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# More tuition, more students

CALLIE STILWELL NEWS EDITOR

Enrollment for SIUE's fall semester is on target despite the 10.8 percent tuition and fee increase.

The hike at SIUE and a 18 percent jump at Carbondale were approved by the Southern Illinois University board of trustees at a May 9 meeting.

"The tuition increase has had impact on projected enrollment," Admissions Director Boyd Bradshaw said. "We are projecting a small increase (in enrollment)."

Last fall, more than 12,400 students were registered at SIUE; the greatest number since the mid-1970s.

"Our tuition prices are already affordable. Our increase will not have as much impact as other schools'," Bradshaw said.

Other universities are also raising tuition to find funding to replace the decreased amounts they will receive from the state because of rising health care costs and revenue shortfalls.

SIUE's state funding will be cut by \$4.5 million.

Southern Illinois University Carbondale raised tuition by 18 percent, the largest increase of any Illinois university.

SIUE students will pay \$2,520 for 12 hours of undergraduate courses.In addition to the tuition hike, student fees for the University Center, student welfare and activities, housing, athletics and textbook rental were also increased by \$228 at SIUE. That hike will take effect for the 2003

#### **Tuition increases approved by** Illinois public universities for next fall

■ Chicago State University	7 %
■ Eastern Illinois University	5 %
Governors State University	4.1%
■ Illinois State University	6.2%
■ Northeastern Illinois University	3.5%
■ Northern Illinois University	8.7%
■ Western Illinois University	6.1%
■ Southern Illinois University Carbondale	18%
Southern Illinois University Edwardsville	11%
■ University of Illinois	10%
Information contributed by the The Associated Press.	

# SIUE names an ethanol director

CALLIE STILWELL NEWS EDITOR

The new National Corn-to-Ethanol Research Pilot Plant has a director.

Rodney Bothast will begin his duties as director of the facility Aug. I.

The \$20 million ethanol plant is in University Park and is the first ethanol research facility of its kind.

Bothast worked for the U.S. Department of Agriculture for 20 years researching ways to efficiently turn grain into fuel.

scientists working on ethanol patents and technical reports.

research," University Park Executive Director Brian Donnelly said.

Bothast earned a master's degree and doctorate in food microbiology from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University and a bachelor of science degree in animal science from Ohio State University.

"He's an expert fermentation technology, biochemical engineering and industrial microbiology," SIUE Public Affairs Director Keith Nichols said.

Bothast has produced more "He is one of the foremost than 200 research publications,

"He brings qualifications to the facility," Donnelly said.

Bothast will be in charge of a small staff of eight to 10 people.

He will also be responsible for bringing in clients to rent the research plant and will be working to secure grants for the facility.

Research is aimed at reducing the cost of producing ethanol. Ethanol is a byproduct of corn and can be used as a gasoline additive.

Construction on the plant began Dec. 17. The plant is scheduled to open in January.

## School of Nursing expands to Springfield

RICHARD KOERPER II News Stringer

The SIUE School of Nursing is branching out. A second facility has opened in Springfield and is the first outside the Edwardsville campus to offer a master's degree program and a program for registered nurses to earn a bachelor of science degree.

"We feel by bringing this facility to Springfield, nurses in Springfield will have better opportunities to further their education and that this will improve the health care in the Springfield area," Dean of Nursing Felissa Lashley said.

The University of Illinois Springfield offered nursing programs until 1999.

SIUE opted to offer courses and, through an agreement with the U of I retained the faculty.

For 18 months after the transition from U of I, to SIUE, the program rented classrooms from U of

Last year the nursing program was moved to a rented house and construction of a new \$400,000 building was started.

The building, across the street from the rented house, was opened in January and officially dedicated earlier this month.

# Sidewalks on campus are getting a new look



DANIEL TOBERMAN/ALESLTE

All of the sidewalks on campus are getting resurfaced. According to Facilities Management, the resurfacing will take two weeks to complete.



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# Suzanne Jacobitti, 61, dies

**ALESTLE STAFF REPORT** 

SIUE Emerita Professor of Political Science Suzanne Jacobitti, 61, died Thursday, May 9, 2002, at Alton Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Jacobitti, an Alton native retired in 1997 after 27 years of service to SIUE. During her career, she was the dean of the old College of Social

Sciences for four years. She was a graduate of Swarthmore College in Pennsylvania and earned her doctorate in political science at the University of Wisconsin in 1967.

She is survived by her husband, Emeritus Professor Edmund Jacobitti, and a son.

Memorials may be made to The Nature Institute, 2213 S. Levis Lane, Godfrey, IL 62035

# Cloudy water no need for concern

**ALESTLE STAFF REPORT** 

The water on campus may look a bit dark later this week, but there's nothing to worry about.

The SIUE water tank will be shut down for cleaning and inspection Wednesday evening and Thursday and Friday.

The shutdown will change water flow patterns, according to Facilities Management Director Bob Washburn, and may cause cloudiness in the water.

That may be disconcerting, but the water is safe, Washburn said.

The tank should be back in service late Friday,

# Police incidents

Ambulance

4/30/02

A female student fell from a rope on the bike trail and was taken to Anderson Hospital.

Theft

A student had his school bag stolen from the third floor restroom in Founders Hall.

A resident's bicycle was stolen from Cougar Village 513.

Trees were stolen from the East St. Louis Campus rounds.

Traffic

4/23/02

Police issued a citation to Jason Robinson for speeding in Lot 5A.

4/24/02

Police issued a citation to Teoria Pawnell for speeding on University Drive.

police issued a citation to Carlos Polk for speeding on University Drive.

Police issued citations to Stephanie Cook for

speeding and for driving an uninsured vehicle on University Drive.

Police issued a citation to Craig Underwood for speeding on University Drive.

4/25/02

Police issued a citation to Sheryl Wilson for parking where prohibited on Hairpin Drive.

Police issued a citation to Mohammad Yunus for speeding on University Drive.

4/29/02

Police issued a citation to John Lefer for speeding on Stadium Drive.

Police issued a citation to Joshi Manish for failing to yield at an intersection in Lot 9.

Police issued a citation to Jessica Barre for speeding on University Drive.

Police issued a citation to Brent Miller for speeding on University Drive.

4/30/02

Police issued a citation to Keenan Heard for speeding on University Drive.

Police issued a citation to Kevin Adams for speeding on University Drive.

# Campus Scanner

Alumni day: The First Annual SIUE Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon Alumni Day pre-game reception will be at 4:30 p.m. June 23 at the Cubby Bear across from Wrigley Field in Chicago. The St. Louis Cardinals will be playing the Chicago Cubs at 7:05 p.m. Tickets are \$32 for Alumni Association Members and \$35 for non-members. Tickets include a buffet and soda. There will be a cash bar. There is a ten ticket limit per household. For more information or to purchase tickets, contact the Alumni Affairs Office at 650-2760.

Reception: The Second Annual Rutman Lecture and Dinner will be June 5 beginning with a cash bar at 5:30 p.m., dinner at 6:30 p.m. and lecture at 7 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous meeting: The Gut Level Group meets at 7 p.m. Saturdays in the Religious Center. This is an open meeting of

Online mentors needed: Applications are being accepted for online mentors for children in eight after-school programs in Washington Park, East St. Louis and Fairmont City. No personal contact is required. For more information, e-mail Susan Kutterer-Siburt at skutter@siue.edu.

Blood Drive: Blood drives will be at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post in Alton from 2 to 6 p.m. Thursday, Sears in the Alton Square Mall from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, the Alton Mental Health Center from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday and the Holiday Inn in Alton from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Monday. Donors must be at least 16 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds, not have gotten a tattoo within the last year, not be taking blood thinners or antibiotics and not have given blood within the last 56 days.

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# Welcome back to the SIUE drai



I wanted to spend my first editorial introducing myself and thanking those who helped me get into this position, such as Alestle adviser Mike Montgomery, graphic supervisor Mike Genovese and the great staff I had the pleasure of working with over the last four semesters. But then the Southern Illinois University board of trustees decided to raise tuition 10.8 percent on this campus and 18 percent on the Carbondale campus, which will take effect this fall. If I didn't address this issue, then I wouldn't be doing my job.

The tuition hike is in response to the new budget proposed by Gov. George Ryan. Under the new plan, the Carbondale campus is projected to get \$9.5 million less and the Edwardsville campus \$4.5 million less in state funds for the fiscal year that begins July 1.

There are 10 public Illinois universities that have approved tuition increases for this fall. SIUC and SIUE rank first and second in the amount the tuition went up.

Having said all that, I understand that the board needed to find a way to soften the blow from the state, but this hike is too much too soon.

The board approved the hike May 10 and it will take effect in

August. That gives students only three months to rework their budgets or rethink their options. Many students may be forced to scramble for another job or at least additional work hours.

This sudden increase may push potential and current students away from the SIU system.

What I would have liked to have seen the board do was either wait until next year to implement the tuition hike or bring it in gradually. Let's not forget that a tuition increase of 5 percent was already approved for this fall before the 10.8 percent was even proposed. The tuition for the fall should have gone up the original 5 percent and the next increase should have taken place either in the spring or next summer. This would have given students time to prepare for the hike.

It was inevitable that the

tuition was going to go up, but it would have been nice for the board to think of the students before dipping into their wallets and purses.

Now that I've got that off my chest, I will tell you a bit about me. I am senior majoring in Mass Communications and I will graduate in December. Since I began working at the Alestle, I have bee a News Stringer, Assistant News Editor, News Editor and Now the Editor in Chief. I am a member of the Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity and die-hard St. Louis sports fan. I look forward to the opportunity I have been given and am excited to hear your thoughts on the issues facing SIUE.

> Daniel Toberman Editor in Chief

#### Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

I get heartburn that when I see an "informational picket."

You see, I do not believe in "informational pickets." Now that you think I am anti-union, I am not. I have been a union member longer than many students have been alive. I strongly do not believe a picket should ever be set up that does not have the intent of keeping at least some people from crossing it. I am referring to the April 11 Alestle article about the Professional Staff Association picketing the Southern Illinois University board of trustees meeting.

A picket should not be used for a rally or to distribute handbills. Picketing with the intent of it being OK to walk past it is absurd. I do not believe the PSA wanted students to go home or others to not come in to work, but that is, or at least should be, the intent of a picket. To use it for purposes other than that is a travesty. Putting up what appears to be a traditional picket and then having people walk past it, as if it is OK, is wrong.

Students – probably many having little understanding of historic labor conflicts - are walking past a picket. What are we teaching them? Distributing handbills without appearing to be a picket would be acceptable. Adding the appearance of a traditional picket is only desensitizing people and telling them it is OK to walk past. If you do

Dear Editor:

On April 11, some members of the Professional Staff Association were once again walking an informational picket outside the Morris University Center. And once again the University's response to this negotiating at the table."

negotiating at the table, PSA their lunch hour; nor would PSA meetings. We don't enjoy doing conclusion. this. However, the university leaves us no alternative when it drags its feet to schedule bargaining sessions, shoves

substandard proposals at us across the table, and, in effect, shouts, "Nyet" to any PSA counterproposals.

Bargaining is a two-way street, but the university's attitude for a long time can best be summed up, "My way or the highway." As long as this through SIUE spokesperson attitude persists and the Keith Nichols was, "The PSA has university continues to show its been negotiating in a public way, lack of respect for the whereas the university prefers professional staff by reluctantly coming to the bargaining table, If the university were and then presenting us with substandard officers members wouldn't be walking ultimatums, the PSA will picket lines at 6:30 a.m. or during continue to picket, write letters to the press, and use whatever legal members be voicing their means are at its disposal to bring concerns at board of trustees this situation to a satisfactory

> Jim Murphy Lecturer

not expect people to honor your picket, you should never hold one.

I await a rebuttal from the PSA. It is not my intent to address the issue of the labor strife, but to question the long-term effect of setting up a picket line with the intent of having people walk past it. Do I need to remind you of the historic violence of walking through a picket? Yes, this gives me a bad case of heartburn. Distribute handbills during the ceremonies if you like, but no picket or picket signs.

Remember the little shepherd boy who cried, "wolf". Setting up informational pickets with the intent of people walking past them is the same thing. My opinion is you are teaching people to go on through no matter where they see a picket. That will carry over to real picket situations - ones where a union wants to turn customers from a store, or "scabs" from an employment situation. I know it carries over.

> Marion McVey **Facilities Management**

The names below were omitted from The Alestle's April 25 graduation edition. These names were inadvertently omitted by the registrar's office in the list provided to The Alestle. Registrar Lisa Hyde has said revised procedures will ensure all graduating students who want their names listed in The Alestke editon will be represented.

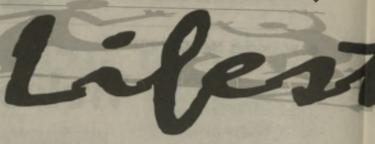
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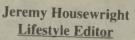
Sculptures

Hoppy Trails

Jack Dowd







People strolling through downtown Edwardsville may be surprised to see a motorcycle, a travel trailer, and several people inside TheBANK, 330 W. Vandalia St.

The head turning exhibit is really sculptures created by Jack Dowd and made possible by partnership between SIUE and the bank.

Dowd created the exhibit of seven life-size sculptures with real-world props to enhance his characters.

A focus of the exhibit is "Wheels" featuring two real Harley-Davidson motorcycles with riders.

"Wheels is easily seen from Vandalia and is one of the reasons Dowd's work was brought to the area.

"This exhibit was chosen because the front of the window of the lobby it is in, faces old Route 66," Barnett said.

Downtown Edwardsville will have its annual Route 66 festival Friday and Saturday, June 7 and 8. All of the sculptures now in the bank wil be on display at the festival.

Another Dowd sculpture, "Dot and Charley," shows an elderly couple waving from their camper. "Southern Exposure," is a bronze statue of a man leaning against a real door from a pickup truck.

All the characters were created from basswood, resin and bronze.

"Dowd's agent, Kat getting the exhibit shown

Dowd has had exhibit according to Barnett.

"Dowd is just now He has established a dece over the years, even the said.

Dowd, who lives sculpted pieces for professional athletes.

Dowd is a former who turned his college he a career of sculpting.

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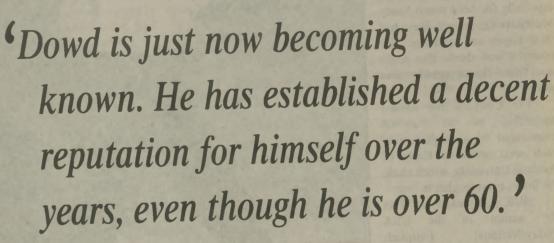
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For those wishing the Route 66 festival, in TheBANK of Edwardsva.m. to 4 p.m. Monday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Fr

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Katherine Carter, arranged own," Barnett, said. hibitions all over the world,

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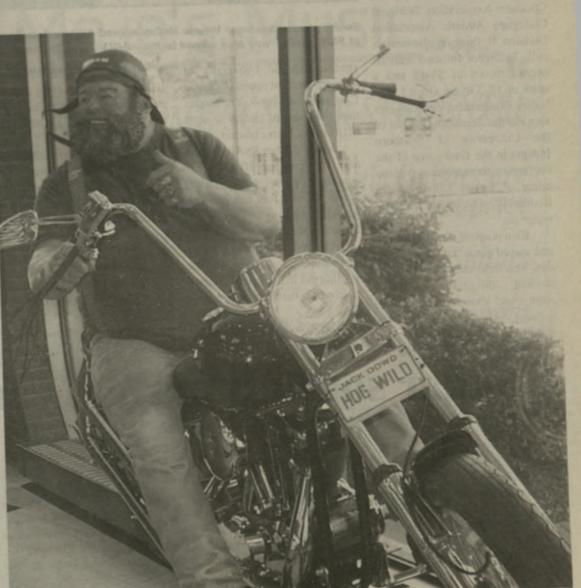
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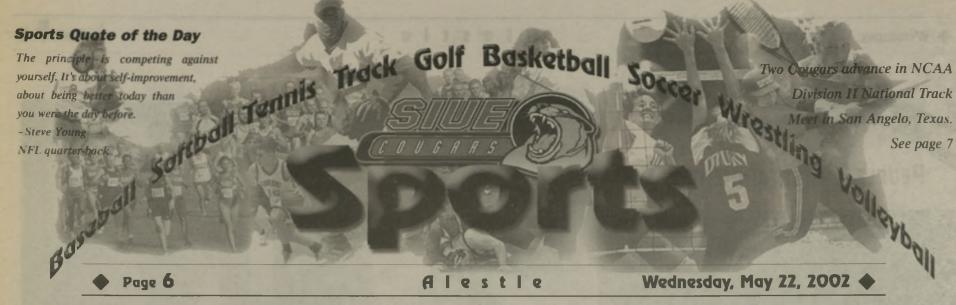
s characters by locating a hing several live models. g to see the exhibit before l, it can be viewed during sville's lobby hours from 9 lay through Thursday, and

Fridays.

Photos By eremy Housewright







# Softball team ends stellar post season at home

No. 1 Cougars fall to sixth-seeded Ashland in NCAA Division II Regional Tournament

KELI KEENER SPORTS EDITOR

The Cougar softball team was unable to extend its postseason after a stellar regular season run.

SIUE was ousted in the Division II Great Lakes Regional Championships where the No. 1seeded Cougars served as hosts.

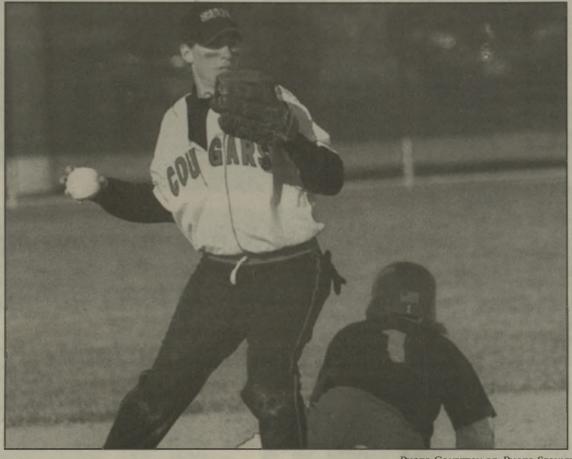
It was the end of a successful season for the seniors and especially for head coach Sandy Montgomery, though they had their hopes set for more. The potential was there. The desire was there. The opportunity was there.

The Cougars just missed advancing to the national tournament by a single run in each game against the Eagles of Ashland University, which made the losses even tougher to bear.

SIUE was ranked No. 2 in the nation in the USA Today/National Fastpitch Coaches Association National Collegiate Athletic Association Division II final regular season poll. The team finished with an overall record of 51-12 and a mark of 17-2 in the Great Lakes Valley Conference. The Cougars shut out the Screaming Eagles of the University of Southern Indiana in the final game of the conference tournament 4-0 at the home of Lewis University in Romeoville. Next up was the regionals.

Rain plagued the tournament and moved game times back each day. The field crew and trainers worked diligently between storms and showers to keep the games running, although significantly behind schedule.

The Cougars faced sixth-



Senior second baseman Valerie McCoy earned All-American honors for the second time in her career at SIUE. McCoy was also named to the All-GLVC and All-Great Lakes Region teams this season.

seeded Ashland University of Ohio in the first round of play at Cougar Field May 9. The Eagles took the one-run victory to send SIUE to the losers bracket.

Junior pitcher RyAnn Spann took the loss for SIUE in her complete game performance. Spann allowed four hits and one run while striking out six of the 27 batters she faced.

Ashland designated hitter Ann Dunmire singled in the winning run in the seventh inning to advance the Eagles to round

The Cougars faced No. 5seeded Wayne State University of Michigan later in the day. SIUE took the 1-0 shutout victory with Spann earning the win with another six-strikeout performance.

SIUE's senior shortstop Valerie McCoy scored the unearned run in the top of the fourth inning after freshman catcher Cassie Witherell reached first base on an error by Warrior shortstop Crystal Wilson.

SIUE faced GLVC rival and No. 3-seeded Northern Kentucky University next. The Cougars defeated the Norse 7-3.

Senior pitcher Dawn Farmer took the victory for the Cougars to move her perfect record to 8-0. Sophomore pitcher Missy Koenig took the save, her first on

The Cougars took an early three-run lead in top of the first inning. Senior outfielder Koree Claxton singled in the first run and Witherell knocked in a tworun homerun after that to score Esker and Claxton.

NKU answered quickly in the bottom of the first inning with two runs on three hits, but that would be all for the Norse until the bottom of the fifth when the final run of the game was scored.

SIUE kept plugging away,

bringing in another three runs in the top of the fourth inning. Freshman shortstop V.J. Schmidt doubled to left center field on two outs to start the rally.

Freshman outfielder Sam Easterly singled and advanced to second on an error to score Schmidt. Designated hitter Koenig doubled to left center field to score Easterly, then Esker doubled down the left field line to score Koenig and put the Cougars up 6-2.

In the seventh inning, the Cougars sealed the deal with another run to take the 7-3 decision and move on to face Ashland once more.

Another one-run decision was won by Ashland; this time 2-1. The Cougars scored in the top of the first inning when senior third baseman Erin Newman singled home what would be the Cougars' only run.

Ashland tied the score at 1-PHOTO COURTESY OF PHOTO SERVICE 1 in the bottom of the fifth inning, and went up 2-1 in the bottom of the sixth to eliminate SIUE from the regional and advance tournament themselves to the final game.

> The double-elimination tournament ran through the weekend with the champion advancing to the NCAA Division II Championships that ended Monday in Salem, Va. The Lakers of Grand Valley State University beat Ashland 4-1 in the final game of the regionals to advance to the national tournament.

The Rattlers of St. Mary's University of Texas took the Division II national crown by defeating GVSU 4-0 in the championship game Monday.

SPORTS EDITOR

The softball team had a stand-out season, to say the least.

SIUE ended the regular season with an overall record of 51-12. In the Great Lakes Valley Conference, the Cougars posted a mark of 17-2. Head coach Sandy Montgomery had the best

team in the conference this year and drew up the most successful combinations on both the offensive and defensive ends.

SIUE had a record-breaking season and had many players earn a variety of honors. SIUE broke the record for wins in a season. The Cougars shattered the record of 41 wins set last

The Cougars had seven all-GLVC selections and five All-Great Lakes Region selections.

Senior Valerie McCoy was recently named All-American and she accepted her certificate in Salem, Va., in a ceremony at the national finals. The selection was McCoy's second in her

named to both the All-Conference and All-Region First Teams as a second baseman.

McCoy was steady in her final season of Cougar softball. She completed her four-year career at SIUE among the alltime leaders in several offensive categories. McCoy ranks sixth in

batting average at .357, fourth in at-bats with 616, tied for second in hits with 220, eighth in RBIs with 102 and fifth in walks with

This season, McCoy hit .372 with 26 RBIs. A second-team All-American selection last season, McCoy proved to be the hardest player to strike out with

### Two Cougars remain in NCAA DII Finals

SPORTS STRINGER

For the two remaining members of the SIUE outdoor track team, the year is far from

Seniors Dan Walden and Tamieka Howard will represent SIUE at the 2002 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division II Outdoor Track and Field Championships at Angelo State University in San Angelo,

Walden is ranked 17th in the nation and will compete in the 800-meter run for the second year in a row.

Last year Walden failed to make finals after finishing the third heat in sixth place with a time of 1 minute and 53.65

"The qualifying race last year did not quite pan out as well as others had throughout the year," SIUE head coach Darryl Frerker said. "He got tripped up at the 200-meter mark."

Walden's qualifying time this spring was 1:51:43.

in the 400-meter run.

"Tamieka has been consistent and strong throughout the year," Frerker said. "She is focused and ready to go."

Howard is ranked ninth and will look to improve on her best time this year of 55:11 posted at the Illini May Twilight meet in Champaign.

Howard's preliminary race will be Thursday and Walden's preliminary will take place

Frerker said he will be looking for Walden and Howard to come away from this weekend as All-Americans.

Howard and Walden add to the overall success of the Cougar track team this year while sophomores Richard Skirball and Kevin Koller are competing in the nationals for indoor track.

Koller finished 11th overall in the 400-meter run and Skirball finished 13th overall in the 800meter run.

"We are doing better than we have ever done before," Frerker said. "Everything this year has been another step up in the level of competitiveness that we have had."

Frerker said he hopes a combination of solid recruiting and existing members filling the necessary gaps should help both the indoor and outdoor track Howard will represent SIUE teams keep the improvement

> "We are going to have a quality team next year," Frerker said. "With some excellent juniors coming up through the ranks and the recruiting class coming in, we will be tough."

#### **AWARDS**

from page 6

just 11 strikeouts in 183 at-bats. She ranked first in the GLVC in sacrifice bunts with 20, second in doubles with 15 and third in assists with 143.

Junior RyAnn Spann served as Montgomery's top hurler throughout the season. Spann, a transfer from Lewis and Clark Community College, pitched in all but one game of the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division II Regional Championships.

She recorded the most victories in a season, with 27 to her credit, since Montgomery set the record at 30 in 1985 when she played at SIUE. Spann struck out 219 batters in her 247 and twothirds innings pitched this season and ranked first in the GLVC in both strikeouts and innings pitched. She finished with a 1.10 ERA, third best in the conference.

Sophomore center fielder Jenny Esker and sophomore pitcher Missy Koenig were named to the Verizon/CoSIDA District V College Division Softball Team. Esker, the GLVC Player of the Year, was named to the first team while Koenig was selected to the second team.

This season, Esker had a .395 batting average, third best in the GLVC. She led the Cougars and the conference in several offensive categories including hits with 83, runs with 56, doubles with 22, home runs with

12. RBIs with 48 and stolen bases with 30. Her posted numbers for hits and runs broke single-season school records.

Esker was a First Team All-Conference and All-Region selection.

Koenig completed her second year at SIUE with a 16-4 record from the mound. She had a 1.70 ERA and earned one save. Koenig has a 32-11 record overall in her two seasons. She was

Second Team as a pitcher.

Senior Erin Newman and junior Koree Claxton were selected for the All-Region Second Team.

Newman, a two-time All-American at third base, completed her career at SIUE by breaking offensive records, some were her own.

This season Newman batted .303 with eight home runs and 40 RBIs. Newman leads SIUE in career at bats with 697, hits with 265, walks with 96, doubles with 69, home runs with 44 and RBIs

Claxton batted .311 as the cleanup hitter. Claxton, an



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SIUE nearly swept the All-Great Lakes Valley Conference team and also had the GLVC Player of the Year in sophomore named to the All- Jenny Esker (left). Sandy Montgomery GLVC First Team as received Coach of the Year honors (right).

a designated hitter and to the outfielder, recorded four home runs and 37 RBIs this year and went 11 of 11 in stolen bases.

> Freshman catcher Cassie Witherell was the last Cougar selected to the All-GLVC First Team. Witherell caught all 63 games for Montgomery this season and had a .983 fielding percentage. Offensively, she posted 29 RBIs and blasted three home runs.

> Montgomery earned GLVC Coach of the Year honors in her 15th year as head coach. She has also served as an assistant coach and been a player. Last year, she was inducted into the Illinois Amateur Softball Association's Hall of Fame.

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