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## EXPERIENCE



### **Spirit Rock**

Thanks to the hard work of Lindenwood Student Government and campus administration, we now have a spirit rock on campus between Hyland Arena and Hunter Stadium! This rock can be used by student organizations to advertise for upcoming events, recruitment new members, or to just show their Lindenwood pride!

### **Humanities Collaboration Symposium**

Enrollment Management and the School of Humanities recently joined to put on a Humanities Collaborations Symposium with Humanities faculty members from surrounding community colleges. They were able to discuss how to pair humanities degrees with professional degrees and the importance of this, etc. It was a great opportunity to create relationships!



### **First Students of Alpha Psi Lambda National**

Eight students recently became the first Lindenwood University members of [Alpha Psi Lambda National, Inc.](#) Founded in 1985 at The Ohio State University and affiliated with the National Association of Latino Fraternal Organizations. Alpha Psi Lambda is the Nation's First and Largest Co-ed Latino Fraternity.



### **Patterson-Mills Presents at Conference**

Dr. Sarah Patterson Mills, School of Education, was a primary panelist for a live webinar to Illinois Principal's Association Professional Development organization. Patterson-Mills created the content for the webinar and delivered the content with several current, past, and future Illinois School Counselor Association Presidents. The webinar was the first of its kind for the Illinois School Counselor Association.



### **Parrish Presents from New Book**

Gillian Parrish, assistant professor MFA in Writing program, presented work from her new book, *of rain and nettles wove* (Singing Horse Press), at the New Orleans Poetry Festival as part of a panel titled "Forms of Attention" that focused on contemplative approaches to writing.

### **Marrow Registry Drive for Student**



The Swimming & Diving team and Student Involvement hosted a bone marrow registry drive in honor of Travis Russo, a current student battling leukemia. Travis is double majoring in Exercise Science and Athletic Training, and a member of the swimming and diving and leadership competition teams. The goal of the drive was to add 75 donors to the registry. That goal was not only met but exceeded! 125 donors were added to the registry! We're "roaring" for you Travis!



### **Black and Gold Gala**

Lindenwood Student Government's annual Black and Gold Gala was held to honor all the hard work our student organizations do throughout the year. During the event, students were able to mingle with Dr. Shonrock and other campus administration and also enjoyed great music put on by Lindenwood's own, faculty and staff band!



### **Pizza with Public Safety**

Public safety recently conducted their pizza with Public Safety event. The event took place at the LARC and had a great turnout! They made contact with over 100 students. They provided them with pizza, handouts on how to avoid being a victim of a crime, and gave them Lindenwood key chains & lanyards.



### **Evans Unlocked**

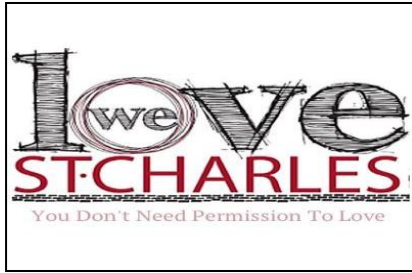
Campus Activities Board recently hosted a "Stranger Things" themed Evans Unlocked. Evans Commons was packed with students enjoying a game show, hypnotist, inflatables, glass etching, bingo, balloon artist, caricature artist, giant light bright, magician, escape room, human claw machine, prizes, giveaways and more!



### **Late Night Breakfast**

Campus Activities Board and Pedestal Foods joined forces for one of the most popular events of the year: Late Night Breakfast! Over 900 students enjoyed free breakfast from 10:00 Pm -12:00 AM on Monday, April 30. A DJ, Coffee Bar, Pepsi Sampling, and Selfie Photo Booth were all a part of the entertaining evening.





### **Linedwood Yard Sale**

The first annual yard sale hosted by Residential Life happened on April 28! There was a variety of furniture, decorations, household items and clothing sold to students and members of the community at an affordable price. Items left over and proceeds from the event were donated to We Love St. Charles.



### **Academic Technology Services Offering Workshops**

Academic Technology Services is now offering workshops for Lindenwood employees. They will be offering a variety of tech topics to help employees with their daily work activities. Each session is 30-45 minutes, and employees will earn a certificate with each attendance. [Here](#) is the catalog for the workshops that are being offered this summer.



### **Student Presents at Symposium**

School of Humanities student and administrative assistant, Kaitlyn Centini (Religion, History, and Art History, '19), recently presented at the Fourth Annual Jesuit Research Student Symposium at the Jesuit Archives & Research Center. She lectured on "Matteo Ricci: Leader of the Jesuit Mission in China," and participated in Q&A and in the concluding roundtable discussion. Drs McMaken and Torbitzky, Religion, along with other School of Humanities students, attended the symposium.



### **Theis as Presenter**

Jeanie Theis, Dept. of Public Affairs and Administration, presented the results of her recent research at the annual conference of the Minnesota Association for Treatment of Sex Abusers. The title of her research presentation was *Sex Offenders on Federal Supervision: Predictors of Contact Offending*. On the same day, two alumnae who assisted with this research, Kayleb Adams-DeRousse (BA, May '16, and Joshua Johnson, BA, December '17) presented the same findings in a poster presentation at a conference put on by the Massachusetts Association for the Treatment of Sex Abusers, in Boston, MA.



### Women's Golf Concludes MIAA Play

The women's golf team finished in second place at the MIAA Championships. The Lions have now had three top-two finishes in the last four MIAA Championship Tournaments dating back to the 2014-15 season. The Lions are the seventh-ranked team in the NCAA Central Region, with the top 12 teams qualifying for the regional tournament.



### Football's Offense Wins Competitive Spring Game

The football team held its annual spring game at Hunter Stadium. [The offense prevailed](#) by winning three of the five sessions that the team held. The spring game concludes Lindenwood's practice sessions for the spring season. They will return to the field for their season opener on August 30 against Washburn University.



### Ace Rogers Earns Invitation To Raiders Minicamp

Former football player Ace Rogers will get a chance to [earn a spot in the NFL](#) after he earned an invitation to the upcoming Oakland Raiders minicamp. Rogers is the third Lindenwood football player that will attempt to make a NFL team in 2018. Pierre Desir recently resigned with the Indianapolis Colts, and Connor Harris is currently with the Cincinnati Bengals.



### Admitted Student Preview Day

Admitted Student Preview Day was a huge success! Faculty and staff members teamed up to provide a more in-depth look at life as a Lion! This event allowed admitted students to make themselves at home, to meet their professors, to confirm their residence assignment, and to enroll in their Like No Other Freshman Seminar!



### Collegiate Leadership Competition Team

The Collegiate Leadership Competition teams recently participated in the Ohio Valley Regional Competition. Lindenwood Black placed first in Overall Team Results and was also named the Overall Champion! Despite being down a member, Lindenwood Gold finished in fourth place. Congratulations to both teams!

### Leadership Award Winners

Student Involvement hosted the Fifth Annual Leadership Awards ceremony. Angie Royal, Director for Student Involvement shared some amazing facts from the past year. Over 10,000 hours of service were performed—up from 7,500 last year. Seven new student organizations were added, bringing the total number of organizations to 66, with a membership of 2,250, who hosted 1,928 events and meetings this year. A number of student leaders and organizations were honored for their accomplishments. For a list of the winners, [click here!](#)



### Staff Awards

Five staff members were recently recognized for at the All-Staff meeting for their exemplary service this year! The awardees were Nia Spencer, Kara Schilli, Kristin Trotter, Casey Finnell, and Scott Schulz. They won awards such as the “Like No Other” award, and the “Behind the Scenes” award. Thank you to these wonderful staff members!



### Geremy Carnes Publishes Essay

Geremy Carnes, Assistant Professor of English, [published an essay](#) titled "Eloisa to Abelard to Eloisa: English Catholics and the Development of Gothic Fiction" in *The Ways of Fiction: New Essays on the Literary Cultures of the Eighteenth Century*. This book is a volume focused on how the culture of the 18<sup>th</sup> Century shaped literature and how literature, in turn, influenced it.



### Published Humanities Professors

Congratulations to the Humanities professors who have published books this year! Here they are: Geremy Carnes (English), Ben Cooper (English), Melle Elmes (English), Steven Gietscher (History), W. Travis McMaken (Religion), Patrick O'Banion (History), and Jeffrey Smith (History). Congratulations to these wonderful professors!





### Give STL Day

Give STL Day is celebrating five years and is organized by the St. Louis Community Foundation. Give STL Day 2018 is a 24-hour online day-of-giving event designed to ignite the spirit of giving across the region and support causes in the St. Louis area. \$1,016 were raised for the Lion's Reserve!

### Olympic Team of the Games



The USA Women's Olympic Hockey team was announced as the "[Team of the Games](#)" award winner by the United States Olympic Committee! They were presented the award at the Team USA Awards presented by Dow, Best of the Games ceremony. Alumna Nicole Hensley is front and center in the photo!



### Women's Bowling Wins Title

For the first time since 2006, the women's bowling team [won the United States Bowling Congress Intercollegiate Team Championship](#) (ITC)! The Lady Lions defeated defending champion McKendree University three games to one in the best-of-five baker finals match to claim the national title.



### Olympic Weightlifting Wins National Championship

Olympic weightlifting [won its third straight coed title](#) at the 2018 USA Weightlifting University Nationals in Ogden, UT! The Lions earned 146 points overall to take the crown over second place Northern Michigan with 135 points.

### Women's Water Polo Wins Division Championship



Women's water polo won three games to capture the [Midwest Division Championship](#)! In doing so, the Lady Lions qualified for the Collegiate Water Polo Association (CWPA) National Collegiate Club Championship.



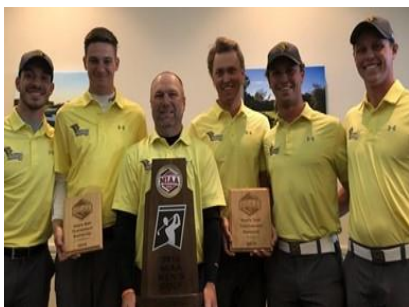
### Shotgun Sports Team Featured on KSDK

The Lindenwood University Shotgun Sports Team was the subject of a feature on KSDK-TV, channel 5 following its 15th consecutive national championship, which is a record in collegiate athletics for any sport at any level! Check out the full story [here!](#)



### Phenomenal Season for Women's Lacrosse

No.1 women's lacrosse had a conference-leading 10 selections for the Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference (RMAC) awards. Head coach Jack Cribbin was also selected as the RMAC [Coach of the Year!](#) Their season continues as they enter the RMAC Tournament as the No. 1 seed!



### Men's Golf Finish First at MIAA Championships

The men's golf team secured the [first MIAA Tournament championship in its program history](#) at the Sycamore Ridge Golf Course. The first-place finish at the event also boosted Lindenwood into first place in the MIAA team standings, helping the Lions capture the MIAA regular season title and earned them an automatic bid into the Central Region Tournament.



### Four Lions Earn All-MIAA Softball Honors

Lindenwood softball [placed four](#) on the All-MIAA softball teams. Sophomores Stormee Galka and Hanna Porter earned first team accolades, sophomore Austine Pauley is on the second team and freshman Megan Clark earned honorable mention plaudits.



### Baseball Handles Missouri S&T on Tuesday

The baseball team [won its final non-conference game](#) of the season over Missouri S&T by a final of 11-2. Lindenwood improves to 25-22 on the season while Missouri S&T drops to 21-24 on the year





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