



## HEAR US ROAR

Friday, September 11, 2015

- Welcome to a new member of the Lindenwood family, **TJ Rains**. TJ is Vice President of Information Technology/Chief Information Officer.
- There were over 220 golfers that participated in **The Lou Brock Golf Classic**; the net income this year is \$141,462.58 marking this the best year ever!
- **Go Lions!** The Lindenwood Football team won its 2015 opener in dramatic fashion at Hunter Stadium. The Lions scored the winning touchdown with just 23 seconds remaining for a 20-14 win over the Washburn, Ichabods.
- The **Football** home opener saw an increase in ticket sales (50%), concessions (52%), and student attendance (4%) compared to 2014 home opener which was also on a Thursday night.
- Michael and Karen Shonrock hosted a **tailgate party** attended by many Lindenwood Board members; comradery, and food was hosted in the Vandalia Room.
- During The Festival of the Little Hills the **St. Charles City Public Works** mascot, **Bear A Cade**, was pictured welcoming Lindenwood students back to school. *Very nice!*
- The **Hammond Institute** research center's mission at Lindenwood University is to foster free enterprise through the examination of market-oriented approaches. The upcoming events are listed on the main page, with details at the link. <http://www.lindenwood.edu/hammondInstitute/index.html>
- The National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) and the NAIA Character Advisory Committee and the National Office have selected Lindenwood as a "Champions of Character" **Five-Star Institution**.



- **E.T.** is the new star of the **Lindenwood Belleville** Biology Department; 25-year old desert tortoise roams the hallway and classrooms where he seems to have as much fun hanging out with the students (unofficial mascot).
- The **Lindenwood Belleville** campus is taking proactive steps to assuage concerns voiced by neighbors at the City Council meeting held September 8<sup>th</sup>. The director of security is going door to door meeting with neighbors. The students have been given a single page outline of what is expected of them to be “good neighbors”.
- **Collegiate Consultants** met with staff and administration at St. Charles (NCAA) and Belleville (NAIA) September 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>, to gather information for their fiscal and operational review.
- Michael Shonrock welcomed the **Plaster Advisory Council** during their meeting on Wednesday, September 2<sup>nd</sup> in Harmon Hall.
- **Home School Day**, September 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Daniel Boone Home and Heritage Center proved very successful with high attendance and satisfied guest! There were **633** children and parents in attendance at the event.
- Friday, September 4<sup>th</sup>, kicked off the Facebook “**Style Your Space**” Dorm Decorating Contest for students at the Lindenwood University St. Charles campus!
- Michael and Karen attended **The Businessmen’s Prayer Breakfast** as guest of the Master of Ceremonies’ Ben Blanton and wife Carole, Wednesday, September 9<sup>th</sup> at the St. Charles Convention Center. The guest speaker was Mark Whitacre whose life was the inspiration for the major motion picture, “The Informant”.



- The **Accelerated Degree Program (LCIE)** celebrated its 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Outstanding Alumni Award Banquet Thursday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. One of our own Board Members, **Ron Gorgen** and **Jonathan Ohmes** (Board Member Ron Ohmes' son) were LCIE Alumni Award Recipients.
- The **Gallup Survey Task Force** met today to finalize timelines and customize questions from surveys to alumni and students.
- **Geile/Leon Marketing Communications** will display 3 options for branding at the President's Council on Monday, September 14<sup>th</sup>.
- On Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, Michael and Karen Shonrock will be attending the **Missouri Kids Benefit Auction**. Our own **Gary Shaw** is also a board member for this organization.
- The Lindenwood Theater in the J. Scheidegger Center for the Arts will host **Star Parker** on Tuesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>. She is an Author, Political Activist and Founder of Cure.
- David Wilson and Michael Shonrock will visit the **HLC Headquarters** in Chicago Friday, September 25<sup>th</sup>, to meet with our liaison, Stephanie Bruzy about the 2017 campus visit.
- A delegation from **Wenshan University in China** will be visiting the St. Charles Campus on Thursday, September 18<sup>th</sup>.
- **Tony Bennett** performance is Saturday, September 19<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 p.m. at the J. Scheidegger Center for the Arts.
- The **21<sup>st</sup> Annual Fall Luncheon, Fashion show and Silent Auction**, hosted by the St. Charles Alumni Club will be held September 19<sup>th</sup>. Proceeds benefit Lindenwood student scholarships. To reserve your tickets in advance call Kim Gersman (636) 949-4366.





- Students from the Archeology and Art Department will be on site at the Daniel Boone Home for **Pioneer Days** September 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>. They will highlight Lindenwood and assist with programming. For passes please contact Meredith Rau 636-798-2005 or [mrau@lindenwood.edu](mailto:mrau@lindenwood.edu).
- Join Coach Tony Francis and the women's Basketball Team for "**Fast Break to Empower Women**" Saturday, September 26<sup>th</sup>, Hyland Arena Track. Registration: 7:30 a.m., Walk: 8:00 a.m., \$10 for individual or family. RSVP to [mharrington@lindenwood.edu](mailto:mharrington@lindenwood.edu) or (636) 949-4117 by September 18<sup>th</sup>. *\*Items will be collected to support the children at Crisis Nursery.*
- Michael Shonrock and Stefani Schuette will attend the **Why Workshop** at the **BW Leadership Institute** on Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup>. This workshop is designed to help leaders clearly articulate and create environments where their people feel inspired to go to work while feeling safe and valued.
- Make plans to attend the Lindenwood **St. Charles Homecoming & Reunion** on October 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015! This year the class of 1965 will be celebrating its 50 year class reunion. Reconnect with your classmates and beloved professors, see what's new on campus and feel the Lion pride!
- Spirits of the Past** at the Daniel Boone Home, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. Vignettes will be staged in several of the candlelit buildings to provide visitors a glimpse at the superstitions, folk tales, and traditions of the pioneers. For reservations please contact Meredith Rau (636) 798-2005 or [mrau@lindenwood.edu](mailto:mrau@lindenwood.edu).
- LU Day at the Dome** Chicago Bears vs St. Louis Rams 12:00 p.m. November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015. Tickets are still available, contact Amanda Lutz (314) 425-0528 or [alutz@rams.nfl.com](mailto:alutz@rams.nfl.com).



- **Daniel Boone Home Candlelight Tour** December 4<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. A beautiful Christmas and New Year glimpse into the family celebrations, traditions, and stories of the early 19th century. For reservations please contact Meredith Rau 636-798-2005 or [mrau@lindenwood.edu](mailto:mrau@lindenwood.edu).
- The anticipated launch date for **Workday** is April 2016. Workday Human Resource Management helps effectively handle a workforce and manage the process.
- Lindenwood University will host the **2016 MIAA Baseball Tournament** May 12<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at the Lou Brock Sports Complex.
- Michael and Karen Shonrock will attend the **St. Louis Regional Chamber Board of Directors Annual Event** at the Peabody Opera House on Wednesday, September 16<sup>th</sup>.
- Two appraisal firms are under contract to perform appraisals on the 900+ acres of land surrounding the Daniel Boone Home. The firms are the **Westover Group** (\$9500) and the **Geneva Roth Consulting** firm (\$9975).
- The **Alumnae Gate** reconstruction is now complete. Special “shout out” to Bob Pecoraro for managing the entire project, the Lindenwood Security Department for guarding the gate pieces during construction and Julie Mueller for her persistent and successful demand for payment for the security hours!
- We would like to acknowledge the **Development Office** team members and their student workers for 100% financial participation in the LARC library campaign.



- Every month Michael Shonrock sends Lindenwood employees personalized birthday cards, and a gift card for a free 12 oz. coffee at **Matt's Café** in the Spellmann Center.