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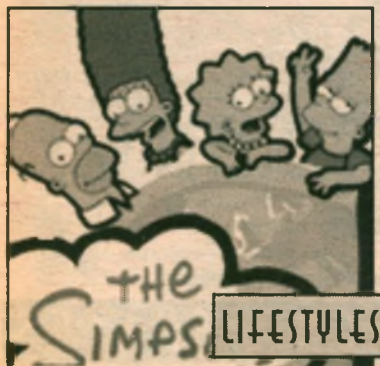
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## Student senate starts spring cleaning

BY BRIAN WALLHEIMER  
NEWS REPORTER

Student government is changing faces. The appointment of Senator Richard Box to Student Organization Advisory Board chair and the resignation of Senator Delano Redmond opened two seats on the student senate.

Redmond cited lack of time and the need to rebuild his fraternity as the reasons for his resignation, according to President Heather Mueller.

"He didn't feel like he was giving the amount of time he should have," Mueller said.

Mueller appointed Donald Harris and Debra Jamie to the vacant senate seats at Friday's senate meeting. Harris is a senior majoring in sociology and Jamie is a junior majoring in art history. Harris also sits on the finance board.

Mueller also appointed Sean Walton to the election commissioner seat. Walton is a sophomore majoring in computer science.

The appointments mark many changes in student government personnel during this academic year. Recently, Todd Sivia was appointed to the senate seat vacated by Jamie Dover late last semester and Richard Box became SOAB chair after the resignation of

Tim Ekstowicz last month. Tara Nesbit resigned the position of vice president of the finance board last month and was replaced by Antionette Guthrie.

In other business, Mary Robinson, director of the Morris University Center, and Marcie Leach, president of the University Center Board, gave a report on the UC renovations. According to Robinson, the renovations will cost approximately \$17.9 million. Student fees will increase \$45, but the university is selling 20-year revenue bonds at approximately 6 percent interest to keep fees from going higher.

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## Alton site is home to way station on historic underground railroad



Anthony Watt/Alestle

**This historic building, which now houses the Enos Apartments on Third Street in Alton, was once used to hide escaped slaves as they made their way North to freedom before the Civil War. The building, which has been made into apartments, is one of many Underground stops in the area.**

BY ANTHONY WATT  
NEWS REPORTER

The Enos Apartments, perched on a hill in upper Alton, look like they should be haunted. No ghosts live there but memories do.

They reside in a shabby, three-story house painted a faded pink color. It looks as if it came straight out of a Victorian novel. The building, constructed between 1857 and 1868, was used as a stop for the Underground Railroad.

Escaped slaves hid there on their way north to Canada and the free states.

According to Charlotte Johnson, a member of the committee on black pioneers in the Alton

Museum of History and Art, there is no way to gauge how many stops there actually were or how many slaves made their way north through Alton. Members of the Underground Railroad were afraid of capture and most did not keep records.

Other confirmed stops in the Alton area include the Old Rock House and the New Bethel Rocky Ford African Methodist Episcopal Church in Godfrey.

"One of the ways to find out if a house was safe was to look at the clotheslines," said Mary Ann Warmack, coordinator of the Alton Museum of History and Art. "Quilts with messages sewn into them were hung on the lines. They indicated safe houses."

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## Bill would give people voice at SIU

BY BRIAN WHITTLE  
NEWS REPORTER

Union employees on campus are rallying around a bill that will allow the public to voice opinions at Southern Illinois University board of trustee meetings.

"The board of trustees decides how to spend our tax dollars, and we should have a voice in it," said Kurt Neumann, a Food Service worker and member of the Service Employee International Union.

Neumann has offered students in the Morris University Center a chance to sign a petition supporting the bill in the Illinois Legislature. He is also looking for ways to promote the petition elsewhere on campus.

The public already may speak through the board by contacting a board member two weeks in advance or the board chair may over ride that time period and allow the public to speak. Scot Kaiser, assistant to the president, said. Kaiser added that this happened recently.

"The board has no opinion either way on the bill and I do not think their will be a whole lot of change in the process if the bill is passed," Kaiser said.

House Bill 2580 would allow the public to speak to the board of the trustees at regular and special meetings under reasonable time constraints, according to an Illinois Education Association memo. The memo also stated the bill will hold the board accountable to the people it serves.

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## Police nab three suspects in CV theft

BY DANIELLE STERN  
NEWS EDITOR

Three men, including an SIUE student, have been charged with burglary in the theft of a television set from a Cougar Village apartment in Building 504.

SIUE police apprehended student Greg A. Aberle, 20, of Glen Carbon; Patrick R. Ahrens, 20, also of Glen Carbon; and Thomas O. Rinkler, 21, of Edwardsville at 2:39 a.m. Saturday on Cougar Lake Road.

Chief Richard Harrison said

that a Cougar Village housing coordinator called SIUE police about three men who were "looking suspicious" around a Ford Thunderbird when the car's alarm sounded. The coordinator saw the men leave in a blue Chevrolet S-10 pickup truck, according to police.

Harrison said that Officer Steven McBride pulled the truck over and saw a television inside. At the same time, the burglary victim called police about the stolen television.

"The housing coordinator did an excellent job of noticing

the suspicious behavior. It gave us the opportunity to catch them," Harrison said.

There was no forced entry to the apartment, and Harrison is warning students to make sure their doors are locked at all times.

Two of the suspects admitted to the crime, according to Harrison.

Dean of Students Randy Rock said that disciplinary action for Aberle was confidential.

The men were being held in lieu of \$50,000 bond each in Madison County Jail. No court date had been set.

## SIUE alum rethinks millionaire marriage

BY BRIDGET BRAVE  
EDITORIAL PAGE EDITOR

Former SIUE nursing student Darva Conger thought she was getting a free vacation and a chance to be seen on national television. Instead she ended up married to a man she has described as someone she "would ordinarily not even have a friendly relationship with."

Conger, who was a magna cum laude graduate from SIUE in 1995, appeared on the Fox network program "Who Wants to Marry a Millionaire" Feb. 15 and said she wants her life back. The 34-year-old Californian

says she never dreamed multimillionaire Rick Rockwell would pick her. She said she plans to annul the marriage.

Conger was chosen from 10 semi-finalists by Rockwell after a competition that included 50 women ranging in age from 19 to their 40s. Both signed an agreement before the show stating that they would be able to annul the marriage after the wedding, "no questions asked." Rockwell said during an interview on "Good Morning America" that he thought Conger would have it annulled.

A network spokesman said Conger has received prizes worth \$100,000: the

honeymoon, the \$35,000 engagement ring and an Isuzu Trooper, which she will keep regardless.

Fox network canceled a rerun of the show after it was reported that Rockwell's ex-fiancee, Debbie Goynes, had filed a restraining order against him after she said he hit her and threatened to kill her. Rockwell denies striking Goynes but admits he did threaten her while in a rage.

Even though "Who Wants to Marry a Multimillionaire" was a ratings success, drawing more than 22 million viewers, spokesman Jeff DeRome told ABC News that Fox won't do anything similar in the future.

## Campus Scanner

### Student Leadership Development Program:

"Leading Your Peers" is the SLDP module topic at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Morris University Center Faculty Club. "Negotiating Differences" is the topic for 6:30 p.m. Tuesday in the same location.

**Sociology Week:** Jennifer Hamer, an SIUE sociology professor, will lead a panel discussion on family issues at 6 p.m. Tuesday in the Maple and Dogwood rooms, Morris University Center. Professor David Kauzlarich will present an in-depth look at St. Louis area crime at 6 p.m. Wednesday in the same location.

**Comedy:** Louis Johnson will perform a stand-up routine at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Morris University Center Cougar Den as part of University Center Board's "Just for Laughs" series.

**Mardi Gras:** Volunteers are needed for Souldard Mardi Gras in St. Louis through March 7. For more information, call (314) 645-7900 or send e-mail to EGIEVENTS@aol.com.

**Seminar:** "Good Leaders are People Readers" will be presented from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday. Joe Munshaw, a professor in the speech communication department, will lead the class of SIUE alumni and area residents. For registration and fee information, call 650-2760.

**IMAGE:** Learn interview skills at this career development program from 11 to 11:50 a.m.

Wednesday in Founders Hall Room 3207.

**"Soup & Substance:"** Anthropology professor Nancy Lutz will discuss the situation in East Timor at noon Wednesday in the Faculty Club of the Morris University Center. Free soup and attendance prizes will be provided.

**Nutrition Month:** The Wellness Center is sponsoring "Nutrition Day" activities from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday in the Morris University Center Cafeteria.

**Action Day:** Volunteers are needed to help with various medical services and children's activities for Fairmont Family Day in shifts from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday at Holy Rosary School in Fairmont City. For registration information, call the Kimmel Leadership Center at 650-2686.

**Music:** Cellist Kangho Lee, an assistant music professor at SIUE, and pianist Linda Perry, an SIUE music professor, will perform in a faculty recital at 3 p.m. Sunday in Lovejoy Library Auditorium. For more information, call 650-3900.

**Theater:** "The Emperor's New Clothes" will be performed by Piwacket Children's Theatre at 7 p.m. Saturday in Dunham Hall Theater. The production is part of the SIUE's "Season for the Child." Proceeds benefit a scholarship fund for the Friends of Theater and Dance. Tickets are \$5. For more information, call 650-2774.

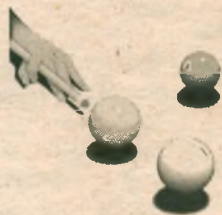
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## Letters to the Editor

### THE UNIVERSITY CAN TELL ON YOU

Dear Alestle editor,

Sometimes I do not understand society. How is it possible for an 18-year old to be intelligent enough to vote, courageous enough to spill his or her blood in a foreign land, clear-minded and old enough to be tried as an adult, responsible and independent enough to move out of the house, get married and start a family but not trustworthy enough to make a responsible choice about drinking. To me, it doesn't make sense.

However, even more disturbing than the drinking-age law is the law passed by Congress that gives a university the right to call an underage individual's parents when the underage individual is caught and charged with possession or consumption of alcohol.

When I arrived at SIUE and moved into the Residence Hall - now called Woodland Hall - I, just like in high school, was free to make my own decisions, both good and bad. However, unlike when I was in high school, I was forced to accept the blame of a poor decision without mommy or daddy helping me. Isn't learning how to handle problems from mistakes the very maturing process of going away to college? For some problems, young people might have to turn to their parent's support whether it be emotional or financial because that is what parents are for.

However, when parents feel comfortable enough to pay for their son or daughter to live at school, or if a student under 21 is

### ATTENDANCE POLICY QUESTIONED

Dear Alestle editor,

My name is Tehrrek Fitzpatrick, and I am a busy second-year student at SIUE. I read the Alestle quite often and find it informing. But today I write this letter to you in disgust.

I have recently been wronged by an egotistical professor who claims his class to be so important that attendance is mandatory. I don't mean that a student cannot do well without showing up every day - such as in calculus or chemistry - I mean that a student is penalized for each day absent. I questioned the professor and debated the issue that sheer absence alone will keep a hard-working student from receiving an otherwise deserved A.

I find this concept outrageous and disadvantageous to any student. My goal is that Alestle address this issue and maybe bring forth similar incidents.

In my case the situation arose at the beginning of the semester. I told the professor I would be leaving the country on family business in March for two weeks. One of those weeks is spring break, so I will only be missing one week of classes. In my Introduction to Computing - CS140 - class, the professor has an attendance policy. The policy states that any student missing two days of class will be deducted an entire letter grade and an additional letter grade for each additional two days missed. There is only one exception to the policy - medical reasons. I will be missing three days of class for the trip and have already missed a day for court reasons. I was then informed that the only grade I would be capable of receiving would be a C.

I proceeded to talk with the chair of the department of computer science. I was told that an attendance policy is at the discretion of the professor, but I would receive help on the matter from her. While her help and understanding was appreciated, I am now faced with mandatory conditions.

The professor explained to me that I will be permitted to go without the three day penalty if, and only if I receive an A on the class midterm, do not miss any additional days of class and write a formal letter to him regarding the trip, the class and my agreement to the conditions. While these conditions are not terribly hard, I find them insulting and terribly inconvenient.

If any student is working hard enough to earn an A, he or she should receive it. And, if that student has to miss a number of classes, it should only mean that the individual should have to work harder. I approached my teachers with hope that I may receive encouragement and support if necessary, and in some cases I did, but what I did not expect was punishment, if you will, and ultimatums.

I can't at all see why a university would allow such policies that are only detrimental to its students. I hope that something can be done about this attendance policy.

Tehrrek Fitzpatrick  
SIUE student

economically independent enough to pay for their own schooling, the university should not have to right to interfere in a maturing adult's life and inform parents of misdemeanors. What's next, calling parents for speeding tickets and jaywalking? It's time for the universities to stop treating students like they are in "Humpty Dumpty" preschool.

Part of leaving the nest is learning how to deal with minor problems and offenses people can develop qualities that will enable them to handle the bigger problems that come later in life. By calling parents for such a minor offense, it insults underage students' integrity and it treats them like children. How can the university expect someone to act like an adult if it does not treat a students like adults?

Therefore, I encourage all of you who are affected by this policy to step away from political apathy and write to your senators and representatives. Ask those representatives, if you are old enough to vote for them or die for this country, how can they infringe upon your rights as an adult and deem it necessary to inform your parents of your minor and private mistakes? Besides, although those in power may not treat you like adults, your vote counts just the same.

Justin Lombard  
Junior English and history

## Alum has goose poop solutions

Identifying problems at the university is rather common among faculty, staff and students. However, instead of simply identifying our problems, we in the campus community should apply our analytical skills to devising innovative solutions to the problems we face.

To follow-up on the recent letter concerning the problems befalling our campus from our resident population of geese, I would like to offer - with apologies to those who are faint of heart or bereft of a juvenile, scatological sense of humor - the following top 10 list for uses of goose poop:

10. Students in the department of art and design could use goose poop as a new medium for their outdoor sculptural works.

9. University Personnel Services could determine that the presence of goose poop is indicative of a positive, natural work environment and is, therefore, a "bargainable issue" in future labor negotiations.

8. The department of biological sciences could focus lab assignments for a new course in scatology on the collection of goose poop samples from various areas of campus.

7. Recognizing the fact that people living in more urban areas throughout the region are denied the benefits of a population of resident of geese, the Kimmel Leadership Center could initiate a program called "Poop in Every Home" to collect and distribute our abundance to the less fortunate.

6. In an effort to reduce the use of chemical fertilizers, Facilities Management could begin to collect and redistribute the goose poop to under-pooped areas of the campus.

5. Students in environmental studies should launch a major research project entitled "The Stress Effects Upon Resident Geese Population in Various Campus Environments as Measured Through Fecal Analysis."

4. The staff of Lovejoy Library, deciding that goose poop is indicative of campus history and traditions, could begin to store it in the university archives.

3. Choreography students in the department of theater and dance could create a new sensation to be called "The Goose Poop Boogie" to be premiered at the upcoming Opus dance program.

2. University Park officials could seek federal funds for new "Goose Poopification" plant to become a major national research facility for alternative fuels.

1. University Police could use goose poop for target practice - giving a whole new meaning to "shooting the sh--."

Eric Barnett  
SIUE alumnus

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## RAILROAD

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"Another way would be to listen for certain songs," she continued. "One, 'Follow the Drinking Gourd,' referred to the Big Dipper. The Big Dipper points to the North Star, and that was how (escaped slaves) found their way to Canada — the map in the sky."

Several northern states, including Wisconsin and Iowa, also took in freed slaves.

"There were organizations set up to help slaves once they got there," Johnson said. "In Canada there were three or four communities established with people there to help. It was the same in Iowa, but Wisconsin was more scattered."

Johnson said escaped slaves faced capture and resale if the police or bounty hunters found them.

"Mainly they were sold back South," she said. "Sometimes they were set free. In Alton a young woman was set free by the son of her owner. Bounty hunters found out where she was, but the city of Alton paid them and she stayed free."

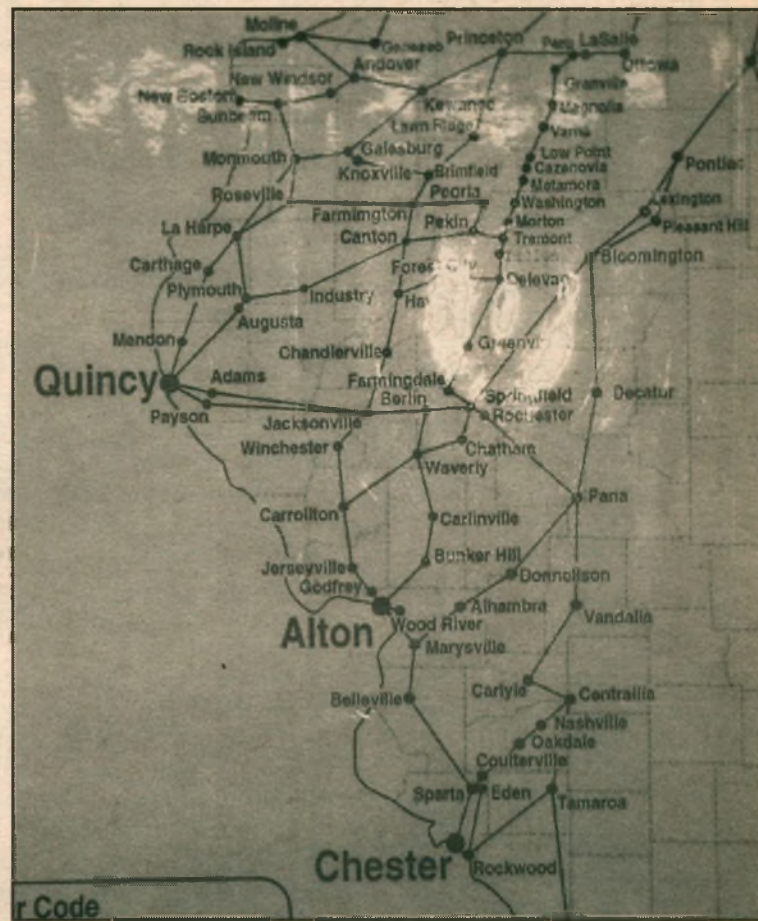
"The police did some of the capturing," Johnson added, "but the high sheriff was a conductor of the Underground Railroad."

She said people caught helping slaves escape to the North could be arrested or fined and could also be ostracized by their communities.

Alton and surrounding communities are steeped in abolitionist history.

Elijah Lovejoy, a Presbyterian minister and publisher of a newspaper expressing strong opinions against slavery, was killed while protecting his printing press from a proslavery mob in 1837.

The Underground Railroad, in its final form, existed from the 1830s until the emancipation of the slaves at the end of the Civil War.



Anthony Watt/Alestle

**Illinois had many stops along the Underground Railroad, which the Alton Museum of History and Art has displayed on this map. The museum is on the campus of the SIUE Dental School.**

## BILL

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"The board has been very accountable and takes public service very seriously," Kaiser said.

The bill would guarantee a right already granted at community colleges but not at public universities in Illinois, according to the IEA memo.

The IEA, which has been supportive of the bill, has contacted other unions and organizations on campus seeking support of the bill, according to Curtis Smith, professor of education and treasurer for the SIU Faculty Association, which is affiliated with the IEA.

According to Dwayne Bess, student government vice president, student government will set up a petition forum for the bill if the student

body shows interest.

"I feel that a certain amount of time should be awarded at the beginning of the (trustees') meetings to allow the public to speak, instead of having to address a member two weeks in advance of the meeting," Bess said.

The bill was approved by the Illinois Senate Education Committee without dissent and could be voted on as early as this week by the Senate, the memo stated.

"The bill supports what should be a fundamental part of the democratic process," Smith said.

## Scholarships available for journalism students

### ALESTLE STAFF REPORT

The Press Club of Metropolitan St. Louis is offering \$1,000 internship scholarships to college students majoring in journalism or a related field.

Media majors planning to complete an internship during 2000 can use the scholarship to pay the internship's tuition or to defray living expenses.

Metropolitan residency is the first requirement. College students from Missouri must be from St. Louis City, Franklin, Jefferson, Lincoln, St. Charles, St. Louis or Warren counties. The Press Club scholarship is also available to Illinois residents from Bond, Clinton, Jersey, Madison, Monroe and St. Clair counties.

Applicants must be completing their sophomore, junior or senior year of college and must be enrolled as a full-time student taking at least 12 credit hours per semester or term.

Courses must be leading to a degree in

journalism or a related field.

The student must be eligible for academic internship according to the specifications of the college.

The Press Club requires applicants to demonstrate academic excellence, provide a letter of recommendation from a communications professor, submit an essay describing the expectations for internship and submit two samples of their work.

A panel of judges from the Press Club of Metropolitan St. Louis will select the internship scholarship recipients. Applicants may be interviewed at the discretion of the judges.

The deadline for application is Friday, March 31.

For more information or to request an application, call (314) 241-6397. Applications are also available in the mass communications department.



## SENATE

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Construction is set to begin during the summer of 2001 and be complete in the spring of 2003.

The student government then passed a motion to approve the \$45 fee increase.

Four travel requests of \$425 were passed for the National Art Education Association, Omnicron Delta Epsilon, the Recreational Sports Advisory Club and the Sociology Club.

A \$2,432 program request was also granted to the Wagner Potters Association for its annual workshop.

The Societal Innovators constitution was submitted to the senate which approved it and recognized the organization. Also, the Latin American Student Organization name change was approved by the senate. The new name is Latino American Student Organization.

The next senate meeting is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Friday, March 10, in the International Room of the Morris University Center.

## Attorney General Jim Ryan takes on vacation scammers

ALESTLE STAFF REPORT

Vacation package rip-offs are out there.

"When the weather turns cold, scam artists turn up the heat on consumers with false and misleading claims about tropical vacations," Attorney General Jim Ryan said.

Ryan recently joined 15 states and the District of Columbia in settling two separate lawsuits against promotion companies and their directors. The defendants had allegedly mislead consumers about vacation packages.

Ryan also entered a modified settlement with a third company sued in 1997 for similar conduct.

The Consent Decrees, filed in Sangamon County Circuit Court, settle allegations that the defendants violated the state's Consumer Fraud and Deceptive Business Practices Act and the Illinois Real Estate Time-Share Act.

The clear disclosure of vacation costs and the fact that packages required attendance at a time-share presentation were two of the many factors leading to litigation and a settlement.

"These settlements should send a message that we are watching and will not allow travel scams to flourish in Illinois," Ryan said.

The lawsuits included allegations that the defendants used direct mail to promote what appeared to be complementary vacation packages to Florida and the Bahamas. The defendants allegedly mailed consumers official-looking documents appearing as awards of a vacation package.

In fact, the offers cost hundreds of dollars in airfare, hotel accommodations and service fees.

The mailed certificate directed consumers to call a toll-free number to confirm the deal. When the consumer called, the companies would pitch alleged discount vacation packages.

The suits stated that even then, important information was not disclosed and consumers paid more than they were told they would pay.

The Illinois' Real Estate Time-Share Act was violated

when companies allegedly failed to disclose that consumers who bought the package were required to attend a time-share presentation while on vacation. Under state law, companies must disclose this requirement and all rules of the promotion clearly in direct mail solicitations.

The consent decrees settled lawsuits against Florida Travel Network, Crown Plaza Resorts d/b/a Imperial Cruise Lines and its owners, all based in Treasure Island, Fla. National Travel Service Inc. and Plaza Resorts Inc., both from Fort Lauderdale, and their company directors were included in the settlement.

Robin Leach of "Lifestyles" fame is named in the same suit against National Travel and Plaza Resorts.

Leach, who endorsed the alleged scams through the use of his name and photograph, is not part of the settlement. The lawsuit against him is still pending.

Under the terms of the consent decrees, all defendants agreed to pay each state \$40,000 to cover litigation costs, and disclose "clearly and conspicuously" on solicitations the actual price of the vacation package or that the consumer must purchase the vacation package.

The defendants will have to disclose that the consumer will be solicited to tour and purchase a time-share, and defendants must stop creating a false sense of urgency by misrepresenting limitations on the time period by which a consumer must respond.

Vacation packages represented as "world class" or "first class" must be substantiated through evaluations and rating from independent, internationally recognized travel publications of similar representations.

The defendants will pay Illinois consumers restitution.

Full refunds will go to Illinois consumers if they purchased a vacation package, have not used it and file a written complaint by April 10 of this year.

Illinois residents who purchased a vacation package, traveled and have already filed a complaint will be refunded \$200.

## English major wins memorial fiction award

BY DANIELLE STERN  
NEWS EDITOR

Jamey M. Bradbury, a junior English major, won first place and \$200 for the Mimi Zanger Memorial Award in Fiction.

Bradbury's short story "The Trees" will be published in the student literary magazine, The River Bluff Review. She will also be recognized at the honors convocation at the end of the semester.

Bradbury said her winning story is about a man who wants to escape his dreary life in the city and meets someone on Christmas Eve who helps.

"I was confident that it was a good story," Bradbury said. "That's why I chose it."

Bradbury said she has entered smaller contests before, but this is her first entry for the Mimi Zanger Award.

Bradbury, who is minoring in creative writing, said she wants to be a writer when she graduates.

Other winners include Rebecca Soppe, who won \$100 for her second-place short story, "Iowa"; Daniel Keller, whose "Dead Quiet" earned him first runner-up; and Kate Goodwin, who was awarded second runner-up for "The Road to Aljabir."

The annual contest is sponsored by the English department and the Creative Writing Committee. Rosemary Monaco, an English graduate student and teaching assistant, led the contest for the first time.

"All of the writing was considered very good this year," Monaco said. "It was a tough choice between first and second place."

More than 20 undergraduate and graduate students campuswide submitted works of fiction. Submissions were not limited to specific majors, Monaco said.

## Fire safety remains a top SIUE housing priority

BY BRIAN WHITTLE  
NEWS REPORTER

SIUE Housing maintains fire safety standards above and beyond regulations for the benefit of residents.

"I do not want to have just the minimum requirements met," said Robert Legate, assistant director of University Housing Facilities Management.

Fire extinguishers, located in the walkways of Cougar Village and public areas of the residence halls, were recently put through "hydrostatic" testing by Fire Safety Inc. in Wood River, Legate said.

"The extinguishers were drained then put through a stress test to make sure they could handle extreme conditions," John Johnson, sales representative of Fire Safety Inc., said.

Fire safety codes in Illinois require the testing every 12 years, but sometimes they are tested more often.

In addition to the hydrostatic testing, housing does weekly checks on the pressure level in the extinguishers and makes sure nothing is visibly wrong with them.

According to Legate, the extinguishers are sometimes drained by students, which adds to the need for weekly checking.

During Safety Week, which happens once a semester, housing officials thoroughly check all housing extinguishers.

Housing officials also check to make sure smoke alarms are working properly once a year, according to Johnson.

Legate said the extinguishers inside the apartments will be changed instead of undergoing hydrostatic testing. The current extinguishers in the apartments weigh 2.5 pounds and have no hose to aim toward the fire. The new models will weigh 5 pounds and have a hose.

"The new ones will be safer and only cost a little more than the hydro-static test," Legate said

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## PEOPLE, ENTERTAINMENT &amp; COMICS

# the SIMPSONS

## MISSION TO MARS CONTEST

In order to promote Touchstone Pictures' new movie "Mission to Mars," we are giving you a chance to see the movie before its release date, for free! We didn't want to totally give them away, so you must conquer our Simpsons trivia. Why, you ask, do we pick "The Simpsons"? Because if you don't like "The Simpsons," you must be from Mars.

Answer as many of these questions using any resource available and turn them in along with your name, e-mail address and phone number to the Alestle office on the second floor of the Morris University Center by 12 p.m. Friday.

1. How did Homer lose all his hair and how many hairs are left?
2. Who is responsible for Krusty's show being canceled?
3. Where did members of the Simpson family go to receive a free nose piercing with every admission?
4. What is the date of the very first appearance of "The Simpsons" on television, and on what program was it shown?
5. Which Simpson has webbed feet?
6. What is the name of Selma's iguana?
7. Who is General Sherman?
8. What is Fugu?
9. In Springfield the folk's drink lemonade. What do the folks drink in Shelbyville?
10. Where does Millhouse's father work?
11. What do Bleeding Gums Murphy, Frank Grimes and Maude Flanders all have in common?
12. What is more exciting to Millhouse than "BloodStorm IV"?



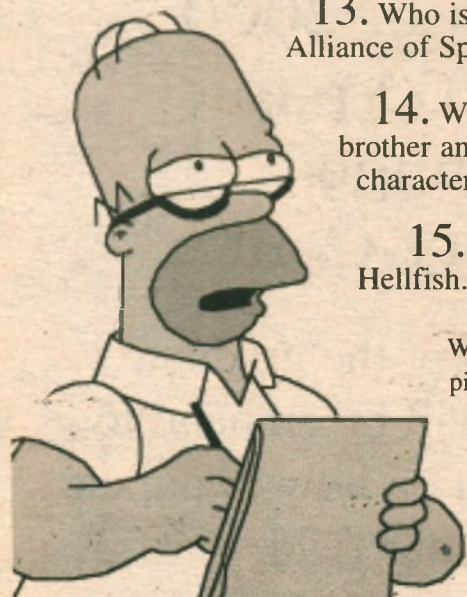
Courtesy of Touchstone Pictures

13. Who is the president of The Gay and Lesbian Alliance of Springfield?

14. What is the name of Sideshow Bob's brother and in what other way are those two characters related?

15. Name four members of the Fighting Hellfish.

Winners will be notified over the weekend and can pick up passes Monday. The showing of "Mission to Mars" will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March. 6 at the West Olive 16 theaters in St. Louis.



# Lifesty

## See it

Works of art from Illinois State University are on display in the New Wagner Gallery at the Art and Design Building. Check out these incredible pieces before it's too late.

BY CHRISTY SCHICKER  
LIFESTYLES REPORTER

A rental show of select prints from Normal Editions Workshop at Illinois State University in Normal is on display in the New Wagner Gallery. The prints were produced by artists in the workshop from 1976 to 1998.

NEW is directed by Richard Finch, an art professor at Illinois State University and an alumni of the SIUE master of fine arts program. Finch received his art studio degree from Robert Malone and James Butler in the mid '70s.

This is the second rental show from NEW to be displayed in the New Wagner Gallery. While the first show was mostly smaller prints, the current show has 1 medium- to larger-sized lithographs, some of which have been hand colored.

Tom Majeski's "Barbara" (1986) shows a woman sitting in a wooden chair lined



"Veneer Court"

Jim Himmelfarb (1996)

features of her face and makes the edges of her bare legs and forearms stand out in white highlight. She gazes down at the floor as if lost in introspection.

The quality of cool morning light is emphasized in this piece, which immerses the entire image in a diffused softness.

Some of the prints contain realistic imagery such as landscapes and still lifes, while others are more abstract, such as Jim Himmelfarb's "Veneer Court" (1996). This print contains layers of abstract shapes done in green and yellow with a network of thin orange line. Larger blue shapes contained in bold black outlines are placed throughout the piece.

Inside the blue shapes are small, dark blue markings that look like a form of writing. These markings are similar to the ones Himmelfarb uses in another print "Tabula Tabula Picta" (1993). In this print, numerous small, close-set lines of white print are placed atop a black background.

"A Summer Landscape" (1989) by James Butler is an image saturated with rich, lush color. The horizon line is placed high in the picture, which allows for a deep expanse of land to be depicted.

Brown and white cows are shown grazing in the foreground while small farms, dark green trees and bright yellow fields are spotted across the middle and background. The thin expanse of sky is colored a hazy bluish green, which gives the

with soft cushions. The viewpoint is slightly elevated so the viewer looks down at the woman who faces us in diagonal position. A window is positioned on the wall at her right which recedes in the distance to a murky, dark interior.

The barefoot woman wears a pale-pink robe and sits with one knee raised and her foot resting on the cushioned chair. She is bathed in a diffused, golden light that floods in from the window. The light softens the



les

The heights by men reached and kept  
Were not attained by sudden flight,  
But they, while their companions slept,  
Were toiling upward in the night.

—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

THOUGHT  
OF  
THE DAY

print



Summer Landscape" James Butler (1989)

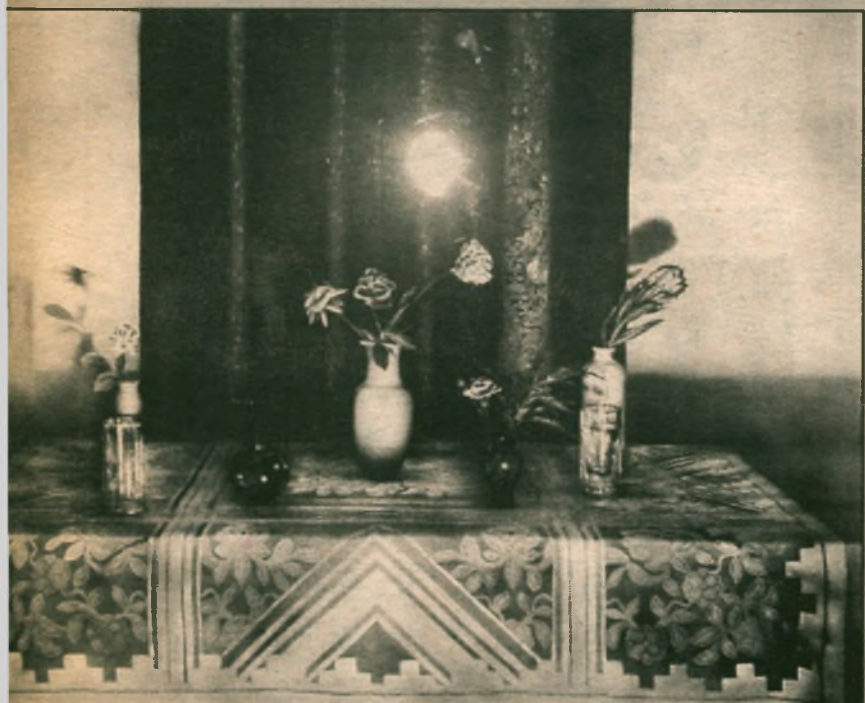
ance of a storm hovering in the distance.  
another print by Butler, "Still Life with Glass and Clay" (1995), is an image with  
g realism. Glass and ceramic vases, some which are filled with water and  
s, are set on a table with an elaborate geometric and floral pattern tablecloth.  
tapestry with vertical stripes hangs down the wall behind the table. The vases,  
d symmetrically on the table, are hit with a central and direct lighting that  
shadows of the flowers onto either side of the wall behind.

forth" (1989) by Keith Jacobshagen is one of the smaller prints in the show. It is  
ly square and set in a large white mat. This landscape has a fairly low horizon  
ich shows a large field of sky. A dark central road recedes into the distance,  
a gently sloping landscape extends on either side.

e scene portrays dusk, where a bright saturated blue sky merges into a pale and  
-down orange at the horizon. Dark patches of blue and purple clouds are  
ed across the top of the piece and gradually get smaller as they reach the pale-  
distance

l the prints in this show are for sale ranging from \$150 to \$1,000. "Select Prints:  
998" will be on display in the New Wagner Gallery of the Art and Design  
g until Friday. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The next  
n the gallery will be a Master of Fine Arts exhibit featuring the work of Jessica  
y.

r more information, call Dan Anderson, exhibitions coordinator at 650-3619 or  
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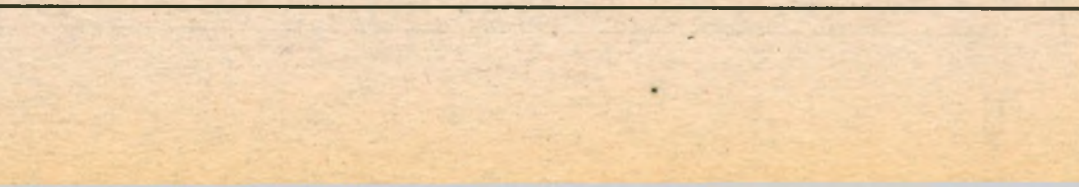
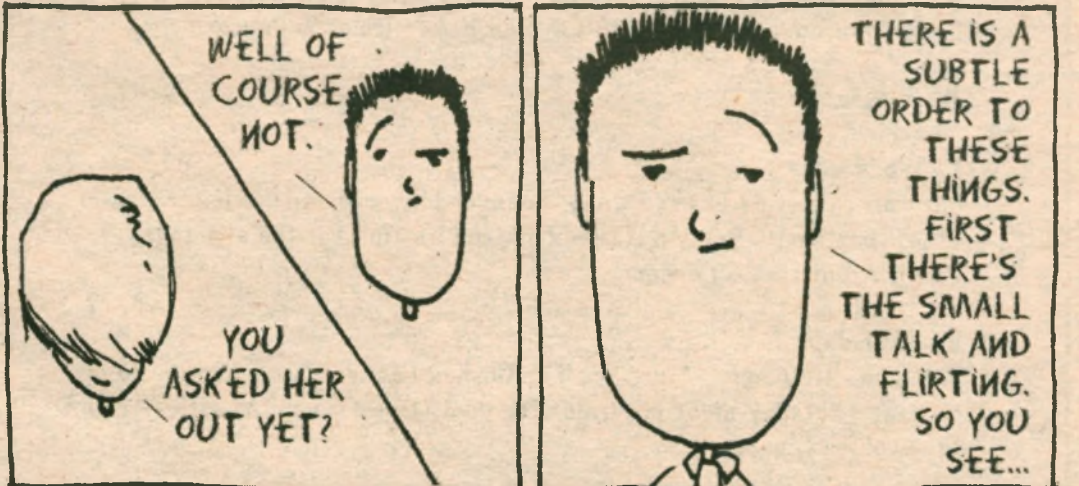
with Glass and Clay" James Butler (1995)

Photos by the Alestle

# Little Fish

Episode 52: A Dialogue

By Andy Lehman





# The greatest Tuesday of the year

St. Louis Mardi Gras is one of the largest in the country. Check out these local places and events to celebrate Fat Tuesday 2000.

BY ROSEMARY LADD  
FOR THE ALESTLE

Area residents and SIUE students don't have to go to New Orleans to enjoy the first Mardi Gras of the new millennium.

St. Louis holds the second-largest Mardi Gras celebration in the nation.

The historic Soulard area of the city is steeped in French history and celebrates Mardi Gras in grand style each year.

The South Broadway Athletic Club, 2301 S. Seventh, St. Louis, will open its doors at 8 p.m. Friday for the Subterranean Masked Ball. Tickets are \$15 each. A costume contest and show will begin at 9 p.m. For more information, call Linda Cawvey at (314) 772-3338.

Saturday is Captain Morgan's Grand Parade. The parade is scheduled to begin at 11 a.m. from BB's Jazz Blues and Soups, 700 S. Broadway. It will head along Seventh Street and end up at Sidney.

Closer, and on this side of the river, is the "Fat Tuesday" bang at Ralph's in Alton. Plan to arrive around 3:30 p.m. in costume. A Mardi Gras king

will be inside the restaurant giving away beads and keeping partygoers happy.

The usual cost of Ralph's Mardi Gras bash is between \$16 and \$17 per person. While it may sound expensive, the cover charge includes an all-you-can-eat buffet, Mardi Gras dancers and two live bands.

This year's menu has yet to be completed, but Etoufee, Blackened Fish, Jambalaya, Billy Gumbo and Corn-on-the-Cob are just a few of the standards being offered. Guests will be able to walk outside to watch fresh crawfish and shrimp being grilled for the buffet.

The Jazz and Blues Innovators from St. Louis will start off Ralph's party at 3:30 p.m. with music and dancing.

The Zyedco Crawdaddies will take over the stage at 7 p.m. and play until the party is over or Ash Wednesday has arrived.

Ralph said he wants everyone in costume. It has become part of the Mardi Gras tradition at his restaurant.

Ralph's is located at 219 W. Third St in Alton. Parking is free and handicapped spaces are available. For more information, call 465-3230.

## Morris University Center

# M \* U \* C happenings

February 29 - March 8

### 29 - Tuesday

8:00 pm : Just for Laughs (Cougar Den) Featured Comedian is Louis Johnson. Sponsored by UCB. FREE Admission & Popcorn.

### MARCH

### 1 - Wednesday

8:00 pm : Fireside Flicks (Opapi Lounge) This week's film is "The Apartment" Enjoy a classic film and unwind for the evening. FREE Admission & Popcorn.

### 2 - Thursday

7:00 pm - 10:00 pm : Must See TV (Goshen Lounge) Come and see some of your Thursday night programming on a large screen TV with a friend. Free coffee & popcorn.

### 3 - Friday

8:00 pm : Live Music (Cougar Den) "Children's Audio" is tonight's featured Band. FREE Admission and Snacks.

### 5 - Sunday

10:30 am - 1:30 pm : Brunch (University Restaurant) This is an excellent opportunity to enjoy a very relaxing meal. The University Restaurant is open to all and has an excellent buffet, seconded to none.

### 8 - Wednesday

12:00 pm : Center Stage (Goshen Lounge) Suma Wrestling will be demonstrated. Sponsored by UCB.

<http://www.siue.edu/UNVCNT/happenings>

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SIUE senior forward Travis Wallbaum finished his career ranked 10th on the all-time scoring list with 1,043 points. Wallbaum fell just short of passing Nathan Kreke for ninth on the list, who tallied 1,045 points between the years of 1994-98.

# SPORTS

UP NEXT

**Women's basketball:** 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, first round of Great Lakes Valley Conference tournament against Bellarmine College in Evansville, Ind.  
**Baseball:** 2:30 p.m. Wednesday against Missouri Baptist College in St. Louis; 3 p.m. Friday and noon Saturday (dh) against Northwest Missouri State University (home).  
**Softball:** 9 a.m. Friday against St. Edward's University in Austin, Texas.

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## Women get fourth seed for tourney

*Lady Cougars split final games of regular season at home*

BY TONY AMMANN  
SPORTS EDITOR

The SIUE women's basketball team went into action against Northern Kentucky University Thursday with one goal — revenge.

Students and fans attended the Vadalabene Center for the final "Pack the Gym" night of the season with hopes of seeing the Lady Cougars upset the regular season champions of the Great Lakes Valley Conference.

The Norse (17-1) had already wrapped up the conference title and a No. 1 seed for the GLVC tournament. NKU came into the game against the Lady Cougars defeating teams by an average of 19.5 points per game but defeated SIUE by just three points earlier in the year in Highland Heights, Ky.

The Lady Cougars (12-6) entered the game tied with three other teams for the No. 2 position in the conference. A win against the Norse could not only satisfy the Lady Cougars' thirst for revenge, but possibly secure them a top-six vote for the National Collegiate Athletic Association regional tournament.

SIUE went into action against the Norse as the sixth-ranked team in the Great Lakes Valley Region. Since only the top six teams in each region qualify for the regional tournament, the Lady Cougars would almost be a shoo-in with a win over the top-ranked team in the region, Northern Kentucky.

That feat would not be easy. The Lady Cougars were able to take an early 7-6 lead, but NKU came storming back and led by as much as 13 points midway through the first half.

Three quick buckets by SIUE's Jill Johnson, Sarah Sollberger and Sarah Larson cut the Norse's lead to 26-20 and the Lady Cougars were back in the

game. A blocked shot by center Sarah Cook put an end to the first half with SIUE trailing 30-26.

NKU forward Michelle Cottrell led all scorers at the half with 12 points and led the Norse in rebounds with seven. Clark led the Lady Cougars with 10 points at the half, extending her double-digit scoring streak to 65 consecutive games.

Clark drove the lane for a layup to get SIUE within three points early in the half, but that was the closest the Lady Cougars would get to leading the rest of the game. NKU stretched its lead back to 10 points midway through the half and the Lady Cougars would not recover.

The Lady Cougars made the game interesting and cut the Norse's lead to five points but fell 63-58. With the win, NKU upped its winning streak to 15 games.

Cottrell was one of four members of the Norse to score in double digits, ending with a team-high 16 points. Amy Mobly had 12 points off the bench, while forward Julie Cowens and guard Michele Tuchfarber each contributed with 10 points each.

Clark led SIUE with 20 points while Larson and Sollberger threw in 11 and 10 points respectively. The Norse shot 46.4 percent from the field in the game, which marked the first time this year the Lady Cougars allowed a team to shoot better than 45 percent.

NKU head coach Nancy Winstel thinks the Lady Cougars are the best defensive team her players have had to face this year.

"They really get after us, especially in our half-court defense," Winstel said. "We knew we were going to have to come ready to play. I thought both teams played very, very hard."

The Lady Cougars lost 59-56 in their other defensive-minded battle with NKU this year. The Norse went just 10-for-20 from

the line in the second half Thursday, which put SIUE right back into the game.

Winstel thought her team was fortunate to come away with the win after seeing her team go just 12-for-25 from the charity stripe in the game.

"This is the best free-throw shooting team I've had in a while," Winstel said. "At the end of the season, you have to shoot foul shots well."

SIUE head coach Wendy Hedberg was ready to put the loss behind her and prepare for her team's next game against the University of Indianapolis Saturday.

"They're going to come in here and try to beat us and get themselves into the tournament," Hedberg said. "They need a win and they're playing well right now. We'll have to come back and take care of business."

Indianapolis (9-10) went into action Saturday deadlocked for the No. 7 seed in the conference tournament, win or lose. SIUE held nearly the same fate as well.

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**SIUE guard Misi Clark (3) fights for two of her 20 points in her team's 63-58 loss to Northern Kentucky University Thursday.**

## Clark breaks scoring mark

*Guard passes Terri Evans as leading scorer in SIUE history*

BY TONY AMMANN  
SPORTS EDITOR

Although the Lady Cougars had already clinched a spot in the playoffs before Saturday's game against the University of Indianapolis, SIUE guard Misi Clark had a magic number of her own.

The number, 16, represented the amount of points Clark needed to surpass Terri Evans as the school's all-time leading scorer. Clark went into the game averaging 21.5 points per game, making 16 look almost too easy.

Clark, a junior from Paris, could possibly accumulate more points in three years than Evans did in four. Evans tallied 1,649 points for the Lady Cougars between the years of 1992-96.

Clark went into the game against the Lady Greyhounds Saturday with 1,634 career points fresh off a 20-point performance against Northern Kentucky University Thursday.

After scoring just five points in the first half, it seemed more likely that Clark would break the record in the postseason. She



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**SIUE guard Misi Clark is just 349 points away from reaching 2,000 points in her career.**

went just 1-for-7 from the field, including 0-for-2 from three-point range.

Clark was more focused on and preoccupied with defeating Indianapolis than setting the scoring record.

"I knew I was getting close all this week," Clark said. "I wasn't really concerned about (the record) going into the game. Our main concern was victory. I didn't know how many (points) I

had down the stretch, but I knew I had to be getting close near the end."

Another concern for Clark was getting the ball to her teammates, especially after struggling to score on her own.

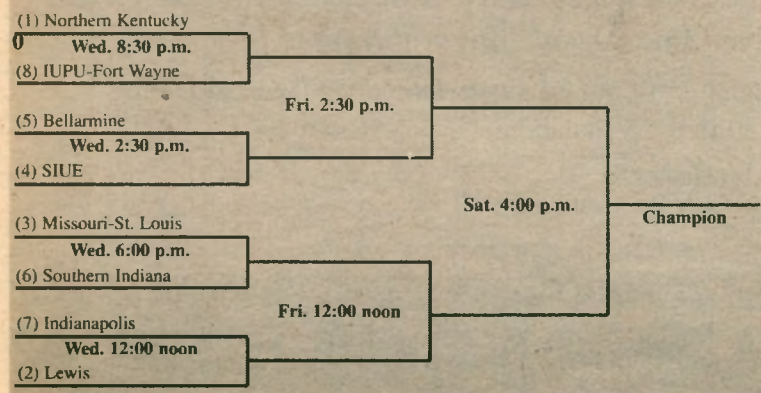
"My layups weren't hitting tonight," Clark said. "Once I drove in, I knew the contact was going to be there. I was looking to dish it off and was looking for the most people inside. I was mostly trying to get the others involved."

With the Lady Greyhounds leading 27-20 at halftime, the main concern for SIUE was to get back into the game. SIUE got help from their leader when Clark hit back-to-back baskets to get her team to within two points of tying the game midway through the second half.

Clark gave the Lady Cougars just their second lead of the game by hitting a baseline jumper late in the half, giving SIUE a 48-47 lead. She scored her 14th point of the game on a free throw but missed a layup right before the buzzer that would have given her the record and her team the win.

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## WOMEN'S

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The Lady Cougars would hold either the No. 4 or No. 5 seed pending the outcome of the game but would face Bellarmine College in either situation.

The game was very meaningful for Clark, though. The junior guard needed just 16 points to pass Terri Evans as the all-time leading scorer at SIUE.

Although the outcome of the game seemed somewhat meaningless, both squads fought hard in what was the final game of the regular season. The Lady Greyhounds were either tied or had the lead the entire first half and led 27-20 at the break.

Indianapolis out-rebounded SIUE 26-16 in the half and held the Lady Cougars to just three offensive boards. Angel Hall led all scorers with seven points while Clark tallied a team-high five for the Lady Cougars.

Indy's Kendall Virgin and Elizabeth Ramsey nailed consecutive three-pointers early in the second half to extend their team's lead to 38-28. Hedberg called a timeout and her team responded.

SIUE scored three straight times after the short huddle to cut its deficit to five. After Ramsey hit a short baseline jumper, the Lady Cougars then went on a 11-0 run and took their first lead of the game 43-40.

Crystal Gladson gave the Lady Cougars the lead when she grabbed an offensive board on a missed free-throw attempt by Johnson. Gladson put the rebound up for two points, was fouled and converted the three-point play.

Indy rallied back to tie the score late in the game, tying the game at 50. The last five minutes of the game consisted of six lead changes, but at the end of

regulation, each team had 54 points.

The overtime period not only gave the Lady Cougars another shot at winning the game, but it gave Clark five more minutes to score three points to break the scoring record. Clark hit two shots from the line to tie the record and give SIUE a comfortable 64-60 lead with 25.4 seconds left.

With SIUE leading 66-61, the Lady Greyhounds fouled Clark on the inbound pass and gave her one more shot at the record. She nailed the first of two free throws to seal the record and the win, 68-63.

Hedberg was happy to get the win but thinks her team will have to play much better to be successful when the conference tournament begins Wednesday.

"We're happy to get the win, but we have to get away from it and be done with it," Hedberg said. "If we play like that again, we'll be done for the season. The second half of the season starts right now."

Sollberger, the lone senior on the Lady Cougars, had seven points in what may have been her final game at SIUE. Sollberger is averaging 10.4 points per game in her final season.

The No. 4 Lady Cougars will face No. 5 Bellarmine at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in the first round of the GLVC tournament in Evansville, Ind. SIUE lost at Bellarmine 68-63 Feb. 17 but defeated the Lady Knights 86-73 at home on Jan. 22.

If the Lady Cougars win on Wednesday, they will face the winner of the NKU/Indiana University-Purdue University at Fort Wayne game Friday at 2:30 p.m. All games will be played at Roberts Stadium in Evansville.

## Seniors play last game at SIUE

McKinzie among four players to finish their Cougar careers

BY RICK CROSSIN  
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

It was "Senior Night" at the Vadalabene Center Saturday and one senior made his playing time count.

Danarn Hills shot 6-for-6 from the field and scored 13 points as the SIUE men's basketball team ended the 1999-2000 season with a 90-82 loss to the University of Indianapolis.

Hills saw just 20 minutes of action in nine games this season, averaging 0.9 points per game, but played 23 minutes in his final game in an SIUE uniform.

"He had a nice night," head coach Jack Margenthaler said. "I'm very happy for him."

Hills and four other Cougar seniors — Travis Wallbaum, Ryan Groves, Ryan Cross and Antonio McKinzie — were all honored before the game by Margenthaler and Chancellor David Werner.

Wallbaum also made his final game at SIUE memorable by posting a double-double with 18 points and 12 rebounds.

The Cougars started the game quickly, jumping to an early 8-3 lead on jump shots by Hills and Wallbaum. But the lead would not last long as Indy guard Andy Foster led a 9-0 run. The Greyhounds took the lead 12-8.

Foster came into the game ranked third in the Great Lakes Valley Conference in scoring at 17.4 points per game, and it showed as he scored 11 points in the first half.

With the score tied at 18 midway through the first half, SIUE guard Luke Humphrey fouled Indy's Kevin Brown on the three-point line, giving him three foul shots. He knocked down all three.

On the next possession, Brown was again fouled, this time by guard Ty Moss, and made both free throws to put the Greyhounds back on top by five.

After the teams traded baskets, the Indy lead would balloon to eight with 6:45 remaining in the first half on a three-pointer by Greyhound guard Quincy Davidson.

With 3:40 left in the half, the Cougars finally came to life. SIUE went on a 7-0 run capped off by a deep three-pointer by Derek Cowan. He was 2-for-2 from behind the arc in the game.

Two free throws by Ryan Sexson gave the Cougars a one-point lead, but with just one second left on the clock, Indy's Bart Holubar scored to give the Greyhounds the lead 41-40 at the half.

Hills led the Cougars in scoring at the half with 11, and

Foster also scored 11 for Indy.

The difference in the first half was free-throw shooting, as the Greyhounds went to the line 17 times in the first half, connecting on 14.

The start of the second half mirrored that of the first half as Hills started the scoring once again for the Cougars with a jumper to give SIUE the lead 42-41.

That lead evaporated quickly as Indy went on a 19-4 run to take over the game. Foster again sparked the run, scoring seven points and assisting on an alley-oop dunk to Chris Martin.

After the dunk, the Indy bench went into a frenzy and Wallbaum was called for a technical foul.

"Officials don't win games," Margenthaler said. "You've got to keep playing."

After the second media timeout of the half, SIUE began to chip away at the Greyhound lead.

Dion Perkins buried a high-arching jumper from the foul line and Humphrey knocked down a three to cut the lead to nine, but Foster answered Humphrey with his fourth three-pointer of the game to bring the Indy lead to 71-59 with just over 11 minutes to play.

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## Open League Volleyball Men's, Women's & Coed Teams

Registration Deadline is Tuesday, Feb. 29, 2000

A \$20.00 entry fee and a \$20.00 forfeit fee must accompany each team's registration.

A member from each team **MUST** attend a mandatory manager's meeting  
Thurs., March 2 at 4:30 in the Vadalabene Center, Room 2001.

All SIUE students, faculty &amp; staff are eligible to participate.

Contact Chad Rodgers @ 650-3241 for more information.

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Registration Deadline for this league is March 8 by 9:00 p.m.

A \$5.00 entry fee is due with each team entry, with 2 people on each team.

Games will be played Sunday evenings starting at 7:00 p.m.

A member from each team must attend a *mandatory* Manager's Meeting  
March 9 at 4:30 in the Vadalabene Center, Room 2001.Games will be bowled at the Morris University Rec Center.  
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## SIUE COUGAR SCORES



### WOMEN'S BASKETBALL Final GLVC Standings

Team	GLVC Record
1. Northern Kentucky*	19-1
2. Lewis*	14-6
3. Missouri St. Louis*	14-6
4. SIUE*	13-7
5. Bellarmine*	12-8
6. Southern Indiana*	10-10
7. Indianapolis*	9-11
8. Kentucky Wesleyan*	9-11
9. IUPUI-Fort Wayne	9-11
10. Wisconsin-Parkside	5-15
11. St. Joseph's	4-16
12. Quincy	2-18

\*advances to GLVC tournament

Saturday

SCORE BY PERIODS	1st	2nd	OT	Total
Northern Kentucky	27	27	9	63
SIUE	20	34	14	68

Indianapolis

**Scoring (63):**  
Angi DeWitt 1-2, 1-2, 4; Elizabeth Ramsey 7-16, 6-8, 21; Rana Glenn 3-9, 5-6, 11; Kenall Virgin 3-7, 1-3, 9; Angel Hall 4-9, 1-2, 10; Laura Schmalstig 0-5, 4-6, 4; Emily Hammes 1-4, 2-2, 4.

**Rebounding (49):**  
Allison Sturtevant 2, DeWitt 2, Ramsey 12, Glenn 8, Virgin 2, Hall 1, Hammes 11, Ali Oberle 2, Anne Frantz 3.

**3-Point Field Goals (5):**  
DeWitt 1, Ramsey 1, Virgin 2, Hall 1.

**Assists (8):**  
DeWitt 3, Ramsey 1, Virgin 3, Hall 1.

SIUE

**Scoring (68):**  
Sarah Sollberger 3-8, 0-0, 7; Jill Johnson 3-5, 4-11, 10; Sarah Cook 3-4, 1-1, 7; Misi Clark 4-17, 9-11, 17; Sarah Larson 2-8, 4-5, 8; Kristi Eller 1-2, 4-4, 6; Liz DeShasier 1-1, 0-0, 2; Crystal Gladson 4-10, 3-7, 11.

**Rebounding (39):**  
Johnson 7, Larson 7, Cook 5, Clark 3, Sollberger 3, Eller 2, Gladson 5, M. Grizzle 1.

**3-Point Field Goals (1):**  
Sollberger 1.

**Assists (13):**  
Larson 2, Clark 5, Sollberger 1, Heather Hillebrenner 2, Gladson 2, Grizzle 1.

### MEN'S BASKETBALL Final GLVC Standings

Team	GLVC Record
1. Kentucky Wesleyan*	18-2
2. Southern Indiana*	17-3
3. Northern Kentucky*	16-4
4. Indianapolis*	13-7
5. Lewis*	13-7
6. Bellarmine*	8-12
7. IUPUI-Fort Wayne*	8-12
8. Missouri St. Louis*	7-13
9. Quincy	7-13
10. SIUE	5-15
11. Wisconsin-Parkside	4-16
12. St. Joseph's	4-16

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Saturday

SCORE BY PERIODS	1st	2nd	Total
Indianapolis	41	49	90
SIUE	40	42	82

Indianapolis

**Scoring (90):**  
Chris Martin 5-12, 4-4, 15; Bart Holubar 3-5, 3-4, 9; Kevin Skurka 1-4, 1-2, 3; Quincy Davidson 3-6, 2-4, 9; Andy Foster 6-16, 8-11, 24; Jamarr Gaines 3-3, 1-1, 8; K. Brown 0-1, 7-7, 7; Chris Desjean 1-4, 0-0, 2; Ryan Hupfer 4-6, 5-5, 13.

**Rebounding (34):**  
Martin 9, Holubar 2, Skurka 2, Foster 3, Gaines 2, Brown 1, Desjean 2, Hupfer 4, Davidson 5.

**3-Point Field Goals (7):**  
Martin 1, Davidson 1, Foster 4, Gaines 1.

**Assists (11):**  
Martin 1, Skurka 2, Davidson 2, Foster 3, Gaines 2, Brown 1.

SIUE

**Scoring (82):**  
D. Hills 6-6, 1-1, 13; A. McKinzie 0-10, 5-6, 5; R. Cross 1-5, 0-0, 2; T. Wallbaum 6-9, 6-8, 18; N. Hartwig 3-4, 0-0, 6; R. Sexson 1-7, 2-5, 5; D. Cowan 2-3, 1-2, 7; M. Perry 3-8, 1-2, 8; L. Humphrey 3-5, 0-0, 7; D. Perkins 4-5, 3-3, 11.

**Rebounding (39):**  
Hills 1, McKinzie 4, Wallbaum 12, Hartwig 4, Humphrey 1, Cowan 4, Perry 3, Perkins 4.

**3-Point Field Goals (5):**  
Humphrey 1, Perry 1, Sexson 1, Cowan 2.

**Assists (21):**  
Hills 2, Ryan Groves 1, Wallbaum 2, McKinzie 3, Cross 3, Humphrey 3, Sexson 5, Perkins 2.

## CLARK

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The game went into overtime with the score tied at 54 and Clark one point shy of tying Evans' record.

Clark took the first shot of the overtime period but missed. With 25.4 seconds remaining and SIUE leading by just two points, Clark was fouled and went 2-for-2 from the free-throw line to tie the record.

With the Lady Cougars now leading comfortably 66-61 with time running out, Clark was fouled again on the inbounds pass and got another shot at breaking the record. She hit both free throws to become the school's all-time leading scorer and secured a 68-63 win for SIUE.

Clark was relieved to break

the record in the final game of the regular season so she and her teammates could focus on advancing to the National Collegiate Athletic Association regional tournament, which begins March 9.

"It's really nice to get it over with," Clark said. "We're going to have to do big things in the (Great Lakes Valley Conference) tournament in order to move on to the NCAA tournament. Our next game may be our last game."

It is highly possibly that Clark could reach the 2,000-point plateau next season. She is the only player in school history to score more than 1,000 points in her first two seasons and also set a freshman record with 551

points two years ago. Clark is just 349 points from the 2,000 mark.

"It's really nice to get (the record) here at home," Clark said. "I didn't know for a while if I was ever going to get it, but most of my family was here so it was really nice."

Clark is fortunate to get the record, considering she doesn't know what role she'll play on the team from year to year.

"I know coach (Hedberg) is now looking for me to be more of a leader," Clark said. "I'm just trying to do what I'm asked."

With SIUE advancing to the GLVC tournament and having a legitimate shot at a regional bid, there probably isn't much more to ask.

## MEN'S

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The Greyhounds continued to hound SIUE with extreme ball pressure, forcing the Cougars into 17 turnovers.

"We didn't do too bad with it," Margenthaler said.

With 9:11 left in the game and the Cougars down 11, Wallbaum took over. He scored consecutive points for SIUE to cut the Indy lead to seven.

Wallbaum then stole the ball only to have it taken back by Foster, who was fouled on the ensuing break and buried both foul shots.

SIUE was down 10 with 1:33

remaining when Perkins hit two clutch free throws to allow SIUE to set up a full-court press.

The Cougars took advantage of a miss by Indy and took the ball with a sense of urgency down eight with 40 seconds left.

Wallbaum was double-teamed in the post area and was almost called for five-second violation before finding Sexson, who drilled a three to cut the lead to five.

SIUE immediately fouled the nearest player from Indy on the next possession. Unfortunately, that was Foster, who shoots 82 percent from the line.

Foster made one of two to bring the deficit to six with 34 seconds remaining.

On the next possession, Sexson was fouled by Holubar on the three-point line, giving Sexson the chance to cut the lead to three.

Sexson, a 78 percent free-throw shooter this season, missed

all three shots, and SIUE was forced to foul Martin, who made both free throws to ice the game as Indy won by eight.

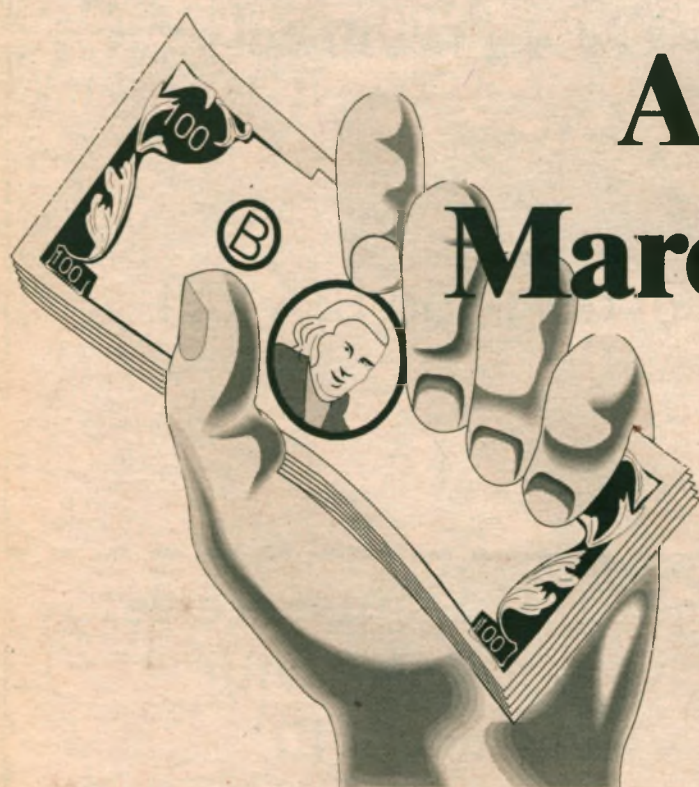
"It's one of those unfortunate things," Margenthaler said.

With the loss, SIUE finished the season losing seven games in a row and 10 of its last 11. SIUE compiled a 9-17 overall record and 5-15 in the GLVC, and will not play in the GLVC tournament.

Indianapolis, however, will be the No. 4 seed in the tournament and will face Lewis University Thursday.

The Cougars will now take two weeks off and then the players who return next year will get back to work.

Sexson finished the season as the SIUE team leader in points per game with 12.4, assists with 103 and steals with 33. Wallbaum was the Cougars' leading rebounder, averaging 8.9 boards per game, while Moss led in free-throw percentage at 90.3 percent.



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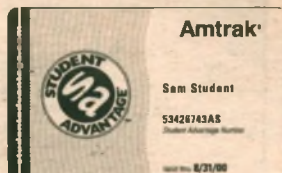
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