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THE PRESIDENT'S PREFACE . . . . . For all faculty, administration and staff, the following is the program of events for this year's Baccalaureate and Commencement.

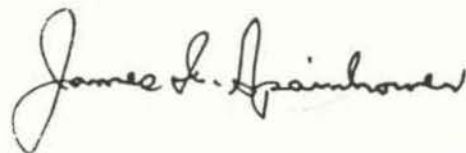
On Wednesday, May 14, from 3-4:30 p.m. on the front steps of Roemer Hall will be Baccalaureate and Commencement rehearsal. In case of rain, it will be held in the Fellowship Hall of St. Charles Presbyterian Church.

On Friday, May 16, at 7:30 p.m., Baccalaureate in the Lindenwood College of St. Charles Presbyterian Church, Gamble and Sibley streets, with the Rev. Edward L. Salmon, Jr., minister of the Church of St. Michael and St. George in St. Louis. Immediately following, the Alumni Association will host a reception in the FAB for seniors, their families and guests. All faculty and staff members are invited to attend this reception.

On Saturday, May 17, at 10 a.m., Spring Commencement on campus in front of Sibley Hall featuring federal Judge William L. Hungate as speaker. A reception on the campus quadrangle will follow commencement. In case of rain, commencement will be held in the Lindenwood College Chapel and the reception in Fellowship Hall of St. Charles Presbyterian Church.

I also want to remind all employees that all college will be open from 8:30 a.m. until noon the day of Commencement. There will be no compensatory time granted, and the administration appreciates the time given for this special, once-a-year event.

All employees are requested to park in Lot H across from the stadium where they will be shuttled to the Roemer Hall parking lot. Parking in faculty and staff lots, particularly Roemer Hall, is reserved for graduates, their families and guests attending Spring Commencement.



LINDENWOOD BOOSTER CAMPAIGN BEGINS - As part of the college's Partnership Campaign to raise \$100,000 from the local community, the Lindenwood Booster Campaign has been launched for all area merchants who provide specific goods and services to the college. According to Director of Development Jim Thompson, the campaign is targeted to smaller businesses in the county, "those that provide specific services, such as restaurants, clothing stores, novelty and specialty shops."



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Any business that donates \$50 or more to the college will receive a red-colored decal that can be adhered to store windows. In addition, the business will be listed in college publications, such as the LINDEN WORD, which includes a large local readership.

The campaign is part of the Partnership Campaign being coordinated by the St. Charles Associates, a group of business and civic leaders that has thus far raised about 80 percent of its \$100,000 goal in cash and pledges for the 1985-86 academic year. For further information on the Lindenwood Booster Campaign, contact Thompson or the Development Office at extension 338.

MCCRACKEN RECEIVES MERIT AWARD - Amy McCracken of Florissant, a senior who'll graduate next week, is the first recipient of the President's Council Award of Special Merit, a newly-established citation that recognizes outstanding service to the college. McCracken serves as president of the LSG, and guided the group in its reorganization in 1984. She has been a member of the women's soccer team for four years and the women's softball team for three. She also serves as treasurer of McCluer Hall and as secretary of the "Year of the Professor" Committee, the administrative body planning next year's faculty recognition observance. McCracken will receive a B.A. degree in psychology May 17.

JOBS, JOBS, AND MORE JOBS! - The Placement Office has received an overwhelming response to its recent mailing to area businesses regarding summer jobs for Lindenwood students, reports Donna Bennett. About 35 employers have contacted the college, offering the availability of more than 200 jobs. If you're looking for summer employment, contact the CAP Center in Niccolls Hall for further information.

BORNMAN CHALLENGES COLLEAGUES - As a means of strengthening scholarships for pre-health students at Lindenwood, John A. Bornmann is challenging his colleagues to help raise funds for the Crider Pre-Health Professional Scholarship at Lindenwood. At last week's faculty session, Bornmann, professor of chemistry, asked faculty members to donate to the fund to achieve a goal of \$500. "I will contribute \$1 for every \$2 raised, up to a maximum of \$500," he said. "This might be the time for some of you to say, 'Let's stick it to Jack and donate,' but I'm doing this solely as a means of attracting more students like the calibre of outstanding ones we've had in recent years."

Following his remarks, President Spainhower commented on his generous offer and said, "If faculty members can achieve the \$500 goal, I will make a personal contribution of \$500 which, along with Dr. Bornmann's, could provide \$1,500 in scholarship assistance for our pre-health students."

The fund was established in 1985 by Bornmann. It is named for Dr. Russell J. Crider of St. Charles, a former member of the Lindenwood College Board of Directors. The fund is for students in pre-professional programs, such as pre-medical, pre-dental, pre-optometry and pre-veterinary.

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FACULTY COMMITTEE ELECTION RESULTS - Committee elections were held at last week's faculty meeting, and a number of new faces will appear on 1986-87 committees. They include Jan MacMahon and Wanita Zumbrennen, who were elected to two-year terms on the Faculty Council; C. Edward Balog, who was elected to a three-year term as the Social Science representative on the Educational Policies Committee; John Dooley, Richard Rickert and Jean Taylor, each elected to a one-year term on the Academic Resources Committee; John Wehmer, John Dooley and Ray Scupin, who were elected to one-year terms on the Special Terms Committee as the Humanities, Natural Science and Social Science divisions representatives, respectively; Bill Tietjen and Jim Wilson, each elected to a two-year term on the Admissions and Financial Aid Committee; Ray Ayyagari and Jean Taylor, each elected to a two-year term on the Lectures and Concerts Committee; Jan Czapla and Zumbrennen, each elected to a one-year term on the Athletic Committee; Edith Graber to a two-year term on the Faculty Board Liaison Committee; Moheb Nasr and Ray Scupin, each elected to a one-year term on the Academic Grievance Committee; Bob King to a one-year term on the Budget Review Committee; Bruce Longworth and Dominic Soda, each elected to a one-year term on the College Life Advisory Committee; and Susie Sakahara as a replacement on the College Judicial Board (CJB), Alan Shiller as a CJB member from 1986-87, and Solon Chervitz as the CJB member in 1987.

NEWSLETTER GOES BIWEEKLY MAY 13 - The publication of the "Linden Weekly Communique" switches to biweekly frequency next week, resuming weekly status in the fall. Editorial submissions deadlines remain the same - by 9 a.m. Monday for Tuesday's publication. The newsletter will be published May 13 and 27; June 7 and 21; July 8 and 22; August 5 and 19; and September 2 and 16, the day "Communique" resumes weekly frequency. As it enters its fifth year of publication, the newsletter will be redesigned this summer to better serve Lindenwood's internal communicative needs. We invite your suggestions and comments on the upcoming redesign.

TEACHER RECRUITING MAY 12-14 - Harris-Stowe College will host Senior Interviews next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for teachers. Personnel directors from various school districts will be at the college to interview spring graduates, including Lindenwood ones. Eligible students and graduates who want to arrange an interview time should contact Harris-Stowe at 533-3366, asking for Ms. Pippins or Lisa, for an appointment. If you want to know the districts that will be participating next week, contact Donna Bennett at the CAP Center, extension 307.

SCUPIN IS AUTHOR OF PUBLISHED ESSAY - Ray U. Scupin, assistant professor of anthropology, is the author of an essay on Thailand which appears in the current issue of CROSSROADS, an interdisciplinary journal of Southeast Asian studies. The essay, entitled "Thailand as a Plural Society: Ethnic Interaction in a Buddhist Kingdom," is among more than a dozen that Scupin has written on topics dealing with the economics, politics, ethnicity, culture and religion in Southeast Asia. A graduate of UCLA who holds a doctorate from the University of California at Santa Barbara, Scupin also is working on a book that will analyze Islamic trends in Southeast Asia.



TUITION REDUCTION FOR TEACHERS - Know of a friend, acquaintance or family member who is a certified teacher? Then, you might inform them that elementary and secondary teachers under contract in Missouri schools can receive a 44% tuition reduction for graduate instruction this summer at Lindenwood. A reduction of up to \$75 per credit hour is available for summer graduate instruction as opposed to the regular fee of \$170. According to Gene M. Henderson, chairman of the Education Dept., the reduction will enable teachers to begin, continue or complete studies for graduate degrees.

"Teachers can earn their master's degree at Lindenwood at a greatly-reduced cost and increase their annual salary," he said. "During the next 10 years after graduation, the earning power of teachers with their graduate degree is nearly \$12,000 more than those with only undergraduate degrees."

To find out about the reduction and the more than 20 graduate courses that will be offered this summer, contact the Education Dept. at extension 356.

NEW BOOKS AT BUTLER - Recently-purchased books at Butler Memorial Library include THE HAJ by Leon Uris, GREED AND GLORY ON WALL STREET: THE FALL OF THE HOUSE OF LEHMAN by Ken Auletta, THE PRESIDENTS: A REFERENCE HISTORY and the INTERNATIONAL DICTIONARY OF FILMS AND FILMMAKERS by Christopher Lyon.

VALUATION SCIENCES PLANNING - Fifteen appraisers from throughout the country, all members of the American Society of Appraisers (ASA), met last weekend at Lindenwood to assist in expanding the college's Valuation Sciences Program. ASA members have contributed more than \$20,000 in contributions and time to assist in the program, which offers undergraduate and graduate degrees in valuation sciences. The program is being expanded nationally this year, and it will be used for upgrading the education and training of ASA members throughout the country. Lindenwood faculty members taking part in the recent session, one of a series of national planning sessions, included Richard Rickert, director of the Valuation Sciences Program, and Patricia Soucy, an adjunct professor of valuation sciences who chaired the session. Other ASA members represented specialty areas in personal property, real estate, gems and jewelry, business and machinery and equipment appraisal.

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