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McCLUER NORTH HIGH SCHOOL ART FACULTY EXHIBIT AT LINDENWOOD

An exhibit of paintings, drawings, batiks, prints, and ceramic sculpture will be on display at The Lindenwood Colleges in the Fine Arts Building Gallery from November 23 through December 17. Those artists represented in the exhibit are members of the faculty of the art department of McCluer North High School and include Carl Yochum, Charles H. Thies, Liz Busselmann, Thomas Schwarze, and Charlotte Ali.

Mr. Yochum is presently chairman of the McCluer North art department and has studied at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, Washington University and Webster College in St. Louis. He received his M.A. in art education from Indiana University. Besides teaching at schools in the St. Louis area, he has also taught in the art department of Florissant Valley Community College. Mr. Yochum has exhibited at numerous Missouri and Greater St. Louis shows. He will be represented in the Lindenwood exhibit by paintings and intaglio prints.

Mr. Thies received his master's degree in drawing and painting from Kansas State University in Manhattan, Kansas. Prior to teaching at McCluer North he taught in Illinois and Kansas. He is also a part-time art instructor in figure drawing and composition at Florissant Valley Community College. He has exhibited extensively in regional shows in Kansas, Missouri, and Tennessee, and will be represented at the Lindenwood exhibit by paintings, drawings, and intaglio prints.

Liz Busselmann is a native St. Louisan, received her bachelor of fine arts degree from Washington University, and is now working on a graduate program at SIU, Edwardsville. She has taught in the Florissant-Ferguson School District since 1966. She has exhibited at the Annual River Roads Competition and faculty art

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shows at McCluer North, and will be represented at Lindenwood by a series of batiks.

Thomas Schwarze received his Bachelor of Fine Arts degree and Master of Arts in Teaching degree at Washington University School of Fine Arts, and has exhibited at Washington University, in New York, and at regional Missouri shows. He will feature ceramics and ceramic sculpture at the Lindenwood show.

Charlotte Ali graduated from The Lindenwood Colleges and received her Master's degree in education from SIU, Edwardsville. She will be represented in the Lindenwood show by drawings and ceramic sculpture.

All works in the show will be for sale, and the public is invited to attend. Gallery hours are 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturdays, and 12 noon to 5:30 p.m. Sundays. The gallery will be closed from November 27 through December 2 for the college's Thanksgiving vacation.

For further information call Mr. Harry Hendren, Chairman of the Lindenwood Art Department, 723-7152 or (toll free from St. Louis) 946-6912.

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