



**March 2, 2018**

## **Today's Headlines**

### **Staff Evaluations**

It is that time of year again! The staff [self-evaluation phase](#) is now open. Staff now have one month to continue uploading evidence and complete the self-evaluation before meeting with their supervisors from April 1-15. For assistance, please email [EvalSoftware@lindenwood.edu](mailto:EvalSoftware@lindenwood.edu).

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### **Diversity Dialogue: How to Address Opposition to LGBTQ Rights: Red States and Beyond**

The Office of Student Life & Diversity and the DEI Task Force are sponsoring a [Diversity Dialogue](#) on Thursday, March 22 at 3:30 p.m. in Dunseth Auditorium, Harmon Hall. The dialogue will be moderated by Christopher Miofsky, assistant director of student involvement/Greek life. The panelists are Ariel Page (Lindenwood University student), Dr. Amy Estuland (assistant professor of Public Health), Mandi Kowalski, (PROMO field organization), and Steve L. McLeLemore, (assistant vice president of learning and development, Abott Downing).

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### **Assessment Tip of the Week: "Retention, Persistence, and Graduation Rates"**

Click [here](#) if you would like to learn more about retention, persistence, and graduation rates at Lindenwood University. In the document, you will find an historical review of these rates for the Lindenwood System, Lindenwood-Missouri, and Lindenwood-Illinois. You will also find a series of tables comparing Lindenwood to a number of other institutions on retention and graduation rates. [Read more](#)

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### **Camp Read-A-Lot Registration Open for Faculty and Staff**

Camp Read-A-Lot registration for faculty and staff is now open!

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/camp-read-a-lot-2018-tickets-42040974687>

Please contact Dr. Jill Hutcheson (636) 627-2950, if you have any questions.

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### **Lindenwood Plaster School of Business Students Volunteer at Event**

Students in the Lindenwood Plaster School of Business and Entrepreneurship HR Club will be volunteering at the Strong Tower Ranch benefit banquet at Dardenne Presbyterian Church, 7400 South Outer 364, Dardenne Prairie, Mo. 63368. Strong Tower Ranch provides equine therapy for children in need. Tickets available at <http://stranch.org/strong-tower-experience/>.

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### **Excused Absences**

Please excuse the following students from all classes from Tuesday, March 6-Friday, March 9. They will be attending the SETC (South Eastern Theatre Conference) conference in Mobile, AL. If you have any questions, please let me know.

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Collin Borisenko	Kaitlynn Ferris	Hunter Fredrick
Sarah Hovenga	Brianna Howard	Abigail Lewis
Duncan Phillips	Kevin Proemsey	Melanie Scranton
Jacob Sellers	Grace Tritsch	Katherine Wilhelm
Jordan Wolk	Lauren Young	

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### **Student Research Conference 2018 Open for Student Submissions**

The Student Research Conference is a forum for students to display their scholarly and creative projects to Lindenwood students and faculty. [Read more](#)

### **Student Research Conference-- Faculty Recommendations**

Faculty members may nominate students who are working on or who have completed original research papers or creative projects to participate in the Student Research Conference. [Read more](#)

### **Faculty Judges Needed for Student Research Conference – We Need You!**

It is that time of the year again, where we ask faculty and staff to participate and volunteer with the Student Research Conference. If you are interested in volunteering to be a judge for student projects and presentations at this year's

Student Research Conference, please fill out [this form](#) to let us know when you are available.

We will contact judges after March 20 with further information and judging assignments. The Student Research Conference is Wednesday, April 18, from noon-6:30 p.m. in the Spellmann Center. Please put the Student Research Conference on your to-do list. We would really appreciate it. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact [SRC@lindenwood.edu](mailto:SRC@lindenwood.edu)

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## Library Services Spring Break Hours

Saturday Mar. 10	9:30 a.m - 3 p.m.
Sunday Mar.11	2 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Monday Mar.12 - Friday Mar. 16	7:30 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Saturday Mar. 17	9:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Sunday Mar.18	2 p.m. - 12 a.m.

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THIRD FLOOR TRACK SPRING BREAK HOURS

SATURDAY 3/10– SUNDAY 3/11: 10:00 A.M.-10:00 P.M.

MONDAY 3/12– THURSDAY 3/15: 7:00 A.M.-7:00 P.M.

FRIDAY 3/16: CLOSED

SATURDAY 3/17– SUNDAY 3/18: 10:00 A.M.-10:00 P.M.

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## Recent Editions

[The Digest archive](#)

[Belleville Digest archive](#)

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## Events and Deadlines

- **Each Tuesday and Thursday:** [Lindenwell Yoga](#)
- **Through March 9:** [Classroom of the Future Sessions](#)
- **Through March 22:** [Photo Op](#) Gallery Exhibition
- **Through April 4:** [Academic Technology Services Workshops](#)
- **March 3:** [Spring Music Series](#)
- **March 5:** Goldfarb School of Nursing Q&A Panel Discussion noon-1 p.m. in Dunseth Auditorium.
- **March 5:** Faculty Colloquium: See the [flier](#) and [abstracts](#)
- **March 5:** [Safe Zone Training](#)
- **March 6:** [Safe Zone Training](#)
- **March 6:** [Multicultural Greek Town Hall](#)

- **March 6:** [Spring Music Series](#)
- **March 6:** [Brain-Based Teaching and Learning Series](#)
- **March 7:** Wellness Speaker Series: Managing Change, 11 am – noon
- **March 7:** Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, 3-4:30 p.m.
- **March 8:** Safe Zone Training, 2-4 p.m., LARC 118
- **March 8:** “What Do We Do About Jeff Davis? Confederate Monuments, Cemeteries, and Southern Memory”, 3:30 p.m., Spellmann 3015.
- **March 9:** Safe Zone Training, 2-4 p.m., LARC 118
- **March 15:** [Deadline for Faculty Award nominations](#)
- **March 15:** FSA Benefit Deadline to use 2017 Funds
- **March 20:** [Student Research Conference Submission Deadline](#)
- **March 22:** Opposition to LGBTQ Rights: Red States, 3:30 p.m., Dunseth, Harmon Hall
- **March 22:** [Business Ethics Panel](#)
- **March 23:** Dissertation Defense - Kevin D. Starks, 8 a.m., Roemer 208
- **March 23:** Dissertation Defense - Ben Hebisen, 9 a.m., Roemer 208
- **March 24:** [Faculty Deadline to Order Commencement Regalia](#)
- **March 29:** Kickin’ It with Shonrock Kickball Tournament, 4-6 p.m., Lou Brock Sports Complex
- **April 10:** [Brain-Based Teaching and Learning Series](#)
- **April 10:** Sexual Assault Awareness, 3:30 p.m., Dunseth, Harmon Hall
- **April 11:** Wellness Speaker Series: Preventing Job Burnout, 11 am – noon
- **April 13:** Dissertation Defense-Emilee S. Schnefke, 9 a.m., Roemer 208
- **April 14:** [Siblings Day](#)
- **April 25:** Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, 3-4:30 p.m.
- **April 26:** [Brain-Based Teaching and Learning Series](#)
- **May 9:** Assessment Days: Second Annual Assessment Summit, 9 a.m. – noon, AB Leadership Room, Spellmann Center
- **June 15:** Annual 5-column Program Assessment Reports due for all academic programs, co-curricular & administrative units
- **Aug. 15:** Annual 5-column Program Assessment Reports due from School of Accelerated Degree Programs