

Friday, September 9, 2016

• Archbishop Carlson and President Michael Shonrock visited recently and discussed the wonderful things going on at Lindenwood. The Archbishop has invited Michael and Karen to his private residence for dinner in October.



- On August 25, the **Career Center** hosted the first ever Part-time job fair. Representatives from 22 local organizations were on hand to recruit students for part-time positions. May 2016 alumni Elisabeth Mann represented Ameristar Casino at the event. Elisabeth launched her career in human resources as a result of participating in last spring's career fair.
- The **Student Athlete Advisory Committee** sent a big "THANK YOU" to President Shonrock. To quote, "Besides making life here at Lindenwood, Like No Other, we'd like to thank you for welcoming all of us NCAA Student Athletes into the Lindenwood Family. We could not be more excited for the year ahead of us!"
- Check out the great article in the St. Louis Post Dispatch on our own Connor Harris, referred to as "The Heart of the Lions".
   <a href="http://www.stltoday.com/sports/college/lindenwood-s-harris-is-heart-of-the-lions/article\_e7fb3e8b-b19c-589d-a5a0-b26ef226dd26.html">http://www.stltoday.com/sports/college/lindenwood-s-harris-is-heart-of-the-lions/article\_e7fb3e8b-b19c-589d-a5a0-b26ef226dd26.html</a>

- **Men's Water Polo** swept all four games played at the Victors Championships, hosted by the University of Michigan August 27-28 at the Donald B. Canham Natatorium in Ann Arbor, Michigan.
- The **24**<sup>th</sup> **Annual Lou Brock Golf Classic** teed off on August 29 at Whitmoor Country Club in Weldon Springs, Missouri. One hundred and eighty golfers took part in the event, which benefitted the Lou Brock Scholarship Fund and Lindenwood University Athletics.



- Lindenwood University Vice President for Intercollegiate Athletics, Brad Wachler announced that **Jimmy Rollins** has been named the new head coach of the **Lions Wrestling** program. Rollins has been an assistant coach for the Lions for the last five seasons.
- The **Lutheran Student Union Bible Study** is held every Tuesday evening from 7:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m.

- The Lindenwood **Sports Hall of Fame** will celebrate its 10th induction ceremony Saturday, October 22, 2016 with one of the largest classes in the program's history. A total of 13 inductees will go into the Hall of Fame, including six student-athletes, two coaches, and five teams.
- With a come-from-behind 26-10 victory over Arizona State, Men's Rugby captured the 2016 Red Bull Uni 7's Cup at Infinity Park in Denver, Colorado.

- The **Women's Volleyball** team hosted a six-team Lindenwood Invitational at Hyland Arena.
- The Lindenwood University **Belleville** campus has recently partnered with **Vandalia Bus Lines**, to promote our athletics programs. So, if you see these busses along the interstates and highways, be sure to honk and show your Lindenwood support!



- All Lindenwood faculty and staff are welcome to fellowship and study at a weekly **Bible Study**! The approach is non-denominational, informal and deductive. Bible study meets each Tuesday from 11:45 a.m.-1:00 p.m. in the Dining Room at Evans Commons.
- The **Office of Institutional Effectiveness** is pleased to welcome two new staff members: **Peter Weitzel**, Director of Institutional Research, began employment on July 1, and **Mike Leary**, Director of the Institutional Review Board, began employment on August 15.
- Lindenwood University's **School of Education** has been ranked 19<sup>th</sup> in the country for its Educational Leadership program by Teacher.org an organization that serves as a resource for teachers and those interested in the teaching profession.
- Qdoba exceeded their first week sales goals by 10% and Chick-Fil-A did the same by 8%. Of the two, Qdoba had higher first week sales by \$250.

- The Lindenwood **Football Team** opened the 2016 season with a 49-26 win over Central Oklahoma. The Lions trailed by seven at halftime, but outscored the Bronchos 36-6 in the second half.
- President Shonrock has invited all employees and their families to join in the fun on **Lindenwood Family Day**, September 24, 2016. Family activities includes a Kid's Corner, various sporting events, festivals, an ice cream social, and a special showing of the Jungle Book!
  For details about the events and times, please go to: <a href="http://www.lindenwood.edu/familyday/">http://www.lindenwood.edu/familyday/</a>
- Matt's Café, located on the bottom floor of Old Main Hall at Lindenwood University Belleville, recently had a ribbon cutting reopening for students, faculty, and staff offering expanded space and new food and beverage options.



 Click the link below to the short film directed by our alumna from Colombia, Ana Isabel Castillo Betancur.
 <a href="http://officiallatino.com/confinement-by-ana-isabel-castillo-betancur/">http://officiallatino.com/confinement-by-ana-isabel-castillo-betancur/</a>

- Lindenwood University's "Eye on Education" TV show, titled *Starting Over: Accreditation and Assessment*, will be the topic of the **Missouri Association of School Administrators** (MASA), and the recommendation for the Missouri School District Accreditation and Assessment. At MASA's request, after the show is taped, Lindenwood will post the show on YouTube for everyone to access. Every school district in Missouri will be able to access the information on the recommendations for new accreditations system. Literally thousands of Missourians will be coming to Lindenwood via YouTube!
- Looking for information on Lindenwood's sports teams? Visit <a href="www.lindenwoodlionssls.com">www.lindenwoodlionssls.com</a> for information on all Lindenwoodlions.com for information on Lindenwoodlions.com sports. Go Lions!!!
- Director of Student Life Sports Mike Elam has announced Josh Macy as the new head coach of the Men's Rugby program, and Chelsea Wipfler as the new Synchronized Skating coach.
- The **Student Counseling and Resource Center** (SCRC) provides free confidential services including individual counseling, group counseling, career testing, and consultations to help with a variety of challenges such as stress, anxiety, depression, and deadlines.
- While working with advanced features in **Canvas**, Assistant Professor Mary Ruettgers Ed.D., contacted the Canvas helpline and received excellent support. A representative was patient and helpful as he walked her through the advanced settings options to reach the desired outcomes. Overall, it was a great experience! We are looking forward to other Canvas features to better serve students!

- The Lindenwood Swimming & Diving Team is doing an <u>online Under Armour fundraiser</u> that is open until September 12. Proceeds will go toward benefiting our student athletes. <u>The access code is "lions4C9T"</u> Go Lions!
- The Lindenwood **Men's Soccer** team opened its 2016 campaign with a 2-1 victory at the Missouri St. Louis Tritons.
- Dr. Andrew Ball, Assistant Professor and Humanities Program Director in the School of Accelerated Degree Programs, had his review of Levi R. Bryant's book *Onto-Cartography: An Ontology of Machines and Media* published in the August issue of the peer-reviewed journal, *Philosophy in Review* (available online: <a href="https://journals.uvic.ca/index.php/pir">https://journals.uvic.ca/index.php/pir</a>).
- Carol Ross an International Business major with a minor in Sport Management and French was selected to receive the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP) Region V scholarship as the outstanding business student of the year. The award is through Delta Mu Delta which is the international honor society for business. Delta Mu Delta is a part of ACBSP.
- The **Cross Country** men defeated Truman State in a dual meet.
- The **Freshman Experience** speaker series started Tuesday, September 6 in the Scheidegger Center. Brandon Coserison and Stacie Zellin from the National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse, co-presented to 631 freshmen students about substance abuse and addiction. The topic tied in with the new online training module, AlcoholEdu through EverFi, is required of all students as part of the Freshman Experience curriculum.
- The MIAA released the **Women's Golf** preseason coach's poll for the upcoming 2016-2017 season. The Lady Lions were selected as the fourth-place team, finishing six points in front of fifth place Central Missouri.

- Former Lindenwood Men's Basketball star Stanislas Heili started his professional career this month as he started the preseason with the AL Saint-Priest Basketball club in France. Saint-Priest, France is located in eastern France and is a suburb of the city of Lyon.
- The Coordinating Board for Higher Education has awarded Dr.
   David Russell the title of commissioner emeritus in recognition of his contributions to higher education in Missouri. The news release,
   Coordinating Board for Higher Education honors former commissioner with emeritus title, has been issued by the Department of Higher Education.

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