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LIFESTYLE



It's Rocky Horror!
Get the scoop on the happenings at SIUE's screening of the Rocky Horror Picture Show during Welcome Week. For story, see page 4.

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Mike Pernicka/Alestle

Campus Religious Center offers activities, cheap soda for the soul

BY DANA MILES
NEWS STRINGER

College life has its ups and downs. Friends are not always around. Cash may run a little low, but where there is doubt, there is hope.

This hope can be found at SIUE's Religious Center, where the language is the Lord and the soda is cheap.

The Religious Center is the home for three of the

campus ministries: The United Campus Ministries, the Catholic Campus Ministry and Peck Christian Fellowship.

The United Campus Ministry is a shared ministry of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), Church of the Brethren, Presbyterian Church (USA), United Church of Christ and the United Methodist Church.

This ministry offers Bible studies and social service

activities. Some of the programs are an alternative fall break opportunity and a science-fiction movie night once a month.

Counseling for spiritual direction and other questions is also available. A Bible study group meets 6 p.m. Wednesdays followed by supper. All students are welcome.

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C. Everett Koop to open Arts and Issues season

BY STEPHEN WHITE
LIFESTYLE STRINGER

The 14th annual season of SIUE's Arts and Issues series begins at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 12, with former U.S. Surgeon General C. Everett Koop speaking in the Meridian Ballroom on a variety of health-related topics.

Koop, a pre-eminent figure in public health, served as U.S. surgeon general from 1981 to 1989. He is an internationally recognized pediatric surgeon and has written more than 200 articles and books on the practice of medicine and surgery, biomedical ethics, and health policy.

"This will be Dr. Koop's first and only appearance at SIUE," said Richard Walker, coordinator of the Arts and Issues series. "The Arts and Issues series is kind of like a living library, except you can only check the book out once. I've been doing this program for 12 years, and I've never repeated a speaker. Dr. Koop is a very busy man. He is genuinely concerned about the health of the American people. He is very passionate and this is a calling for him. It is an honor and a privilege for us to have a man of his stature."

Koop will speak for roughly

45 minutes, Walker said, on a variety of health-related issues including smoking, environmental health hazards, diet and nutrition, immunization and AIDS. The former surgeon general will then open the floor for a 30-minute question and answer session.

"Dr. Koop has agreed that no topic is off-limits," Walker said. "I think what he is doing is very brave and admirable."

A 1937 graduate of Dartmouth College, Koop received his medical degree from Cornell Medical College in 1941.

After serving an internship at the Pennsylvania Hospital, he pursued postgraduate training at the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, the Boston Children's Hospital, and the Graduate School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, where he received the degree of Doctor of Science (Medicine) in 1947.

Koop currently serves as Senior Scholar at the C. Everett Koop Institute at Dartmouth.

Perhaps best known for his efforts at exposing the tobacco industry in the early '80s, Koop also became the government's chief spokesman about AIDS.

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FIC helps students bond with peers with like interests and majors

BY ALICIA MIDDENDORF
NEWS STRINGER

There are more than 2,300 students living in University Housing complexes, and many of them are finding new friends through focused interest communities.

These communities, or FICs, are a new program offered in Woodland Hall and there are ones under development in Prairie Hall. The program places

students into communities based upon academic and social interests. Students are assigned to rooms according to these interests and live with like-minded students.

The designated communities are nursing, engineering, scholar, international experience and language, business, emerging leaders and healthy lifestyles or wellness.

The main purpose of any FIC is to give students a true

sense of their interest areas, offer programs associated with that interest and establish easy access to faculty and staff members working in that area.

Resident Assistant Sherri McWhirter works with the international experience and language community in Woodland Hall. McWhirter's main goal is to understand why her residents chose this community and to find activities to help the residents fully benefit

from their new-found relationships and experiences. After surveying the residents, McWhirter observed that the students are interested in culturally focused activities such as trips to art museums. McWhirter said that FICs help "build communities inside the residence hall by bringing people with like interests together."

As well, McWhirter said, the main focus of the international experience and language

community is to teach its members that "cultural diversity is a good thing and that everyone smiles in the same language."

Lisa McKirgan, marketing coordinator of University Housing, said there are many reasons why students choose to be part of an FIC. "Some students just want to live near people who have the same interests and others want to deeply experience their major," she said.

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Psychology/sociology major, Erin Raulston (not pictured) and education majors, Annette Harris-Jenkins (left) and Connie Skief (right) are recipients of the Madison County Scholarship Awards. The scholarships were awarded Aug. 12 to 12 students from local universities.

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The Catholic ministry focuses on three areas: worship and faith formation, the Peace and Justice Ministry and community life. Members gather in fellowship after each Sunday liturgy for refreshments. Throughout the school year, they organize community picnics, outings, road trips, a caving trip, movie nights, midnight breakfasts and more.

Another Catholic organization is the Newman Student Union. All students are welcome to join.

Peck Christian Fellowship works to help students focus on Jesus Christ along with schoolwork. Student leaders are trained within the group to keep the ministry afloat. Bryan Manary is a full-time pastor and teacher who leads Tuesday Bible study and Sunday worship service.

Peck Christian Fellowship has Bible study at 7 p.m. Tuesdays. At 8 a.m. Thursdays, there is a prayer service and a Sunday church service at 5:30 p.m.

Along with the Religious Center's organizations, there are many other spiritually oriented organizations on campus.

The UN-Church encourages students to come as they are for a non-traditional service. At 7 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 16, UN-Church will be sponsoring an event called "See You at the Pole."

The purpose is to pray for the schools and people of this nation. The event will take place at the flagpole in the center of the Hairpin.

After prayer, there will be a breakfast fellowship in the Cahokia Room of the University Center.

The other sponsors of this event are the Peck Christian Fellowship, the Catholic ministry, United Campus Ministries, InVarsity Christian Fellowship, Southern Baptist Student Ministry and Christian Student Fellowship.

Some other Christian ministries that will be in attendance are SUCCESS, Chi-Alpha, Assemblies of God Ministries and Rhema Elogeme Aldophi Christian Sorority Inc.

All are welcome, including faculty and staff. For more information on "See You at the Pole," contact Bryan Manary at 650-3206.

The number of event sponsors shows the wide variety of organizations on campus for students to choose from. Manary said he understands making a decision can often be difficult.

"Check out a variety of the groups, unless you already have a specific denomination that you are looking for. Find one that is to your satisfaction and be committed to it. Many students are getting involved. There is a greater awareness of spiritual need," Manary said.

The Religious Center can be found near the visitors parking lot. Its geodesic dome is a landmark on the campus. The center is usually open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

There is a meditation/study room for the use of all students. A fully-equipped kitchen can be used at any time. The center also has free coffee and the cheapest can soda on campus. Sodas cost only 30 cents.

For more information on United Campus Ministry, contact Denise Smelley at 650-3248.

Catholic services are: Sunday Mass 10:30 a.m. and 8 p.m. The choir and musicians practice at 6:30 p.m. Monday. Catholic Inquiry Session 7 p.m., Wednesday.

For more information, call Nassef I. Girgis at 650-3205.

FIC

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There are many benefits associated with FICs, McKirgan said. These include helping students meet people with the same interests, form study groups, make lasting relationships, increase self-esteem and stay in school. These

communities also help students choose classes, majors and careers.

Jennifer Busse, a Woodland Hall resident, said she has made promising relationships with her new roommates.

In all, McKirgan said, the main goal of focused interest communities is to "really help students."

Kara Struston, assistant director of Resident Life, commented that the FIC program helps students feel more connected with the institution and enables students to take part in experiences that will impact their academic interests. Struston said she hopes that the program will grow and improve benefits for all housing students.

season of Arts and Issues are now available.

The season subscription for the seven-program series is \$66; students pay \$33. Tickets to Dr. Koop's appearance are \$6; students, \$3.

Free parking behind Morris University Center in the visitors lot is provided with the purchase of a ticket. For more information, call 650-2320 or (888) 328-5168.

KOOP

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"Dr. Koop caught my interest several years ago," Walker said. "I've always been interested in what was going on in the tobacco industry. Our own Physical Education Department was very interested in bringing Dr. Koop to the campus, so we've continued to pursue it for

the past several years. Students in Health are already studying the work of Dr. Koop. Now, I'm going to bring him on campus so they can meet the man personally. It's really a way of bringing the textbooks to life. Instead of reading about the people making history in history books, you can meet them in person."

Tickets for the 1998-99

Police incidents

CRIMINAL DAMAGE

On Aug. 23 at 1:16 p.m., officers responded to the University Museum's construction site in reference to damage to property. A male staff member reported that someone damaged the windows and the outside lights to the office trailer. Police are continuing their investigation.

ARRESTS

On Aug. 22 at 11:51 p.m., officers arrested Kendall Beard, 18, of East St. Louis on

an active warrant from St. Claire County. Beard posted \$100 bond and was released.

On Aug. 22 at 12:40 a.m., officers arrested Kenneth Allen, 18, of Edwardsville, for unlawful possession of cannabis. Allen was given a notice to appear.

On Aug. 19 at 2:08 a.m., officers arrested Joyce A. Marshall, 51, of Edwardsville, for speeding and driving under the influence of alcohol.

Marshall posted bond and was released.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENT

On Aug. 21 at 11:41 a.m., officers responded to the entrance road to the Commons. Vanessa Dunlap, 29, of Madison County Transit, was turning left onto the entrance road and struck a car driven by Cynthia Kolda, 19, of Troy. There were no injuries or tickets issued.



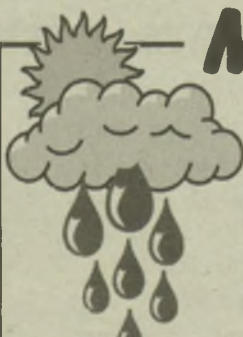
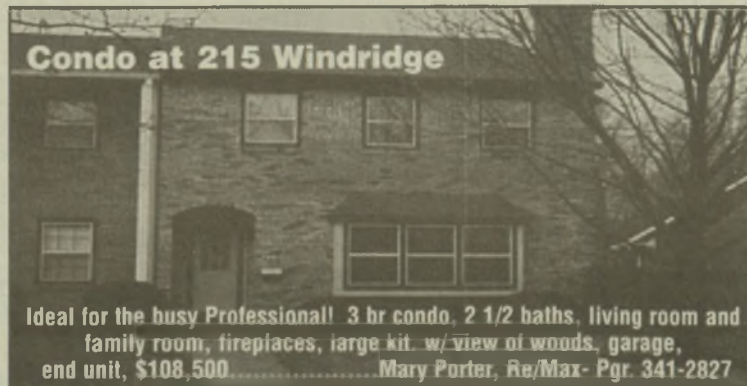
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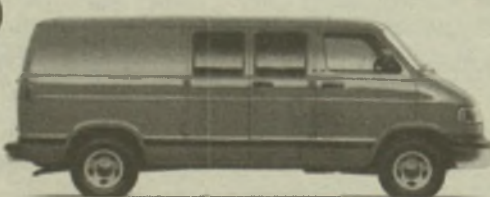
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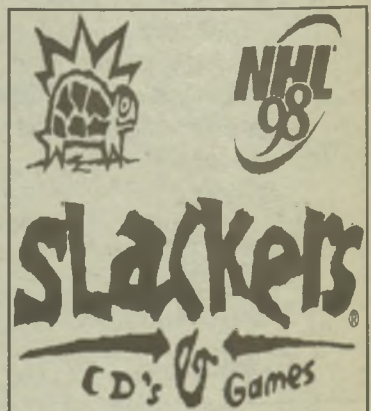
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Danielle Belton

My sister, Deidre, started high school when I was getting ready to graduate. Being that I was three years wiser than her I gave her a list of all the boys she shouldn't associate with. Now I know someone out there is groaning, but she needed to know that not everyone is looking out for her personal best interest. The least I could do as her sister was to warn her of the vultures that were about to prey upon her as soon as she entered the building. If she still wanted to associate with those people after my warning that was her business. But if she got stabbed in the back, she couldn't say I didn't warn her.

Once again, I will be three years wiser as my sister completes her last year of high school and she's going to be waiting on that list for college. After all, there are somethings that our mother will forget to tell her because it's been awhile since mom was where I am now.

College always starts off fascinating, but as the first two weeks pass, the reality of a student's limitless freedom and limitless problems set in. Why be stingy with my three years of wisdom and only enlighten my sister? As much as I'd like to name names as I did for my sister, I could get sued for that. So we'll have to settle on some sisterly advice to all the female freshmen who are embarking on the psychological adventure of their life.

#1: "The Hall Lush." Of course you have to be 21 to drink alcohol, but some people have been drinking since high school. Liquor in some cases is almost synonymous with campus life. But you don't want to become the "Woodland Hall Lush." I lived across the hall from the Hall Lush; it wasn't pretty. At 3 a.m. she would stand in the hallway screaming and crying at the top of her lungs. The next day she would cry more, then she'd get happy and go to a party, then come home ... well, she was a stinking drunken mess. Needless to say, she didn't return for her sophomore year.

#2: "Fresh Meat." It's like how it was your freshman year in high school, only worse. Some men will say and do anything if it means you'll have sex with them. I'm not saying don't have sex, but see how long they'll stay around. If they lose interest quickly, I think they wanted sex. And don't fret, in college there are many men to choose from. Of course, the question will always be do you want them.

#3: "It Came From the Net." Meeting people over the Net is fine, letting them come spend the weekend with you isn't. You're probably thinking, well duh. Better judgment can just disappear when you're lonely and you realize that half the guys you were interested in only wanted to sleep with you. Although some guys on the net seem nice, it's better just to leave well enough alone.

#4: "Party All the Time." You might not notice it now, but all the parties are the same. White or black, Greek or a club, they are all the same and after a while, you won't be able to distinguish one from another. I got burnt out on Cougar Den parties thrown by local Greek organizations quickly. Although a fun release, indulging in one too many can lead to problems. If you miss a party because you really need to study, don't feel bad, there will be another party next weekend just like it. I promise you.

Last, but not least, don't be afraid to get out there and participate on campus as well as within your own social circles. In this world you're either a spectator or a participator. Spectators always sit around and wish they'd tried something, a participator gets out there and succeeds and fails and feels better for it.

Hopefully that advice will last Deidre through November, before she forgets all I've taught her.

Danielle Belton
Editor In Chief

Letters to the Editor

Student Government

"Student Government is for everyone." That is what they say, but how do you know? Well, before I became public relations chair, I did not really understand how Student Government worked. I thought it seemed boring and could not be for someone like me. You see, I am an art education major and I am interested in the creative side of things! I did not think that Student Government would be the place to use creative skills. I thought everyone in Student Government had the same job, when, in actuality, there are many positions available.

The Finance Board chair oversees the distribution of funds to student organizations. The Personnel Board chair interviews students in order to fill positions on university-wide committees. The Public Relation Board chair is responsible for promoting a positive image of Student Government. The Student Organization Advisory Board chair reviews student organizations' constitutions and coordinates the annual space allocation process in the Kimmel Leadership Center.

The president of the student body is the person who has the main say as to what happens in Student Government. He can veto certain items which would not be beneficial to the university. The vice president is responsible for chairing Student Senate meetings and assumes the president's duties in the event that he is unavailable. The student trustee serves as the SIUE student representative to the SIU Board of Trustees. There

is also the option of becoming a student senator. The Senate members are responsible for furthering the interests of students and encouraging the student body to become more active.

As you can see, once I got involved in Student Government, I realized how wrong I was! My position as Public Relations Board chair allows me to use my creative skills in promoting Student Government while communicating face to face with students about issues that affect them.

I am surprised at how much my input and opinions determine what actually happens on campus. I am glad I decided to join rather than to just sit back and let other people make decisions that affect me as a student. Why not get involved in Student Government today? There are over 30 university-wide committees to meet your skills and interests! Stop by our office on the first floor in the Morris University Center and you too will be surprised at what a great experience it is!

Jessica Neal

Public Relations Board Chair

McGwire and Andro

Nobody wishes Mark McGwire ill. Many Americans, young and old, look to St. Louis for a modern-day hero.

It is precisely for these reasons that McGwire's use of androstenedione raises questions that shouldn't be swept under the rug. The substance could eventually hurt McGwire's health

and it sends a terrible message to the young people who look up to him.

Androstenedione is a relatively weak androgen, which means it increases the male sex hormone and helps build muscle. Some doctors call androstenedione a steroid, though the classification is debated.

Dr. Harvey Simon, a Harvard medical professor and expert on sports medicine, says he hasn't seen studies on androstenedione, but that androgens that have been studied have a similar risk profile — liver disease, acne, low sperm counts and possible heart disease resulting from an increase in bad cholesterol.

Unfortunately, legal products sold over-the-counter aren't always safe or effective. That's because Congress decided in 1994 that the Food and Drug Administration would no longer regulate dietary supplements.

It's understandable that Cardinals manager Tony LaRussa and some players have reacted angrily to press reports about the substance.

But LaRussa is going way too far in talking about banning The Associated Press from the locker room because an AP reporter broke the story.

No one suggests that McGwire needs Andro to hit home runs ... so why doesn't McGwire just toss the pills in the locker room wastebasket?

And next year, Major League Baseball should take McGwire and all the other sluggers off the hot spot and "Just Say No."

From the Aug. 24
St. Louis Post-Dispatch



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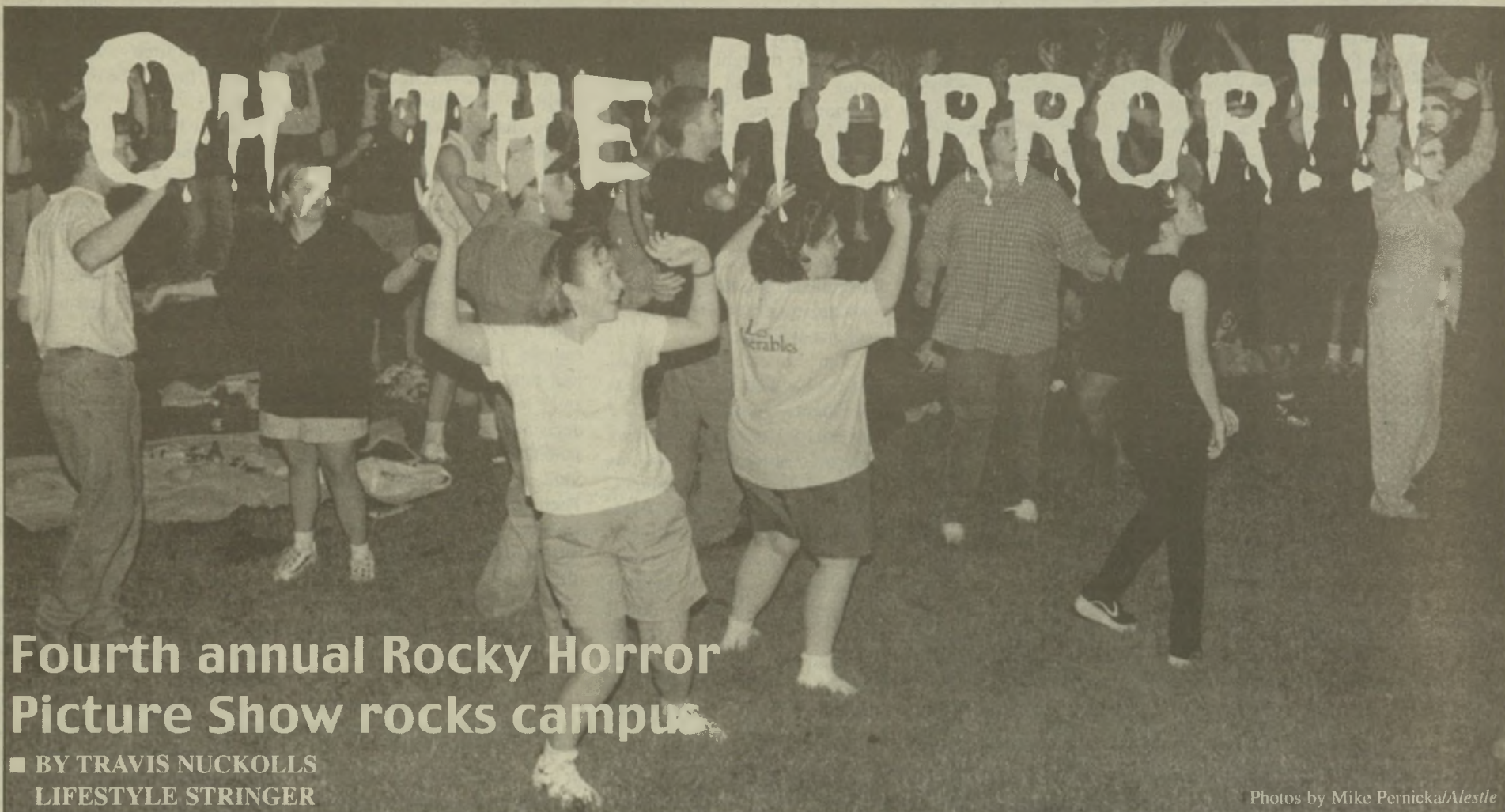


Dr. Furter and his Rocky

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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1998 ◆



Fourth annual Rocky Horror Picture Show rocks campus

■ BY TRAVIS NUCKOLLS
LIFESTYLE STRINGER

Photos by Mike Pernicka/Alestle

Most everyone knows the cult classic "The Rocky Horror Picture Show" and the loony antics that accompany the movie.

The film was back on campus for its fifth annual showing as part of Welcome Week. And, just to be sure that every one had a chance to join in the craziness, props were passed out among the 70 or so audience members Thursday night as they gathered for the showing on the patio outside the Bookstore in the Morris University Center. The show was sponsored by the University Center Board.

Students passed out plastic bags with squirt guns, popcorn, a newspaper (The Alestle, naturally) and a sheet of paper with information about the movie, how to use the props and instructions on how to do the "Time Warp" dance. Rolls of toilet paper, another necessary element to enhance viewing enjoyment of the film, came separately.

The 1975 film contains an all-star cast including Tim Curry as a "Sweet Transvestite from Transsexual, Transylvania." The movie also stars Susan Sarandon performing less than brilliantly as the naive Janet. Barry Bostwick and Meatloaf round out the cast.

The movie had been scheduled for 7:30 p.m., but it wasn't dark enough to start the outdoor film. Shortly before 8, the crowd grew restless and began to chant "We want Lips! We want Lips." The movie opens with an extreme closeup of a pair of lips singing a homage to the science-fiction films of the '50s.

Some of the spectators came fully prepared, dressed in high heels, fish-net stockings and mime-painted faces. Most, however, were in street clothes.

Just before 8, as the sun

sank, everyone began to chant in anticipation. When the opening credits illuminated the screen, a cheer came from the crowd and a few rolls of toilet paper sailed into the air.

The story of "The Rocky Horror Picture Show" follows a young couple seeking shelter from a storm after their car breaks down. Crowd members used the squirt guns to simulate the rain and then, just like the young couple, used newspaper to cover their heads.

The two, played by Bostwick

and Sarandon, find shelter in the castle of the deranged, alien transvestite Dr. Frank N. Furter. From this point, the movie is a roller-coaster ride of weird characters, strong sexual content and bizarre songs, dances and situations.

As audiences have done throughout the world for more than two decades, SIUE students got into the swing of things, cheering and booing on-screen characters, repeating lines and, of course, dancing and singing such hits as "Let's Do the Time Warp

Again" ("It's just a jump to the left ... It nearly drives you insane.")

One student brought his books with him and even attempted to look at them as the movie played. But, he'd put them aside every time a dance number took place or there was an opportunity to join in the fun.

Students had plenty of remarks for the characters on the screen. Most of those cannot be printed here, but all of them were funny. Sarandon's Janet Weiss, for example, is known as "Slut" while Bostwick's character, the earnest Brad Majors, is fondly known to Rocky fans as a name that can't be repeated in this paper

The finale of the movie has the main characters in black-lace corsets, high heels and fish-net stockings with their faces painted white as mimes do. A number of students were made up that way and led the audience in the final production number.

"The Rocky Horror Picture Show" is fun for all, even if one has no idea what is going on. The bottom line is that bad acting, catchy songs and a bizarre plot make for one heck of a good time.





Fall Semester 1998 Aerobics Schedule Begins August 23, 1998

	Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Location
10:00-11:30							1 1/2 hr CARDIO/SCULPT	SFC
12:00-1:00				LUNCH HOUR				VC
12:00-12:30				JUST WORK IT CIRCUIT				VC
12:30-1:30	TINA (BODY SCULPTING)						TINA AEROBIC INTERVAL CIRCUIT STATIONS	SFC
4:00-4:30			STRETCH CLASS		SINGLE MUSCLE WORK			SFC
4:45-5:45		TINA (POWER STEP)	TINA (AEROBICS)	TINA (STEP)	TINA (AEROBICS)			SFC
4:45-5:45		SARAH	MATT	MATT	MATT	MATT		VC
5:15-6:15						LORRAINE		SFC
5:30-6:30*		AQUA	AQUA	AQUA		AQUA		POOL
6:00-7:00		MERRI	KATE	MERRI	MERRI			SFC

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Official's Meeting
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Saturday, Sept. 5th

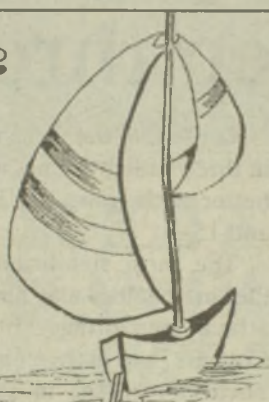
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Sports & Cougars

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1998

Cougar events
Saturday
Tennis, volleyball, soccer and cross country all see action. Check Thursday's Alestle for information and times.



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News from the foul line

By Todd Spann

Little refreshing

Watching the Little League World Series is very refreshing.

When I saw Japan come from behind in the final inning against the United States to tie the game, I was relieved to see the Cardinals are not the only ones blowing leads.

Buck shot

The Cardinals honored Hall of Fame announcer Jack Buck with a statue outside of Busch Stadium Sunday.

The longtime Cardinal broadcaster, who's famous call "That's a winner," will always be in the hearts of Cardinal fans.

Playing rough

Staunton High School football coach Scott Tonsor sent out a flier to help recruit students to play football.

The flier read: "This is your brain (shows picture of a football) and this is your brain on drugs (shows a picture of a soccer ball)."

Maybe the Bears should recruit him for their promotions.

O-fer Illini

Illinois football kicks off the season Saturday against Washington State ... and ends the season on the same date.

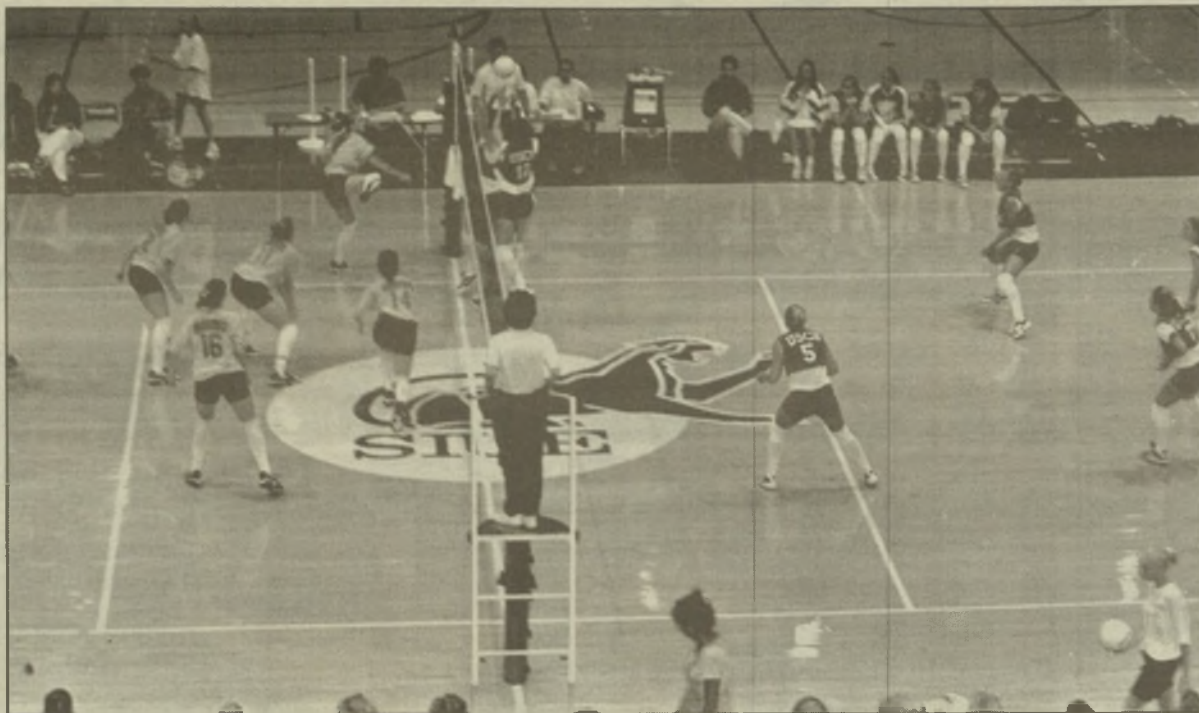
Rams

Rams start their season Sunday against New Orleans and it's already a must-win game.

HomeFront

A lot of events are happening this weekend in Cougar sports so get out and watch them. It's free.

Volleyball



Mike Pernicka/Alestle
The Cougar Volleyball team starts the season right. The team swept three matches in the weekend invitational.

Cougars sweep through invitational

BY TONY AMMANN
SPORTS WRITER

The SIUE women's volleyball team began their season with a bang by going undefeated at the Cougar Invitational.

The round-robin tournament took place at the Vadalabene Center on Friday and Saturday. Other schools participating in the tournament included Drury College, University of Missouri-St. Louis, University of South Carolina-Spartanburg, and Hillsdale College (Michigan).

On Friday, the Cougars defeated Drury in three straight games and seemed to play better each game. SIUE won 15-12, 15-8, and 15-3.

The most significant improvement in the three games may have been the team's attack percentage. In game one, the Cougars had a percentage of just .071. Their percentage in game three was an impressive 40 percent.

On Saturday, the Cougars only challenge was South Carolina-Spartanburg who took one of the four games. SIUE's loss in the second game

was their only defeat in the tournament.

The Cougars won 15-6, 5-15, 15-12, and 15-3. Michelle Gilman led SIUE with 17 kills, and Lindsay Rust provided the defense with 22 digs.

Rust and Gilman were each named to the All-Tournament Team. Rust compiled 36 defensive digs in the tournament, and Gilman smashed 39 kills.

SIUE's first opponent on Saturday was Hillsdale. The Cougars showed no signs of weakness by sweeping three games in a row.

The Cougars finished with a 3-0 record.

FOR the NUMBERS

Game 1

➤ Played on Friday, the Cougars beat Drury 15-12, 15-8 and 15-3.

Game 2

➤ In three straight sets, the Cougars beat Hillsdale in the first game Saturday.

Game 3

➤ Cougars beat South Carolina-Spartanburg in Saturday's second game 15-6, 5-15, 15-12 and 15-3.

Men's soccer ready to start playing for real

BY BRETT LICATA
SPORTS WRITER

With all of the exhibition games behind them, the season opener comes this weekend, and the SIUE men's soccer team is jumping right into heavy competition.

A couple of games against top ranked regional teams in the SIUE tournament will kick off the regular season for the Cougars.

SIUE will be looking at a mirror image of themselves in terms of playing style when they take on Gannon University Saturday night.

"This will be an interesting game to watch," head coach Ed Huneke said. "Gannon has the same game style as we do. They specialize at working the ball and have a good combination of plays."

Last year, SIUE downed Mercyhurst College in a late season battle that had significance for the Cougars' post season fate. This year, the game may fall in the first weekend of the schedule, but the importance of a victory is still there.

"Mercyhurst comes at you with a hard style to play against," Huneke said. "They play very physical and intense."

SIUE surprised a lot of critics when the team gave St. Louis University all it could handle in a 1-0 overtime loss in the Bronze Boot Game last week. The Cougars continued to play well in a 2-2 tie with the SIUE Alumni squad on Sunday evening.

"We had good intense play," Huneke said about the battle with Division I powerhouse, SLU. "Our effort was better than I had anticipated. For the majority of the game we were right with them."

Against the Alumni team, senior Todd Hunter found the net, and freshman Justin Huneke came off the bench to score his second goal of the exhibition season.

Huneke has been impressed with the way his young players have been improving in the pre-season.

"The young players have responded well against some tough competition in the pre-season," Huneke said.

The season opener against Gannon and game against Mercyhurst on Sunday both start at 7 p.m. at Bob Guelker Field.

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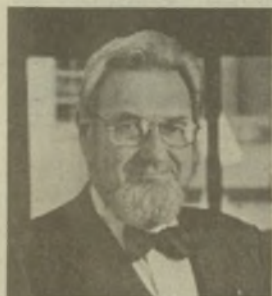
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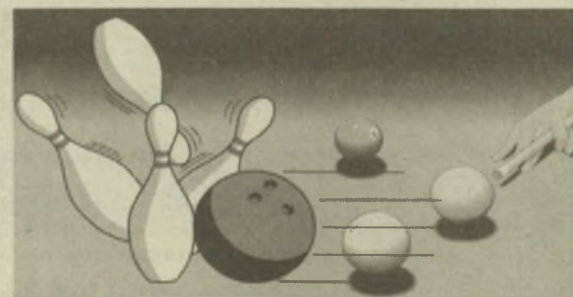
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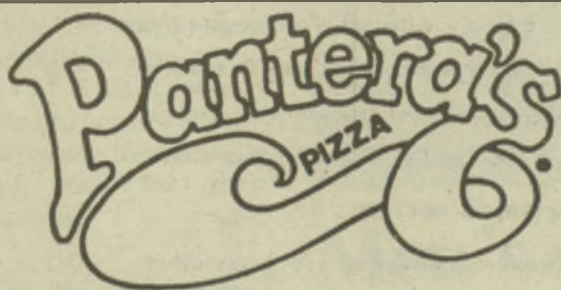
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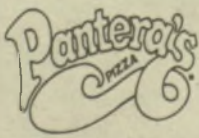


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