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Students dance to the beat



Brian Wallheimer/Alestle
The rhythm of Joia, a percussion group, had students dancing around the Goshen Lounge Wednesday during International Week.

Student hurt in accident

BY DANIELLE STERN
NEWS EDITOR

An SIUE student sustained minor injuries after a two-vehicle collision Wednesday afternoon on East University Drive.

Amy Snell, a 27-year-old, undeclared senior from Alton, was taken to Anderson Hospital in Maryville with reported hip injuries and possibly a broken hand, according to SIUE police and hospital officials.

SIUE Police Capt. Gina Hayes said Snell's 1990 Toyota was struck by a Chevrolet van driven by 47-year-old Pamela Fuller when Snell's car went into Fuller's path.

Snell was heading east on East University Drive when her right front wheel left the roadway. When she tried to bring the car under control, police said she overcompensated and went into oncoming traffic. Fuller's van then struck Snell.

When the SIUE Police Department responded to the 12:19 p.m. call, both women had to be removed from their vehicles with emergency cutting devices.

Hayes said both women were conscious.

Traffic was re-routed on East University Drive while the accident was cleaned up. Hayes said the last vehicle was removed around 1:30 p.m.

SIUE art auction ready for action

ALESTLE STAFF
REPORT

The 23rd Annual Art Auction, sponsored by the SIUE Friends of Art, is scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 16, at the Sunset Hills Country Club in Edwardsville.

Each year the Friends of Art collect and assemble artwork from faculty, students and alumni of the art and design department to benefit the university's undergraduate and graduate art programs.

Since 1977 the Friends of Art has helped the department plan the fund-raiser. Last year's event sold more than 200 pieces by professional auctioneer Gary Neimeier and an additional 40 items during a silent auction.

Proceeds are used to fund many department and student events. Last year's profits brought 13 nationally and internationally known artists to SIUE for workshops and lectures. The proceeds also support the Art Scholarship Fund and helps purchase books and films about art and design for Lovejoy Library.

Additional monies are awarded to students for traveling to conferences, for visiting artist receptions and for attending various exhibits and



SIUE photo services
SIUE art and design students review artwork for possible inclusion in the upcoming SIUE Art Auction sponsored by the Friends of Art.

seminars. The funding also helps the local Edwardsville-Alton Art Studio Tour reception.

For more information, contact Dianne Lynch at 650-3073 or Friends of Art President Dawn Nash at Morning Storm Studio at 656-8710.

Younger voters are more conservative, but less likely to vote on election day

BY ERIC NOE & MICHAEL GANNON
MEDILL NEWS SERVICE

WASHINGTON -- Forget the nose rings, the tattoos and the blasé attitudes towards violence and sex in popular culture -- Generation Y may bear some resemblance to its parents after all.

A Medill News Service poll suggested that young Americans, having grown up in a time of unparalleled economic prosperity, are not as liberal as they once were. In fact, politically, the youngest generation of voters is more squarely in line with the whole of American society than conventional wisdom would suggest.

According to a nationwide poll of 1,008 young people conducted for Medill News Service by the nonpartisan research firm Campaign Study Group, vast majorities of 18- through 24-year-olds agree with George W. Bush on issues such as school vouchers and some aspects of abortion. And young people decidedly favored the Republican over Democrat Al Gore (44 percent to 32 percent) in November's presidential election.

Moreover, 30 percent of those polled think of themselves as conservative, while only 26 percent consider themselves liberal, numbers that match up with national averages in all age groups. And 42 percent of Generation Y said it at least leaned Republican, identical to the percentage of the national adult population that said the same thing.

Those numbers, compared with a 1968 Gallup poll of 21- through 29-year-olds, show how much more conservative today's young voters are than their parents were at the same age. In 1968, 38 percent of young voters considered themselves Democrats, while only 24 percent considered themselves Republicans.

And a 1971 Gallup survey of college students showed that 35 percent considered themselves liberal, and only 13 percent considered themselves conservative.

"(Young people) are not as liberal as they were in the 60s and early 70s," said pollster Curtis Gans. "Young people seem to reflect the rest of the population, except in that young people tend to be more idealistic."

Conservatives, however, should not rejoice just yet

over winning over so many of the 10 million 18- to 24-year-olds who comprise 8 percent of eligible voters. Survey participants were mixed in their opinions on gun control and what to do with the federal budget surplus, other areas of contention between Republicans and Democrats. And while a majority said they would vote for Bush in November, many may not ultimately make it to the polls.

While 55 percent of those surveyed said they would definitely vote in November, 13 percent of that group were not currently registered. And 21 percent of those said they definitely would vote this year, and were old enough to vote in 1996, said they did not vote in the last presidential election.

Matthew Grey, a 24-year-old English teacher from Pasadena, Md., said the lack of clear differences between the two main presidential candidates leads many of his peers to be indifferent to politics. "I have been frustrated," he said. "I know a lot of people aren't going to vote this year."

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Grey lamented the fact that politicians have become so image-conscious.

"They've sunk down to the level of salesmen," he said. "I don't think Teddy Roosevelt had to be a salesman so much as ... a leader."

Young people also seem to be searching for a political identity, leaning conservative but possibly dissatisfied with what they have found. Only 21 percent said they strongly identify with a political party.

Shella Neba, 18, a University of Memphis freshman from Aurora, Colo., said she is more conservative than her parents, who plan to vote for Gore. But she has found it hard to be too excited about the choices she has in this election.

"I find it extremely difficult to find a candidate I like, especially in this election," she said. "Sometimes I disagree with Bush, sometimes I disagree with Gore. At this point I wouldn't feel comfortable voting for either of the candidates."

The survey results suggest that young voters are more interested in a candidate's character than in agreeing with the candidate on the issues.

"It's mostly because of my lack of trust in the president we have now," said 23-year-old John Hansen of West Jordan, Utah. "He's been dishonest in a lot of the things he's said to the country,

and I want someone who will be totally honest for a change. But I guess it's hard to really have trust in any politicians at this point."

Seventy-two percent of respondents rated honesty as an absolutely crucial quality for the next president, while 40 percent rated it tops among five other choices: a strong vision, extreme intelligence, an ability to inspire, prior executive experience and, ranking far behind, agreement on the issues. Only 23 percent believed that it was crucial for a candidate to agree with them on the issues in order to get their votes, and just 6 percent of respondents ranked agreement on issues at the top of their list.

California State University at Northridge junior Sarah Yount, 19, favors conservative opinions such as establishing a federal school voucher program and requiring parental notification before women under 18 years of age get an abortion -- two positions Gore adamantly opposes and Bush supports. But she plans to vote for the vice president.

"I don't really know what it is about Bush. I just don't like him," she said. "Those two issues would not stop me from voting for him."

Yount is not alone in siding with the Republicans on these issues. Sixty-four percent of respondents said they favor the parental notification for abortion,

which Bush has already signed into law in Texas.

An overwhelming majority of respondents, 74 percent, also favored a federal voucher program to give parents money to send their kids to the school of their choice.

Jacob Zimmerlee, an 18-year-old who plans to study medicine at the University of Louisville in the fall, used a work-study program to attend a private high school and could have used federal voucher money for tuition.

"The public school in my area was good, but I wanted to go to a private school, and it happened to cost a lot of money," he said. "I worked custodial engineering in summers making \$5 an hour, and I never touched any of it. It went toward tuition. I think the federal government could offer vouchers to give others the same opportunity."

On other issues that are often points of contention between conservatives and liberals, young people's opinions were mixed.

Forty-nine percent said that new gun laws are necessary to address gun violence, while 42 percent felt that strict enforcement of current laws should be sufficient.

But 66 percent of respondents favored allowing gays in the military, compared to only 25 percent who opposed the measure.

Campus Scanner

Exhibition: Huang Cheng Yi, a painting major from Taiwan, will present an exhibition of oil and mixed media on canvas, from Monday through Friday in the New Wagner Gallery in the Art and Design Building. An opening reception is scheduled from 5 to 7 p.m. Monday and is open to the public. Huang's works combine his knowledge of traditional Chinese painting with more contemporary, expressionist Western styles. For more information, call the department of art and design at 650-3071.

Soup & Substance: "Are We Really That Different?" is the topic of this gender-based Soup & Substance session at noon Tuesday in the Opapi Lounge of the Morris University Center. Eight sociology students will discuss what college men and women want out of relationships. Sociology lecturer Wendy Cook Mucci will facilitate the discussion. Sponsored by University Center Board, the session is free and open to everyone.

Doughnut Sale: The SIUE Early Childhood Center and Krispy Kreme Doughnuts are sponsoring a glazed doughnut sale Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. Saturday at the Edwardsville CVS Pharmacy parking lot, Route 159, and from 9 to 11 a.m. in the Cougar Village Commons Building. Proceeds benefit the pre-school center. For more information, call 650-2556.

Culture: International

Night will be from 6 to 10 p.m. Saturday in the Meridian Ballroom, with entertainment, dances, music, fashions, cuisine and a flag ceremony. Tickets are \$10 for the public and \$8 for students and are available in the Morris University Center's Information Center and at the door.

Heritage: Johnny Moses of the Nootka and Tulalip nations, a storyteller, historian, teacher of Native Northwest Coast languages and practitioner of the Si.Si.Wiss tradition will return to campus from 1 to 7 p.m. Saturday at the SIUE Religious Center. The event, free and open to the public, commemorates American Indian Heritage Month and is sponsored by the SIUE Philosophy Society, the Office of the Assistant Provost for Cultural and Social Diversity, and the Office of the Chancellor. Moses will offer songs, stories and dances for all ages. For more information, call 650-2461.

Theater: The SIUE Student Experimental Theater Organization will perform "Alice in Wonderland" as created by the Manhattan Project under the direction of Andre Gregory, at 7:30 p.m. Thursday through Saturday and at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Metcalf Student Experimental Theater. Tickets are \$4 and are available in advance, at the box office, or at the door. The play is suitable for children, but presents a darker interpretation than the usual telling of the story.

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Gore's been there

You should vote for Democratic presidential candidate Al Gore.

I've heard many reasons why students want to vote for Republican candidate George W. Bush and Green Party candidate Ralph Nader. I can appreciate your convictions. I would just hope that no students are voting against Gore because they haven't done their homework on the candidates.

Gore is pushing to improve education, Social Security, health care, gun safety, etc. The other candidates are doing the same. The difference is how Gore is going about it. He isn't going around promising everyone and everybody money. Gore knows this is unreasonable. He proposes taking surpluses and spending them, but not in the excess that Bush is promising.

The biggest thing to remember is that the president cannot implement these plans himself. Congress must make these ideas laws. In my opinion, Gore's ideas are more likely to pass Congress before Bush's plans. Bush's plans all look good, but they are not realistic on paper. Just look at how he has been promising tax cuts for every American, but he also wants to spend trillions of dollars. It seems to me that you can't have it both ways. If you cut taxes (i.e. the government's income), you can't really spend that money. Gore proposes tax cuts and spending as well, but his tax cuts are not on the same scale as Bush's. Gore's ideas are more realistic in the long run.

Another interesting fact about Bush is that he has only served in one elected office in his life. He was elected governor of Texas twice, but has never held another elected office. Gore has served several terms in the House of Representatives, the Senate and as vice president. I think I would rather have that experience in the White House rather than a man who has never held a federal governmental office in his life. But that's just me.

For the Nader supporters out there, I can appreciate your faith in a third party, but you need to understand what Nader votes might do. Nader is liberal, just like Gore. It seems to me that a vote for Nader is one less vote for Gore. While I understand your dedication to Nader, every vote he takes from Gore is one step closer to having Bush in the White House.

In the end, Gore is better for our country. His experience and leadership have shown that. As for Bush, I really haven't seen much by way of leadership or experience that impresses me.

Al Gore is good for our future.

Brian Wallheimer
Editor in Chief

Bush is for people

Election Day, Nov. 7, is only five days away. Who are you going to vote for?

First of all, I'd like to thank everyone out there for your supportive comments. I was pleasantly surprised to see so many students and faculty here at SIUE supporting Texas Gov. George W. Bush, even die-hard Democrats.

People like myself, who care about the environment, realize that Al Gore is lying to America. I consider myself to be an environmentalist. I am a member of the Nature Preserve Foundation in Edwardsville and frequently support organizations that help keep pollution in check. Anyone who knows me can vouch for that. It is for this reason that I cannot vote for Al Gore.

Al Gore claims to be a staunch environmentalist, but he's making \$20,000 a year in royalties from zinc mining on his property in Tennessee. This zinc mine has been cited for polluting the nearby Caney Fork River three times. And you think this man cares about our environment? It sounds very hypocritical to me, and I have a hard time trusting hypocrites. Especially those who want my vote for president.

I want a president whom I can respect. Someone with good values and someone who understands people. Bush wants to give people a chance to live the American dream. Everything about his proposed programs would allow citizens of this great nation to better themselves. He has a plan which will fix Social Security, and a way of saving my generation money for our future.

Gore has no plan. That's kind of scary. Bush wants less bureaucracy. Gore wants more government control over people. Bush's programs promote capitalism. Gore's programs stifle the economy. Bush wants to give the surplus back to America. Gore wants to spend the surplus on bigger government. Bush's tax plan gives everyone a tax break. Gore's tax plan only benefits a select few.

Bush's Medicare program gives you choices and will be effective immediately. Gore's medicare program makes choices for you, and won't take effect for eight years. That's not good. Bush is a people person. He's down-to-earth. When he talks to America, he's speaking from the heart, not from a script. We want a president who knows foreign policy as well as Bush does. We want a president who cares about education as much as Bush does.

Can we really afford to put the fate of our nation in Al Gore's hands? Your choice is simple.

On Nov. 7, vote Bush.

S.J. Morrison
Columnist

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

I wish to address certain points in the letter from Brad Blackard in response to an earlier letter of mine.

If Brad will check my letter, he will find that I addressed my comments to "a certain brand of religious fundamentalism," not to all religious fundamentalists. I wouldn't assert that there are no religious fundamentalists who are capable of refraining from arrogant and pompous remarks. I do, however, think that such a tendency is an occupational hazard of religious fundamentalism, and that was my point.

I looked up some dictionary definitions. Webster's Ninth New Collegiate Dictionary has this to say: "arrogant: exaggerating or disposed to exaggerate one's own worth or importance in an overbearing manner," and "pompous: relating to or suggestive of pomp (an ostentatious display)."

Let's tackle arrogance first. I assert that people who think that their truth is somehow truer than other people's truth and, who think that God has favored them are arrogant. Why do I think that? Well, as the dictionary says, it's an exaggeration of that person's worth or importance. I don't believe that God favors some particular group of truth seekers over others. And what about the overbearing manner? (By the way, Webster defines overbearing as "tending to overwhelm.") Well, when I read in Brad's letter that as a member of the group of homosexuals, I am to be classified with the other categories of sexually immoral sinners, I find that a little overwhelming, not to mention insensitive.

So what are you doing with these words, Brad? Are you giving me, an inveterate "sinner" of some 25 years, one more chance to atone? If so, please don't patronize me in this way. I have a priest already. Are you casing your conscience by speaking the "truth" in Christ's name in the face of evil? Well, my conscience compels me to tell you how offensive I find this particular alleged "truth" of yours to be.

You have also accused me of hypocrisy. Well, I don't think the charge holds. If you read my letter carefully, you will see that I only made four points: 1) both you and I have a right in this country to express our opinion, 2) believing in the literal truth of holy Scriptures consistently leads to arrogance and pomp, 3) I personally prefer a theology which honors the truth in all sincere strivings, and 4) I

wouldn't encourage my children to adopt 2 because of the bad example it sets.

I never questioned your intelligence, whether you were backward or even whether you were moral. I did raise the question, for campus discussion, if this approach to religious striving is a valid lifestyle. I don't hold out much hope that we will arrive at agreement on this important question, and maybe that's for the better. And again, thank God for a relatively free country.

Jim Andris
Professor

Dear Editor

I would like to take this opportunity to express my views in the Alestle on how poorly college students treat student workers.

I have been a student worker for two years and it seems to me that the treatment of student workers is very poor and seems to be getting worse. As a student secretary, my duties include answering telephones, scheduling appointments, doing mailings and other duties as assigned by my supervisor. Nowhere in my job description does it say my duties include listening to whining, getting hollered at or being the scapegoat. As a student worker, I have experienced all of these at one time or another. I have been blamed for late applications and yelled at because students miss deadlines because they did not pay attention to the deadline dates. I feel this is ridiculous.

As a student myself, I understand and can sympathize with other students. I understand the frustrations of dealing with advisers and deadlines. I understand getting loaded down with homework and getting stressed out about everything. However, I do not feel it is my obligation, as a student worker, to take the brunt of it all. Not only does it aggravate me, but also ruins my day.

I feel the students need to understand that student workers have no authority. We do not set deadlines, sign forms, or have any impact on program changes. The agitated students need to find out where the problem started and discuss it rationally with the appropriate person. Students need to realize that being a rude, demanding and irresponsible individual will get them nowhere at this university or in the real world.

Joni M. Steffens
Senior

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10/29/00

An ambulance took a woman to Anderson Hospital from Cougar Village Building 529. She was having convulsions possibly due to alcohol consumption.

Theft

10/26/00

Police observed a disabled parking sign and pole missing from a Cougar Village parking lot near Building 527.

A diamond tennis bracelet was turned into the Student Fitness Center lost and found on Oct. 23. The owner came to claim the missing bracelet.

10/30/00

Police took a report of several Science Building vending machines being broken into with approximately \$900 cash missing.

Traffic

10/25/00

Police issued a citation to Jamie A. Morgan for speeding on University Drive.

10/26/00

Police issued a citation to Robert F. Helmkamp for speeding on University Drive by parking Lot 9.

10/27/00

Police issued a citation to Scott D. Logan for expired registration at Poag and Bohm roads.

Police issued a citation to Belicia M. Royster for disobeying a stop sign in Cougar Village parking Lot 5G.

10/28/00

Police issued citations to Demarcus L. Freeman for no insurance and a suspended license on University Drive near parking Lot 9.

Police issued a citation to Bryan C. Neighbors for no insurance in Cougar Village parking Lot 5G.

10/29/00

Police issued a citation to Erica N. Mayweather for disobeying a stop sign in Cougar Village parking Lot 4C.

Police issued a citation to Andrea J. Mari for disobeying a stop sign at South University Drive and University Park Drive.

Police issued a citation to Jessica M. Welling for disobeying a stop sign at University Park and Research drives.

Police issued citations to Nkechi C. Deloney for no insurance and expired registration on University Drive.

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Police issued citations to James R. Haslett for expired registration and speeding on University Drive.

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Lifestyles

PEOPLE, ENTERTAINMENT & COMICS

Coming out of the dark

BY BROOKE HEITZ
LIFESTYLES STRINGER

Flipping through the channels the other day, I stumbled onto "Will & Grace Inside Out" on E!. I don't know how many of you out there are "Will & Grace" fans, but I sure am. For those of you who have never seen "Will & Grace," let me fill you in.

Will Truman (Eric McCormack) and Grace Adler (Debra Messing) have been the best of friends for years. The setting, taking place mostly in an apartment building in New York City, causes Will and Grace to be close neighbors.

You couldn't ask for a more perfect couple that was meant to be. There's only one little problem — Will is gay and Grace is straight. They have come to terms with the fact that romance is not and never will be in their future. Adding to the hilarious yet controversial comedy of today is Jack McFarland (Sean Hayes) who is one of Will's good friends and is extremely self-involved as well as gay.

Shows such as "Will & Grace" are a major breakthrough for controversial issues such as gays and lesbians in society and on national television. These shows have broken ground and paved the way for wider acceptance of such issues. They have also affected many people on a personal level.

In a program about "Will & Grace," Hayes commented on just such a personal effect. He recalled a letter from a young man trying to figure out how to tell his parents that he is gay. He sat down to watch "Will & Grace" one night and it just happened to be the episode in which Hayes' character confronts his mother and tells her he is gay. The viewer said he popped in a

videotape and recorded the show, then took it to his parents' house. They sat down as a family and watched the tape before he announced his sexual orientation.

"Will & Grace" provided that man with the courage to confront his parents. It also provided a way for him to feel comfortable when telling them.

To many, the decision of "coming out of the closet" is one that leaves a lasting effect on their lives. What is it like to live through the hardships? Are there consequences that come along with the decision to finally come out? And how does this issue affect SIUE students and college students in general?

Let's begin with the way it affects SIUE students and students in general. According to a study done by Dr. Alfred Kinsey in the 1950s, 10 percent of the population is homosexual. If we applied this study to SIUE, then it's possible that more than 1,000 students are homosexual.

Norris Manning, the adviser of GLOBAL, the gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender and straight alliance, said the issue of "coming out of the closet" often doesn't arise until the college years.

"Many people identify with the fact of their sexuality between the ages of 15 and 25. This is when the issue starts to materialize. You might get a couple of instances where you know someone who is 40 or 50 who decided to come out. But many times the college years are when it surfaces," Manning said.

What then does one have to deal with? Many have heard of hardships when deciding to reveal their sexuality not only to others, but also themselves. The pressure of conforming to social norms begins to kick in. Families, friends, religions and even the government provide

plenty of pressure. In some cases, those coming out may find they have homophobic feelings about themselves.

"You have to admit to yourself, which is very hard," Manning said. "It is a lifetime process that never ends. You are leaving yourself subject to comments from friends or family



The cast of 'Will & Grace.'

photo courtesy www.nbc.com

and there is also the threat of physical violence besides the pressures of society."

For many, it's not easy to conceal their sexuality from society and it is sometimes a great relief to finally come out.

Manning said those who choose to come out are courageous and very comfortable. But he also said he believes that along with being courageous and comfortable, you need to be prepared.

"Coming out of the closet" is a phrase that scares many people. It is unfamiliar turf that they are treading on and are very uncomfortable. But in many cases, it is also uncomfortable for the homosexual person just as much as for the heterosexual person. Approaching someone about the facts is tough for most. It is a sensitive subject that has to

be approached carefully.

In the book "Loving Someone Gay," author Don Clark gives four steps to successfully approaching family and friends about the issue of homosexuality.

You should tell people for the right reasons and not just for spite or some other petty reason.

Not everyone needs to know

person and so do the reactions of others. You must be careful in your approach and realize the personal issues that could arise with the process of "coming out."

The fourth step is to realize that there will be negative reactions. This is an issue that goes against social norms.

"You must be courageous and strong to take this step," Manning said. "I also would like to recommend you seek a good counselor. We have an excellent counseling center here on campus. If you are having a serious issue about your sexuality, then it is wise to speak to someone who will keep your conversation confidential, who is objective and someone who has professional experience."

Another way to seek support on campus is by joining GLOBAL. Manning described GLOBAL as an organization dedicated to creating a safe campus for all.

"We meet twice a month and offer a supportive environment for homosexuals and many straight allies," Manning said. "One meeting is typically a social and the other is a business meeting. We also bring in outside speakers to talk about topics such as developing dating skills, which can be difficult for many homosexuals."

Most people deciding to "come out of the closet" need support, which is what the counseling center and GLOBAL offer to many.

If you would like more information about GLOBAL, you are encouraged to e-mail the organization at GLOBAL_siue@hotmail.com. If you would like to talk to someone about coming out of the closet or about issues of your sexuality, you can contact Manning at 650-3840.

Learn to swing in St. Louis

BY MIGUEL MARLING
LIFESTYLES STRINGER

If you are worried that you won't have a thing to do this winter but eat or hibernate, you need to get those crazy feet dancing. This November through December the Lindy Hop Swing Society of Greater St. Louis will offer six classes of varying skill levels in both East Coast/Jitterbug Swing and Lindy Hop. The Winter Session Wing It! Dance classes are for participants of all ages, and both singles and couples are welcome. A partner is not necessary. If you might be interested, swing onto the Internet to register for classes by e-mail request at lindyhopswingstyl@yahoo.com or by visiting www.lindyhopswing.com. Classes will be held at the Church of the Holy Communion at 7401 Delmar Blvd. in University City. Though a few of the offerings do have prerequisites, there is enough floor space for everyone. Further questions may be directed to John Chen at (314) 865-2346. For those on the Missouri side, registration forms are available at Casa Loma Ballroom at 3354 Iowa Ave. in South St Louis.



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The Freshman Experience

BY ANDREW LEHMAN
GRAPHICS

Is it me, or has it been awhile since we have had a break?

The last day we had off was Labor Day. That seems a little insane to me. Nearly every other college has a fall break of some sort. We did not even get off for Columbus Day. The guy is credited with discovering the continent we live on. At least SIU could let us have a day off to sleep in and do absolutely nothing.

A break. Words as sweet as wine to college students like you and me, but not as intoxicating.

Think of the possibilities a day off from school could offer. I could spend the day writing a story or practicing on the guitar. I could catch up on sleep. That is always a good thing. It is much better to go out — I mean, go to class — well rested so as to be fully alert for your teacher's lesson, I think.

I could spend the day with one of my friends who has a fall break. We could catch up on old times and reminisce about the good old days. Or we could just go out and party. The second choice is my favorite, but to

each his own.

I could take a drive on the Great River Road in Alton down to Grafton and enjoy the colors of the changing leaves. That, however, would require money to buy gas and food. Scratch that.

Though that is a good idea for a date. There is even a ferry near Brussels you can ride for free, "free" being the key word. You and that special someone could watch the sunset. I have never tried it, but I hear it gets you on her good side.

On second thought, do we really need a break? Our parents do not get a break from their jobs. Most of the time they even work on the weekends. We do get those off. Really, how fair is it to get a break or even a day off? We look forward to that more than even learning something new or, for that matter, graduating.

Nah. I know I deserve a day off. I have worked quite hard and feel as though I should be rewarded. But aren't good grades and a broader understanding of the world around me reward enough, you might ask? Well, all I have to say about that is the world is not enough.

Never has been. Never will be.

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Cynthia Krutchen



LIFE AFTER

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

International Fest

9:00a.m. - 3:00p.m.
Goshen Lounge, Morris University Center

Dale Leys Drawings Closing Reception

4:00p.m. - 7:00p.m.
New Wagner Art Gallery

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6:30p.m., Morris University Center

United Campus Ministry - Spiritual Growth Group

7:00p.m. - 9:00p.m., Religious Center

Must See TV

7:00p.m. - 10:00p.m.
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Alice in Wonderland, an adaption
7:30p.m., Student Experimental Theater

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Alice in Wonderland, an adaption
7:30p.m., Student Experimental Theater

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

Action! Day Volunteer Service
8:00a.m. - 4:00p.m.

Computer Rehab Volunteer Project, Washington Park IL

Experience Native American Northwest Heritage

11:00p.m.-7:00p.m.
4:00p.m.-Potluck, Religious Center

International Night

6:00p.m. - 10:00p.m.
Meridian Hall, Morris University Center
Students-\$8.00; General Public-\$10.00

Alice in Wonderland, an adaption
7:30p.m., Student Experimental Theater

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Illinois Caverns Cave Trip

10:00a.m. - 6:00p.m., Campus Recreation

Catholic Mass/Social

10:30a.m. & 8:30p.m., Religious Center

Sports Sunday

Rams vs Carolina
Cougar Den, Morris University Center

Alice in Wonderland, an adaption
2:00p.m., Student Experimental Theater

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 6

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Season looks good for SIUE cheerleaders

BY ERIN ZOLL
LIFESTYLES STRINGER

The SIUE cheerleading squad is ending over backwards for sports. This season is going to be the best yet," co-captain of the cheerleading team Heather Daley said. Daley has been cheerleading since the seventh grade and this is her third year as a cheerleader at SIUE.

"This year the girls are very inventive and creative," Daley said. "We are working on new stuff to try and get people to try and come out to the games."

Another avid fan of cheerleading is Julie Tiedemann, the



Sheri McWhirter/Alester

A lot of practice has helped improve the squad this year.

squad has drastically improved from the years in the past, when there were only six people on the squad.

"Things that have taken weeks and weeks to perfect in the past, only take a few practices to perfect now," Tiedemann said.

The cheerleaders are hoping to have a better turnout than previous years at the start of the basketball season around mid-November. Right now they have three floor routines and roughly 60 sideline cheers lined up. Some of the cheers they perform get passed on from year to year, whereas some of the cheers have

recently come about as a result of a collaborative effort from the squad.

A lot of the cheerleaders this year are freshmen. To be a cheerleader, you must try out for the

team. The tryout process usually takes about three days. The first two days consist of learning various cheerleading material and routines. The third day consists of the actual tryout. Eighteen girls were selected for the squad this year.

"This group of girls is very outgoing," Tiedemann said. "They really know how to get the crowd going."

Despite the lack of enthusiasm for cheerleading in the past, the squad is hoping to boost moral on the campus. "Lack of school spirit is the problem at our school," Daley said. "What we do is to try and get people involved in the school and school sports."

The squad practices two nights a week. One night they practiced for two-and-a-half hours. The next practice lasts for three hours. During this time, the team is trying to perfect their routines so they will be perfect for the start of the basketball season.

"We've only had five practices and I'm very impressed," Tiedemann said. "I expect good things to come."



Sheri McWhirter/Alester

Members of the squad cheer at the stadium.

each of the cheerleading squad. Tiedemann was a cheerleader at SIUE for four years before she started coaching the team. Tiedemann, like Daley, feels that the

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Faculty Club, Morris University Center

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8

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10p.m. - 1:00p.m.
Henn Lounge, Morris University Center

Religion Seminar

1p.m., Science Building, Room 2224

Catholic Fellowship Dinner & Prayer

1p.m., Religious Center

Women's Health

1p.m.-8p.m.
Faculty Club, Morris University Center

Movie Flick

1p.m. - 10:00p.m.
Henn Lounge, Morris University Center

Mens Exhibition Basketball-SIUE vs
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7:30p.m., Vadalabene Center

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9

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Analyzing Public Perception
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Module 21, 2:00 p.m.
Leadership Challenges for Men & Women
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Module 22, 6:30 p.m.
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December 2- Computer Rehab Volunteer Project, Washington Park



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Today in sports history

On Nov. 2, 1998, the Philadelphia Eagles set an NFL record by becoming the first club in history to sustain 30+ shutout losses at home in the same season.

SPORTS

THIS WEEKEND'S PRO SPORTS SCHEDULE

Fri 3	Sat 4	Sun 5
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	Maple Leafs 6 p.m. Channel 11	

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A L E S T L E

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2000 ◆

SIUE's season comes to a disappointing end

Lady Cougars lose to Wisconsin-Parkside in first round of Great Lakes Valley Conference tournament

BY RICK CROSSIN
SPORTS EDITOR

Survive and advance was the name of the game Wednesday afternoon.

Unfortunately, the SIUE women's soccer team did neither.

The Lady Cougars lost their opening round game in the Great Lakes Valley Conference Tournament 2-0 to the University of Wisconsin-Parkside at Bob Guelker Field.

The 2-0 loss marked the first time since the first weekend of the season that SIUE had been beaten at home.

"They (Parkside) came out real aggressive in the first half," coach Brian Korbemeyer said. "We weren't ready for that."

Parkside would draw first blood in the game as Byranna Jurvis, the team's leading scorer in the regular season, blasted a shot by SIUE goalkeeper Beth Louderman.

The game could have easily been 2-0 two minutes later had it not been for Louderman.

Jurvis broke free of the Lady

Cougar defense for a breakaway, but Louderman slid out of net to knock the ball away.

Jurvis would redeem herself 10 minutes later as she pounced on a rebound in front of the net to score her second goal of the game to give the Rangers a commanding 2-0 lead.

At the half, SIUE went into the locker room staring a two-goal deficit in the face.

"The couple of goals they got took us by surprise, and it really shouldn't have been like that because it was a big game," Korbemeyer said.

With 45 minutes remaining in the game and possibly the Lady Cougars' season, the offense went to work.

SIUE peppered Parkside goalkeeper Marissa Monroe-DeVita with nine shots in the second half.

Heather Bebe ripped a shot that went off the crossbar in the 28th minute, and just three minutes later, Erin Gusewelle put a shot on goal that was stopped by DeVita.

SIUE continued relentless

pressure through the rest of the second half, but passes just missed and shots were sent just wide.

"We did everything but knock the goal down," Korbemeyer said. "We hit the post and had shots in the six-yard box, but sometimes the good Lord doesn't smile on you."

The loss puts SIUE's overall record at 13-4-3 for the season. The Lady Cougars will have to wait to see if they get a bid to the National Collegiate Athletic Association Tournament.

If SIUE doesn't get a bid to the NCAA Tournament, it will mark the end of three players' careers at SIUE.

Louderman, Michelle Montgomery and Rebecca Mays will have all played their last game at SIUE.

Ed. Note:

The SIUE men's soccer match got under way after the newspaper's deadline. We will have complete information in our edition Tuesday.



Sheri McWhirter/Alestle

Colleen Creamer (center) battles with a defender in a game this season. Creamer is second on the team in points

Wrestling team faces tough test after losing national champion

BY RICK CROSSIN
SPORTS EDITOR

When most wrestling teams lose a national champion to graduation, they experience a drop-off the next season.

SIUE may not share that fate this season.

The Cougars have a load of new faces mixed with a few veterans this year, all determined to improve on last year's 0-9-1 record.

"One of our goals this season was to get a full team and we did that," coach Booker Benford said.

That may be tough considering the Cougars are missing Titus Taylor, last year's national champion in the 165-pound weight class.

"We're trying to feed off of what Titus did," Benford said. "We need guys to emulate what he did last season."

Taylor was an impressive 33-4 for SIUE last season, something Benford will have a hard time replacing.

Stepping up to try to fill Taylor's void will be junior

Michael Butts.

Butts, a transfer from the University of Nebraska-Omaha, was the 1997 Missouri State Champion at Carthage High School.

"He's looking very tough," Benford said. "He's very slick on his feet and we basically have to get him in better shape. We're very lucky to get someone like him. With the way we train, he could be just as good as Titus."

Antwan McDonald and Manny Herrera, both transfers from Kennedy-King Junior College in Chicago, who could step into the starting lineup.

"Manny is going to start for us," Benford said. "We needed some experience in some of the weight classes since we had so many freshmen."

Returning from last year's team are Zach Stephens and Aaron Wiens.

Stephens had the second-best record for the Cougars last year at 16-15, while Wiens posted a 6-21 record in his first year as a starter. But beyond the records, Benford is looking for

his upperclassmen to be leaders on the team.

"Those two have been real good ambassadors as far as taking the team under their wing, showing them exactly what to do," Benford said.

The incoming freshmen on this year's team are David Barnett, Mike Brenner, Nigel Collins, Mike Davis, Omari Johnson, Justin Kamper, Justin Lankford, Jahmale Maxwell, Rob Meredith, Richard Ness, Matt Oliva, Brandon Russell, Clifton Wingfield and Tony Witt. Steve Bryant is the only incoming sophomore on the team.

The Cougars will begin the 2000 campaign this weekend as they travel to Lindenwood College for the Lindenwood Open.

"I'm looking for a lot of champions," Benford said. "This is a small tournament, so we can actually look forward to having a lot of place winners and champions."

see WRESTLING, page 10

SIUE still skating to find first victory of 2000 season

BY NEAL HAMM
SPORTS STRINGER

After a three-game losing streak at home, the SIUE Cougar ice hockey club will travel to the University of Missouri-St. Louis with hopes of picking up its first win of the season.

Last year the Cougars played UMSL twice, losing both times by several goals. Cougar Team Captain Scott Cloin said there were many factors that contributed to the Cougar's losses to UMSL last year.

"They had a bench full of players," Cloin said. "They were also much quicker and more skilled than us."

Last year the Cougars consisted of about 10 players with only seven or eight on the bench during a game.

"This year we have a lot more guys on the team," Cloin said. "We have the ability to rotate players so it's not just the same five guys out there for the whole game. It was their quickness that wore us down last year, but with more guys on the bench this year, that's really going to make a difference in the way we skate in the third

period."

Part of the reason for the Cougars' winless start is their hitting, which needs to improve for their game against UMSL.

"We still aren't hitting like we can," Cloin said. "There was no passion on the ice and the bench was dead."

Defenseman Griffin Petri also said that the lack of hitting contributed greatly to the loss.

"We have to expect that they're going to be in our end the whole game and that they're going to keep scoring on us if we don't hit them," Petri said. "If we don't come out physical against UMSL, then they're just going to score all over us and make us look bad."

The Cougars will definitely have to improve on their weaknesses to get ready for the weekend.

As well as their Saturday game against UMSL, the Cougars will take on some former Blues Sunday.

The game, which will be at the East Alton Ice Arena, will be a fund-raiser for the Cougars and the Blues Alumni Foundation.

see HOCKEY, page 10

SIUE will try to avenge early conference losses this weekend

BY KUMAR BHOOSHAN
ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

Getting back to .500 is once again the goal for the Lady Cougar volleyball team.

SIUE will be fighting for a higher seed this weekend for the Great Lakes Valley Conference tournament next weekend.

The Lady Cougars will be on the road this weekend meeting two conference opponents, Quincy University on Friday and the University of Missouri-St. Louis on Saturday.

SIUE, which is 10-16 overall and 6-8 in the conference, is coming off a tough weekend, losing games to Northern Kentucky University, the University of Indianapolis and Rockhurst College.

Going on the road seems to help the Lady Cougars as they are at .500 for the year in away games played.

SIUE is hoping to avenge the loss it suffered earlier this year at the hands of the Lady Hawks, a game in which the Lady Cougars lost 3-1, to give the them their third conference loss of the season.

"We lost early in the season

and we lost them in four close games," coach Joe Fisher said. "I think they are definitely beatable."

In that meeting, Quincy's Chris Shimkus totaled 13 kills, one ace and 18 digs to propel her team to a victory.

Lindsay Rust totaled five kills and 15 digs in the Lady Cougars' loss.

Quincy will try to maintain a .500 overall record, holding on to a 14-14 record and an 8-5 record in the GLVC.

The Lady Hawks are second in the GLVC Green Division, second only to the University of Southern Indiana.

"We played UMSL at a down point in the season," Fisher said. "Since then we have really improved on our game fundamentally."

On Saturday the Lady Cougars will travel across the river to play the UMSL Riverwomen.

Again revenge will be on the minds of the Lady Cougars who will be trying to avenge the tough 3-2 loss at the hands of the Riverwomen.

In that match, the Lady

Cougars and UMSL went back and forth, with UMSL winning the deciding fifth game 17-15.

The story for the Lady Cougars in the match had up-and-down moments, which included a zero attack percentage in the second game.

"If we pass well and play good defense like we have been stressing in practice, the breaks will go our way this time," Fisher said.

Gretchen Duffner of UMSL recorded 13 kills and 18 digs for the Riverwomen to help seal the victory.

Senior Kathy Dulle did her part for the Lady Cougars, racking up two kills, 13 digs and 56 assists.

Rust rang up 15 kills and 33 digs, and Shanan McLean totaled 23 kills and 19 digs in the Lady Cougars' losing effort.

"We are hoping for a good weekend for the GLVC tournament," Fisher said.

SIUE racked up 16 total team blocks to only 13 for the Riverwomen.

The matches are set for 7 p.m. Friday at Quincy and 1 p.m. Saturday at UMSL.

SIUE cross country to finish season in Ashland

BY BRANDEN PETERSON
SPORTS REPORTER

The SIUE cross country teams are looking for stronger performances at the National Collegiate Athletic Association regional.

After disappointing finishes on both the women's and the men's side in the Great Lakes Valley Conference meet, head coach Darryl Frerker is looking for a big improvement.

To do that, the Cougars and the Lady Cougars have to run like they did during the regular season.

"Jason (Olszowka) needs to be back up where he belongs," Frerker said. "With the rest of the guys running what they did at conference, we are looking at a big improvement. On the ladies' side, we need to be more competitive."

Both the women and the men were plagued with injuries at the conference meet.

Runners LeeAnn Lomax and April Greenwood are still battling with their leg injuries from earlier in the season.

The women will be boasting a strong line-up for the regional meet with Lomax, Jill Irlam,

Greenwood, Maria Ewersmann, Breanne Steffens and Carrie Carducci.

Carducci was the top finisher for the women, finishing 12th at the conference meet with a time of 23 minutes and 10 seconds.

"Carrie didn't put together one of her good races on that particular day," Frerker said.

On the men's side, top runner Olszowka twisted his ankle during practice and the hilly course at the University of Southern Indiana aggravated his injury.

That might play in as a factor in the Cougar's success.

Runners for the men are Robbie Old, Nick Campbell, Dustin Gentry, Darren Dinkelman, Olszowka, David Droege and Tyler Krauss.

Krauss was the top finisher for the men at the conference meet.

"We are very young and have a lot of talent. I am hoping to finish in the upper half this weekend," Frerker said.

The men's 10,000-meter race will begin on Saturday in Ashland, Ohio, at 10:30 a.m. and the women's 6,000-meter race will follow at 11:15 a.m.

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Nov. 9 & 10

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WRESTLING

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The starters in each weight class for this weekend are Kamper (125 pounds), Herrera (133 pounds), Bryant (141 pounds), Brenner (149 pounds), Maxwell (157 pounds), Stephens (174 pounds), Russell (184 pounds), Ness (197 pounds) and

Wiens (heavyweight).

Butts and Johnson still have to square off to see who wrestles this weekend in the 165-pound weight class.

The meet is scheduled to start at 9 a.m. Saturday at Lindenwood.

HOCKEY

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"You know you have really established yourself as a collegiate hockey organization when the Blues alumni agree to schedule a game against you," Cloin said. "The only other college that I'm aware they play is St. Louis University."

Players who are scheduled to participate in the game include ex-Blues Bernie Federko, Rob

Ramage and National Hockey League Hall of Fame member Peter Stastny.

Tickets to this event are available through any SIUE ice hockey player or at the door of the East Alton Ice Arena for \$6.

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ΔΦE Ladies: Awesome performance at Ebony and Ivory! You were fantastic! 11/2/00

Goodbread, Say I'm the only bee in your bonnet. Make a little birdhouse in your soul. Silkey 11/2/00

Canned Ham, Hike up your skirt a little more and show your world to me. She'll say yes. Silkey 11/2/00

Cartman or Silkworm, As you like to call yourself, an extra-terrestrial called and said he wanted his head back. (And his probe.) Harvard 11/2/00

Silkey, If that is your real name, I'm still waiting for my apology. A real one. (Not) Harvard 11/2/00

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