



March 27, 2018

Today's Headlines

Meet with a TIAA Financial Consultant at Lindenwood University



No matter where you are in life—just getting started or planning for retirement—a session with Melvin Ballenger can help you create a unique plan for your goals. It is available at no additional cost as a part of your retirement plan. Sessions

are available April 4 and April 5, 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. each day.

Please see [the flier](#) for instructions on how to book a session.

Women's Lacrosse Goes For 50th Straight Conference Win

The Lindenwood women's lacrosse team is currently 11-0 on the season and ranked third in the nation. They will be in action Saturday afternoon with a 1 p.m. game against Rockhurst. The Lady Lions will be looking to hit a major milestone in that contest. Since moving to the NCAA level, Lindenwood is 49-0 in conference games, and a win on Saturday would be the team's 50th straight conference win. The Lady Lions are 4-0 all-time against Rockhurst and have only allowed four goals in those contests.

Other Sporting Home Events:

(please check www.lindenwoodlions.com before events in case of changes due to the weather)

Tuesday- Women's Tennis vs. Missouri-St. Louis, 3 p.m. (Lindenwood Tennis Courts)

Tuesday- Baseball vs. Missouri S&T, 6 p.m. (Lou Brock Sports Complex)

Saturday- Track and Field hosts John Creer Invitational, 9 a.m. (Lindenwood Track)

Registration for EPP Classes

The English Preparedness Program (EPP) supports international students academically, culturally, and linguistically. With registration upon us for Fall Semester 18, it is important that we serve our international advisees by ensuring they enroll in the correct set of EPP courses. All academic advisors for international students should view [the attached document](#) for important information regarding EPP courses and their structure. If you have any questions regarding the EPP, please contact Tracy Flicek, EPP Coordinator, by phone (636-627-2934) or email (TFlicek@lindenwood.edu). Thank you for your continued encouragement for our international population!

A Note for Faculty Meeting with Students Not Returning to Lindenwood

Dear Faculty,

As you meet with students who will not be returning to Lindenwood University, please put a “departure” note in the at risk system. This will help me notify the students leaving the University to complete a checkout and also discuss options if they wish to return at a later date. Thank you very much. My office is located on the 3rd floor in the LARC, room 354.

[Shannon Vines](#)

Assessment Tip of the Week: "Volunteer Opportunity: Subcommittee on Excellence in Assessment Designation"

The National Institute for Learning Outcomes Assessment (NILOA) recognizes institutions for their efforts in learning outcomes assessment through an [“Excellence in Assessment \(EIA\) Designation.”](#) Lindenwood’s Assessment Committee has set the achievement of this designation as one of its goals for the institution. An Excellence in Assessment Subcommittee was formed last spring to launch this effort, and we are now seeking to expand the membership of that subcommittee in order to involve faculty (full-time and adjunct), staff, students, and other stakeholders from every corner of the university. Members will help the Assessment Committee in identifying areas of strength and weakness in our current assessment processes and with our communication on assessment matters. Please send your expressions of interest to one of the Subcommittee leaders, Jeremy Carnes. [Read more](#)

LindenScroll Nominations Deadline Tomorrow

Linden Scroll is an honorary society comprised of students who excel academically (cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher) and have a dedication to both the University and the community as a whole. Linden Scroll members are exemplary students who have served as student mentors, engaged in University and service events, and carry forward the historical purpose of the University.

It is an honor for students to be nominated, and all nominees will have the opportunity to accept or decline the nomination based on their own personal situation.

Should you have students who fit the criteria, please forward names (and ID numbers if possible) to my attention at svines@lindenwood.edu by Wednesday, March 28, 2018.

Thank you in advance for your time and nominations.

[Shannon Vines](#)

General Education Assessment: Progress and Next Steps

You are invited to the next installment of our series we call “Coffee, Cookies, and Continuous Improvement.” The topic will be “General Education Assessment: Progress and Next Steps.” Here are the details:

- When: Thursday, April 12, 2018 from 3-4:30 p.m.
- Where: Harmon Hall, Room 136

As you know, we began piloting a new approach to general education assessment in 2016-17. At the April 12 event, we will review what we have learned to date in this effort and we will address several policy and training recommendations. Click [here](#) for an event flyer suitable for posting. Mark your calendars – April 12, 3:00 pm! Refreshments will be provided.

Questions? Contact David Wilson (DWilson@lindenwood.edu) or Jeremy Carnes (GCarnes@lindenwood.edu).

***Social Animals* Screening April 16**

Join us on Monday, April 16 at 7 p.m. in the Lindenwood Theater in LARC 343 for [Social Animals](#). There will be a panel discussion and Q&A immediately following the film.

Come spend an exciting evening of entertainment and intellectual reflection on the role of social media on today’s youth with filmmaker [Jonathan Ignatius Green](#) and an interdisciplinary panel of Lindenwood faculty, including [Rebecca](#)

[Foushee](#) (Psychology), [Ben Scholle](#) (Cinema Arts), [Rik Hafer](#) (Economics), and the host, [Joseph Steineger](#) (Philosophy).

The event is sponsored by the Lindenwood Philosophy Department and the School of Humanities.

Come eat at MOD Pizza on Wednesday, March 28!

Join the Lindenwood Student-Athlete Advisory Committee at MOD Pizza on Wednesday, March 28, for an all-day fundraiser for Make-A-Wish Missouri. Show [the flyer](#) when you pay, and 20% of your purchase will go towards SAAC's Make-A-Wish MO fundraising totals for the year. The fundraiser will go all day, and SAAC members will be there in person to visit with you about their cause from 5-9 p.m.

ATTENTION REC CENTER GUESTS

THE EVANS COMMONS REC CENTER AND
THIRD FLOOR TRACK WILL BE CLOSED
FROM FRIDAY, MARCH 30 THROUGH
SUNDAY, APRIL 1. NORMAL HOURS WILL
RESUME MONDAY, APRIL 2.

-CAMPUS RECREATION STAFF

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Library Services



Will be closed for Easter Weekend

Friday March 30---Sunday April 1



Staff Volunteers Needed for May Commencement

It's that time of year again! Academic Services is seeking staff members to volunteer to assist with May Commencement. It is an opportunity to earn a \$100 stipend and cheer on our graduates on this special occasion! This does not include staff that already have assigned duties each year such as the Academic Services, Maintenance, Housekeeping, or PR. Please email Christine Hannar at CHannar@lindenwood.edu by **Friday, April 6, 2018** if you would like to volunteer. Please include your supervisor on the email to Christine if you are a non-exempt staff member. Please indicate your first two job choices along with the date and time of ceremony; you can work multiple ceremonies if you choose.

Our three ceremonies for this May will be held at the St. Charles Family Arena on Friday, May 4 at 7 p.m.; Saturday, May 5 at 10 a.m.; and Saturday, May 5 at 3 p.m.

- 3 Positions for student check-in table – greeting students, giving them their name card and possible honors cords, directing them to the student line-up area
- 10 Positions for student line-up area – greeting students, reviewing name card with line-up information and directing the students to their specific area, assisting graduate students with hoods
- 15 Flags – march into the arena with major flags at the beginning of the ceremony

- 4 Positions for programs – greet guests and hand out programs
- 2 Positions for VIP parking

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.

Cusumano to Host “A Night with the Stars”



Lindenwood Track and Field is honored to announce that Channel 5 sportscaster, Frank Cusumano, will be the MC for “A Night with the Stars” at The Foundry Art Centre on Friday, March 30, 2018. The night will feature Hot & Cold Hors d’oeuvres catered by Spiro’s, live music, and a chance to meet dozens of former Olympic and World Champion track and field medalists. All proceeds will benefit the Lindenwood Track and Field program.

For more details, please visit www.lindenwoodlions.com/nightwiththestars

Student Research Conference 2018 Open for Student Submissions – Submission Date Extended

The Student Research Conference is a forum for students to display their scholarly and creative projects to Lindenwood students and faculty. The fifth annual conference will take place on Wednesday, April 18, 2018. Students’ work will be featured in poster formats or as presentations in concurrent sessions or panel sessions. Interested students can access the Student Submission Form through Tuesday, March 27, 2018 and get more information on the [Student Information page](#). Contact SRC@lindenwood.edu for questions or concerns.

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.

Judges will be contacted after March 20 with further information and judging assignments. The Student Research Conference will be held 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.

Recent Editions

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Events and Deadlines

- **Each Monday-Thursday:** [Lindenwell Yoga and Zumba Classes](#)
- **Through April 4:** [Academic Technology Services Workshops](#)
- **Through April 8:** [Annual Lindenwood Juried Student Art Exhibition](#)
- **Through April 9:** [Marie Curie Exhibit, LARC second floor](#)
- **March 27:** [Student Research Conference Submission Deadline](#)
- **March 27:** Dissertation Defense - Greg Edwards, 3:30 p.m., OTC Waynesville. Room 118
- **March 27:** [The FBI in Latin America](#), 4-5 p.m., Dunseth Auditorium, Harmon Hall
- **March 28:** Linden Scroll Nominations Due. Contact [Shannon Vines](#)
- **March 29:** Kickin' It with Shonrock Kickball Tournament, 4-6 p.m., Lou Brock Sports Complex
- **March 30-April 8:** [Annual Lindenwood Juried Student Art Exhibition](#)
- **March 30:** [Track and Field Fundraiser: "A Night With the Stars"](#)
- **April 3:** [Dr. Brian Matz, "Does Loving Your Neighbor Mean Providing Them Healthcare?"](#)
- **April 3:** Dissertation Defense - Tonya Heavin, Noon, OTC Waynesville. Room 116
- **April 3:** [Lindenwood Game Day](#)
- **April 5-7:** [The Threepenny Opera](#)
- **April 6:** Dissertation Defense - Leslie Muhammad, 8 a.m., Roemer 208
- **April 6:** Dissertation Defense - Juanika Q. Williams, 9 a.m., Roemer 208
- **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 12:** [Coffee, Cookies, and Continuous Improvement](#)
- **April 12–22:** [Fashion Design BFA Exhibition](#)
- **April 13:** Dissertation Defense-Emilee S. Schnefke, 9 a.m., Roemer 208
- **April 13:** [Field Hockey Fundraiser](#)

- **April 14:** [School of Education Alumni Event](#), [RSVP here](#)
- **April 14:** [Siblings Day](#)
- **April 19-21:** [Spring Dance Concert](#)
- **April 20:** [String and Women's Select Ensembles](#)
- **April 20:** [Men's Basketball Golf Outing Fundraiser](#). [Register here](#)
- **April 21:** [Woodwind, Brass, and New Music Ensembles](#)
- **April 21:** [Spring Fashion Show](#)
- **April 25:** Full Faculty Meeting, AB Leadership Room, 3-4:30 p.m.
- **April 25:** Dr. Tawni Hunt-Ferrarini, "[Is the Information Revolution as Big as the Industrial Revolution?](#)" 6–7 p.m
- **April 26:** [Percussion Ensemble](#)
- **April 26:** [Brain-Based Teaching and Learning Series](#)
- **April 26 - May 5:** [Graphic Design BFA Exhibition](#)
- **April 27:** [Guitar and Modern Music Ensembles](#)
- **April 27:** Dissertation Defense - Lisa S. Thompson, 9 a.m., Roemer 208
- **April 28:** [Jazz Band and Combo](#)
- **April 28-29:** [Voices Only](#)
- **April 30:** [TEDx Proposal Deadline](#)
- **May 1:** [Nick of Time Improv](#)
- **May 9:** 2nd Annual Assessment Summit, 9:00am-12:00pm, followed by lunch; more details later
- **May 9-11:** Assessment Days
- **May 15:** Dr. Tawni Hunt-Ferrarini, "[Cryptocurrency](#)", 6-7 p.m.
- **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