

Linden Week

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REP. GEPHARDT TO KEYNOTE COMMENCEMENT - U.S. Congressman Richard A. Gephardt will deliver the address at the college's Spring Commencement, scheduled at 10 a.m., May 18 on campus. He will be awarded an Honorary Doctor of Laws degree at commencement.

Currently serving his fourth term, he was first elected to the House of Representatives in 1977 to serve the state's Third District, which includes Jefferson County and parts of St. Louis City and St. Louis County. Since then, he has worked closely with the House Democratic leadership, especially in the area of economic policy. Rep. Gephardt serves on the House Ways and Means Committee and its Social Security and Trade subcommittees, and is chairman of the House Democratic Caucus Steering and Policy Committee.

He graduated from Northwestern University with a degree in speech and from the University of Michigan Law School with a jurisprudence degree. Prior to Congress, he was a partner in a St. Louis law firm and served as Democratic committeeman and alderman from St. Louis' 14th Ward.

Commencement will take place in front of Sibley Hall; in case of inclement weather, it will be at the Lindenwood College Chapel of St. Charles Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. William G. Shoop, minister of Webster Groves Christian Church, is the scheduled speaker for baccalaureate, slated at 7:30 p.m. May 17 at the Lindenwood College Chapel.

VOLUNTARY FAST SLATED APRIL 25 - Students, faculty and staff are asked to give up lunch Thursday for a voluntary fast. Students who skip lunch can have the estimated cost of their meal (\$2) donated to Hunger Relief. The money will be channeled through the Food Service to a special account for Hunger Relief. Faculty, staff and commuter students are encouraged to forego lunch and make a donation equivalent to the cost of lunch in Ayres Cafeteria. Money raised by the fast will be earmarked to OXFAM, an international hunger relief agency, and to FISH, a local emergency food program. This Thursday's Hunger Awareness Fast is sponsored by the Religious Life Council in conjunction with colleges and universities throughout the country. More information on this worthwhile event can be obtained from the Rev. George Wilcox, campus chaplain, in Niccolls Hall.

PRESIDENT REAGAN APPOINTS FORMER STAFF MEMBER - Patricia Silversmith, former development director at Lindenwood, has been appointed by President Ronald Reagan to the National Council on Vocational Education, a 17-member advisory group formed to help instigate better vocational-educational programs. A 1952 graduate of Washington University, she has an MBA degree, awarded last year at Lindenwood College.

STUDIO LAB PRESENTATION APRIL 29-30 - The college's Studio Lab Theatre will present the play, "Vainities," by Jack Heifner April 29-30 at 7 p.m. in Room 101 of the FAB. The play focuses on three women and how their lives and relationships change and grow from high school days into adulthood. For further information on this free event, contact the Performing Arts Dept.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR PHONE-A-THON - The second phase of the Alumni Phone-a-Thon is under way, and volunteers are needed to man the phones and call nearly 2,500 alumni. Volunteers are needed today between 6:30-9 p.m. as well as the same time on evenings of April 25 and 28-30, and May 1, 5-8, 13-15 and 19-20. Students, faculty and staff who want to donate a few hours to this event should contact Esther Fenning at extension #317 or Jim Thompson at #320, coorganizers of the phone-a-thon.

FACULTY FORUM SET FRIDAY - "Africa, America & Enigma" is the title of a presentation to be given April 26 by Arthur E. Prell, Ph.D., chairman of the Business Administration Dept. and director of the college's Babcock Center. Open to all without charge, the presentation stems from Prell's recent travels to Africa and is part of the Faculty Forums. It begins at 4 p.m., preceded by a social hour from 3:15-4 p.m. in the Goodall Parlor of the MAB. Participants are encouraged to bring refreshments of their choice.

PRESIDENT TO KEYNOTE AFSL EVENT - President James I. Spainhower is the keynote speaker for the fourth Annual Scholarship Awards Banquet, sponsored by the Advertising Federation of St. Louis (AFSL). He is to address the subject, "How To Communicate Effectively in Today's Business Environment," at the banquet, scheduled April 22 at the Sappington House in St. Louis County. The AFSL is the organization of representatives of advertising, communications and public relations in the metro area. Its awards banquet provides scholarships to high school students pursuing advertising careers at colleges and universities. His keynote address was arranged through the college's Public Relations Office.

OPTOMETRY WORKSHOP SET FRIDAY - Students as well as faculty and staff members interested in careers in optometry are invited to a workshop April 26 at the UMSL School of Optometry from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Those who want to attend the session should call 553-6253 to register. Lindenwood has a pre-health program that prepares students for optometry school. Students can major in any area at Lindenwood as long as they complete pre-optometry requirements.

ORDER YOUR YEARBOOK TODAY - The Lindenwood Student Government (LSG) and the staff of the LINDEN LEAVES encourage you to order your copy of this year's yearbook today for your office or home. To do so, contact Box 542.

ADMISSIONS OFFICE SETS RECORD - Miriam King-Watts, dean of admissions, reports that a record has been set for the number of prospective students visiting campus in recent months. Since last September, 515 students visited Lindenwood with 107 of these students staying overnight.

She expresses a "thanks" to students, staff and faculty who have been a part of the recruitment efforts. "Our research shows that when a prospective student talks to people in the college community and becomes acquainted personally with the college through a visit, it is a positive major factor in his or her's college choice. King-Watts also expresses a special appreciation to President Spainhower for his commitment to recruiting and to the Admissions Office staff "for its hard work and personal sacrifice on behalf of the college."

MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND GREASE THOSE ELBOWS - President Spainhower has earmarked May 3 as the college's annual "Spring Cleanup." And, he's asking for student volunteers as well as faculty and staff members to donate a few hours to working on the campus grounds. The day-long event is designed to prepare the campus for spring commencement, set May 18 at 10 a.m. in front of Sibley. For volunteers, the college is "springing" for a free hot dog roast at noon May 3. Ayres will be closed and lunch will be served outside. But, you've got to volunteer a few hours of your time - to do so, call Jerry Rufkahr's office at extension #202 and sign up.

LSG ELECTS OFFICERS - Newly-elected officers of the Executive Council of the LSG are Amy McCracken, president; Lee Kling, vice-president; Mark Hopper, treasurer; Ashley Myers, College Life chairperson; Dominic Condellire, student activities chairperson; Denise Hakenwerth, academic chairperson; Lisa Shook, corresponding secretary; and Kim Stevens, recording secretary. Resident senators on the LSG Senate are Ellen Stecker, Doug Hoggatt and Sandy Spencer. Commuter senators include Sandra Rossi and Sami Hartmann, while at-large senators are Dave Tilden, Eric Carlson, Audrey Meyer and Kevin Kiner. All newly-elected officers will serve for the 1985-86 academic year.

GET \$1,100 IN VALUES FOR \$25 - KCLC invites student, faculty and staff to take advantage of the station's "More Power to You" coupon book. It contains coupons that offer exclusive discounts, free goods and special services on auto repair, health and beauty items, clothing, entertainment, dining and gifts. Valued at \$1,100, the book contains coupons from merchants in St. Charles and St. Louis counties. Proceeds from sales will be used to boost the station's power from 1,500 to 25,720 watts. The coupon book is priced at \$25. To order, call 947-8281, extension #260.

'A UNIQUE AND EXCITING EXPERIENCE' - "Box-Mao-Box" by Edward Albee is not a comedy nor a tragedy. In fact, it is not even a play. It is not presented on stage with bright lights and flashy costumes. There is no audience because there are no seats. You cannot watch it. It doesn't take place anywhere. Being presented as a performing arts studio May 5-6 at 7 p.m. in Room 213 of the FAB, "Box-Mao-Box" is not a lot of things. It is, however, a unique and exciting experience that will change your idea of what theatre is all about. For further information, contact the Performing Arts Dept. at extension #218.

HONORS DAY SET APRIL 28 AT JELKYL - All members of the college community are invited to join area residents and parents of Lindenwood students by attending the annual Honors Day, April 28 at 7 p.m. in Jelkyl Theatre. The program will recognize outstanding students who have excelled in academics, athletics and extra-curricular activities at Lindenwood College.

FASHION SHOWS SLATED SATURDAY - Lindenwood's Fashion Marketing Dept. is teaming with J.C. Penney Co. to sponsor two fashion shows at 1 and 3 p.m. April 27 at Penney's in Northwest Plaza. With Lindenwood students doing the modeling, the shows will feature everything from bridal gowns to sportswear and punk fashions, reports Lynn Moore, department chairman. There is no charge, and students, faculty and staff members are invited to the "Fashion Expo."

SPONSORSHIPS SOUGHT FOR DANCE-A-THON - Lindenwood is seeking sponsorships for its 20-hour Dance-a-Thon April 26-27 as a fund-raising project for the USA in Africa Foundation, the organization addressing the starvation crisis in Africa. Scheduled Friday night and Saturday afternoon and night in Butler Gym, the event is sponsored by the Circle K Club in conjunction with KWK Radio in St. Louis and KCLC on campus.

KWK will provide live broadcasts from 6 p.m. until midnight Friday. KWK disc jockeys taking part include Kris Kelley from 6-8 p.m., Scott Thrower from 8-10 p.m. and Dave McCann from 10 p.m. to midnight. KCLC will assist club members on Saturday and Sunday. The 40-member club hopes to raise \$500 through the sponsorship of individuals, couples and groups.

The idea for the Dance-a-Thon was inspired by the record, "We Are the World," written by Michael Jackson and Lionel Richie and produced by Quincy Jones. Featuring 46 American artists, the Columbia Records release has raised millions of dollars for the USA in Africa Foundation and the famine crisis in Africa. All proceeds from the Dance-a-Thon will be sent to the foundation. For further information, details on sponsorships and reservations, contact any member of the Circle K Club or Jim Thompson, club advisor, at extension #320.

STUDENT RECITAL IN SIBLEY - Voice students of Nancy Fleming will present a recital May 1 at 7:30 p.m. in Sibley Hall Chapel. Members of the college community are invited to attend this free event, which will feature musical selections ranging from both classical and popular repertoires. Students taking part in the recital include Lisa Albert, Joe Golden, Mary Graveman, Tina Hodits, Cindy Huse, Karen Long, Wes Morgenthaler, Laura Muckerman, Gail Payne, Dara Townsend, Wendy Whitworth and Jackie Wurm.

ALL OFFICES TO BE OPEN FOR GRADUATION - A reminder from President Spainhower that all college offices are to be open until noon on May 18 when Lindenwood holds its spring commencement beginning at 10 a.m. All faculty and staff members are to report for work Saturday morning. Volunteers are needed for a variety of jobs to prepare for graduation; if you interested in specific assignments, call Kris Cordes at extension #383.

Plans are almost finalized for this year's Spring Fling on the weekend of May 3-4. The LSG had planned for an exciting, fun-filled weekend with activities ranging from an outdoor movie and barbecues, faculty/student softball and street dances to live music, roller skating and game booths. You won't want to miss this annual Spring party!!!

Nominations for editing positions for the 1985-86 Yearbooks and Lindenworld are now being accepted through April 30. Remember... these publications are student-run. Without your interest we won't have them!!! Contact Liz Alexander for information at Box 133.

Interested in being a Peer Tutor for the 1985-86 year. Contact Ann Canale in the CAP Center for information. Yes, there is financial remuneration!

Drop by the Lindenwood Student Government (LSG) office in the Student Center. Our new extension is Box 394 so give us a call!

Take advantage of another means of college communication provided by the Lindenwood Student Government Publicize your groups' activities on the new kiosks around the campus. Submit all items directly to the LSG at Box 634. Only those materials with the LSG Stamp will be posted.