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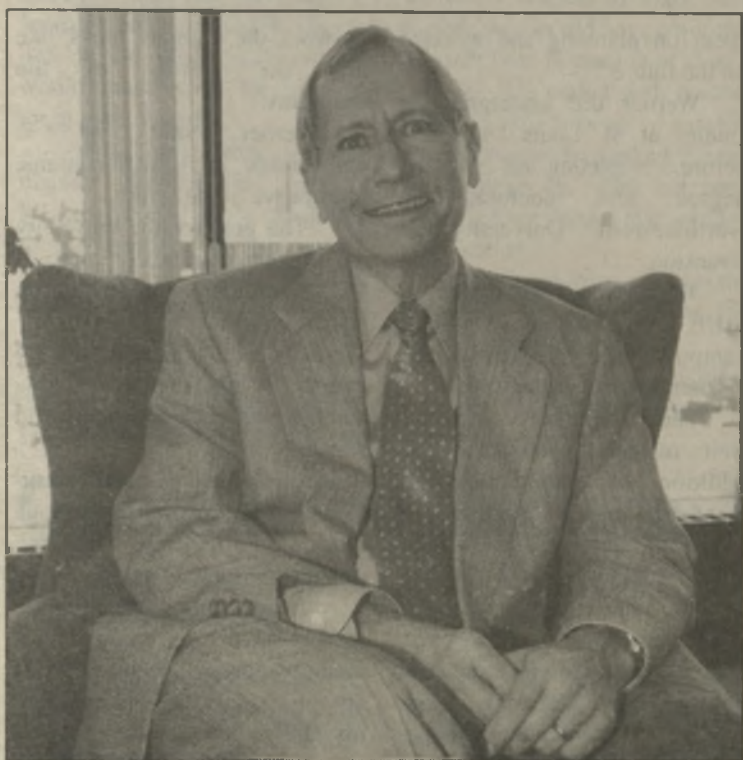
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Chancellor bids farewell to SIUE



KWAME ROSS/ALESTLE

Chancellor David Werner sits in his office Monday afternoon.

KRISTEN REBER
NEWS REPORTER

With the end of the semester nearing, it is time to say goodbye to retiring members of the university community, and that includes Chancellor David Werner, who is retiring after 35 years of service at SIUE.

"One of my advisers who

knew the dean at the School of Business here recommended me for a job," Werner said. "I applied and came here, and the rest is history."

Beginning in December 1968, Werner taught in the School of Business.

He was named dean of the School of Business in 1975. Throughout his career, Werner

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Decision now up to Walker

ALESTLE STAFF REPORT

The SIUE Chancellor Search Advisory Committee has made its recommendation to Southern Illinois University President James Walker.

Although Walker has not announced a time frame for his decision, the new chancellor could be introduced as soon as the May Board of Trustees meeting. Chancellor David

Werner has indicated he will step down July 1.

The three candidates are Sharon Hahs, SIUE provost and vice chancellor for Academic Affairs; Aaron Podolefsky, Northern Iowa University provost and vice president for Academic Affairs; and Vaughn Vandegrift, Georgia Southern University provost and vice president for Academic Affairs and chief information officer.

Each candidate participated in open forums with students, faculty and staff. The committee received nearly 300 evaluation forms from the meetings.

The search had 15 people representing all facets of SIUE, including a community representative. The committee invited the three candidates to the campus after a three-month process of screening and preliminary interviews.



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Sharon Hahs

TYLER BENNETT
NEWS EDITOR

SIUE Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs Sharon Hahs is one of the three candidates for the chancellor position.

After graduating from Illinois Wesleyan University with a degree in chemistry and a master's degree in inorganic chemistry from the

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Vaughn Vandegrift

NICOLE GAUDREAU
EDITOR IN CHIEF

Georgia Southern University provost and Academic Affairs vice president Vaughn Vandegrift is looking to make SIUE his home.

Vandegrift was a dean at Montclair State University in New Jersey from 1998 until 2000, and he holds a doctorate in chemistry from Ohio University. He spent two years at Illinois

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Aaron Podolefsky

JAMIE FORSYTHE
NEWS EDITOR

Aaron Podolefsky, provost and vice president for Academic Affairs at the University of Northern Iowa, is drawn to SIUE in hopes of advancing to an institution similar to his university.

"SIUE is already an institution of excellence," Podolefsky said at an open forum on campus Friday, April 16.

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Astronaut comes to campus

KRISTEN REBER
NEWS REPORTER

The "Exploration: The Legacy of Lewis & Clark" series will be out of this world when NASA astronaut Sandra Magnus speaks at 8 p.m. Wednesday in the Meridian Ballroom of the Morris University Center.

"I'm going to talk about exploration, and I'm going to draw parallels between Lewis and Clark and what we're doing in space," Magnus said.

The presentation is the fifth in the series sponsored by the Friends of Lovejoy Library and SIUE's Lewis & Clark Bicentennial Committee. It costs \$5 for the public and \$3 for students.



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Sandra Magnus

Magnus, a Belleville native, decided to be an astronaut early in her career path.

"Actually, I was in junior high school in Belleville when I latched onto this idea that it

would be a cool thing to do," Magnus said. "I didn't share it with very many people. My parents and family were really supportive."

Magnus, 39, thoroughly planned her academic career. After she graduated from Belleville West High School in 1982, she attended the University of Missouri-Rolla.

"I had my plan in junior high school. I took physics and advanced physics, and I'd go to college and get my bachelor's in physics," Magnus said. "It was a great plan, but you need to be ready for your plan to change."

While she earned her bachelor's degree in physics,

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Deadline for admission pushed up four weeks

NATALIE WALTERS
NEWS STRINGER

The number of applications being received by the Office of Admissions has forced the admissions deadline for the fall semester to be pushed up to May 1.

At this time last year, only approximately 4,000 applications had been received. This year, around 4,500 applications have already been received, and the deadline was supposed to be May 31, creating a need to move the date.

"Our volume is to the level that we feel we need to close admissions, so our students will

get what they need to get," Director of Admissions Todd Burrell said.

With the addition of residence halls within the past 10 years, the school has continued to grow.

"What has been built here and the growth and quality of faculty and students are making SIUE a very hot institution," Burrell said.

Burrell said he is hoping to keep the freshman class at around 1,650, and that doesn't include transfer students. Regardless of the postmark date, all applications must be received by May 1.



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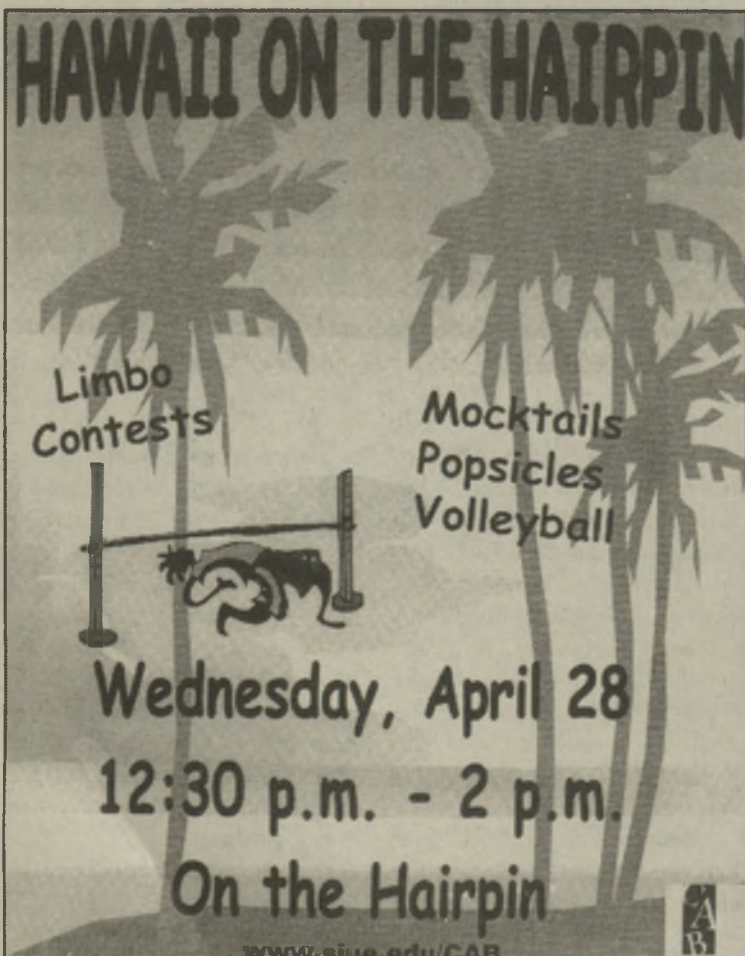


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Two SIUE math professors retire

SCHALENE HOUSTON
 NEWS STRINGER

Two SIUE professors from the Mathematics and Statistics Department will soon retire.

Professors Mary Cooper and Lyman Holden will no longer be part of the SIUE faculty.

Cooper said she has been here since 1984, and May will be her last month.

"I'll be completing 20

years," Cooper said.

With age playing a factor in her decision, Cooper decided to retire this year.

"Because of age reasons and getting older, (I decided to retire)," Cooper said.

The students have contributed to Cooper's exciting time at SIUE, and she said they are working hard to accomplish their goals.

"I think the nighttime

students were motivated to get a graduate degree. Many of these students have full-time day jobs, and because we offered night classes, they could complete their graduate degree," Cooper said.

Cooper has various business interests she plans to pursue and said she wants to work on something entirely different.

Holden was contacted but unavailable for an interview.

WERNER

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has also served as provost and vice chancellor for Academic Affairs.

"I came as a faculty member," Werner said. "I didn't expect to stay this long of a time, but I saw the great potential this campus had."

In 1997, former Southern Illinois University President Ted Sanders named Werner chancellor after Nancy Belck, Werner's predecessor, accepted appointment as chancellor of the University of Nebraska-Omaha.

"I was asked to fill in while they did a search (for a new chancellor), and afterward, I was asked to stay on," Werner said. "As chancellor, you are ultimately responsible for funding, the well-being of the university. Most of my time is

spent on planning and working on the future."

Werner did undergraduate studies at St. Louis University before completing his master's degree and doctorate at Northwestern University in Evanston.

Throughout his career at SIUE, Werner has seen the SIUE campus build physically and academically over the years.

The building of the first residence hall and the addition of the School of Dentistry and School of Pharmacy are just a few of the major changes.

"I have a lot of great memories of this place. I have seen a lot of wonderful changes," Werner said. "We've seen tremendous changes

in what the campus looks like and the quality of the programs."

Werner said he is enthusiastic SIUE will continue to improve in the future.

"The goal for the university should be to continually improve. I am confident the institution will continue to evolve," Werner said. "I have absolutely every confidence this campus will grow in quality and stature."

Following retirement, Werner said he hopes to continue work on multiple research projects, as well as travel.

"I am going to continue work I have been doing with a crediting agency," Werner said. "I am also planning on enjoying myself."

CANDIDATES

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HAHS

University of New Mexico, Hahs began her career with teaching.

In 1995 Hahs was offered the position of dean of the College of Arts and Sciences.

Then in 2000, she was promoted to provost.

"SIUE is a fine institution," Hahs said.

She said she has enjoyed the other roles she has had at the university in the past nine years and that the chancellor is another role she'd like to take on.

She has outlined her goals as following in the same direction the university is already moving in.

"I want us to stay on the same path toward excellence that we are already on," Hahs said.

Hahs added that the greatest challenge for the university will be making the most of the financial budget.

"That is our greatest task, using those resources as best we can," she said.

Hahs said she has big plans for the future of SIUE if she is chosen as chancellor.

"My greatest hope is that SIUE is recognized regionally and nationally for our reputation, a continued reputation of excellence," Hahs said.

VANDEGRIFT

State University in Normal and was a visiting professor of medical biochemistry at Southern Illinois University Carbondale.

In his April 5, visit here Vandegrift said he was impressed with SIUE and, if chosen for the post, he would look forward to working with a very committed faculty, staff and engaged students.

"Edwardsville has a mix of things that appeal to me. There is a really good potential, and there are many things I find very attractive about SIUE," Vandegrift said.

In regard to being SIUE chancellor, Vandegrift said it is important to place emphasis on helping people make the most of their abilities.

"The most important thing about being a chancellor is to serve the institution," he said. "It's about expanding human potential. I would represent and serve the university."

Vandegrift also said he is impressed with SIUE's vision statement and thinks it is conceivable that SIUE will accomplish its goals.

"SIUE has a terrific group of people interested in improving SIUE. I am impressed with the vision statement and values, and I think SIUE is well positioned to advance toward its vision."

PODOLEFSKY

SIUE and the University of Northern Iowa are similar in enrollment, academics and budget, according to Podolefsky.

"I'm interested in the core values, an institution that wants to be better and more innovated," Podolefsky said.

Podolefsky has been provost at Northern Iowa since 1998. He was dean of the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences for eight years before that.

Podolefsky was the chair of the Department of Sociology, Anthropology and Social Work at Western Kentucky University and taught for seven years at West Virginia University.

"An administrator must have integrity, trustworthiness and confidence," Podolefsky said.

Podolefsky said the chancellor is the symbol of the university.

"The chancellor embodies the university's values and pursues its goals," Podolefsky said.

At the forum, Podolefsky discussed a variety of topics, including the need for an enrollment cap, fund raising and managing the budget.

"SIUE's values are spread throughout the university," Podolefsky said. "It's a very exciting place."

Faculty has coffee with the chancellor

TYLER BENNETT
NEWS EDITOR

Monday's Coffee with the Chancellor was a short rehash of events that have happened since the previous month's meeting.

Chancellor David Werner spoke in front of the 14 attendees of mostly administrative faculty.

One of the topics discussed was the art center the Edwardsville Art Council proposed to build on campus.

The Edwardsville Art Council asked the university to lease the property in exchange for use of the facility. The center would most likely be used as more gallery space.

"Anything where we can display faculty and student artwork would be a desirable thing to happen," Werner said.

However, the project depends on whether the council can raise the money.

Another item on the list was the dedication of the East St. Louis Center at 1 p.m. Friday on

the East St. Louis campus. Unfortunately, Gov. Rod Blagojevich will not be in attendance as planned.

The chancellor also spoke about the new Rec Plex. The original plan went to the Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees approximately a year and a half ago, and the new recreation area was officially opened Friday night.

Werner said as the university transitions from a commuter school to a residential school, the university wanted to make sure the students would have activities to participate in outside of class.

The talk ended with a short question-and-answer session where the attendees asked Werner about topics that had not been discussed or items that needed clarification.

"That's where we are for the moment," Werner said at the conclusion of the meeting.

The date for the next Coffee with the Chancellor has not yet been announced.

Goals to be discussed

KELLY SCHOMAKER
NEWS STRINGER

The Faculty Senate and the Office of the Provost had a faculty meeting Thursday to update and discuss the objectives of the baccalaureate degree.

"We had a faculty discussion where we met in small groups to discuss a timely topic for the objectives of the baccalaureate degree and to organize the general education requirements and to make them integrate," Provost and Vice

Chancellor for Academic Affairs Sharon Hahs said.

Hahs said the meeting discussed ways of organizing and integrating the major components of the general education requirements.

"Two-thirds of the faculty are new since the general education requirements were last revised in 1991," Hahs said. "We're trying to make a policy that generates ideas to explore other channels."

"It was a good meeting. The discussions were lively and productive," Hahs said.

Students to raise voices

ALESTLE STAFF REPORT

In the Tuesday and Thursday editions of the Alestle, students will find an enclosed survey on political issues such as environment, education and health, social, economic and cultural issues.

The surveys were designed by the Raise Your Voice student committee, which is part of the Student Leadership Development Program and Volunteer Services. The surveys will be used to determine the political interests of the faculty, staff and students on campus. The collected information will be used to hold elected officials more

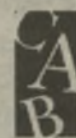
accountable to the needs of area communities.

Students from the Raise Your Voice committee will be available in two locations of Center Court in the Morris University Center to collect the surveys Thursday. Surveys can also be returned to the Student Leadership Development Program and Volunteer Services in the Kimmel Leadership Center.

For more information, contact Kimmel Leadership Center Assistant Director Suzanne Kutterer-Siburt at skutter@siue.edu, junior Prentice Motley at doc_227@yahoo.com or freshman Patrick O' Hara at pohara@siue.edu.

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Kiln lit for first time



KWAME ROSS/ALESTLE

Art and design professor Paul Dresang oversees the new anagama kiln at the Art and Design Building. The kiln was fired for the first time Wednesday morning and continued to burn until Saturday afternoon.

ASTRONAUT

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Magnus began studying electrical engineering. While working during the day for McDonnell Douglas Aircraft Company, she also earned her master's degree in electrical engineering by attending night classes at the University of Missouri-Rolla.

In 1996, she received her doctorate from the School of Material Science and Engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology.

Magnus was selected to join NASA in April 1996 and boarded

Atlantis for a 10-day mission in October 2002.

"It was really funny because you're floating all the time," Magnus said. "I felt very uncomfortable, but I realized I was trying to stand up. Your brains need to adapt, and then it all became so natural. I noticed gravity (after returning to Earth)."

However, there is more to a career at NASA than space exploration.

"I just got back in October 2002, and in between missions,

you do technical jobs. For example, right now I am working with the Canadians on a robotic arm," Magnus said. "Yesterday, I was doing the space walk training. Once you get into the program, you pretty much get your turn (to do a space mission)."

Through her own experiences, Magnus has advice for students of all ages.

"Have a plan and know what is going to change. Keep the end goal in sight," Magnus said. "It took me 20 years."

Police Incidents

Traffic

4/19/04

Police issued a citation to Matthew Koehne for speeding on South University Drive.

4/20/04

Police issued a citation to Sara Carpenter for expired registration. Carpenter received a verbal warning for speeding on South University Drive.

4/21/04

Police issued a citation to Rebecca Nelson for speeding on South University Drive.

Police issued a citation to John Eddie Davis III for speeding on South University Drive.

Police issued citations to Kimberly Taylor for a stop sign violation on Residence Drive and for operating an uninsured motor vehicle.

Liquor

4/23/04

Police arrested Bradley Krantz and Bradley Liefer for illegal consumption of alcohol by a minor. Krantz and Liefer were processed and released with a notice to appear.

Other Offenses

4/20/04

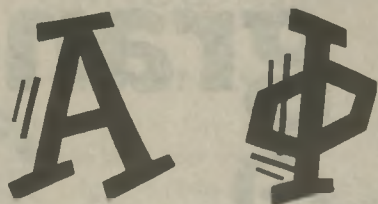
Police arrested Julie Park for a valid warrant from the Glen Carbon Police Department. Park was processed and released after posting bond. Park also received a citation for speeding.

4/22/04

Police arrested Whitney Fairless for theft of services. Fairless was processed and released with a notice to appear.

Police arrested Brandi McGlade for theft of services. McGlade was processed and released with a notice to appear.

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'Tis the season of procrastination

It's here. The time of year when students would gladly pay a scientist a box, maybe even two boxes, of Pop Tarts to develop a method for learning via osmosis.

Finals week has come.

Who wants to be outside playing volleyball or tennis, running, throwing a baseball, playing football or doing anything exciting when you could be living in the real world vicariously through your computer? Slap my name down near the top of that list.

And, why do we spend all of our time in front of the computer?

You probably lost all of your textbooks, which ultimately leads you to make the discovery it's cheap to rent your textbooks.

It's not cheap to have to rent

them and then have to turn around and buy them because you lost them at the end of the semester.

If you didn't lose your textbooks, then your roommates destroyed them.

There are a number of ways for them to do this. Let's say, hypothetically of course, you go home for a nice relaxing weekend, and you come back to find a blender on the table. Odd.

Ultimately, you discover your roommates tried to whip up textbook milkshakes and feed them to Buddy, the three-legged, one-eyed wonder raccoon outside your window.

Once again, this is purely hypothetical, and under no circumstances, that my roommates or I can remember,

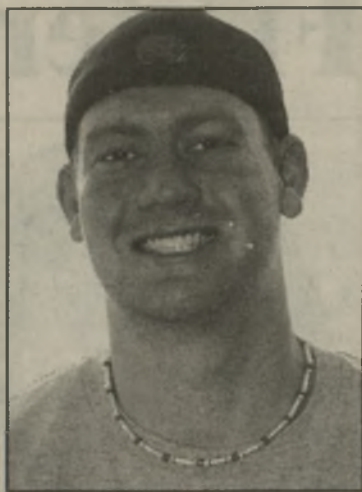
have we ever tried to harm Buddy.

And, you will invariably put off studying for finals. You will give such shameless excuses for not studying as, "It won't be that difficult," "It's Tuesday," and "Buddy told me not to."

So, how do you make yourself study for finals?

You can go to a secluded place where nobody else on a college campus would be, like the library, strap yourself into a comfortable chair near the section of your choice, load yourself up on cheap, black coffee, open your books or notes and proceed to go to sleep.

When you wake up, you will be ready to go back to your apartment and procrastinate for the next five or six hours, kick back, relax and have a beer



with Buddy.

You can always go to the library and study later.

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Letter to the Editor

Students unhappy with behavior of housing leaders

Dear Editor,

Recently, residents in Woodland Hall have been locking their doors, and anyone who has been to the dorms knows this is a strange occurrence.

Why are residents locking their doors? It is because of the Woodland Hall staff.

Two incidents have occurred that have scared students to the point they do not even feel safe in their own rooms. Both these incidents were perpetrated by Woodland Hall staff, one of them involving death threats to two residents.

As a resident of Woodland Hall, I find the thought of the resident hall staff purposely putting students in danger appalling, but not as appalling as

the fact these staff members are never punished for their actions.

On Tuesday, April 20, a Woodland Hall front desk worker allowed her boyfriend to enter the building with the expressed intent of threatening two residents.

The police later found the young man in the front desk worker's room. The young man was not arrested, and the front desk worker still has her job.

Needless to say, the fact she controls who enters the building has left the residents involved terrified.

On Wednesday, April 21, a group of students and I met with the Woodland Hall housing director to discuss this issue. This was the first she had heard of it.

This is just another example

of the housing staff abusing its power. My friends have been harassed, so bad, in fact, one of them had to meet with the director of SIUE Housing.

At that meeting, we voiced our opinions about the horrible way one resident assistant conducts himself and voiced our objection to the disciplinary policies in reference to Woodland Hall staff.

The result was that two RAs came to my door later that night for absolutely no reason whatsoever and asked to search the room. I refused and left the building. An RA proceeded to call the police and falsely accused me of having alcohol in my room.

Both of these situations present clear and present dangers

to the residents in Woodland Hall. Authority figures in the building are abusing their power to fulfill their own personal agendas.

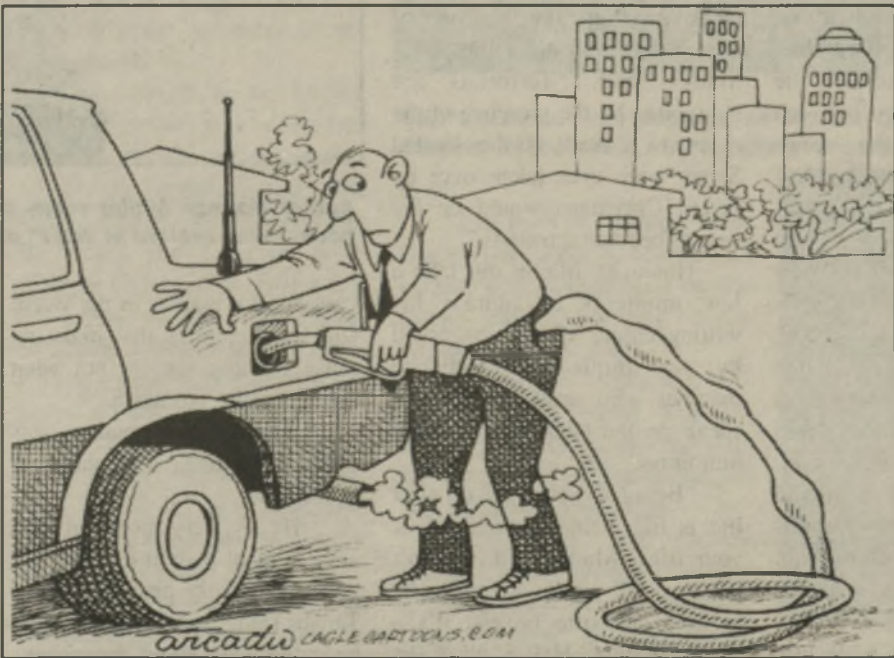
Why are residents of Woodland Hall locking their doors?

I lock my door in fear that corrupt Woodland Hall authority figures will enter it illegally and persecute me because I stood up to them.

My friends lock their doors because they fear Woodland Hall authority figures will allow dangerous people into the building.

Nicholas T. Williams
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Dan Ray

Political Cartoon



Quote of the Day

"Procrastination is the fear of success. People procrastinate because they are afraid of the success that they know will result if they move ahead now. Because success is heavy, it carries a responsibility with it, it is much easier to procrastinate and live on the 'someday I'll' philosophy."

~Denis Waitley

Lifestyles

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Actress and comedian Cocoa Brown will host LAFFJAM.

JESSICA SHUMAKER
LIFESTYLES STRINGER

Comic relief is on the way to help students and faculty take a

break from the stress of upcoming finals.

LAFFJAM, a free comic show, will be at 8 p.m. Friday in the Meridian Ballroom of the Morris University Center.

The doors will open at 7 p.m.

Sophomore Asmar A. Boyd, member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Inc. and also the coordinator of LAFFJAM, said, "This is for everyone who wants a good laugh and a chance to get away from the books for a while."

LAFFJAM is a production of MidCoast Entertainment Inc., a company that produces weekend comedy shows and musical concerts at colleges nationwide.

In a MidCoast Entertainment press release, publicist Mark Allen said, "A free show has been sponsored by SIUE Student Government for the Zeta Pi chapter of Kappa on SIUE's campus as a treat for the whole student body."

Entertainment for the show will consist of comedian Darius Bradford.

According to a press release from MidCoast Entertainment, "This gentleman has appeared on every major television and cable show there is for stand-up comedy. Some of his most recent appearances include Comedy Central's 'Comic Groove' and BET's 'Comic View.' Bradford is best known for his character, Delicious, on BET's 'The Way We Do It.' This St. Louis native is also a very talented writer who has written for such comedy giants as Cedric the Entertainer and Rickey Smiley."

Comedian and actress Cocoa Brown, a winner of the "Showtime at The Apollo" weekly comedian competition, will host LAFFJAM.

Also performing will be comedians Shawn Morgan and Red Bone, both seen on BET's "Comic View."

There will be a musical performance from hip-hop recording artist Arrogant and a musical interlude from DJ World, the tour disc jockey for LAFFJAM.

"MidCoast Entertainment is a great company to work with," Boyd said. "Gus Sanford, the president and CEO of MidCoast Entertainment, is a brother of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity Inc., and they all have been really helpful."

According to the MidCoast Entertainment press release, LAFFJAM is very unique and is designed to appeal to all races

and genders.

"We are hoping to help unite the entire campus, not just the Greek organizations. A night full of fun and laughs with the biggest and most entreaty comedy and musical show to hit Southern Illinois University Edwardsville is what LAFFJAM has to offer," Sanford said.

"This is our first time doing this event, but if it is successful, we do plan on doing it again," Boyd said. "We might not do the comedy thing next year, but we will be doing something. We know finals can get students and faculty kind of stressed, and we just want to help."

Boyd also said there will be an after-party at Club Rio in East St. Louis.

"There is a \$10 cover charge at the door, so come early," Boyd said.

For more information, contact Boyd at aboyd@siue.edu.

Respected author shares view of war

THOMAS C. PHILLIPS III
LIFESTYLES STRINGER

Legendary Pulitzer Prize-winning novelist Norman Mailer brought his life's work and controversial views on present-day warfare to SIUE's Meridian Ballroom Tuesday night.

Hundreds filled the ballroom to listen to Mailer, the last of a series of guest speakers and performers in this year's Arts & Issues series. Alternating between reading excerpts from his most recent works and offering his viewpoints on a range of topics from Iraq to the presidency, Mailer's blunt honesty and candid nature got a response out of nearly all in attendance.

Mailer's career spans decades back to 1948 when "The Naked and the Dead," his first novel based on his experiences in World War II, was published. Billed by the Arts & Issues series as "one of the great American writers of the 20th century," Mailer also became active in politics, which became apparent in his writing.

Opening his speech with a quip about aging, the 81-year-old Mailer observed one of the joys of growing old.

"There are certain pleasures in life that you really don't notice until you're older," Mailer said

after receiving a standing ovation from the audience. "When you put in a hearing aid, the applause has a resonance that you've never heard before."

Rather than speaking on his writing career and the ins and outs of being a novelist, Mailer chose to speak on a more controversial topic, the war in Iraq.

"I came here tonight, and I wanted to give the audience a choice between hearing me speak about two topics, the war in Iraq and talking about writing," Mailer said. "Then, I thought, I'm much more interested in speaking about the war than I am about the craft of writing. ... What I have to say will not be stale. We've all watched television and witnessed the back-and-forth debates between the pundits on the news networks. And, they're all stale."

Mailer then read excerpts from two of his most recent works, including the novel "Why We Are At War?"

"In December of 2000, George W. Bush became president by a Supreme Court decision, warped shamelessly in his direction," Mailer said. "During his first eight months in office, he took more vacations than any president before him. Chalk it up to his massive ignorance of the new job."

Mailer continued to lecture

on the problems of the Bush administration and the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.

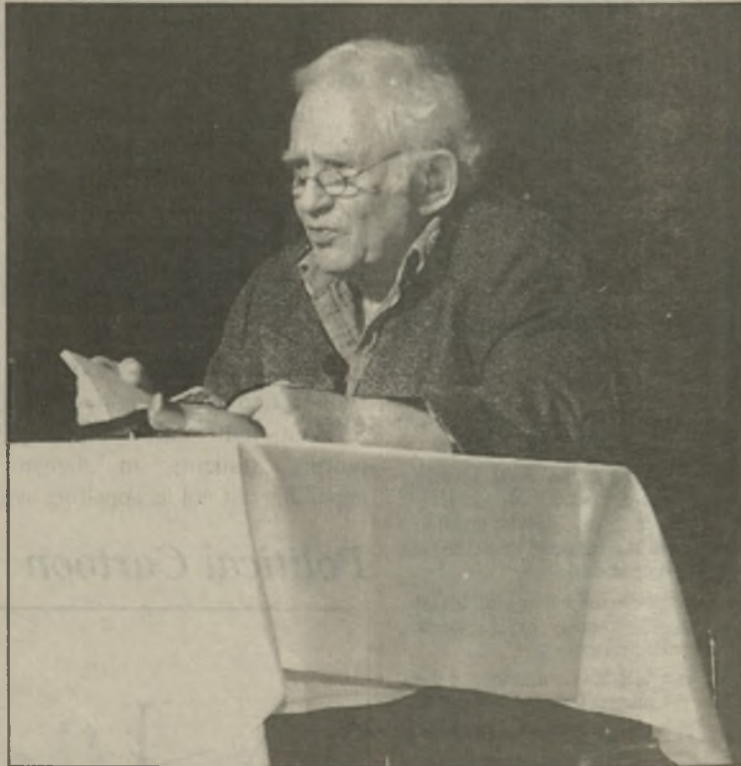
"The U.S. now feels like two nations, and Iraq is there daily to remind us of our hubris," Mailer said. "It may be possible that Bush has never grown up, and the same thing can be said for some of us. ... You cannot bring democracy to tyranny by conquest. Democracy can neither be injected nor imposed. Democracy must be brought from within."

The subject of the terrorists' invoking religion as an excuse was even targeted by Mailer.

"If democracy begins to work in Iraq, the number of terrorists would soon increase," Mailer said. "Terrorists are stimulated by the presence of the enemy. ... And, if the United States were ever taken over by Islam, Christians would be the first to become terrorists."

However, Mailer did take a few moments to address his writing career after being asked by an inquisitive audience member who wanted Mailer to speak on the talent that brought him fame.

"Being a writer all of your life is like being married all of your life," Mailer said. "I can't begin to tell you how awful it is to have to write novels. It's a complete bitch. Half of all of the



SHARA REYNOLDS/ALESTLE

Author Norman Mailer reads a selection from his most recent book, "Why Are We at War?" during his lecture Tuesday.

very good novelists in the world will have endings that make no sense because they're not what the beginning promised."

Overall, the evening was enjoyed by most who came to hear Mailer.

"He is very political and gave a lot of insight into the war in Iraq," history professor Steve Tamari said. "I really appreciated his comments about democracy.

His politics are derived from his sense of art and his love for writing. He's like a citizen poet."

Arts & Issues Coordinator John Peecher said Mailer was a fitting end to this year's series.

"I think he did a good job in presenting two sides of the issue," Peecher said. "His comments about the topics he spoke on, including democracy, were just wonderful."

Springfest provides fun despite rainy weather



SIUE's annual Springfest ran Wednesday through Saturday. Several activities were planned for the four-day event, including a carnival, Quad Day, and Battle of the Bands. Students could visit a variety of booths at Quad Day from a gigantic banana split to a lemonade stand and a rollover demonstration by the Illinois State Police. Family activities were provided at the carnival, and students enjoyed live music on the lawn outside Woodland Hall.

KWAME ROSS, JESSICA BALADAD & AUBREY WILLIAMS/ALESTLE

College fashion gets a makeover

JULIA CARLA-LYNETTE JACOBS
LIFESTYLES STRINGER

The Black Student Association had its first fashion show, the Runway Classic, Saturday night in the Morris University Center.

The production brought more spectators than the BSA expected. Even before the start of the show, most of the seats were taken, and many people began to stand along the wall.

The room setup gave the effect of an actual runway fashion show with bright lights, confetti and a runway stage.

BSA President Belicia Royster co-hosted the show with Nicholas Hughes and brought a lot of added excitement to the stage with her energetic and outgoing personality.

The show consisted of nine scenes and an intermission. The first and second scenes were broken down into two parts. Part one of the first scene, Change Clothes, consisted of very casual clothing. In part two, the models flaunted more stylish and attention-grabbing clothing.

In the second scene, Bad Girls, part one was comprised largely of black clothing with most of the models wearing only a hint of color. In part two, a bit more color was added to the mostly black designs.

The third scene, Fellas Brush Your Shoulders Off, followed a more casual clothing plan and was followed by the intermission.

Royster introduced a young rap group, Young Black

Entrepreneurs, followed by a well-known SIUE dance group and a special guest, guitarist and singer Montee, who added a touch of soul to the evening.

The fourth scene, Caribbean Madness, brought the audience members' attention back to the main program as the models flaunted very Caribbean-style summer wear. The colors in this scene were tropical and bright.

The fifth scene, Moments in Love, saw the models flashing formal wear. The men wore suits fit for a formal night out on the town, and the women wore formal party dresses.

At the close of this scene, two student audience members were given a chance to show off their modeling skills when Royster invited them on stage.

After a casual-style sixth scene, Crazy in Love, the BSA had a raffle. Winners received Pepsi products, courtesy of the BSA and SIUE.

The seventh scene, Lights, Camera, Action, was comprised of mostly casual summer wear.

In the eighth scene, The Louie vs. Chi Town, models from St. Louis and Chicago wore clothing typical of the two areas. St. Louis models wore more revealing female fashions while Chicago models kept it casual, yet fashionable.

At the end of the ninth scene, Work It Out, all of the models were brought to the stage and introduced. More than 20 models were in the fashion show.

Craig Pullem, who came from Chicago to choreograph the show, was pleased with the end



KWAME ROSS/ALESTLE

SIUE students, who doubled as models for the first Runway Classic, sponsored by the Black Student Association, strike a group pose at the end of the show.

result.

"I'm used to working with professional models, but we had people who worked hard on the show, and everything came through," Pullem said.

Featured entrepreneur Tanieka Carter and aspiring designer Le'Shaunda Collier, both freshmen, added ideas and designs to the production.

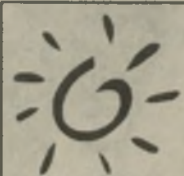
Sponsors of the fashion show included Banana Republic, Wilson's Leather, the Buckle, Sammi Shoes, Journey's and First World.



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Simeon Dockett, also known as DJ SS, provides tunes for the Runway.

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ALESTLE STAFF REPORT

Music and dancing will fill the streets of downtown Alton Saturday as the Alton Marketplace Association kicks off its fifth year of sponsoring the Alton Block Parties.

The monthly block parties are planned around a specific theme.

Saturday's party will celebrate Cinco de Mayo with mariachi bands, Mexican food and ethnic dancers.

Children's activities are planned from 4 to 6 p.m. Past events have included face painting, animal petting zoos and bounce houses. All children's activities are free.

Adult activities begin at 6:30 p.m. and will include a performance by the band Mr. Wizard. The music ends at 10:30 p.m., but the restaurants and bars in downtown will remain open.

Although the theme of the party is Cinco de Mayo, several restaurants and bars in the downtown area provide a variety of food besides Mexican, including American and Italian.

According to a press release from the Alton Regional Convention and Visitors Bureau, the Alton Block Parties have become a tradition that draw thousands of people from surrounding communities.

The musical entertainment is being improved this season by

featuring two bands nightly, one performing at the stage on Third Street and the other performing at the stage on State Street.

The block parties run from May through October on Third Street in downtown Alton, between Piasa and State streets.

The other themes for this season's block parties include Classic Rock in Downtown Alton, America the Beautiful, Jimmy Buffet Tribute, Country Rock, Hot! Hot! Hot! Chili Cook-Off and Octoberfest.

There are no parking or admission fees for the block parties. For more information, contact Suzanne Lerch at 465-6676 or go to www.VisitAlton.com.

Choir and orchestra join forces

ADRIENNE SMITH
LIFESTYLES STRINGER

Two of SIUE's finest musical collaborations will take place at 7:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday in the Dunham Hall Theater.

"The orchestra and choir come together once a year to perform always the last concert of the year," music professor and SIUE orchestra conductor Michael Mishra said.

Mishra will conduct the

orchestra and the choir.

The joint performance will present "Requiem" by Mozart, "Psalm 150" by Bruckner and "Stabat Mater" by Verdis.

"The main piece in the program is Mozart's 'Requiem'," Mishra said. "We usually bring in faculty or guest professional soloists," Mishra said.

This year, Mishra said, the soloists for "Requiem" will be SIUE alumna Diane Dietz Webb, a soprano who is a freelance professional, Nora Teipen, a

mezzo-soprano who runs a performing arts studio in St. Louis, music professor Brian Pfaltzgraff, a tenor, and Joel Knapp, a bass who is also the SIUE director of choirs and choral activities.

Tickets are not available in advance, only at the door. General admission is \$5 and \$3 for students and senior citizens.

For more information, call the Music Department at 650-3900 or visit www.siu.edu/MUSIC/CHOIR.

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SIUE Raise Your Voice ~~hold elected officials more accountable~~ to the needs of area communities

The Raise Your Voice student committee, a part of the Student Leadership Development Program and Volunteer Services, will conduct a political issues survey on the SIUE campus Tuesday, April 27 through Thursday, April 29, 2004. The attached survey on environmental, education, health, social, economic, cultural issues will be used to determine the political interests of the faculty, staff, and students on campus. This survey will appear in the Alestle on Tuesday, April 27, and Thursday, April 29. Students with the Raise Your Voice Committee will be available in two locations in the MUC Center Court dining area to encourage everyone to complete the survey and collect it on Thursday, April 29.

We would like to encourage you to fill out the survey and return it to the Student Leadership Development Program and Volunteer Services located in the Kimmel Leadership Center. Extra copies are available in the Alestle newspaper.

You may wonder why the students are gathering this information and what will happen with it. The students are working with the United Congregation of the Metro-East that represents St. Clair and Madison counties. UCM is attempting to deal with the social, economic, health, education, and justice issues of the Illinois Metro-East. Therefore, they are utilizing information from the survey from SIUE and surrounding communities to hold elected officials more accountable to the needs of area communities. A meeting is being planned for July 25 on campus to combine the surveys and develop a community equity study. The survey results will be discussed with community and political representatives on October 24, 2004.

The Raise Your Voice Students and United Congregations of the Metro-East are also working on voter registration on campus and in surrounding communities. The group is planning a Rock Your Vote type program in the fall combined with forums on voting issues.

If you have any questions, please e-mail Suzanne Kutterer-Siburt at skutter@siue.edu, Prentice Motley at doc.227@yahoo.com or Patrick O' Hara at pohara@siue.edu. Questions in regards to the Community Equity Summit with United Congregations of the Metro-East please direct to Ken Aud, UMC Community Coordinator at kaud@hotmail.com

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Basketball reloads with two area signings

Head coach Marty Simmons expects both recruits to contest for starting spot next season

KEVIN CORRIGAN
SPORTS EDITOR

SIUE's men's basketball head coach Marty Simmons continued the reloading process for the 2004-2005 season with the additions of J.B. Jones, Belleville, and Michael Sams, Mount Zion.

Simmons said Jones and Sams are a pair of hard-nosed players who will not back down to the pressures of Great Lakes Valley Conference basketball. Simmons said he expects both players to join the roster looking for a starting position right away.

Jones, a 6-foot-2 guard from Belleville West High School, was highly regarded by area high school coaches, Simmons said. A second-team All-Metro selection, Jones was lauded for his offense and defense.

"I classify him as a combo guard," Simmons said. "He's someone who can play the point or off-guard position. He can drive, shoot and pass the ball well and can guard the opposing team's best player. He's going to do whatever it takes to help his team win."

Sams is a 6-foot-7 transfer from Illinois State University, where he played one season with the Redbirds. He will have three

seasons of eligibility for the Cougars.

"Michael can shoot the three-pointer, can pass the ball well and is a tough competitor," Simmons said.

Along with freshman center Doug Taylor, McClure, Jones and Sams round out the three new Cougars who will be joining the team next season.

"We want to have the highest quality group of guys that we can get in her," Simmons said. "It makes for good competition within the team."

Simmons' squad will return all but one starter from this season's impressive campaign. Senior guard Ron Jones will be the only one not returning.

"We certainly have something to build off of," Simmons said.

As far as any more recruits coming in for next season, Simmons said he won't stop looking.

"You never stop looking," Simmons said. "We have a set number of resources, and until those are gone, we keep searching for that winning formula."

The Cougars open the 2004-2005 season November 27 when they play host to the Lewis University Flyers.



AUBREY WILLIAMS/ALESTLE

Former senior Ron Jones will be the only missing starter next year from this past year's winning season. The Cougars are in the process of taking the program to the next step.

Baseball gets back on the winning track with home cooking

KEVIN CORRIGAN
SPORTS EDITOR

After a season of constant struggles, the SIUE men's baseball team is finally finding something to hang its hat on.

The Cougars finished their most impressive week of work this year, going 5-1 against some tough competition.

SIUE started its impressive run by sweeping conference rival Quincy University.

The Cougars improved to 14-30 overall and 11-20 in the Great Lakes Valley Conference and have taken three of four games against the Quincy Hawks this season. Quincy fell to 27-21 overall and 17-13 in the GLVC.

The Cougars got an

outstanding pitching performance from junior right-hander Jarad Rettberg in game one. The Cougars prevailed 3-2.

Rettberg held Quincy to two runs on eight hits in game one. He picked up the victory after walking one Quincy batter and fanning two.

The Cougars answered in their half of the second when they scored all the runs they needed. Junior infielder Jared Brueggeman and freshman utility player Mike DalPozzo had back-to-back singles. Then, freshman infielder Kyle Martin drove home Brueggeman for the Cougars' first run of the contest.

Junior outfielder Tyler Symonds cracked an RBI single to give the Cougars a 2-1 lead.

Sophomore outfielder Joe Wargo drove home Martin on a fielder's choice ground-out that proved to be the winning run.

Game two saw more offense from the Cougars as they came from behind for the 7-3 victory.

Quincy held a 3-2 lead through five innings in game two, but the game was broken open by SIUE in the sixth inning. Wargo drove in a run, and DalPozzo smacked a two-run double and later scored on an error as the Cougars plated four runs in the inning.

Martin drove in two runs in the game. Freshman infielder Tim Velten had two hits and scored a run in the contest.

The Cougar's bullpen pitched five scoreless innings of

relief. Sophomore Jameson Sheley relieved SIUE starter, freshman Chip Durland in the fifth inning and retired the side.

Junior pitcher Pat Evers pitched the remaining four innings and scattered three hits while striking out four in the victory.

The Cougars then took three out of four games from the University of Indianapolis Greyhounds.

The Cougar pitching staff recorded two shutouts, 1-0 and 6-0. Junior Ron Jones threw a four-hit gem in game one while sophomore Kyle Jones was just as good, allowing only two hits in the 6-0 victory.

The Greyhounds split the

last two games with the Cougars.

Offensively, the Cougars are paced by junior first baseman Craig Ohlau whose .335 batting average and 32 RBIs are team highs.

Jones continues to shine on the mound for the Cougars. His 1.45 ERA and five wins are both team bests. For the season, the Cougars' pitching staff continues to be the strong point on the season. The staff holds a 4.33 team ERA.

The Cougars will continue action this week when they take on Lincoln University on Wednesday.

The Cougars will close out the regular season this weekend when they travel down to Bellarmine University.

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Baseball complex plans look like a reality

TRAVIS L. ROSS
 ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR

Ralph Korte Stadium is the only sports complex on campus — for now.

Pending the Southern Illinois University Board of Trustee's approval of a gift from John Simmons and Jeff Cooper, from SimmonsCooper Attorneys at Law, the baseball Cougars will have a complex of their own.

According to Athletic Director Brad Hewitt, the announcement is informal and a dollar amount will be announced when a formal announcement is made.

Hewitt said he doesn't see any reason for the Board of Trustees to deny the gift.

"I wouldn't see any reason why they would have any concerns," Hewitt said.

According to Hewitt, the gift paves the way to build a complex that would not only be considered top notch for National Collegiate Athletic Association Division II schools, but in the upper echelon of Division I schools as well.

"It would give us a very good start on expanding the surrounding area around the complex," Hewitt said. "Our ultimate goal is to have six fields. We want one for high school, so we can run high school tournaments. We want two for intermediate-size fields and one or two fields for the 10- to 12-year-old age group."

Hewitt said the complex would expand the opportunities for children in the area to play baseball, as well as generate additional funds for the university. He said the plan is for the complex to generate enough

revenue to pay for itself.

But, Hewitt said it will be a while before everything gets up and running.

"It might be a multiyear process to get everything up and running," Hewitt said. "This would enhance our options to host the NCAA Regionals and maybe even the NCAA Nationals. It's a venue that could easily host the event."

According to Hewitt, the venue would help to recruit not only athletes, but regular students as well.

Hewitt said upgrades to the stadium include new lights, better seating, more seating, a public restroom and a concession stand. Improvements made in the past year to the baseball field include new dugouts, nets behind home plate, a warning track around the field and a locker room facility.

Women's soccer nets recruits for next year

KEVIN CORRIGAN
 SPORTS EDITOR

SIUE women's soccer head coach Lynda Bowers has announced the signing of Sara Stroud, Collinsville, Kim Rody, Granite City, and Jennifer Kratzer, O'Fallon, Mo.

All three will officially join the soccer team in the fall and will have four years of eligibility.

During her junior year at Collinsville High School, Stroud earned All-State and All-Conference honors as a defender. She was also tabbed an All-Conference performer during her sophomore season.

"I coached Sara when she was 12 years old," Bowers said. "She will compete for a spot in the sweeper position. She has good speed and good ball-handling skills, which will both

be a real asset to our backfield."

Rody is the starting goalkeeper on Granite City's women's soccer team. She has registered four shutouts on the year and has a .36 goals against average. She is one of five players from Granite City to sign on with a collegiate soccer team.

"Kim is a technically sound goalkeeper who can command the backfield," Bowers said. "That is something that we really need in a goalkeeper."

Kratzer, a forward, is an All-State selection out of Trinity Catholic High School in St. Louis. So far this season, with seven goals and nine assists, she is second with 23 points on a team ranked first in the Archdiocesan Athletic Association standings.

"One of her greatest assets is her powerful left-footed shot,"

Bowers said. "She has a very good work ethic and will be a fun freshman to watch. I expect her to come in and fight for a starting spot."

The Cougars will need to replace the voids left by seniors Becky Baker, Sara Decker and Kristen Covalt.

Baker, a forward, appeared in 17 games last year for the Cougars, netting four goals.

Decker, a midfielder, was a four-year All Great Lakes Valley Conference selection. Her 72 career points are good for sixth place on SIUE's all-time list.

Covalt, a goalkeeper, ended her Cougar career with 31 games played while posting one career shutout.

The 2004 women's soccer program kicks off Aug. 29 in a home game with Minnesota State University-Mankato.



AUBREY WILLIAMS/ALESTLE

Seniors Sara Decker, left, and Becky Baker, with ball, will be two starters whom head coach Lynda Bowers will need to replace next season.

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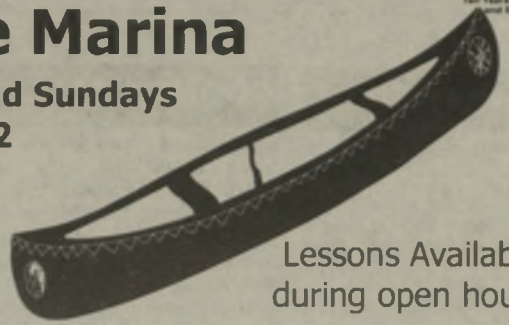
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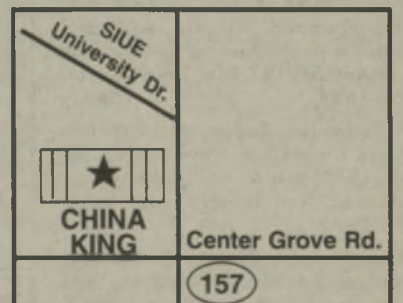
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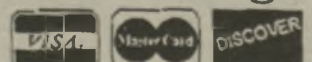
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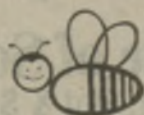
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