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MEMO TO FACULTY AND STAFF - "We've completed another wonderful Commencement. I was afraid for a while that we were not going to escape a downpour, but we did! I have received all kinds of favorable comments about the Baccalaureate and Commencement services, and I want each one who assisted with preparations for these services to know how grateful Lindenwood is for your commitment and assistance. You are a great group of people. The college is fortunate to have such a fine and dedicated group of employees - James I. Spainhower, President.

ELMENDORF RECEIVES 'SIBLEY MEDALLION' - Henry J. Elmendorf, a well-known civic leader and member of the board of directors, is the recipient of the college's first "Sibley Medallion of Honor," an award that honors an individual whose dedication to the community has created a strong friendship with Lindenwood. Elmendorf and his wife, Ethel, were honored at a gala dinner earlier this month by the Lindenwood 1,000 Club. He was presented the award by President Spainhower following a "roast" by a number of community leaders.

In citing Elmendorf, a member of the board since 1982, Spainhower said, "Henry is a loyal friend who has supported Lindenwood through some very good times and some very rough times as well. His conscientious assistance and leadership make him the first recipient of the Sibley Medallion of Honor."

HOOD CITED FOR 25 YEARS OF SERVICE - James F. Hood, professor of history, received a standing ovation from nearly 2,000 people attending commencement after being honored for 25 years of service. President Spainhower utilized the May 17 event to cite Hood for "his untiring dedication and service to the college." He also announced that the 57-year-old Hood would serve as Special Assistant to the President in addition to his faculty status.

On the recommendation of Spainhower, the college's board of directors voted to elect him to the newly-created position. "This appointment provides visible evidence of the high esteem in which Dr. Hood is held by the entire Lindenwood community," Spainhower said. In the position, one of his first tasks will be to work with ~~representatives of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools~~ on an upcoming field study for accreditation, scheduled for 1987.

Hood, who is noted for his wry sense of humor and quick wit, is considered one of the most popular professors at the college. Joining Lindenwood in 1961 after serving as associate professor at Northeast Missouri State, he has served under five presidents in a variety of academic and administrative capacities in addition to teaching.

FLEMING'S WORK TO BE PUBLISHED - Nancy P. Fleming was awarded a Doctor of Musical Arts degree Sunday at the University of Illinois in Urbana-Champaign. The topic of her dissertation is "Rossini's PETITE MESSE SOLENNELLE," a piece written in 1864 which was Rossini's last major work. It is a setting of the Roman Catholic Mass Ordinary for chorus, four soloists, two pianos and harmonium. The work has suffered particularly from poor editions, and, as a result of her research, Fleming has negotiated a contract with Oxford University Press to prepare the first accurate performing edition of the PETITE MESSE SOLENNELLE.

BINDER TO THE RESCUE - The recent Honor's Day could have been a messy event if it wasn't for the actions of Paul Binder of the Audiovisual Dept. A main water line to one of Roemer Hall's vending machines ruptured, spilling water onto the lower hall. While awaiting emergency maintenance, Binder took action. He reached behind the machine and repaired the leak, thus saving carpet and wall damage to adjacent offices and a messy situation for Honor's Day guests. When told of the incident by Hans Levi, President Spainhower wrote, "I concur with Hans that such action is indeed commendatory, and the purpose of this letter is to say thanks on behalf of the entire college."

PASS OUT THE CIGARS - Mandy Marie is the name of the daughter of Public Relations Director Randy L. Wallick and his wife, Donna. Born May 14th at St. Anthony's Medical Center, she weighed 8 pounds and was 21 1/2 inches long at the 8:52 p.m. birth. Mandy was born on the same date as the Mehlville couple's other child, Kyle Jonathon. "I figured I had 'timed' the perfect first birthday gift for 'KJ' with a baby sister," Wallick said, "but he's voiced no distinguishable words of excitement for the birth as of yet." Donna received her M.A. in Education from Lindenwood May 17.

LCIE STUDENT WINS SCHOLARSHIP - The St. Louis chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences (NATAS) has awarded a \$500 scholarship to Carole L. Knight of St. Charles, an LCIE undergraduate majoring in communications. She will receive the award at the NATAS' 1986 Emmy Show, June 7 at the Adam's Mark Hotel. Knight serves as an associate producer for this year's 10th anniversary Emmy Show, which will celebrate the NATAS' 25th anniversary.

"Carole is a conscientious worker," said Peter Carlos, LCIE faculty advisor, "and she is one of the most talented students I have taught in my six years at Lindenwood." Knight, who has worked for Hardcastle Films and Maritz Motivation, has served as a production assistant on KSDK-TV's "Show Me 5" commercials and has been involved with several short films and an industrial video for Anheuser-Busch's Promotional Products Group.

OOPS, WE GOOFED . . . - Inaccurate information was secured from the college catalog concerning the item about tenure of Suzanne A. Sakahara which appeared in the last newsletter. Sakahara, assistant professor of English and communications, received tenure by the ~~administration based upon a recent recommendation of the Faculty Council.~~

THE ONLY WAY TO CALL IS TO CALL CORRECT - Lindenwood has installed a Com-Link 21 system to allow direct-dial for long-distance telephone calls and to eliminate the need for Switchboard assistance in placing calls. The new system automatically will attribute calls to faculty and staff who place long-distance calls. For those who have been provided with access codes for the Com-Link 21 system, you should dial 1, the area code, the phone number and the five-digit access code last. If you have any questions about the new system, contact the Switchboard.

SATURDAY HOURS FOR CAP CENTER - The CAP Center will be open one Saturday each month during the summer from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in addition to its regular Monday-Friday office hours of 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Dates are June 14, July 12 and August 9. Students, faculty, staff and recent graduates are invited to take advantage of the CAP Center's extended service hours.

ATTIC SALE SET JUNE 7 - Faculty and staff members are asked to donate used books for "Mrs. Sibley's Attic Sale," the annual fund-raising event of the St. Charles Lindenwood Alumni Club. This year's sale, slated June 7 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on campus, will feature antiques, arts and crafts and flea-market items. Proceeds from space rentals and food and drink will be earmarked to the Jack Carney Memorial Scholarship Fund for communications majors at Lindenwood.

Used books can be dropped at Esther Fenning's office in the MAB daily from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. A few spaces still remain, available for \$10, for those who want to sell merchandise. For further information, contact Fenning at extension 317 or Anne Pals, attic sale chairperson, at 946-3666.

EMERITUS STATUS AWARDED TO HUESEMANN - Jeanne Huesemann, associate professor of mathematics, was awarded the title of professor emeritus at Spring Commencement. Huesemann, who had the longest tenure of any college employee, retired this month after serving 29 years on the Lindenwood faculty. A 1943 graduate of Lindenwood, she holds master's degrees from Washington University and Utah State University. Prior to joining the faculty in 1957, she was a math teacher at St. Charles High and a lab assistant at Otterbein College in Westerville, OH.

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