

# THE LINDENWORLD

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## LINDENWOOD STUDENTS SPEAK!

*January 22 was the anniversary of the Roe v. Wade decision, which legalized abortion. How do you feel about the possible overturning of this decision?*

"People should have a choice. Why should you be forced to bring a baby into the world if you're not ready for it?"

Jude Corbett

"It's bad. I don't believe it's a good thing to have an abortion. But it should be everyone's right if they choose."

Denise Wilson

"It's a testimonial to what the judicial system has done--it's stood the test of time. It's here and we should have the freedom of choice. That goes beyond the law."

Marlin Ivy

"It's their body. I'm pro-choice. It's your body, your life, your choice. I'd rather see a child aborted than abused."

Debbie Nicolai

"I think it should be legal. You should have a choice in the matter. It's a basic right. If you can't handle having a baby, you shouldn't have one."

James Dillon

"I'm pro-choice. I believe everyone has a right to make their own decisions."

Anonymous female

"I can't say that all abortion is bad. In some cases you need it...like rape."

Anonymous male

"I think women should be in control of their body and mind. If they see abortion as a solution then by all means they should adhere to one."

Jeanniene McMillan

"It would be irresponsible knowing the number of women that it would affect. As it is now, it may be the unborn child that dies but if it is overturned, it could be the mother and the baby."

Robert Bingham

"Too many people act like rabbits, and responsibility begins before conception, and abortion is being used as a cop-out."

Rik Maxedon

"I think it would be good. I do not agree that abortions are a form of birth control."

Laura Beinecke

"I think that if a woman wants to have an abortion for what ever reason it's her choice."

Cassandra Belton

"I don't think the government can make people's decisions for them. Every woman should have the right to an abortion."

Tammy Tucker

"I don't think it should be used as birth control, but I don't think the government should be able to tell a woman what to do with her body."

Kelly Kerr

"I don't think it's possible to go back to illegal abortions, but people use it for birth control whether its right or wrong. People will continue to use it even if made illegal, it just won't be safe."

Ann Bozdech

"I feel that women should have their own choice especially if it's concerning rape which involves an unwanted child."

Ronda Gaines

"If they reverse, it will be going back in time. The question shouldn't even be asked of me because it's a woman's body which is in question."

Eric Schmidt

"It's a freedom! It's a choice! If a woman gets pregnant and doesn't want to keep the baby, it makes no sense to force her to. It may result in abuse or neglect of the child. Also, the choice whether to keep or abort can make the life of the child easier. You don't want to tell a child that he or she was a mistake. The woman should have a choice."

Kevin Tate

"It's a choice, either you don't or you do want it. It has to be a choice of both the man and woman. If you can't take care of a child why have it and give the child a miserable life."

Anonymous Female

"I think it's up to the woman if she wants to have an abortion, because of so many factors to consider before having a child and it may not be the right time to bring a child into the world."

Leado Gray

"I'm pro-choice. It's a woman's body and she should be able to do what she wants with it."

Cynthia Hagen

"Basically it would be wrong to reverse the decision. More harm than help would come from the matter."

Amy Kortamp

"Women have the choice to make their own decision concerning their body. As long as careful consideration is taken I don't see the need or the necessity for government intervention."

Shonetta Franklin

## SEMINAR TO BE HELD

by Staff Writer

The public is invited to attend a colloquium on "Employment Law in Missouri" Saturday, February 15 in Young Hall Auditorium. The speech will begin at 9:00 a.m.

Allen D. Kirchner, an attorney with Rollings, Gerhardt, Borchers, Stuhler, Carmichael & Kirchner, P.C., will present the seminar.

The colloquium will include discussion of sexual harassment, the Civil Rights Act of 1991, and employment aspects of the Americans With Disabilities Act and the Missouri Human Rights Act.

Admission to the seminar is free. For more information, contact the Lindenwood College for individualized Education at 949-4952.

## ABORTION-CONTROVERSY IN MISSOURI

by Georgia Nunn  
LindenWorld Writer

The United States Supreme Court made the decision to legalize abortion on January 22, 1973 in the Roe v. Wade issue. It has been controversial for Americans to this day. This will be a critical year for abortion in Missouri. If the decision of Roe v. Wade is overturned, women could lose their right to an abortion.

Nineteen years ago, a pregnant, single woman (Roe) brought a class action suit, challenging the constitutionality of the Texas criminal abortion laws. The district attorney of Dallas County, Henry Wade, stated, "The Texas abortion law reads as: procuring or attempting an abortion (is illegal) except on medical advice for the purpose of saving the mother's life."

In Missouri, there are pro-choice and anti-abortion referenda proposals in the state legislature that could impact women. House Speaker Bob Griffin wants to pass the abortion issue directly to the

voters by letting them choose. On the other hand, Representative Ted House sponsors a bill that would outlaw most abortions.

The Missouri Alliance for Choice, a political action committee, feels that this legislative session in Missouri will be challenging. Alliance Executive Director Jill Friedman says, "The right to make a choice is a personal and emotional decision for a woman and the government should not be making those decisions."

On the opposite side of the issue, Ann O'Brien, Director of Pro-Life Action, says, "I hope they overturn it in a way saying life begins at conception and it's entitled to the protection of the law. That would outlaw abortion. Just return it to the state--we are going to have fifty fights instead of one."

The battle in Missouri may begin before the Supreme Court debates the abortion issue.

## AN OUTLOOK FROM DR. SPELLMANN-- (CHANGES AT LINDENWOOD)

by Elizabeth O'Driscoll  
LindenWorld Writer

Lindenwood College is experiencing some changes. Butler Hall is being remodeled. The Student Life and Student Activities offices have also been moved around. These changes are part of President Spellmann's plans to improve communication and information for students.

Butler Hall is the center for success programs involving students who are on suspension, having economical problems, or personal problems. Butler will also contain a new snack bar and TV room. The snack bar will offer food from distributors. The hours of Butler Hall are 8 a.m.-2 a.m.

There are also position changes that have occurred. Dean of Students, Norm Madsen has taken a leave of absence. The new Assistant Dean of Students, John Creer, is acting in "total capacity" as the Dean of Students, according to Spellmann.

A goal of Spellmann's is to "give

back to the community." He believes students who perform work-study hours on campus would benefit from working off campus as well. This would be an opportunity for students to experience volunteerism and develop leadership. A prototype is planned for this semester and will "hopefully" be in effect by next semester, said Spellmann.

A new program for new students will begin in the fall semester. Big Sisters/Big Brothers is a program designed to introduce new students to campus life. Students that have been at Lindenwood will serve as contacts for the new students.

Spellmann believes firmly in time management. "We don't want people just sleeping, eating, hanging out here, and not going to school," he said. More focus is going to be placed on attendance.

"We are going to be insistent on people being successful," said Spellmann.

## NEW FACULTY MEMBER

by Staff Writer

Suzanne E. Saum of Florissant, Mo., has been appointed to the position of assistant professor of chemistry at Lindenwood.

Saum holds a doctorate in chemistry from Washington University, where she also earned her master of arts degree in chemistry. She graduated magna cum laude from the University of Missouri-St. Louis (UMSL) with a bachelor of science degree.

Saum previously taught at St. Louis Community College-Florissant Valley. She has seven publications to her credit in journals like "Organometallics," "Polyhedron," and "Inorganic Chemistry."

Saum is a member of the American Chemical Society. She received the society's undergraduate analytical chemistry award while attending UMSL, in addition to UMSL's University Scholar honors. Saum received a University Fellow-

ship and a Wheeler Fellowship while attending Washington University.



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## WILSON HELPS STUDENTS SEARCH FOR JOBS

by Amy Crangle  
LindenWorld Writer

The recession is making the job scene look fairly grim for seniors nearing graduation. Randi Wilson, Lindenwood's Placement Director, offers graduates the opportunity to better their chances in the job market.

To assist students with job search preparation, Wilson has scheduled workshops dealing with topics such as resume writing, interviewing skills, and employer targeting.

Wilson is a licensed counselor who works for a consulting firm in Clayton. She conducts out-placement seminars for employees who have lost their jobs due to companies' "down-sizing" (staff reduction) efforts. These seminars are more in-depth, but similar to those offered at Lindenwood. In other words, the material covered at Lindenwood's job search workshops isn't idealistic, but directly related to the problems facing employees in real-life job crises.

The job placement seminars are held in the student services center in Butler Hall. They will be offered:

Saturday, Feb. 8, 10 a.m.-12 noon  
Monday, Feb. 10, 7-9 p.m.  
Tuesday, Feb. 18, 7-9 p.m.  
Thursday, Feb. 27, 7-9 p.m.

The number of students who registered for the January seminars was not as high as Wilson had hoped; however, the attending students profited greatly from the seminars.

These job placement seminars aren't required by Lindenwood. Wilson says, "Employer feedback indicates that students who take advantage of college workshops prior to meeting potential employers are perceived as better prepared candidates."

If you're unable to attend the seminars at the times they are offered or wish to speak to Wilson about your career interests, she encourages students to set up appointments. Her office is Butler 102. There are sign-up sheets outside her office if you're unable to contact her.

Wilson is also in the process of setting up a resource room in Butler Hall. She is updating employer files and job listings. This room isn't only for seniors researching companies, but for underclassmen undecided about their majors or career interests. The resource room is in the left wing of Butler and is open from 8-5, Monday through Friday. The materials are available to everyone, but may not be taken from the room.

Among other upcoming events concerning job placement is the Gateway Placement Association's Annual Job Fair. It's on Friday, March 6 from 10-2 at UMSL. For more information, contact Randi Wilson.

## GOSPEL CHOIR PERFORMS

by Shelley M. Miller  
LindenWorld Writer

In commemoration of Dr. Martin Luther King's birthday, the Lindenwood College Gospel Choir held a memorial service in Young Auditorium. The event took place Monday, January 20.

The program began with a powerful solo by Mitchell Taylor, the R.D. of Irwin Hall. Lazaar Howard and Vanessa Von Parijs read poems and members of the gospel choir stepped forward to speak on many of the inspiring words of Dr. King.

Lisa Watkins, graduate student, delivered a powerful sermon on love. Watkins stressed how we need to know God's unconditional love for us to give unconditional love to others.

There was a lot of hand clapping and foot stomping when the Gospel Choir sang four selections. Audience participation was invited and enjoyed. The benediction and prayer was given by Alan Meyers and college chaplain Michael Mason.

Watch for future events sponsored by the Gospel Choir.

## ART EXHIBIT SHOWCASE COLLECTION

by Alisa Baumer  
Entertainment Editor

Works from the Lindenwood College Collection of Art were recently shown in an exhibit at the Harry D. Hendren Art Gallery in the Fine Arts Building here on campus.

The art collection is currently comprised of one hundred and five works. This particular exhibit, shown from January 8th to January 29th, featured twenty-nine works representing various themes, styles, and media. Several works by Lindenwood alumni and faculty were also featured.

Overall, the exhibit was excellent. The subjects were quite diverse, as well as the ways in which the subjects were presented. In particular, I found Alice Baber's "Color Suspended", Ezio Martinelli's "Pasqua 6916 Can Grande", and John Wehmer's "Easrer Morning" to be unique and fascinating.

All of the artists should be commended on their work. It was a wonderful art exhibit.

## VALENTINE'S DAY: OLD VS. NEW

by Elizabeth O'Driscoll  
LindenWorld Writer

Patiently waiting till both hands reach the midnight hour, they sit wondering. Images of what he will look like, what type of personality he will have, how happy they will be together and who he is. At the stroke of midnight, they circle the church 12 times repeating the words,

*"I sow hempseed,  
hempseed I sow,  
he that loves me best,  
come after me now."*

After that, these young, unmarried women wait for their true valentine to appear.

This Derbyshire, England custom celebrated years ago was one of many believed to be a part of Valentine's Day. Valentine's Day is celebrated on February 14th as a festival of romance and affection.

Valentine's Day is celebrated on the feast of two different Christian martyrs named Valentine. However, the celebration isn't connected with the lives of the saints. Lupercalia, an ancient Roman festival celebrated on February 15th, is believed to be the origin of Valentine's Day.

The Romans celebrated Lupercalia as a lover's festival for young people. The church tried to change the meaning of the pagan festival after the spread of Christianity. Pope Gelasius changed the Lupercalia festival of February 15th to Saint Valentine's Day on February 14th in 496. The sentimental meaning of the old festival remains the same through the years to today.

Most Valentine's Day customs dealt with romance or the choice of a mate. In some customs the single girl could learn the identity of her future husband. Some unmarried girls pinned five bay leaves to their pillows the day before Valentine's Day. One leaf was pinned in the center and the others were pinned at each corner of the pillow. If the charm worked that night, they would see their future husbands in their dreams.

The customs have changed since then. Today we celebrate Valentine's Day by giving someone "special" a gift. The gifts vary because of the different types and stages of relationships. The traditional gifts are flowers, candy and jewelry. But, there are several different ideas and gifts to decide from.

Most college students are affected by economics. There are several stores in Mid Rivers Mall catering to this problem.

Fannie May Candies has a wide assortment of boxed chocolates filled with caramels, pecans, and almonds in light and dark chocolates. The prices start at \$10 for one pound of your sweetheart's favorites. Most of the prices average around \$15.

For the personalized gift, head toward The Incredible Machine. An average sized, clear keepsake box costs between \$10-15. The store will personalize the box by sketching an image of a photograph you supply of either you or the both of you. The cost of the sketch is \$6 and includes two free lines of a special message.

Another idea regarding pictures is to have your pictures taken together or give one of yourself. The new fad seems to be Hot Shotz and Glamour Shots. They both offer makeovers and photo sessions for a fee of \$30 and up. The packages are the expensive part of these places. Hot Shotz offers units. Units are either one 8 X 10, two 5 X 7's or eight wallets and they cost \$30 each. Scheduling an appointment at a regular photographer is much cheaper, especially if you only want a few pictures.

Many couples celebrate

Valentine's Day by going out for a romantic dinner. Concetta's Italian Restaurant is an ideal place to eat. Its atmosphere is relaxing. The tables are lit by candlelight and there are many antiques decorating the interior. Concetta's features prime rib, chicken, beef, fish, pastas and Italian specialties. The meals cost between \$7-15 and are served with homemade bread and soup or salad (they feature their own house dressing that is quite popular). Concetta's also serves pizza. A large 14 inch pizza with one topping is \$9. Concetta's is located at 600 South 5th St., next to Kentucky Fried Chicken.

More adventurous couples might want to try something different. Ice skating has been a popular pastime this year. Most couples would rather laugh and have a good time than sit at home waiting for fate.

Girls don't sit at home pinning their pillows with bay leaves or circling churches at midnight anymore. The customs have changed but the belief still remains: It's the thought that counts (in most cases).

Are you in love and want all of Lindenwood to know? Is there someone you've always admired and didn't quite know how to say it? Well here is your big chance, say it in a:

**"LINDEN LOVE LINE."**  
Send your message to the LindenWorld by campus mail, located in the mail room. Deadline is February 5, 1992. NO LATER!

## Dear Lindey

Feeling down and out with no one to talk to? Seems like friends are few and can't be trusted? You have so many questions and not enough answers. You can't ask your parents because it's too personal. Asking your professor is out of the question. You ask yourself, who can I talk to? I'm here to tell you that your worries are over. I know exactly who you can talk to. Me!

My name is Lindey and I'm here to help. I'm a student just like you, except I know how hard it is to find a friend you can trust. Remember, I'm not judgmental and I like you for being you. All you have to do is believe in me and I'll believe in you.

Just write me a letter concerning your problems. Your problems could range from relationships to bad study habits. Make sure you sign the letter with an anonymous name. I'll respond as truthfully as I can. I will not lead you wrong. If I'm unsure of your concern, I'll respond by stating so.

Please, help me help you. Address your letters to The LindenWorld and drop them in the campus mailbox in the basement of Roemer Hall. I look forward to hearing from you.

Always loving,  
Lindey

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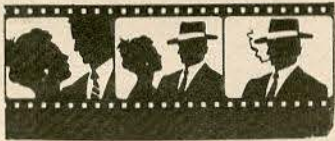
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**AT THE MOVIES:**

by Alisa Baumer



**Hook! Is Magical Fun for Everyone**

What would Peter Pan be like if he grew up? Hard to imagine, isn't it? It wasn't so hard for director Steven Spielberg, who answered that almost impossible question in the delightful and entertaining movie, "Hook!"

"Hook!" is the story of Peter Banning (Robin Williams), an attorney who is so wrapped up in his work that he often neglects his wife and his two children. The Bannings travel to England to attend a banquet in honor of the building of an orphan hospital named after their Granny Wendy (the real Wendy in the Peter Pan story). The Bannings return home after the banquet to find their two children gone, kidnapped by Captain James S. Hook (Dustin Hoffman). Peter, who has forgotten that he is the real Peter Pan and that he can fly, is told that he is the only one that can save his children. So, with the help of Tinkerbell (Julia Roberts), Peter travels to NeverNever Land to rescue his children. Hook wants revenge, but Peter isn't up to the challenge. He is given three days to get into shape. With the help of the Lost Boys, Peter Pan flies, fights and crows again. A rousing battle is held and Captain Hook is defeated in an uncanny way: he's swallowed by an "alligator clock."

Steven Spielberg does an excellent job directing, bringing the element of fantasy once again to a memorable movie. The all-star cast is wonderful as well. Robin Williams is fun and amusing as Peter, the man who finds the child in him again. Dustin Hoffman is a crafty and exuberant Hook and Julia Roberts is a spunky and feisty Tinkerbell. The one who steals the show is Bob Hoskins, who plays the comical sidekick of Captain Hook, Smee.

I highly recommend "Hook!" It is a movie for all ages. It magially entertains the young children and makes the adults feel like a kid again.

**Controversial "JFK" is Worth Seeing**

Anyone who was alive in the 1960's will never forget that fateful day in November, 1963, when President John F. Kennedy was assassinated in Dealey Plaza in Dallas, Texas. Lee Harvey Oswald was arrested for the murder of the President, and three days later, shot by Jack Ruby. This is what the history books have taught us over the years. But, what if Oswald didn't kill Kennedy? What if there was a conspiracy behind the assassination? These daring ideas are probed into by Academy Award winning director Oliver Stone in the fascinating and controversial movie, "JFK."

"JFK" is the story of New Orleans District Attorney Jim Garrison (Kevin Costner) and his investigation into who killed Kennedy. Garrison set out to find and to bring to trial the true assassins. There was a lot of evidence brought forth in the investigation that made Jim Garrison question if Oswald really acted alone or if he truly was a "patsy." Oliver Stone's flashbacks and the quick scenes of possible conspirators opened the minds of the audience as to the possibilities of who could have killed JFK. The probe into the assassination finally came to a peak with Garrison putting New Orleans businessman Clay Shaw on trial for the murder of President Kennedy. The theory was presented and the famous "one bullet" theory was discredited, and even with the viewing of the famous Zapruder film of the actual assassination, Clay Shaw was found not guilty.

**MEN'S BASKETBALL**

by Tim Zasada  
Staff Contributor

The Lions men's basketball season has been far from perfect. The team has faced problems like scoring droughts, lack of bench scoring, injuries, and eligibility. "We have gotten off to a rocky start," said sophomore guard Scott Henke.

However, the Lions stepped forward in their defeat of Central Methodist, 104-95. "That was a big win for our team," said Henke. "We had to beat them in their gym, and that's tough to do."

Central Methodist led the nation last year in team scoring, which makes the victory even more impressive. Six Lindenwood players recorded scores in double figures. Henke led the team with 30 points and Clint Bolser added 22 points.

The Lions are currently 5-8 and at the bottom of their conference. However, the improvement of backup center Kevin Tate and backup guard Chris Gude has the Lions hoping to become contenders for the conference title.

**Congratulations to the following athletes for honors earned on the field and in the classroom:**

- ALL-AMERICA SCHOLAR ATHLETES**
- Softball
- Nancy Cox
- Molly Keene
- Women's Soccer
- Cynthia Hagen
- Men's Soccer
- Brett Barger
- Women's Cross-Country
- Shelly Rinehart
- NSCAA ALL-AMERICAN**
- Women's Soccer
- Cynthia Hagen
- NAIA ALL-AMERICAN**
- Women's Soccer
- 2nd team--Amy Pryor
- Honorable mention--Cynthia Hagen, Krista Neidenbach
- Men's Soccer
- Honorable mention--Terry Berhorst, Kevin McDonough, Richard Hagar



The entire cast of "JFK" was brilliant, especially Kevin Costner and Tommy Lee Jones, who portrayed Clay Shaw. There is so much to absorb from this movie. For those who lived in the 1960's, it was as if the event was being re-lived again. For younger audiences, it is hard to believe that all of this could have taken place in our history. It truly shatters the emotions.

I highly recommend "JFK" to all those who would be interested in the truth from those who really knew what happened on November 22, 1963. It is a movie that should not be missed.

**LADY LIONS BASKETBALL**

by Stacey Worley  
Staff contributor

The Lindenwood Lady Lions basketball squad went home for Christmas with a 7-0 record. They traveled to Pensacola, Florida on January 1 to play in the University of West Florida New Year's Classic, which featured top teams across the nation in the NAIA division.

The Lions lost to Lee's McRae from North Carolina, as well as Harding and Henderson State, both from Arkansas. Despite dropping their record to 7-3, the team gained valuable experience from the trip.

Since then, the Lions are 3-2. They beat Calvary Bible College, Benedictine College, and conference rival McKendree. The Lions suffered defeats from the College of the Ozarks and Central Methodist College.

In the second half of the season, the team faces a tough conference schedule, the conference tournament, and district play.

Upcoming home games for the Lions are Feb. 1 at 5:30 against Rockhurst College and Feb. 3 at 6:00 against Culver-Stockton College.

**LIONS WRESTLING**

by Casey Zigler  
Staff Contributor

Lindenwood has seen another athletic team survive first year hardships. That team is the improved Lion wrestling team coached by Don Frazier. The team has faced many surprises and tragedies this year.

In the Lions' first year, they had quite a bit of talent with young kids and just a few veterans. Two national qualifiers came out of the first year squad. However, neither wrestler returned to the squad for a repeat performance.

Frazier recruited some of the top wrestlers in Missouri, along with some transfer and out of state recruits. These recruits included Dan Callahan, three-time state champion from Hazelwood West, Mark Sansone, Fort Zumwalt South; Rick Chalcraft, Hazelwood East; and Greg Hawks, a transfer from Forest Park.

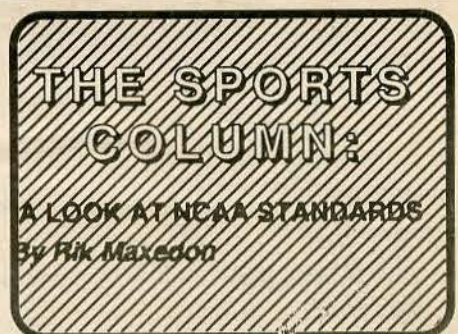
The wrestlers worked hard to prepare for the season. Weight training and cardiovascular training began in early September. Real practice started in October.

The Lions faced many tough opponents in the early going in some open tournaments with such national powers as Iowa, Oklahoma State, Nebraska, Iowa State, Notre Dame, and Missouri. However, the Lions showed their toughness by beating William Jewell and not losing a match.

At semester break, the team faced some hardships. A few of the wrestlers decided to transfer, some were injured, and others were declared academically ineligible.

A surprise for the Lions was 118 pounder Jon Michaels from St. Charles West. He is a freshman and at a very competitive weight. With a record of 13-10, Jon has wrestled his way into a leadership role, taking seventh place at the Midwest Classic Tournament in Indianapolis and third at the OlivetteNazerene Tiger Open. Another surprise was heavyweight Jason Myers. According to Frazier, Myers has a lot of potential.

Currently, the wrestlers are 3-4 in dual meets. Some upcoming tournaments could qualify the team for the national tournament. The Lions' next meet at home is Feb. 11 in Butler Gym vs. Olivette Nazerene College.



We have all heard the phrase "If this change can help just one person, then it will have succeeded." But, what if it hurts one or more students?

Recently, the NCAA passed a reform that will make it tougher for a freshman to be involved with athletics. The reform states that an incoming freshman must have a 2.5 grade point average--that's up from the current standard of 2.0. A student can offset a GPA between 2.0 and 2.5 with scores of 700 or above on the SAT or 17 or higher on the ACT. The legislation will be law for the 1995-96 scholastic season.

College athletes should be expected to perform in the classroom as well as on the basketball court. That premise is not in question here.

Let's take for example a young man from the city of St. Louis who wants desperately to go to college. Financial restraints make it impossible for him to pay for his schooling. This boy has two options. He can either work on his sport and become good enough to be offered an athletic scholarship or he can hit the books and be offered an academic scholarship.

It is not to say that an athletic scholarship is easier to come by than an academic one. It's that you have taken away an avenue for an underprivileged boy to attend college.

I can sit here at the word processor and spit out theories until my finger is numb. But, let's look at actual cases. LaPhonso Ellis, a senior at Notre Dame and native of East St. Louis, would have been a casualty of this new rule. Ellis failed to maintain the academic standards to play at Notre Dame. Consequently, he was forced to miss two semesters of basketball. However, as a compliment to the present system, he achieved a 3.15 GPA this past semester and will graduate this May. Ellis is a shoo-in for the NBA, yet he found the time to turn his life around and get a degree.

That is what the NCAA should be all about, getting degrees for kids that would not otherwise have the opportunity to get one.

The hypocrisy of the NCAA should also be examined. The NCAA operates publicly under the premise of students first, athletes second. While behind closed doors, they operate under the premise of athletes first, students second. Try turning to ESPN on a weeknight and not finding a basketball game. Try turning on any of the networks on Saturday afternoon and not finding a game. Try to find anything but college football on January 1. If these kids are students first and athletes second, why are there games that end at midnight on a weeknight?

Ultimately, this legislation will hurt more than it will help. There is a battle being waged between the NCAA and athletic departments. Unfortunately, both sides are more concerned with passing legislation in their favor than actually helping athletes become students.





# ACTIVITIES CALENDAR FEBRUARY 1992

Saturday, 2/1  
 Women's Basketball vs. Rockhurst, HOME, 5:30 p.m.  
 Wrestling vs. William Jewell, Away, 7:00 p.m.  
 Men's Basketball vs. Columbia, HOME, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, 2/2  
 High School Art Exhibit Reception 2-5 p.m.  
 Art Exhibit through February 26.

Monday, 2/3  
 Women's Basketball vs. Culver Stockton, HOME, 6:00 p.m.

Tuesday, 2/4  
 Men's/Women's Indoor Soccer-Begins.  
 LSG Meeting 9:30 p.m.

Wednesday, 2/5  
 ACE Meeting 10:00 Butler Hall.

Thursday, 2/6  
 Men's Basketball vs. Harris-Stowe, Away, 8:00 p.m.  
 Women's Basketball vs. Harris-Stowe, Away, 6:00 p.m.  
 Circle K Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Friday, 2/7

Saturday, 2/8  
 Wrestling in Tri-State Conference, Away, 9:00 a.m.

Men's Basketball vs. Missouri Baptist, Away, 8:00 p.m.  
 Women's Basketball vs. Missouri Baptist, Away, TBA.

Sunday, 2/9

Monday, 2/10  
 Men's Basketball vs. Central Methodist, HOME, 7:30 p.m.  
 Women's Basketball vs. Greenville, HOME, 7:30 p.m.  
 Board of Directors Meeting.  
 Men's/Women's Soccer-Opens.  
 Coed Volleyball Doubles-Open.

Tuesday, 2/11  
 Wrestling vs. MacMurray, HOME, 7:30 p.m.  
 JV Wrestling vs. MacMurray, HOME, 7:30 p.m.  
 LSG Meeting 9:30 p.m.

Wednesday, 2/12  
 Men's Basketball vs. Oakland City, Away, 7:00 p.m.  
 ACE Meeting 10:00.

Thursday, 2/13  
 Women's Basketball in Conference Tournament, Place TBA, Time TBA.  
 Circle K Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Friday, 2/14  
 HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY !!!!

Saturday, 2/15  
 Wrestling in NAIA districts at William Jewell College, TBA.  
 Women's Basketball in Conference Tournament, TBA.

Sunday, 2/16

Monday, 2/17  
 Women's Basketball vs. Park College, Away, 7:30 p.m.  
 Men's/Women's Bowling-Begins.

Tuesday, 2/18  
 Board of Overseers meeting and Faculty Appreciation Luncheon.  
 LSG Meeting 9:30 p.m.

Wednesday, 2/19  
 Women's Basketball vs. Blackburn, Away, 7:00 p.m.  
 ACE Meeting 10:00 Butler Hall.

Thursday, 2/20  
 JV Wrestling vs. Olivet Nazarene, Away, 7:00 p.m.  
 Men's Basketball vs. Columbia, Away, 7:30 p.m.  
 Circle K Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Friday, 2/21

Saturday, 2/22  
 Women's Basketball vs. Principia, HOME, 3:00 p.m.  
 Men's Basketball vs. Harris-Stowe, HOME, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, 2/23

Monday, 2/24  
 Coed Volleyball-Closed.  
 Tennis Doubles-Closed.

Tuesday, 2/25  
 Men's Basketball in Show Me State Collegiate Conference Tournament, Place TBA, Time TBA.  
 LSG Meeting 9:30.

Wednesday, 2/26  
 ACE Meeting, 10:00 p.m. Butler Hall.

Thursday, 2/27  
 "Summer and Smoke" 8:00 p.m. Jelkyl Theatre.  
 Men's Basketball in Show Me State Conference Tournament, Place TBA, Time TBA.  
 Circle K Meeting 6:30 p.m.

Friday, 2/28  
 "Summer and Smoke" 8:00 p.m. Jelkyl Theatre.

Saturday, 2/29  
 "Summer and Smoke" 8:00 p.m. Jelkyl Theatre.

## Hey, got a minute?

If you are a Christian, and interested in working with area high schoolers, we could really use ya!  
 We're looking for dedicated volunteers to gain lots of experience in youth ministry.  
 You name it, we need it. Call today for more info.

Contact Alvin Zamudio at (314) 949-4403



The youth group of Twin Rivers Community Church, St. Peters, Mo

### NEXUS : BLACK HISTORY MONTH OF EVENTS.

January 27-31: Order your Valentine Carnation--\$1.50

THROUGH-OUT THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY DID YOU KNOW POSTER WILL BE POSTED.

- February 3: Dramatic Presentation in Cafe'
- February 13: Bake Sale Butler Hall and Roemer Hall
- February 18: Fashion Show Young Auditorium
- February 28: Black History Party 9:00p.m.-1:00p.m.

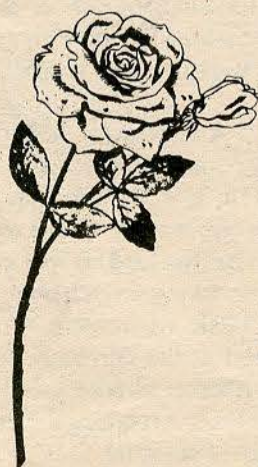
BUY YOUR SWEETHEART FLOWERS FOR VALENTINES DAY!

WE HAVE ROSES! WE HAVE CARNATIONS!

### AERho/N.B.S.

All students that are interested in communication and would like to become a member of The National Broadcasting Society/AERho: Meetings scheduled on Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m. in the M.A.B. Parlor. Anyone is welcome to come and visit our meeting. We have a lot planned for this semester including: a trip to our National Convention in Washington D.C., where Dan Quayle and Ted Koppel will be guest speakers.

For more information call: Ronda Gaines, President 946-8517 or Jim Wilson 949-4835.



### BOTH AT UNBELIEVABLE PRICES !!

SPONSORED BY NBS/AERho:  
PRE-ORDERED BEFORE FEBRUARY 1ST!

#### ROSES

- 1 ROSE----\$3.50
- 6 ROSES---\$15.00
- 12 ROSES--\$30.00

#### CARNATIONS (ASSORTED COLORS)

- 1 CARNATION-----\$1.00
- 6 CARNATIONS-----\$5.00
- 12 CARNATIONS---\$10.00

#### AFTER FEBRUARY 1ST!

- 1 ROSE----\$4.00
- 6 ROSES---\$18.00
- 12 ROSES--\$36.00

WE WILL BE IN THE CAFETERIA JANUARY 29, 30, & 31 BETWEEN 11:30-1:15 TO TAKE MONEY FOR PRE-ORDERS. THEN YOU CAN PICK UP YOUR FLOWERS ON FEBRUARY 12, 13 & 14 AND ALSO MAY PURCHASE FLOWERS AT THE AFTER FEBRUARY 1ST PRICE. PLEASE BRING STUDENT ID IF YOU WILL BE WRITING A CHECK.