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EMPLOYEE NEWSLETTER

February 7, 2024

CAMPUS-WIDE NEWS BROUGHT STRAIGHT TO **YOUR INBOX.**

GOOD MORNING LINDENWOOD LIONS!

Coffee and Conversations with the College of
Science, Technology, and Health



some light refreshments in the alumni lounge in Warner Hall.

We are thrilled to host the College of Science, Technology, and Health this Thursday, February 8, from 9-10 a.m. Come and listen to the experiences of faculty and students in the program, and engage with them as they share their personal Lindenwood journey.

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Attendance is free. [RSVP](#) attend.

Join Lindenwood at the St. Charles Mardi Gras Parade

Lindenwood is proud to be a sponsor and participant in this year's Mardi Gras Parade hosted by the City of St. Charles.

[Sign up](#) individually or as a group to participate in the parade or volunteer at the After Party booth!

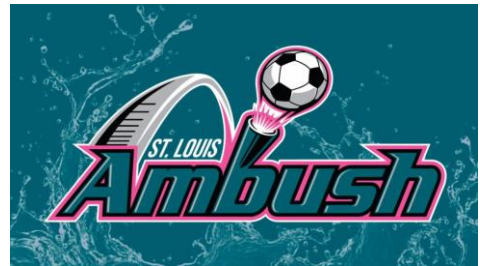
- Saturday, February 10
- Parade begins at 11 a.m. on Second Street (Frenchtown)
- After Party from noon-2 p.m. in the Foundry Art Centre parking lot

Any questions, contact [Sarah Kozy](#).

St. Louis Ambush – Ticket Giveaway

We're giving away tickets!

Cheer on Leo during the mascot competition at halftime! Enter for your chance to win a pair (two) or a pack (four) of tickets to the St. Louis soccer match against the Milwaukee Wave on Sunday, February 25, at 2:05 p.m. at Family Arena (2002 Arena Parkway, St. Charles). Winners will be selected Monday, February 12, and contacted by email.



[Enter Now!](#)

University Award Nominations for Honors Convocation Ceremony

This year's Honors Convocation will be held Sunday, April 7, at 2 p.m. in the J. Scheidegger Center. Faculty may submit nominations for the following awards to [Julie Hoffman](#) in the Provost's Office by Wednesday, February 28.

Easton Award

This award, named in honor of Lindenwood University founder Mary Easton Sibley, is given to a senior student who exhibits exemplary achievement by successfully pursuing excellence in their academic and extracurricular activities.

Sibley Award

This award, named in honor of Lindenwood founder George C. Sibley, is given to a senior student who demonstrates strong leadership and service to the University and community while maintaining a record of academic excellence.

Qualifications for candidates nominated for the Sibley and Easton Awards:

- The student must have a cumulative grade-point average of 3.0 or greater.
- The student must be a December 2023, May or August 2024 undergraduate student.
- The student must show participation in a minimum of two community activities, organizations, or sports (and of the two, one must be an academic organization).
- The student must have remained in good academic and social standing during their tenure at the University.
- The student must have attended Lindenwood for a minimum of four consecutive terms.
- The student must attend Lindenwood as a full-time undergraduate student.
- The student must exemplify the Lindenwood ideals of scholarship, fellowship, and service.

Bertha Floyd Lifelong Learning Award

This award recognizes high scholarship and the zealous pursuit of leadership and community service by a female student engaged in degree-oriented lifelong learning. It is named in memory of the mother of Charlsie Floyd, former community relations director at Lindenwood.

Schoenhard American Heritage Award

This award recognizes outstanding achievement in the study of American values and character education as practiced through programs at Lindenwood. This award is made possible by William and Kate Schoenhard

Ryan Guffey International Student Award

This award is given to an international student who has shown exemplary academic achievement and made exceptional contributions to campus life at Lindenwood. It is named in honor of Dr. Ryan Guffey, former associate vice president for global affairs.

The Rose Lyn Zenville Leadership and Character Award

This award is for a student in interdisciplinary studies who has contributed to the field of international and global studies by demonstrating excellence in leadership and character, producing an empirical research study in the fields of leadership and ethics, or developing a leadership and character initiative to make a difference. The award is given in honor of Rose.



Recognize Employees Who Live Out Lindenwood's Core Values!

Use the [link](#) under the ‘Announcements’ section on your Workday home screen to access the form that allows us to recognize employees that we see living out LU’s core values.

Value: We put our students first.

Charles Green stepped in to help a student who was having trouble accessing online course materials. He stayed in communication with the student throughout the weekend to troubleshoot and ensured that she was able to access the materials. This is typical of Charles and is really only one example of his commitment to student success!

Value: We Thrive together.

As a new faculty member at Lindenwood, I am still learning how to make certain supplementary materials available to my students. In some cases, this is not easy or straightforward. I reached out to **Leah Rosenmiller** at the Library Academic & Resources Center to find out whether the resource I wanted to share was available as an e-book. She looked into it and discovered it was not available in that format, but personally assisted me in scanning the portions I needed so I could share as a pdf. This may seem like a small thing, but I want to recognize that Leah took the time to ensure that it went through properly.

View all of the [submissions](#) that recognize employees who live out our values.

[Submit Your VIP Moment](#)



CDI: Socioeconomic Bias

February 8, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 009

This interactive training session will help participants develop an awareness of how SES bias can impact those around them with different socioeconomic statuses. Participants will discover campus resources and strategies to apply what they learned to their environment in order to identify and challenge their own socioeconomic status bias.

[Register](#)

Associate Deans Monthly Session

February 8, 10-11 a.m.

Online

Join us on the first Thursday of each month to further develop leadership and strengthen our relationships as a team. Discussion topics will differ each month, but the premise of each meeting is to grow both professionally and personally as leaders. These meetings are for Associate Deans.

Register

Celebration of Teaching Day

February 13, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

Various locations throughout the LARC

The 2024 Celebration of Teaching Day is an instruction-free day to celebrate the work of faculty. There will be no classes for students to allow for a mid-semester break. Join the Lindenwood Learning Academy, RISE staff and your colleagues from all four colleges in the Library & Academy Resources Center (LARC) for a day of comradery, learning, and food! A [schedule of events](#) is available.

Register

Dismantling Racism: Creating a Culture of Equity

February 14, 10-11 a.m.

Lindenwood Learning Academy, LARC 009

This interactive workshop will review current events regarding anti-racism, along with the harms of racism in today's society. Participants will discover campus resources and anti-racist strategies to apply what they learned to their environment. Keela Ross will lead these sessions.

Dismantling Racism sessions can be logged in [HealthCheck360](#) to achieve Pride Points and Lifestyle Rewards. Employees can upload proof of attendance under "Complete a Wellness Activity."

Register

Goals for Faculty Performance Evaluation Due February 15

Completed goals for the 2024-25 evaluation period for faculty are due **Thursday, February 15**. All faculty should have worked with evaluators to develop annual goals and submit them for approval. As a reminder for new faculty, goals can be found on page 30 of the [Academic Performance Evaluation Guidebook](#).



SPRING SEMESTER HOURS

LARC/LIBRARY SERVICES

- Monday-Thursday: 8 a.m.-10 p.m.
- Friday: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Saturday: 10 a.m.-3 p.m.
- Sunday: 2 p.m.-10 p.m.

EVANS COMMONS REC CENTER

- Monday-Friday: 6 a.m.-9 p.m.
- Saturday-Sunday: 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

LU BOX OFFICE

- Tuesday-Friday: Noon-4 p.m.
- Saturday: 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Sunday-Monday: Closed

STARBUCKS

- Monday-Friday: 7 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Saturday: Closed
- Sunday: 2 p.m.-9 p.m.

BOYLE FAMILY ART GALLERY

- Monday: 1-6 p.m.
- Tuesday: Noon-5 p.m.
- Wednesday-Friday: 1-6 p.m.
- Saturday-Sunday: Closed



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