semester, your account must be settled by 5 p.m. on April 9, or you may not participate in the 2004 commencement procession. All outstanding Lindenwood charges must be paid before diplomas are released. If you have any questions about the status of your account, please contact the Business Office.

If you will be a returning student next year, you may set up an early payment plan as soon as you receive your financial aid award for the 2004-2005 school year. There are several options for different types of payment plans. See the Business Office for details.

As always, Lindenwood wants to work with you to keep your status in good standing, and we offer many options to assist you. Please feel free to come by the business office, located on the first floor of Roemer, M-TR 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., F-Sat 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., or you may call (636) 949-4967.

## SCIENCE DIVISION NEWS

On the weekend of March 5th-6th, four Lindenwood students gave poster presentations at the 24th Annual Great Plains Student Psychology Conference hosted by Park University and Rockhurst University in Kansas City, MO. The students, all Psychology majors, completed these independent research projects last semester under the supervision of Michiko Nohara-LeClair, PhD, Assistant Professor of Psychology. The students recruited all of their young adult participants from LU's Human Subject Pool, run by the psychology program. Assistant Professor of Psychology Tonie Isehour, MA also attended the conference.

The students and their project titles were as follows:

- Johanna Bisges, "Detecting Lies With Verbal and Nonverbal Cues"
- Stephanie Burkhardt, "Eyewitness Testimony: Can You Be Influenced?"
- Melissa Gustafson, "Recognition of Ethnicity: Three and Four Year Olds"
- Cecelia McPherson, "The Effects of Positive Performance Feedback on Memory in Young and Old Adults"

They represented Lindenwood capably and are deserving of recognition for their accomplishments! Their posters were on display in 407 Young Hall from March 15th to April 2nd during HSP office hours. Please email [hsp@lindenwood.edu](mailto:hsp@lindenwood.edu) or call 949-4673 for additional information.



## Work and Learn Reminder

Andrea Walker

Work and Learn reduces the cost of room, board, and tuition by \$1,800. Students must remember that if they do not complete their Work and Learn hours, then they will have to pay the \$1800, and they will be terminated from the Work and Learn program. Work and Learn assignments are based on the needs of the university. The program keeps university costs down, which benefits everyone. Each student should work out a schedule with his/her Work and Learn supervisor in order to keep university costs and tuition costs as low as possible.

If you have any questions, then call the Work and Learn office at extension 4562.

## Resident Directors Wanted

Jayme Slown

Lindenwood University is looking for responsible adults, who are full-time students at the university, to hire as Resident Directors for the 2004-2005 school year.

Resident Directors must be mature, reliable, responsible, and have a positive attitude. They must assume direct responsibility for the overall operation of the dormitory. Resident Directors must also facilitate a positive atmosphere in the dorm, promoting a sense of community and opportunity for academic achievement and personal growth.

The experience of being a Resident Director can be very positive. The RD acts as a role model to the students living in the dormitory and often forms close bonds with the students.

For more information on becoming an RD or to pick up an application form, please see Sheryl Guffey in the Campus Life Office, located on the fourth floor of the Spellmann Center.

## Fill Out That FAFSA

Andrea Walker

It's time for all graduate and undergraduate students to begin filling out the FAFSA form. Undergraduate students are encouraged to begin filling out the FAFSA form early in order to meet the deadline for the Missouri State Grant, which is April 1st. Drop by the financial aid office to pick up a FAFSA form, or fill it out online at [www.FAFSA.ed.gov](http://www.FAFSA.ed.gov). If you have any questions or concerns, contact financial aid at x4940.

## Dates You Should Know

April 5 – Spring quarter MBA classes begin

April 9 – Easter Break

April 25 – Honors Convocation

May 14 – Baccalaureate Ceremony and Graduate Commencement

May 15 – Undergraduate Commencement

May 17-21 – Final Exams

June 25 – Early Check-In Day (Spellmann Center from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.)

July 23 – Early Check-In Day (Spellmann Center from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.)

August 6 – Early Check-In Day (Spellmann Center from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.)



# Tuition Freeze

Jayne Slown

Lindenwood University wants to stay affordable and accessible for current and prospective students. With enrollment at the beginning of the spring 2004 semester being the highest in years, Lindenwood President Dennis C. Spellmann wants to continue to provide students with an affordable education, and he has proposed a freeze in tuition costs.

Lindenwood's Board of Directors recently approved the measure to freeze full-time undergraduate tuition for the third year in a row. Undergraduate tuition at Lindenwood stands at \$11,200 per year.

Tuition for full-time graduate students in the traditional semester program will also see a tuition freeze. Part-time graduate tuition will increase only 3.3%, while Lindenwood's adult accelerated program (LCIE) tuition will increase only 4.2%.

Three years ago when Lindenwood first froze tuition, the university made national headlines. While other universities increased their tuition costs by double-digit percentages,

Lindenwood's tuition cost did not increase at all. This is because unlike most schools, Lindenwood does not rely on tax subsidies and government funding.

Lindenwood does not have to depend on state or federal money for income. Instead, the university is tuition and market-driven. Lindenwood raises money by recruiting more students. Therefore, when the state and federal governments experience a loss in revenue, it does not affect Lindenwood like it affects other universities.

Come check out what Lindenwood has to offer you. For more information on how you can be a part of LU, call admission as (636) 949-4949.



## Housing Information

Jayne Slown

Housing sign ups for the 2004-2005 school year took place on March 10-12 and 15-18. However, if you currently live on campus and plan on returning to Lindenwood next year but have not signed up for housing, it is not too late to sign up. Please see Michelle Giessman in the Campus Life Center as soon as possible.

If you have signed up for housing next year but have not registered for classes, please do so right away. Students have until Friday, April 9 to register for classes. After that date, your housing assignment will be forfeited.

If you are a commuter student at Lindenwood, consider moving onto campus next year and joining Lindenwood's residential community. Several different housing options are available, including single parent and married housing.

"Dorm D", the new male dorm, opened up residence this semester. The guys living in the dorm have had a very positive response to it. "Dorm C" will be a female dorm and will open up for residence in the fall.

There will be no classes on Friday, April 9 due to the Easter holiday. All residential students must check out of their

residences for Easter break by 5 p.m. on Thursday, April 8. All residences will re-open on Sunday, April 11 at 2 p.m. No one will be allowed to re-enter his or her residence during the break, so make sure that you take everything that you need with you. The last meal in the Cafeteria will be lunch on Thursday, April 8. The cafeteria will re-open for breakfast on Monday, April 12. PLEASE REMOVE ALL TRASH FROM YOUR ROOM BEFORE YOU LEAVE FOR EASTER BREAK.

The end of spring semester is fast approaching. In order to ease the process of moving out at the end of the year, start taking home what you can and start cleaning out your room. Get things done before finals week so that you have plenty of time to concentrate on studying for and taking your finals.

Any questions regarding any aspect of student housing can be directed to Michelle Giessman, Director of Residential Life, at (636) 949-4848 or [HYPERLINK "mailto:mgiessman@lindenwood.edu" mgiessman@lindenwood.edu](mailto:mgiessman@lindenwood.edu). You can also visit her in the Campus Life Center, on the fourth floor of the Spellmann Center. Please note that Michelle Giessman and Dana Wehrli have recently switched offices.



## Keeping Their Heads Above Water

Kyla Kachman

Together we, the swimming and diving team, are a very big, very noisy bunch. On March 3-6, 2004, we took our enthusiasm with us to Lawrence, Kansas to compete in the NAIA National Championships.

We arrived in Kansas late Tuesday evening and spared no time; by Wednesday afternoon, our divers and their coach, Doug Beavers, began the Lions' assault. Jon Metcalf placed third on the three-meter board. Metcalf, a senior who won two national titles in 2002, came back after spending his junior year out of the water. Another returning All-American, Lee Scheurmann, placed fourth. On the girl's side, diving captain Kyla Kachman placed fifth on the one-meter board. All three divers received All-American Honors.

The streak continued. On Thursday, the swimmers began to make their mark. The men's 400-medley relay finished third. The relay was comprised of Danny Dasinger and Nick Smith, both returning All-Americans, and two talented freshman Tim Gibbons, of Newfoundland and John Gauntt of Florida. The 200-free relay consisted of Smith, Gibbons, Gauntt, and Andrew Bell finished fifth. Bell is a freshman from the Bahamas. Meanwhile, the divers continued to rack up points; they earned three more All-American titles on the men's one-meter board. Metcalf wrapped up his college career with a



third place finish, and Scheurmann was happy in fourth. Tom Lucido, a freshman who also runs and plays lacrosse, finished fifth.

Friday's first All-American was a diver, Kyla Kachman, who struggled in prelims but fought her way to fifth in three meter finals. Other female divers who participated in the meet included Julie Marsh, a junior transfer student, and Kelly Thompson, a senior from St. Louis. As for the swimmers, the men's 200 Medley Relay finished third. Ellie Kermicieva of Macedonia swam her fastest time ever, 59.53, to place fifth in the 100 fly. Katie Thompson of St. Louis placed sixth in the 100 breast. Kermicieva and Thompson are both seniors. The final All-American of the night was Tim Gibbons' 100 back. Gibbons received a total of four All-American titles in his first trip to Nationals.

By day four, we were tired, and the unusually high number of disqualifications had us down, but nothing can stop the heart of a Lion! Erin Nakamoto, a fresh

man from Hawaii, earned All-American Honors placing fifth in the 100 yard freestyle. Danny Dasinger won the final individual award of the day by placing 5th in the 200 fly. As expected, the men's relays finished off well. The 400 freestyle relay finished 3rd.

When all as said and done, the men left ecstatic. They achieved their highest national finish ever—fifth. The women finished ninth, but they expect to train hard and add depth to improve their standing next year. According to swimming coach Craig Penrose, this has been the most competitive national championship ever, but the LU squad still left with many awards. Congratulations to our swimmers and divers!

## Women's Golf Alexandra Gheorghinca

Our golfers are getting ready for quite a number of events this spring season. On April 2-3, our women's golf team competed in the Bulldog Classic against Truman State University. This event will be followed by the Lady Hawk Invitational (against Quincy University) and the Drury Spring Invitational, on April 4-5 and 12-13, respectively.

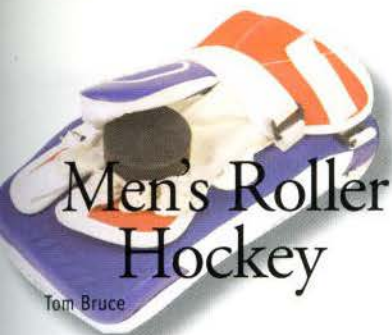
The game against McKendree College in Shiloh, Illinois (April 16-17) will be followed by a refreshing home game in Saint Peters, for the Lady Lions Spring Invitational, on April 19.

We trust that our Lady Lions will make us proud and have successful tournaments this spring season!

## F.Y.I.

There are still more wonderful things to say about the aquatics program! It's not just enough that the LU Aquatics program is a force to be reckoned with in the water, they also have academic success. Thirty-eight LU water polo players were just selected to the CWPA Academic All-American Team. In addition, the swimming and diving team has the highest GPA of any sports team on campus. Congratulations guys! Keep studying and training hard!





## Men's Roller Hockey

Tom Bruce

While most of last year's roller hockey team switched over to ice hockey this season, the Lions still powered through its competition. With basically a brand new squad and coach, the team finished up the season at 16-0. Our men also went on to win the CRHL Regional Tournament in late February.

"Of course I wanted to win this season, but my main goal was for everybody to have fun," said coach Ron Beilsten. "Not only did we have a fun and an exciting season, but also, we never lost, which was great. We're going to continue to work hard at practice all the way up until April, when we make our trip to nationals in Anaheim, California." The Lions have been playing flawless, simply dominating teams, and the boys are hungry for a 3rd national title in 3 years. The Division 2 team will also be heading to California this April. The team is one of the favorites in D2, as it has been playing excellent all season.

The Lions will be saying goodbye to seniors Ken Moser and Justin Lamm, as both guys will be graduating in May. Best of luck to the boys in California!

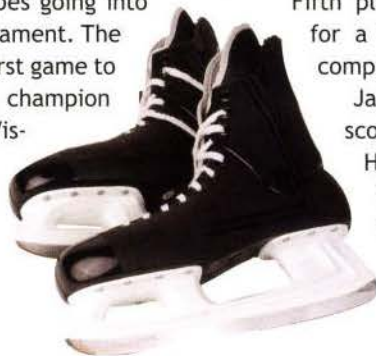
Hopefully, they can bring back two national titles this year.

## Women's Ice Hockey

Tom Bruce

The women's ice hockey team finished up its season ranked number four in the American Collegiate Hockey Association with an outstanding record of 15-2-3. Both the team and the coaching staff had high hopes going into the national tournament. The Ladies lost their first game to eventual national champion University of Wisconsin, 6-3.

The team would rebound beating North-



ern Michigan University 3-2 to advance to the fifth place game in the tournament. Lindenwood would win that game too, defeating West Los Angeles College 5-4 in overtime.

Fifth place in the nation isn't bad for a team in its first season of competition.

Jackie Survant led the team in scoring, while Amy Dlugos, Kat Hannah, Veronica Metcalf and Lindsee Pitsch all contributed multiple points during the tournament.

## Men's Ice Hockey

Tom Bruce

Coach Derek Schaub was both impressed and proud of the ice hockey team as it wrapped up its first season in existence with a stunning 27-3-1 record. Heads were turned across the country when the Lions made a trip to # 2 Ohio University and swept the Bobcats in a two game series. The team remained focused and kept its composure throughout the season. The Lions were led by solid defenseman Nick Karcher, sniper Mike Pye, who had three game winning goals and the awesome goaltending of Mark Turnipseed, who had five shutouts. Senior Brad Bokal's leadership will be missed next season, as he will graduate this May. The nitty gritty Michael Enright, who arguably has the best sauce in the league, and the lightning-fast Tyler Sollberger, will play a crucial role in leading the Lions to success next season. Look forward to a national title at the end of next season.

## Upcoming Events In Sports

**Baseball** April 6th 1:00 p.m. Missouri Valley College  
May 1st 1:00 p.m. William Jewell College

**Men's Lacrosse** April 3rd 2:00 p.m. Iowa  
April 17th 2:00 p.m. Purdue  
April 18th 2:00 p.m. St. Olaf  
April 21st 7:00 p.m. Saint Louis

**Tennis** April 2nd William Jewel  
April 3rd Nebraska Wesleyan  
April 13th Missouri- Saint Louis

**Track and Field** April 10th -Lindenwood  
April 30th- May 1st HAAC  
Championship

**Women's Golf** April 19th-20th Lion Spring  
Invitational



# Wrestling

Alexandra Gheorghinca

The two-day NAIA national wrestling tournament was held in Great Falls, Montana. Lindenwood won fifth place with 96.5 points. Montana State-Northern (the host school) was the national champion (169.5 points), followed by the Menlo College (133.5), Missouri Valley (116), and Southern Oregon (97.5).

Out of the twelve Lindenwood wrestlers that competed, six finished among the top eight in the country. In the finals of the 125-pound weight class, senior Ricky Guzman was defeated by junior Andrew Bradbury, who became NAIA National Champion. Sophomore Rocky Vercher

finished second in 157 weight class. Heavyweight wrestler Roger Miller finished third, while junior David Bonilla finished fifth in the 184 weight class. Freshman Louis Edmonds (133 lbs.) placed eighth.

Each wrestler received NAIA All-American Honors because each finished in the top eight in the national tournament.

In the past three years, Lindenwood has finished fourth, second, and first at national championships. This is our wrestling team's fourth consecutive top-five finish at the national tournament. Congratulations, Lindenwood wrestlers; keep up the winning trend!

# Lindenwood Champions

Sam Sicking

In Roemer Hall, President Spellmann took a break from his busy schedule to recognize two members of the Lindenwood Athletics program. Along with Rick Gorzynski, President Spellmann handed out the first annual Champions of Character Awards to Carl Hutter and Frank McGinty. The Champion of Character awards are given to one coach and to one student-athlete for his or her commitment to the five character values. Carl Hutter, the men's soccer coach, was awarded the Champion of Character award for many reasons and here are a few: the respect he has for his athletes, other athletes, coaches, officials, and administrators along with the sportsmanship ideals that he instills in his players and the program. Frank McGinty was the starting quarterback for Lindenwood football his sophomore and junior years, but due to a surgery on his rotator cuff, he was kept off the field his senior year. Even though he could not play, he showed that he could be an effective leader for his team on the sideline. He earned the respect of his teammates and his coaches because of his commitment to them and Lindenwood football. Congratulations to their fine examples of character here at Lindenwood.

## Track and Field

Alexandra Gheorghinca

Lindenwood's track and field team won the conference meet at Graceland University in February. The men won with 266 points, and the women placed first with 201 points.

Our team also did a great job at the 2004 NAIA Indoor Track and Field National Championships in Johnson City, Tennessee on March 6. The men used a strong performance in the triple jump to jump from 4th place to 2nd. The women placed 4th behind the strong performances of the sprinters.

Many of the men achieved All-American status. Bill John and Kurt Gibbons placed 4th and 5th in the 55 meter dash finals, with times of 6.4 and 6.43 seconds

respectively. Gibbons also placed 4th in the 200 meter dash finals with a time of 21.75 seconds. John Ryland and Mark Aschen scored in the pole vault. Both vaulted 15'5", with Ryland tying for 4th and Aschen tying for 6th.

Demetrious Totton, Elijah Simpson, Fabian Florant and James Jenkins all made it to the triple jump finals. Totton was inches off of his lifetime best, while Simpson (50'8") and Florant (50'3.50") set new lifetime bests.

Lindenwood's women earned 2 National Champions. Daveetta Shepherd and Kim Martin won the 55 meter hurdle finals. Shepherd set a school record time with 7.81 seconds, and Martin

finished 3rd in 8.16 seconds.

In the 200 meter dash, Danielle Norville won in 24.16 seconds, Genna Williams was 2nd with 24.40 seconds and Carol Clarke was 4th with 25.17 seconds. Ashley Nauman was 5th in the 600 meter dash finals with a time of 1:35.94.

"I didn't know what to expect going into this season. I really tried to create a whole team of kids with character and class. I coach with the intention of having kids do things the right way," stated coach Lane Lohr. When combined with the talent of our teams, such core values are the reason behind the team's amazing success. Keep up the great work!



# Lions Basketball Team: Looking Forward to Next Season

Sam Sicking

This year has been a learning experience for the men's basketball team, and the young basketball team looks forward to next year. With eleven returning sophomores, the basketball team will be young, but the team has good work ethic and determination.

Lindenwood University players brought back awards to justify a good season.

Lions sophomore guard Justin Shrake earned an all-conference



honorable mention. Shrake finished third in the conference in scoring, averaging 18.4 points per game. Center Dustin Bevard was named Heart of America Athletic Conference Freshman of the Year. Bevard averaged 7.1 rebounds per game, good enough for fourth in conference. Bevard also averaged 12.3 points per game. Congratulations to those players, and we look forward to next season.

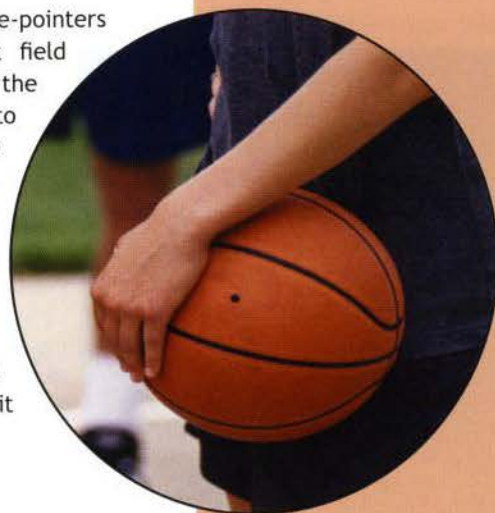
## Rebounding Year for Lady Lions Basketball

Sam Sicking

The Lady Lions finished the season with an 11-18 record, but with all of this young team's talent, it is going to be a force to reckon with next season. For example, junior guard Robyn Schroeder was awarded all-conference third team and was tenth in the conference with 12.1 points per game. Supporting Robyn were senior center Sara Tucker and junior guard Crystal Barz, both all-conference honorable mentions. Tucker led the conference in blocked shots and finished seventh in rebounding. Crystal Barz was among the top leaders in the confer-

ence for steals, three-pointers made, and three-point field goal percentage. Fans of the Lady Lions have plenty to look forward to in the coming years as freshman forward Ashley Comer was named the conference's Freshman of the Year.

Come support our Lady Lions Basketball team next season as it "rebounds" to victory!



## Basketball Makes Broadcasting History

Sarah Stehlin



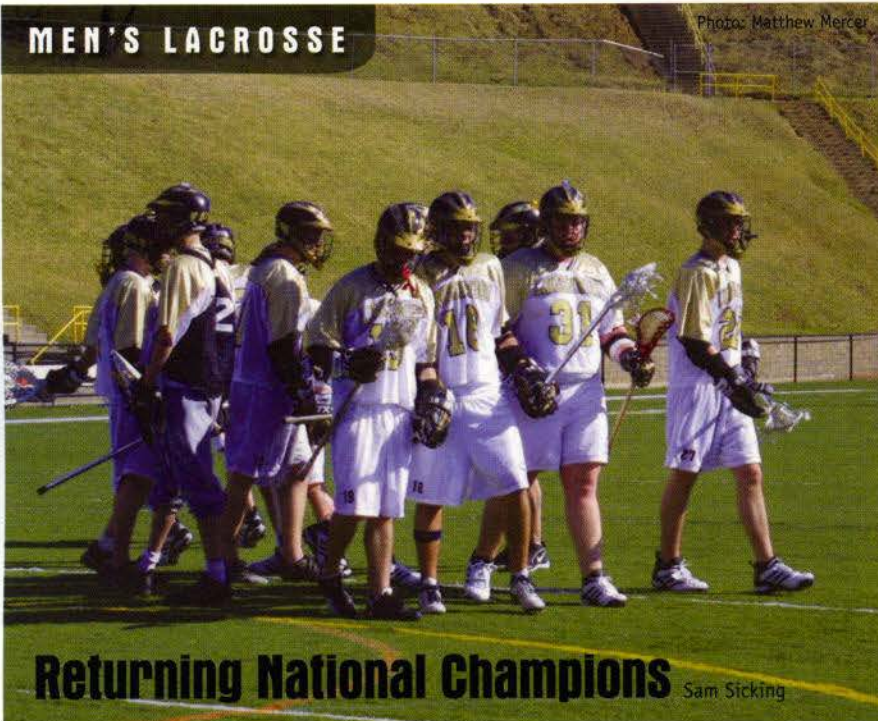
KCLC made broadcasting history on March 10 at Saint Charles West High School. Krista Lazar and Stephanie Mollman co-broadcasted the High School Class 3 Sectional Girls Basketball Championships.

"This is the first time in Lindenwood history, and perhaps in Saint Louis broadcast history, that two women will do the play-by-play and color announcing for an athletic event," said Mike Wall, Associate Dean of Communications and Manager of KCLC-FM.



## MEN'S LACROSSE

Photo: Matthew Mercer



### Returning National Champions

Sam Sicking

The men's lacrosse team returns to the field this season with new faces, both on the field and on the sideline. Troy Hood takes over the reigns of this fearsome force and hopes to win another conference championship for Lindenwood University. Coach Hood comes to Lindenwood from Washington University, where he had a overall record of 18-13 during his two years of coaching at Wash U.

The lacrosse team started a little shaky with two losses, one to the University of Miami (Ohio) and one to Illinois State. They recorded a win against rival Northwestern University with the score of 15-3. The team is traveling a lot this season and has one of the toughest schedules since it upgraded to a better division. Good luck to the men's lacrosse team, and we hope you bring home a championship!

## New Year for Lady Lions Lacrosse

Sam Sicking

The Lady Lions started off the year with a victory over St. Louis University. The ladies also have a new coach this year, Nick Silva, who also is an assistant for the men's lacrosse team. And while there aren't a lot of girls on the team, the team plays with plenty of heart and determination.

Our ladies will be spending most of their season on the road way from the comfort of Hunter Stadium. They only have four home games all season. Be sure to come out to one of their home games and watch our ladies take down the competition.



## Men's Volleyball

Alexandra Gheorghinca

These past months have been successful for Lindenwood's volleyball team. The Lions defeated Graceland University (30-25, 30-28, 30-26) and Peru State (30-24, 30-23, 30-21) in two away games. The men also won home games against Missouri Valley (30-25, 30-22, 30-23) and Newman University (32-34, 28-30, 33-31, 30-22, 15-10).

In a five-set match on March 3, the Lions defeated the Missouri Baptist Spartans 30-28, 25-30, 30-24, 23-30, and 17-15.

Ranked No. 3 in the NAIA preseason poll, the Lions are 17-3 overall with only three losses against No. 1 California Baptist and No. 3 Missouri Baptist. Keep up the good work, Lions!



## LU SHOOTING TEAM

### Shooting

Tom Bruce

Lindenwood's shooting team consists of many talented men and women this year. They've continued to please coach Joe Steenbergen throughout the season, as the team has proven itself over and over again, winning all of its collegiate competitions. The weekend of March 5-7 was a significant one. The team powered through and swept the SMS Invitational with superb shooting by all members. LU's shooting squad one took 1st, squad two took 2nd, squad three took 3rd, and squad four took 4th. There are currently 43 shooters on the team; most have achieved the status of becoming All-American, and some are members of Team USA. An estimated 35 shooters will be returning next year, with about 15 recruits in the mix. A select few will be heading to Fort Benning, Georgia, to compete in the Olympic Selection Matches for International Skeet and Trap in late April. The Collegiate National Championships will also be held in April, in San Antonio, Texas. Coach Steenbergen expects nothing less than a national title. Best of luck to the LU shooters!

## Upcoming Shooting Events

Alexandra Gheorghinca

Our shooting team has a long season ahead. April is going to be a busy month for the Lions, who will attend the Collegiate National Championships, the Olympic Selection Matches for International Skeet, the Olympic Selection Matches for International Trap, and the NRA Shoot-Sporting Clays on April 23-25.

The season will culminate between May 11-16, when our shooters will compete at the Missouri Trap Championship.

Best of luck to our talented shooting team!

## LION BASEBALL



Photo: Matthew Mercer

## Lions' Baseball Roars After Rough Start

Sam Sicking

After a rough start this season, Lindenwood's baseball team hopes to turn it's season around with a long home stretch in the middle of the season. The new head coach, Brian Behrens, taking over the reigns of the team from Tom Broyles, has been busy pushing his team to victory. As of March 17th, the team has a record of 15-10 and has a nine game home stand here at Lindenwood or TR Hughes Stadium. And recently, Lions outfielder A.J Felder was named Heart of American Conference Player of the Week. Come watch our boys as they head to victory. Also, be sure to check out the latest on the new renovations taking place to our baseball/softball field.

Good luck to the Lions' baseball team!

## Lindenwood Softball

Gavin Carville

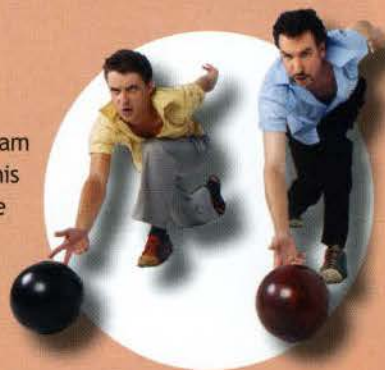
Lindenwood University's Softball Team has achieved recent success during its games at the Evangel Tournament versus Lincoln and also against McKendree College. Upcoming events in April include exciting clashes against MidAmerica Nazarene and Central Methodist College. Be sure to show your support! Make an appearance, and let our ladies hear you roar!

## Bowling

Alexandra Gheorghinca

Lindenwood's bowling team is competing in two events this month. The first one is the Intercollegiate Bowling Championship, held between April 14 and 18. The second one, between April 23 and 24, is the ACUI tournament.

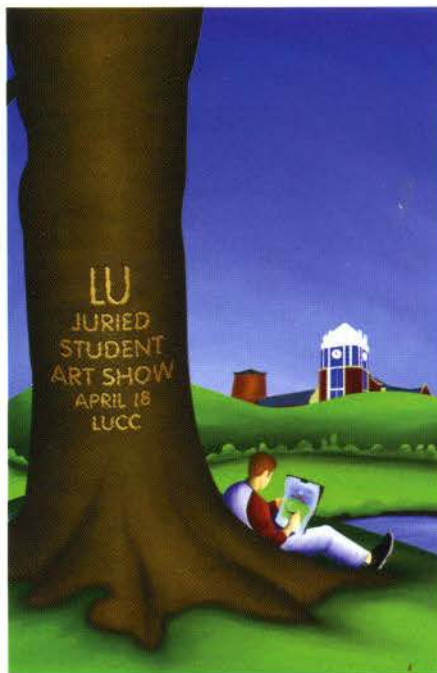
Both are away, but you can still support our team if you keep your fingers crossed and hope for yet another victory!





DANCING PAINTING THEATRE SCULPTURE PHOTOGRAPHY  
COMPUTER GRAPHICS MUSIC DRAWING FASHION DESIGN  
**ARTS**

## Art's First, Second, and Third Matt Klingler



Not many of us will ever know what it is like to have artwork viewed and rated. A select few among us will. These students are in for a real competition.

Marty and Tracy Linson, husband and wife alumni of Lindenwood, will judge a wide selection of art work done by Lindenwood students during the 2003-2004 school year. These students must be enrolled in art classes to participate, but the works they wish to have viewed do not have to have been done for classes. The judges will do a preliminary viewing of the artwork and then choose which are appropriate to enter into the LUCC June 2 art show. The entered pieces will then be viewed and juried at the LUCC on April 18 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

What awards will be given? There is a wide variety of categories that the art will fit into including painting, drawing, printmaking, ceramics, photography, computer art, and sculpture/3D. Out of all of these, three undergraduate pieces will receive 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place for each category. First place will be awarded to the best graduate piece.

This is going to be a wonderful show, so you should go and see the artistic talents of all of your fellow students! Enjoy yourself!

---

## Upcoming Chorale Events

Kim Voss

On April 23-24 at Lindenwood University Cultural Center (LUCC), the Voices Only Chorale group will be having a free concert. This group recently returned from a European Tour. The singers perform a wide range of music all sung a cappella. They recently performed at the Missouri Music Education Conference, a statewide honor.

On April 27, there will be a Private Voice Concert followed by The University Chorus performing at Lindenwood University's Cultural Center (LUCC). The Private Voice Concert will showcase individual performers. The University Chorus is a group of 80 students, freshmen to seniors, music majors and non-music majors, all with a love for singing. The

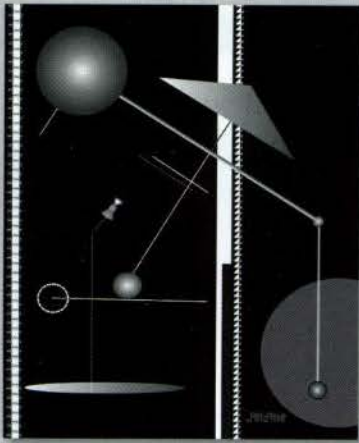
students will be performing a variety of musical styles. The concert starts at 7:30 P.M. and is free to all who attend.

Keep your eyes open for a concert in May by a brand new chorale group at Lindenwood. This is a new ensemble of Lindenwood students and singers from the community. The choir has 20-25 participants all under the direction of Richard Eichenberger. The concert is tentatively May 3 or May 10.

In July, the male quartet, Vocal Spectrum, will be competing in the International Collegiate Championships.

Try to come see the members of our talented music department at one of these exciting events.





## Students Exhibit Art Work

DeAnna Jarrell

The LU Art Department will present the work of three talented students in the coming months.

Jennifer Hirschfield and Ian Smith will show their work in Harmon Hall's Hendren Gallery from April 1st - 18th. Smith will showcase his paintings and Hirschfield will exhibit her work in sculpture and computer graphics. She describes her pieces as having a musical flavor. "They deal with colors, shapes, objects and how they fit together. I use lots of lines and patterns. I just start with a line and no preconceived ideas," she said. The exhibition will open with a reception April 1st from 7-9 p.m.

Hendren Hall will also host Tim Sawyer's exhibition from April 22nd - May 9th. An opening reception will be held April 25th from 7-9 p.m.

Students don't have to travel far to enjoy a little culture; some of the finest art is on display right here at home. Stop by Harmon to see what latest masterpieces LU students have created!

## The Goblet

Tarah Kennon

The Lindenwood University Department of Theatre performed Judith Newmark's *The Goblet* for a full house on March 13.

The production began as a January term workshop and continued to develop up until a few hours before the performance. The production was "somewhere between a staged reading and a fully realized production."

With their simple costumes and sets, the actors captivated the audience with their rendition of an ancient Celtic story about two people destined for love. Filled with love, heroism, and humor, this small play was a big hit.

## Looking for a Different Kind of Art Show?

Karie Mallory

It is no secret that there is a multitude of art exhibits each semester. These exhibits are usually conducted by students completing a bachelor's degree or master's degree. Students display paintings, photographs, pottery, and drawings. Every so often, however, there is something unique to offer onlookers. Just this J-term, we saw a set design exhibition and a stained glass exhibition. Now, on April 22, you can see boats designed and built by students. The boats will be raced on the lake located behind the performance arena. This second annual event is the project of Professor Burke's 3-D Design class. Come and cheer on these students of ingenuity.

## Something New! Something Blue!

Kim Voss

On Tuesday, April 20th, the Lindenwood University Music Department will present BLUE-an exciting new concept in live musical performance. "This production represents a major departure from typical concerts," says director Joseph Alsobrook. "BLUE is a fusion of musical art forms enhanced with lighting, special effects, movement and computer generated visuals. The program is built around four contrasting shades of Blue, and is a collaboration of many unique talents and ideas that Lindenwood music students have to share." This unique and groundbreaking performance will be held at the Lindenwood University Cultural Center (400 N. Kingshighway.) Showtime is 7:30 p.m., and admission is free.



## Lindenwood's Chorale Group Leaves for Europe

Kim Voss

On March 4th, Lindenwood's premier a cappella ensemble, Voices Only, left for a 10-day European Tour. The group performed with Lindenwood University's male quartet, Vocal Spectrum, and two local community groups, The Gas House Gang and Ambassadors of Harmony - an all men's a cappella group. They performed in Stockholm, Sweden, Dortmund, Germany, Amsterdam and Leiden, Netherlands. Nineteen students, freshmen to seniors, performed their tight harmonies for crowds in excess of 2000 people. A varied repertoire of music was performed including jazz, classical, folk. All was done a cappella. The group returned March 14th. Check out Voices Only - Show Choir Concert in Jelkyl Theatre at 7:30 p.m. on April 30th.

## Sacrificing Comfort for the Love of Art

Karie Mallory

Demetrius Korbakis is showing his abstract collection of art March 18 through April 11. There will be paintings and drawings and maybe some sculpture. The undergraduate is looking forward to the show but isn't trying to gain publicity. Although it is expected to be a little get together of close family and friends, let's get out and show our support for our struggling artists.

Korbakis says that he has been interested in art his whole life. Some of the artists he respects most are Wassily Kandinski, H.R. Gallagher, and Gerhart Richter. He doesn't try to emulate anyone, though. He strives to be original.

Korbakis advises that if you are interested in becoming an art major, you should be prepared to sacrifice a practical and comfortable lifestyle. He says that artists need to have their heart into it, or it won't be worth it in the end.

"Modern art is like winning the lottery; sometimes people will get it, and sometimes they won't." Come and see if you get the art of Demetrius Korbakis at his upcoming exhibition.



## The Art of Dance Is Alive

Matt Klingler

Remember last semester when there was a really good dance concert? Maybe you missed it, but wouldn't it be great if there could be another one like it? Well, you're in luck!

The final dance concert of the year, Dance Alive IX, is coming up soon. This one, like the last, is guaranteed to be full of excitement. In addition to the student-choreographed dances, some professors will get into the fun as well. Both professors Rob Scoggins and Alice Bloch will be showing pieces that they have choreographed. Along with them, Stephanie Hardy, Andi Leggett, Carrie Nestor, Tracy Culler, Jan Strzelec, Stephani Scott, Kelly Pierce, Cori Truttman, Rusty Reeves, Melony Jones, Michelle Stevens, and Carlie Pagoria will also be showing pieces. Students and other audiences can expect to see a wide variety of jazz, tap, modern, and ballet dance styles.

If you didn't get to see the Fall Dance Concert, now is your chance to see our very own dancers and choreographers at work. The show will be running April 29, 30 and May 1, 2. Tickets are available at the University Box Office-949-4878. Come on out, and see the show!



## The Dead Speak in All My Sons Kare Mallory

The theatre department at LU has been dazzling audiences with outstanding performances all year long. From *The Illusion* to *Nine*, actors, directors, and designers have transported people from St. Charles into worlds of excitement and mystery. As this school year comes to a close, Professor of Theater Larry Quiggins is about to bring a little bit of the past into the 21st century.

Arthur Miller wrote *All My Sons* in 1948, a time when the world was still in turmoil over the second World War. The play takes place in the early 40's, three years after Joe Keller's son Larry is reported MIA. Chris is the remaining son who has fallen in love with his brother's fiancée Anne. Anne is the daughter of Joe's business partner. Joe's wife Kate still believes Larry is alive, and she hasn't changed his room, expecting him to return at any moment.

Joe Keller produced parts for planes during the war. Some of these parts were faulty but were used anyway. Because of the flaw, a number of airplanes malfunctioned, and twenty-one men lost their lives. Joe's business partner has been blamed with the decision to use the parts and is in prison. Is he really to blame?

More than one character in this play has a secret that he or she is hiding. It is only so long before those secrets find a voice, and lives start to fall apart. Joe Keller has always put his family first, but this quote shows how he changes at the end with Larry's help: "Sure, he was my son. But I think to him, they were all my sons. And I guess they were; I guess they were."

To find out what changes Joe Keller and what secrets are revealed, come to Jelkyl Theater on April 15-17 and April 22-24. The show begins at 7:30 p.m. Tickets can be purchased from the box office(x-4878). As always, two FREE tickets can be obtained with a Lindenwood ID.



## The Future of Hollywood in Harmon?

Karie Mallory

Whether or not the student directors of the May one-acts will be the future of Hollywood is completely up to them; the talent is there for them to do what they choose.

Seniors Joe Murphy, Bethi Frasier, Matt Klingler and Hannah Gresham each had their moment in the spotlight during the talent-filled evenings of March 4, 5, and 6.

The Downstage Theater was filled, as usual, for this quartet of amazing one-act plays. The night began with the comedy *Schubert's Last Serenade* directed by Murphy. A couple (Brad Lewandowski and Shauna Staryak) sat in a restaurant arguing about the relationship, which is strangely based on violence it seems. The maitre d' (Andrew Stanley) dictated the action of the play until the very end when the characters failed to respond to his instruction, and he stormed off stage, leaving them to write their own story.

Other actors included Jessie Held, Anthony Little, and Mike Howington.

After the laughter, came tears with the touching play *Out the Window* directed by Frasier. The play was in great contrast to the act it followed but equally as powerful with the audience. A man, who has been paralyzed by a car accident, is having marital trouble with his wife. They have been trying to have children with no success. Frasier calls it "a beautiful and immortal love story." Characters were played by Simon Ahmed and Kimberly Mason.

The third act of the night was not only directed but written by student Matt Klingler. *Bartender* was a play with shock value. Eric (Luke Wall) is a young bartender, who has recently had a child. At the beginning of the play, he has just been promoted by his boss. It appears that life is going well for him until the end when he discovers a regular at the bar has been stalking his wife.

In a horrible turn of events, he is killed, and the audience gasped as the play ended. Other characters were played by Michael Perkins, Lydia Warwick, Jerel Poor, and Eeyan Richardson.

As the night began, so it ended - with laughter. Gresham directed *Business Lunch at the Russian Tea Room*, which gave a very humorous account of the excessiveness of Hollywood. Chris (Jonathan Elkins) is a struggling playwright, who meets with a very unusual Melissa Stern (Andria Emerick). She proposed an unusual play idea, which he momentarily contemplated. It was that of a rabbi (Erin Treu) and priest (Matt Klingler) falling in love. Megan Wieder played Margaret.

All characters put on great performances. Special congratulations to all the directors for three nights of unquestionable success. Look for more great entertainment in the downstage coming soon!



# Performing Arts Preview Calendar Through May 2004

Karie Mallory

## Mainstage Theatre

April 15-17, 22-24      *All My Sons*      Jelkyl Theater, 7:30 p.m.

## Downstage Theatre

April 1,2,3      One Acts      Harmon Hall, 7:30 p.m.

May 6,7,8      One Acts      Harmon Hall, 7:30 p.m.

## Concerts and Recitals

April 1,15,29 & May 6      Noon Hour Recitals      LUCC, 12:20 p.m.

April 20      Showcase Band Concert      LUCC, 7:30 p.m.

April 27      University Chorus and      LUCC, 7:30 p.m.

Private Voice Concert

April 30      Voices Only      Jelkyl Theater, 7:30 p.m.

## Dance

April 29- May 1      Dance Alive IX      Hyland Performance Arena, 8:00 p.m.

May 2      Dance Alive IX      Hyland Performance Arena, 2:00 p.m.

May 7      Fashion Show      LUCC, 10 a.m. & 8 p.m.

# Visual Arts Preview Calendar Through May 2004

Karie Mallory

March 18-April 11      Demetrius Korbakis Exhibition      LUCC Gallery  
Opening Reception      Already Held

April 1-April 18      Jennifer Hirschfeld Exhibition      Hendren Gallery  
Opening Reception      April 1      7-9 p.m.

April 1-April 18      Ian Smith Exhibition      Hendren Gallery  
Opening Reception      April 1      7-9 p.m.

April 18-May 9      LU Juried Student Show      LUCC  
Opening Reception      April 18      2-4 p.m.

April 22-May 9      Tim Sawyer Exhibition      Hendren Gallery  
Opening Reception      April 25      2-4 p.m.

May 13-May 30      Kevin Iadevito Exhibition      Hendren Gallery  
Opening Reception      May 13      7-9 p.m.

May 13-May 30      Cindy Alm Exhibition      Hendren Gallery  
Opening Reception      May 13      7-9 p.m.

May 13-May 30      Liz Kruse Exhibition      LUCC  
Opening Reception      May 13      7-9 p.m.



# The Clubs

## Get up, get out, and do it

Kurt A. Calvert

Well, we've made it. Midterm grades are turned in, and we're safely back from Spring Break. Spring semester is half way through, and summer is on its way. We're not quite through yet. Here's what's coming up for the month of April.

- Every Tuesday-Retro Movie night in Butler center at 7:00 p.m.
- Every Wednesday-Cosmic Bowl at St. Charles Lanes starting at 10:00 p.m. - \$1 per game with student I.D.
- Every Thursday-New Movie Night in Butler center at 7:30 p.m.
- Every Friday-free salsa lessons in the Spellmann center: The Connection, starting at 6:00 p.m.
- Dance Alive IX(Spring Dance Concert) will be held from April 29-May 1 at 8:00 p.m. and May 2 at 2:00 p.m.(see additional article in the Arts Section of the pride.)
- International Festival will be held April 30 from 6:00-10:00 p.m. at the LU Club

## Cards vs. Astros

Lindenwood night at Busch Stadium is on Monday, April 12. The St. Louis Cardinals will be playing the Houston Astros at 7:10 p.m. Terrace reserve tickets will be \$9 each and can be purchased from the Student Activity office. The deadline to purchase tickets is Tuesday, April 6. The next game will be May 12 vs. the Atlanta Braves, so keep your eye out for ticket sales at lunch.

## Fashion Show

The fashion design program will be holding its annual show on May 6 & 7 at 10:00 a.m. in the LUCC. There will also be an evening show on May 7 at 8:00 p.m. This year's show will feature professional models wearing original designs from our very own LU students. They've been working really hard with the retail, theatre, and art departments on this production, so come out and show them your support.

## Spring Festival

This year's Spring Festival will be held on Monday, April 19 from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the quad. This is your chance to advertise the benefits of your organization, while potential members are on campus. This is also a great opportunity to have a small spring related activity or fund raiser. On this date, the cafeteria will be closed for dinner. Hospitality services will be serving barbeque from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Therefore, hundreds of students will be at the event. Tables for organizations to man will be set up in the quad in front of Sibley and Niccolles starting at 4:30 p.m. Please e-mail or call Eric Click at ext. 4983 by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, April 9, if your organization is interested in participating. Do to the limited number of tables, participation will be limited to 25 organizations.

## Student Council for Exceptional Children Organization Update

Gavin Carville

Kappa Delta Pi and the Student Council for exceptional Children would like to thank all of the faculty and students for ensuring the success of its Annual Trivia Night, held at the Spellmann Center on Feb 8th. The 140 plus attendees were treated to a range of refreshments in addition to a night of great entertainment. The winning team, staffed by Lindenwood Professors Charlene Engleking, Ron Griesenauer, Griff Smith, Sally Wolfsberger, Deb Nicolai and Pauline Hammen, won a grand prize of \$320!

Three Lindenwood seniors, Melissa Rohde, Vandana Patel and Christen Tighe, will attend the International Council for Exceptional Children, to be held in New Orleans, LA, April 14th-17th. Christen also serves as the State Governor for the Student Council and, as a result, will be given the opportunity to serve on national committees.





## The New Butler Centre Paul Lee

Did you hear about the new stuff in Butler? Well, if you didn't, or if you haven't seen it, then you're missing out. Over the past few weeks, Butler Centre has gone through an upgrade of equipment and accessories. The main thing that you will notice is the six, yes six, new couches, with four of them around the TV. The tile floor has been stripped and waxed, and over \$200 has been spent in new games and other amenities that have been purchased for all LU students. Some of the new board games that have been purchased include Risk, Monopoly, Jenga, Catch Phrase, Cranium, Uno, and Twister. The coffee shop layout has been changed, and the staff has been planning new activities and services to fulfill the mission to be the on-campus stop for socialization and relaxation. If you have any question, comments, or concerns, or if you have suggestions for other programs, feel free to call the Butler Centre Office at x 4857 or e-mail us at butlercentre209@yahoo.com.

## INTERNATIONAL FILM SERIES

Bored, broke, or bummed over having nothing to do? Well, come have a night at the movies right here at LU.

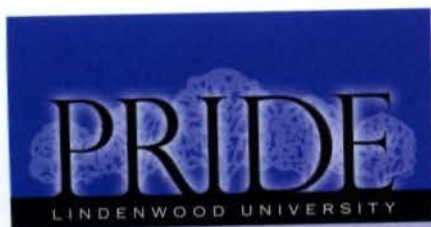
**April 14 *Muriel's Wedding***  
(Australia)

Muriel is a pathological liar with extremely low self esteem. Her life seems hopeless, and the only thing saving her is listening to ABBA songs and dreaming of the day she will be married. One day her fate is sealed when she steals from her family and is forced to flee her dysfunctional home.

**April 28 *Europa, Europa***  
(Poland/Germany)

In the midst of unimaginable chaos during WWII Europe, Solly, a resourceful Jewish teen, narrowly escapes capture by Nazis and is forced to run for his life. Separated from his family with little hope of survival, Solly vows to live.

ALL FILMS TO BE SHOWN IN THE SPELLMANN CENTER, ROOM 3015 AT 6:00 p.m.



The *Lindenwood University Pride* is written, designed, and photographed by students. If you are interested in participating in this publication, contact Michelle Rhodes at 949-4121 or Darren Collier at 949-4187.

Darren Collier- Faculty Advisor- Designers  
Michelle Rhodes- Faculty Advisor- Writers

COVER ART: Adnan Sabic

### MAINSTREAM:

Jayne Slown-Editor/Writer  
Alfonso Lavergne - Designer  
Jackie Beasley- Illustrator

### SPORTS:

Alexandra Gheorghinca - Editor/Writer  
Jessica Aufner- Designer

### CLUBS:

Sarah Stehlin- Editor/Writer  
John Manns- Designer  
Liz Kruse- Illustrator

### ARTS:

Karie Mallory -Editor/Gram. Editor/Writer  
Julio Arce- Designer  
Jennifer Hirschfeld- Illustrator

Gustavo Gallegos - Student Art Director

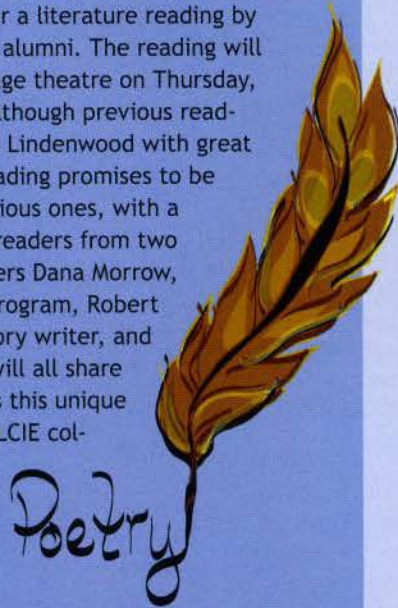
Matt Klingler- Writer  
Andrea Walker- Writer  
Kyla Kachman- Writer  
Lindsey Hughes- Writer  
Haley Schumacher- Writer  
Silvia Marquine- Writer  
Widad Franco- Writer  
Paul Lee- Writer  
Jessica Standefer- Writer  
Tom Bruce- Writer  
Kurt Calvert- Writer  
Gavin Carville- Writer  
Sam Sicking- Writer  
DeAnna Jarrell- Writer  
Tarah Kennon- Writer  
Sarah Moffett- Writer  
Kim Voss- Writer  
Matt Mercer - Photographer



## Literary Enthusiasts

Sarah Stehlin

The e-club, formerly the English club, and the LCIE program will co-sponsor a literature reading by Lindenwood University alumni. The reading will be held at the downstage theatre on Thursday, April 22 at 7:00 p.m. Although previous readings were welcomed to Lindenwood with great success, this poetry reading promises to be even greater than previous ones, with a total of at least three readers from two different genres. Readers Dana Morrow, a poet from the LCIE program, Robert Hornbuckle, a short story writer, and Steve Snipes, a poet, will all share their works. Don't miss this unique experience. This is an LCIE colloquium event.



## Salsa Club

Jessica Standefer

The new Salsa Club is offering Latin-style dancing lessons every Friday evening from 6:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. in the downstairs basement of the Spellmann Center: The Connection Center. The president of the club, Lorena Davalos, and others have met throughout the semester teaching Salsa techniques along with other dancing styles as well. If you're interested in meeting new people or taking a date to learn Latin dancing, be sure to attend!



## Swing Teacher

Sam Sicking



Photo: Matt Mercer

Would a teacher be a part of a dance club for fun? Who would think a teacher would have a life past putting us college students to sleep during lectures, piling on homework we couldn't possibly finish, and acting like they graded our papers? No way could a teacher have an outside life from Lindenwood University. Well, I have been known to make mistakes before.

Yes, surprisingly enough our very own Ralph Wiedner, Assistant Professor of Management, has a life outside of Lindenwood University. Professor Wiedner has put his heart and "soles" into the St. Charles Imperial Dance Club since before I was born. He served as the president of the club from 1990 until 2001 where his first true love came first.

While at the head of the Dance Club, he encouraged donations to charities (guessed they missed the Help Sam Get Rich Charity), dance lessons for the mentally handicapped young adults, and food drives during the holidays. He also organized a lot of swing dance promos, like performances at The Festival of the Little Hills and the St. Peters Olde Tyme Picnic.

Not only did he lead the club from his "Swing" office, but rather he led by example. Professor Wiedner competed in several dance competitions and actually won some of them. He also instructed people in the fine art of swing dancing and participated in the "Happy Feet" instructors program. In that program, he also had to complete the course with the people he was instructing.

Due to his dedication to the Club, he was granted the chance of a lifetime. He was granted one of the few Lifetime memberships and in 2001 was named the Member of the Year. Such dedication didn't just stop at the St. Charles level, but he served as the Midwest President of the Swing Dance Federation as well. As a result of his hard work, determination, and dedication, he is being named into the Midwest Swing Dance Federation Hall of Fame for the year 2003.

We all would like to wish Professor Ralph Wiedner congratulations on his fine work. We also encourage all of his students and fellow members of faculty to congratulate him on his hard work and determination.



# Spring Fling Schedule

## Friday, April 16, 2004

- 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Opening BBQ** (Spellmann Center: The Connection) The cafeteria will be closed.
- 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Powder Puff Dorm Intramurals Semi-Finals Game: ? Dorm vs. ? Dorm** (Hunter Stadium) Winner plays on Sunday.
- 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Powder Puff Dorm Intramurals Semi-Finals Game: ? Dorm vs. ? Dorm** (Hunter Stadium) Winner plays on Sunday.
- 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Salsabor: Free Salsa Dance Lessons** (Spellmann Center: The Connection)
- 7:30 p.m. All My Sons** (Roemer Hall: Jelkyl Theatre) Theatrical Performance
- 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Bonfire** (Field Area Across from the Baseball Field) Free smores, tea and punch will be provided.

## Saturday, April 17, 2004

- 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. American Humanics: Golf Tournament** (St. Peters Municipal Golf Course) \$75 per person
- 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. 3 on 3 Coed Basketball Tournament** (Hyland Performance Arena)
- 2:00 p.m. Men's Varsity Lacrosse vs. Purdue University** (Hunter Stadium)
- 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. World Cup Intramural Soccer Final: ? vs. ?** (Hunter Stadium)
- 5:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Venturing Crew 9209: Lindenopoly Tournament** (Butler Centre)
- 7:30 p.m. All My Sons** (Roemer Hall: Jelkyl Theatre) Theatrical Performance

## Sunday, April 18, 2004

- Noon to 1:00 p.m. Flag Football Dorm Intramurals Semi-Finals Game: ? Dorm vs. ? Dorm** (Hunter Stadium) Winner plays in Championship.
- 1:00 p.m. Men's Varsity Baseball vs. Harris-Stowe College** (LU Baseball Field)
- 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Flag Football Dorm Intramurals Semi-Finals Game: ? Dorm vs. ? Dorm** (Hunter Stadium) Winner plays in Championship.
- 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. LU Juried Student Show: Opening Reception** (LUCC Gallery) The show runs from April 18 through May 9.
- 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Flag Football Dorm Intramurals Championship Game: ? Dorm vs. ? Dorm** (Hunter Stadium)
- 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Christian Ministry Studies: Radiant Life** (Spellmann Center: The Connection) Worship, reflection and fellowship for all God's people

- 6:00 p.m. to Midnight Old School Adam Sandler Movie Night: Airheads, Billy Madison, The Wedding Singer, Big Daddy** (Spellmann Center: The Connection)
- 7:00 p.m. to Midnight Lindenwood Christian Fellowship Ping-Pong Tournament** (Butler Centre)

## Monday, April 19, 2004

- TBA Women's Varsity Golf Lady Lions Invitational** (St. Peters Golf Links)
- 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Lindenwood Student Government Association (LSGA) Spring Festival** (Quad) Barbeque (dinner) will be served at this event (Gazebo). Café will be shut down.
- 6:00 p.m. to Midnight Spades Tournament** (Spellmann Center: The Connection) Free food and beverages will be provided.
- 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. History Club Movie Night: Dr. Strange Love** (Spellmann Center: The Connection)

## Tuesday, April 20, 2004

- TBA Women's Varsity Golf Lady Lions Invitational** (St. Peters Golf Links)
- 2:00 p.m. Men's Varsity Baseball vs. Evangel** (T.R. Hughes: O'Fallon)
- 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Alpha Sigma Phi: Coed Whiffle Ball Class Game: Freshman vs. Juniors** (Field Inside Track) Winner plays in Championship.
- 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Alpha Sigma Phi: Coed Whiffle Ball Class Game: Sophomores vs. Seniors** (Field Inside Track) Winner plays in Championship.
- 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Alpha Sigma Phi: Coed Whiffle Ball Class Game: Championship Game: ? vs. ?** (Field Inside Track)
- 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Trivia Night** (Spellmann Center: The Connection) Free food and beverages will be provided.
- 7:00 p.m. Retro Movie Night: Summer School** (Spellmann Center: The Connection)
- 7:30 p.m. Showcase Band Concert** (LUCC)
- 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. E-Club: Word Games** (Spellmann Center: The Connection)

## Wednesday, April 21, 2004

- TBA Women's Varsity Softball vs. Evangel University** (LU Softball Field)
- 4:00 p.m. LSGA: Egg Toss** (Quad)
- 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Powder Puff Dorm Intramurals Championship Game: ? Dorm vs. ? Dorm** (Hunter Stadium)
- 6:00 p.m. Men's Varsity Lacrosse vs. Saint Louis University** (Hunter Stadium)
- 8:00 p.m. Everything Else Big Screen Movie Night: Cheaper by the Dozen** (Quad)

- 10:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. Cosmic Bowl** (St. Charles Lanes) \$1 games with LU ID

## Thursday, April 22, 2004

- 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Tim Sawyer Exhibit** (LUCC Gallery) The show runs from April 22 through May 9. Opening reception is April 25.
- 2:00 p.m. 3-D Design Class: Boat Rally/Race** (Lake Behind the Performance Arena)
- 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Alpha Phi Omega: Coed Kickball Class Game: Freshman vs. Juniors** (Field Inside Track) Winner plays in Championship.
- 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Alpha Phi Omega: Coed Kickball Class Game: Sophomores vs. Seniors** (Field Inside Track) Winner plays in Championship.
- 5:00 p.m. Sand Volleyball Tournament: 4 on 4** (Sand Volleyball Court)
- 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Alpha Phi Omega: Coed Kickball Class Championship Game: ? vs. ?** (Field Inside Track)
- 7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Friends' Fun Night** (Spellmann Center: The Connection) Enjoy one of the last episodes of Friends.
- 7:30 p.m. New Movie Night: Honey** (Spellmann Center: The Connection)
- 7:30 p.m. All My Sons** (Roemer Hall: Jelkyl Theatre) Theatrical Performance
- 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Delta Zeta: Big Man on Campus** (LUCC Auditorium)

## Friday, April 23, 2004

- Noon to 6:00 p.m. 62 Sports Group: Inflatables: Bouncing Boxing, Joust, 3 Lane Bungee** (Spellmann Center: Bottom Parking Lot)
- Noon to 6:00 p.m. American Humanics Dunk Tank** (Spellmann Center: Bottom Parking Lot)
- Dinner LSGA/Hospitality Services: Karaoke** (Spellmann Center: Cafeteria)
- 7:30 p.m. All My Sons** (Roemer Hall: Jelkyl Theatre) Theatrical Performance
- 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m. LSGA Spring Dance** (LU Club) Spring Fling King and Queen will be announced. DJ, food and beverages are included. Dress attire is required. The theme is Black and Gold Pride. Tickets are \$10 each at the door or in advance.

We are looking forward to seeing you during this year's Spring Fling events. As always, if you have any questions or comments, please call Eric Click at 636-949-4983.