

# LindenWorld

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## Students Break New Ground At Chamber

by Angie Chazelle

Recently, nine Lindenwood College students were chosen to be among the first student members of the St. Charles Chamber of Commerce. Linda Bockman, Sandy Imbeaux, Janet Marik, Donna Matthews, Kris Petersen, Lonnie Schwent, Nathan Wilmes, Lisa Yost, and Bob Zenker are being honored because of their outstanding leadership qualities and involvement in both campus and community service.

These students were chosen on the recommendation of their department deans. Lindenwood College was contacted by Marilyn Westenberger, who serves on the Board of the Chamber of Commerce. Westenberger suggested to the Board to bring in students to the membership of the board. The purpose of incorporating the students into the Chamber is to benefit everyone.

"The students win, the members win, and the Chamber wins," said Westenberger. "The Chamber wins because the students bring in time contributions and insight. The members win because the students bring in new ideas. The students win because they get to interact with many business and community leaders."

The main goal of this program is to help students who are coming out of college to participate in the community in a business atmosphere. The program also gives the students insight into their respective fields.

Bob Zenker says that being part of the Chamber provides him with an outlet to explore the businesses of the St. Charles area.

The students involved are required to give 16 hours of volunteer time to the Chamber. Eight of those hours can be in



**Five of the nine student members of the St. Charles Chamber of Commerce. They are (l to r): Janet Marik, Lisa Yost, Donna Matthews, Bob Zenker, and Lonnie Schwent.**

attendance to the general membership or committee meetings. These meetings provide a networking opportunity, and it also allows the students to hear guest speakers from many fields of interest.

"It's a wonderful opportunity for an undergraduate to get an idea of what jobs are out there," said Susie Pundmann, director of capital funds at Lindenwood and co-coordinator of the program.

Michelle Orr of the Career Development Office, and also co-coordinator of the program, said that this experience allows the students to get involved in the community while enhancing their resumé and giving them practical

experience. The opportunity ties in well with the Talent Accomplishment Program also.

Lonnie Schwent is one of the program's participants and she said, "This has allowed me to get involved with the community that I am soon to become a part of, and it's an excellent opportunity to meet leaders of the St. Charles community."

Lindenwood College would like to offer this opportunity to the general student population. Any student interested in this program should contact Michelle Orr in the Career Development Office at 949-4990.

# Computer Art & Design

by Christine Angelo

Lindenwood takes another step into the future as the Fine Arts Department develops a new advanced computer and graphic art academic program.

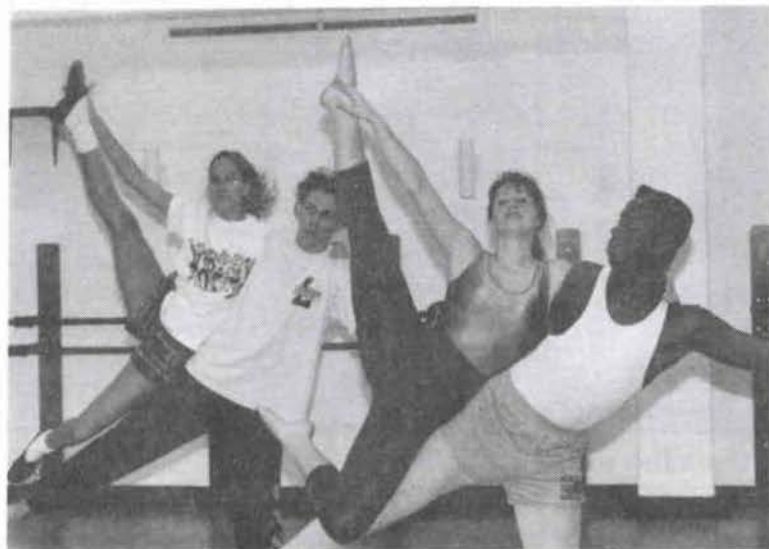
This exciting new program was designed by a Lindenwood graduate, Jordan Mogerman, who is now an assistant professor of graphic design and computer art.

This semester, students in Computer Art II studied 2-dimensional computer art. Next semester three new classes will be offered: Computer

Art I, which will cover 2-dimensional photography; Design I, which will cover the design of brochures and newsletters; and Publication Editing and Producing. Students in that class will lay out the yearbook and Lindenworld.

"This new program is designed to prepare students for entrance to the graphic design field," Mogerman said. He added that jobs in page design, publication composition, and other design work require the high tech experience this program offers.

## Dance Performance Coming Up



**Dancers practice lifts in the dance studio (l to r): Amy Belding, Tim Root, Debby Craig, Bobby Grosser.**

The Lindenwood College Showcase Dancers will present their annual fall showing of faculty and student choreography Wednesday, November 30 at 7:30 p.m.

Dancing to music by Sting, Whitney Houston and other contemporary artists, the dancers will show off their skills in modern, jazz and lyric styles. Alice Bloch, Ed.D. and director of the dancers, has created "Eyelashes," an upbeat dance to a tune by Charmaine Neville. Adjunct professor Kate Cleary's dancers twirl umbrellas to music by Sting. Student choreography includes a duet by Bobby Grosser and Cher Weathersby,

and solos by Debbie Craig, Tara Tucker, Mary Freitag, Kent Shanks, and Lion Line members Amy Belding, Amy Howe, and Brooke Reinfeld. As a special treat, Ushasri Ayyagari will perform an Indian dance solo.

"This year I'm seeing more talented dancers than ever before," said Bloch, "and that includes beginners as well as advanced dancers. This is our biggest studio performance yet."

The studio showing is free and open to the public. It will be held in Harmon Hall Room 209. For more information, contact Bloch at 949-4855.

# GOING GREEK

by Graham Boain

There are those Lindenwood residential students who go home on weekends, but members of Delta Zeta, Delta Chi and Alpha Sigma Phi are likely to be found still on campus. The reason: the special friendships they have made through Greek life at Lindenwood.

The Lindenwood Greek system, which started in 1992, has never been better. Delta Chi (a men's social fraternity), and Alpha Sigma Phi (also a men's social fraternity), are both enjoying all-time high enrollment this year. Delta Zeta, the women's sorority on campus, is also boasting high enrollment. According to Delta Chi senior Jim Basta, "enrollment in the Greek system is up because people are starting to take more interest in campus life." Freshmen Carrie Sansone, a new member of Delta Zeta, believes that "joining a sorority has helped ease the jump from high school to college."

Although the Greek system at Lindenwood is small, its benefits are immeasurable. "The people that you meet and the things you go through with them make the size of your organization irrelevant," says Craig Allen of Delta Chi. "Friendship is what being in a fraternity is all about," says Alpha Sigma Phi member Brian Wisdom.

Besides meeting great friends, Lindenwood Greeks are involved in things many other students don't know about.

All members of the Delta Chi fraternity are required to visit a local elementary school for one hour a week to satisfy their philanthropy requirements. Members of the Alpha Sigma Phi fraternity participated in an on-campus fund-raiser for cancer last semester, and Delta Zeta is constantly helping out around the community.

In addition to the charity work, Greeks can always be seen at Lindenwood sporting events, cheering on the Lions. Greek life is alive and well on the Lindenwood campus!



# The Magic of Christmas at Lindenwood

by Angie Chazelle

The Lindenwood Christmas event of the year is upon us. The 11th Annual Christmas Walk will be hosted on Lindenwood's campus Sunday, December 4 from 5 to 7 p.m. Two-thousand luminaries will accentuate Lindenwood's tree-lined campus that will be adorned with Christmas lights and garland.

This year's Christmas Walk theme is Christmas Past, Present, and Future at Lindenwood College. This theme complements the play *A Christmas Carol* which will have a special Christmas Walk performance on December 4 at 2 p.m. in Jelkyl Theatre.

Entertainment will be featured in all the dorms, classroom buildings, and administration halls. Christmas music will be broadcast campus-wide from the gazebo.

President Spellmann will spread Christmas cheer by playing Santa Claus in the cafeteria where refreshments will be provided.

Admittance to the Christmas Walk for St. Charles Community members will be by invitation only with a suggested donation of one canned good to be given to charity.

Volunteers are needed to help set out and light the luminaries around campus from 3 to 5 p.m. that Sunday. Anyone interested in helping or offering suggestions should contact Christy Mika at ext. 4631.

## WHERE ARE THEY NOW?

We received a lot of positive response from last issue's look at Lindenwood students' success after graduation. Many of you asked for more, so here goes...

**Dave Beaty ('94)**

..... Teacher/Coach, Texas

**Rob Bingham ('93)**

..... Audio/Video Producer, A.G.

Edwards

**Cindy Fehmel ('90)**

.... Promotions, Mississippi Nights

**Cynthia Foster ('92)**

..... Mizzou Law School

**Ronda Gaines ('92)**

..... Promotions, Little Bit of Texas

**Andi Gubitz ('91, '93)**

..... Research Supervisor, Maritz

**Brian Hauswirth ('93)**

..... News/Sports Reporter,

WHB (KC)

**Mike McFarland ('91)**

..... Sports Informatio Director,

Western Illinois Univ.

**Jen Rowen ('94)**

..... SLU Law School

**Eric Schmidt ('93)**

..... On-Air Personality, KPNT-FM

**Brendan Shanahan ('94)**

..... On-Air Personality, KSD Radio

**Tammy Tucker ('93)**

..... Reporter, Suburban Journals

If you know of any LC graduate success stories, please forward them to the Lindenworld via Campus Mail.

# A Christmas Carol Returns

by Maggie Boaz

Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol* returns to the Lindenwood College campus this holiday season. Join the cast and crew as they journey through time with Ebenezer Scrooge to rediscover the true meaning of Christmas. Bryan Reeder, director of theatre at Lindenwood, describes the play as "a nice gift to the community around the holiday season for all of the support we have received in the past." Come share this heartwarming celebration of the Yule season with the whole family.

The play, which is adapted from the Charles Dickens novel, will be directed by Marsha Hollander Parker, dean of fine and performing arts at Lindenwood. Niki Juncker, associate professor of theatre, is designing the costumes, and graduate student G. Maurice "Moe" Conn III is designing the set.

The cast includes graduate students Jeff Coriveau as Bob Cratchit and Todd Gillenardo as the Narrator; seniors Brian Bauer as Ebenezer Scrooge and Chris Nolte as the Ghost of Christmas Present; junior Bobby Grosser as Marley's Ghost; sophomore Sarah Elbert as Sarah, the wife of Scrooge's nephew Fred; freshmen Mary Morgan as the Ghost of Christmas Past, Lila Kibby as the Ghost of Christmas Yet to Come, Ben Swoboda as Fred, LaNise Hester as Elizabeth, and Cynthia Gandolfo as Belle.

A number of children from the St. Charles area are featured in this year's production, including Jimmy Campise as Tiny Tim. *A Christmas Carol* will be presented at 8:00 p.m. December 1, 2, 3, 8 and 10, with an afternoon matinee at 2 p.m. on December 4. Lindenwood students, faculty and staff are entitled to two complimentary tickets.

# LindenWorld Calendar of Events

## December, 1994

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1  Griffin Society ..... 2:00 pm, Butler 202	2  Cabaret ..... 8:00 pm, Lindenwood College Club	3  Women's Basketball ... vs. John Brown, 2:00 pm
A Christmas Carol Jelkyl Theatre, Roemer Hall, 8:00 pm						
4  Movie Mania ..... 7:00 pm, Lion's Den Christmas Walk ..... 4:00 - 7:00 pm, Lion's Den  A Christmas Carol Jelkyl Theatre, Roemer Hall, 8:00 pm	5  Men's JV Basketball ... vs. Rend Lake, 5:30 pm Men's Basketball ... vs. Madonna, 7:30 pm Winter Choral Concert ..... St. Charles Presbyterian Church, 7:30 pm Karate Club ..... 2:00 pm, Butler Gym Christian Student Union Base Group ..... 9:00 pm, Butler 206	6  Circle K Meeting ..... 7-8:00 pm, Roemer 209 Activity Board ..... 9:00 pm, Lion's Den  Education Club Book Fair December 5-12, 8 am - 5 pm, Ground Floor, Roemer Hall	7  Women's JV Basketball ..... vs. Lewis and Clark, 5:30 pm Karate Club ..... 2:00 pm, Butler Gym Christian Student Union Base Group ..... 9:00 pm, Butler 206 Fellowship of Christian Athletes ... 7-8:00 pm Intramural Roller Hockey 9:00 pm-12:00 pm LindenLeader Banquet ..... 6:00-8:00pm, Lindenwood College Club	8  Am. Humanities Christmas Party ..... Lindenwood College Club, 5:00 pm Griffin Society ..... 2:00 pm, Butler 202 Karaoke ..... 4:00-6:30pm, Ayres Dining Hall  A Christmas Carol Jelkyl Theatre, Roemer Hall, 8:00 pm	9  Midnight Breakfast ..... 11:30pm, Ayres Dining Hall	10  Women's Basketball ... vs. Rosary, 5:00 pm Men's Basketball ... vs. Rosary, 7:30 pm  A Christmas Carol Jelkyl Theatre, Roemer Hall, 8:00 pm
11  Movie Mania ..... 7:00 pm, Lion's Den	12  Karate Club ..... 2:00 pm, Butler Gym Christian Student Union Base Group ..... 9:00 pm, Butler 206 Mexican Night Buffet (tentative) ... 4:00-6:30pm. Music by Del Alamo.	13  Final Exam Monotony Breaker ..... PIZZA! Ayres Dining Hall, 9:00 pm Circle K Meeting ..... 7-8:00 pm, Roemer 209	14  Final Exam Monotony Breaker ..... ICE CREAM SUNDAE BAR, Ayres Dining Hall, 9:00 pm Karate Club ..... 2:00 pm, Butler Gym Christian Student Union Base Group ..... 9:00 pm, Butler 206 Fellowship of Christian Athletes ... 7-8:00 pm Intramural Roller Hockey 9:00 pm-12:00 pm	15  Griffin Society ..... 2:00 pm, Butler 202	16	17  Men's Basketball ... vs. Missouri-Rolla, 7:30 pm
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31