

# Kickin' it up at Homecoming

STEVE BRITT  
NEWS REPORTER

Homecoming revs up for a week of tradition-filled fun.

The week's activities echo the '50s with soda floats, "Grease" sing-alongs and a classic car show.

"We looked at making homecoming more traditional," Coordinator of Greek Life and Homecoming director John Davenport said.

Recurring events such as the golf cart parade are back again, while new events look to make an impression for future homecomings.

"We looked at how some colleges do bed races, so we decided recliner races. Wednesday is kind of traditionally for karaoke," Davenport said.

A bonfire was planned last year but was rained out. This



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**The 2004 Homecoming Queen Lee Ann Lomax and King Larry Brown pose at the soccer game last year. The coronation of the king and queen will be one of many events occurring in Homecoming 2005. The theme is "Get your kicks on Route 66."**

*Check out how last year's  
royalty is faring this year  
See Lifestyles*

year, it's on the agenda for next Thursday, weather permitting, Davenport said.

The gem of the events is the custom and classic car show on the Quad, where more than 50 cars are expected to cruise in Saturday.

"The big deal we've never done before and takes a lot of undertaking, is the car show," Davenport said. "We've been working for months on it."

Sh-Boom, a '50s style band, will play during the show. Refreshments will be available and hopefully, Davenport said, there will be lots of flashy cars.

"We've had a lot of people saying they're going to bring Corvettes."

School associations have tied in with the time frame to bring up numbers for many events.

"The Alumni Association is

having a reunion, Athletics are having a Hall of Fame dinner," Davenport said. "That's tremendous."

The number of revelers looks promising, Davenport noted.

"We're trying to get as many

people to come out as we possibly can. ... RSVPs for family weekend are double what they normally are. We have the possibility for a great turnout this year."

For more information, visit [www.siu.edu/CAB/Homecoming](http://www.siu.edu/CAB/Homecoming).

## DUI victim dies, charges brought against student

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An SIUE student faces prison time if convicted of three felony charges leveled against him by Madison County prosecutors.

The Madison County State's Attorney charged Jeffrey Graham, 25, Tuesday with reckless homicide and two counts

of aggravated driving under the influence.

If convicted, Graham may face three to 14 years for each count of aggravated DUI. Reckless homicide is a Class Three felony with a potential penalty of two to five years.

Charges stem from Sept. 16 when Graham allegedly struck Gregory J. Hamil with his Dodge Intrepid in the parking lot of

Rusty's Restaurant in Edwardsville.

Hamil, of Edwardsville, died Saturday at St. Louis University Hospital. He was 49.

Graham was initially charged with aggravated driving under the influence of alcohol. Prosecutors dropped the charge nearly two weeks ago.

"We didn't want him (Graham) to plead to a lesser

charge when a more serious charge would be available," Madison County State's Attorney spokeswoman Stephanie Smith said Oct. 4.

Hamil remained in the Intensive Care Unit of St. Louis University Hospital until his death.

According to Smith, Graham is not in custody. His bail is set at \$75,000.



### SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

#### MONDAY, OCTOBER 17

VOTE FOR THE HOMECOMING  
KING AND QUEEN IN THE MUC  
10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Goshen Lounge

SEE THE GOLF CART PARADE  
Noon

Stratton Quadrangle

#### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18

RACE YOUR RECLINER  
Noon

Stratton Quadrangle

#### WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19

SING IN THE ANNUAL  
COUGAR KARAOKE  
Noon

MUC Goshen Lounge

SING ALONG WITH  
"GREASE" AND SODA SHOP  
7 p.m.

Meridian Ballroom

#### THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

COME CHEER ON THE MEN'S  
AND WOMEN'S SOCCER TEAM  
AT THE PEP RALLY  
6:30 p.m.

Woodland Bowl

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21

WATCH THE MEN'S AND  
WOMEN'S SOCCER TEAMS  
TAKE ON THE UNIVERSITY OF  
MISSOURI-ST. LOUIS  
5:30 p.m.

Ralph Korte Stadium

WIN VEGAS STYLE AT  
CASINO NIGHT  
9 p.m.

MUC Goshen Lounge and the  
Meridian Ballroom

#### FAMILY WEEKEND

##### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

ROLLIN' OUT AT THE FUN  
BOWLING TOURNAMENT  
Noon to 5 p.m.

MUC Recreation Center

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## MODULES

### Student Leadership Development Program & Volunteer Services

#### Modules

10/18/05

Module 18, 2:00 p.m.

Motivating Others

Suzanne Kutterer-Siburt, Assist. Director

Leadership Development, SIUE

Board Room, MUC

Module 8, 6:30 p.m.

Human Relations

Billie Turner, Community Liaison

University of Illinois / NTAC

Board Room, MUC

10/25/05

Module 19, 2:00 p.m.

Understanding the Organizational Climate

Rodney Davis, Project Director

U.S. Representative Shimkus' Office

Board Room, MUC

Module 9, 6:30 p.m.

Cross Cultural Awareness

Kate Howell, Volunteer Relations Specialist

International Institute

Board Room, MUC

#### SLDP Reminders....

##### Volunteer Projects

October 15 – Urban Plunge, E. St. Louis, IL

October 22 – Share Food, Granite City, IL

November 5 – Computer Rehab, Washington Park, IL

November 12 – St. Vincent DePaul Thrift Store, E. St. Louis, IL

November 19 – Share Food, Granite City, IL

November 19 – Boy Scout Food Drive, Granite City, IL

November 24 – Thanksgiving Dinner, Belleville & E. St. Louis, IL

For more information and the calendar, contact the Kimmel Leadership Center at extension 2686 or visit the website at [www.siue.edu/KIMMEL/SLDP](http://www.siue.edu/KIMMEL/SLDP).

## Family Weekend gives parents a chance to briefly live the college life

NATALIE HEIL  
NEWS STRINGER

Students have an opportunity to show their families the SIUE campus during the Campus Activities Board sponsored Family Weekend.

"The Family Weekend is a time for us to invite the families of the students to participate in activities that showcase a lot of activities SIUE has to offer," Assistant Director of Campus Life Michelle King said. "Also, it gives the students a chance to visit with their families."

Casino Night has become one of the most popular events scheduled on Family Weekend.

"Casino Night draws anywhere from 1,000 to 1,500 people every year since it is a totally free event where we bring Las Vegas to campus," King said.

"We have a professional company that sets up tables where the students can play roulette and exchange chips for prizes."

and mingle with the families." Family Weekend started four years ago at SIUE as a campus-wide initiative to involve the families in campus activities.

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-Assistant Director of Campus Life Michelle King

The Sunday brunch is another event that introduces the families of SIUE students to administrators and the University Center style of dining.

"Last year we had 400 (attend)," King said. "We invite campus administrators to come

"Family Weekend is a fairly common practice among other campuses so we decided to bring it to SIUE in conjunction with our homecoming," King said.

The number of families attending the events has grown

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## SIUE arrest man on DUI charge

STEVE BRITT  
NEWS REPORTER

An Edwardsville man had a run in with the law and a concrete median on campus.

Devin J. Brown, 24, was charged Oct. 8 with driving under the influence and leaving the scene of an accident.

"He was involved in a traffic

accident, single vehicle on Poag Road and North University Drive. He hit the median," Lt. Kevin Schmoll said.

According to Schmoll, the 2001 Chevy Impala was damaged and Brown took off walking.

Edwardsville police were dispatched to check on the residence.

Meanwhile, a motorist called

SIUE police and officers found Brown walking near the intersection.

Brown was issued field sobriety tests, which he failed, and he blew a .104 on the Breathalyzer. Illinois law mandates .08 as the legal limit.

Brown was not injured and he was released on \$400 bond.

## Tuition increases could be in the works

CORY FREEMAN  
NEWS STRINGER

Tuition increases are being planned for future undergraduates to continue the "institutional imperative for excellence," according to the Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees.

The board proposed an increase from \$145 per credit hour from fiscal year 2006 to \$170 per credit hour for fiscal year 2007.

The tuition per credit hour for fiscal year 2008 is a proposed \$194.

The annual rate for an instate

undergraduate entering fall 2005 taking 30 credit hours is \$4,350. The proposed annual rate for fall 2006 is \$5,100.

The proposed annual rate for fall 2007 is \$5,820.

The proposal, dated Sept. 6, said that much needs to be done to achieve national recognition and cited numerous reasons for a tuition increase.

It said a "clearly articulated enrollment management program" must be supported by a campaign that publicly communicates what SIUE stands for.

A media campaign began last summer placing ads in print,

radio and television outlets.

The proposal also said SIUE should further develop its non-state-supported resource base.

Despite initiatives such as the media campaign to enhance revenue, the proposal said the university still requires additional revenue from tuition.

Chancellor Vaughn Vandegrift said in Oct. 2004 he wanted to achieve national recognition by 2015.

Progress was made in fall 2005 when ACT scores for entering freshmen rose to 22.6 from 21.9 in fall 2003.

## Smoking task force to tackle key points

AARON SUDHOLT  
NEWS REPORTER

The Tobacco Policy Control Task Force meets again Thursday to discuss possible elimination of smoking areas.

The meeting was moved from its originally announced date, Tuesday Oct. 18, in order to, "accommodate the attendance of certain participants," Coordinator of Health Education and Task Force Chair Malcolm

Goldsmith said.

"Primarily, at this meeting we're at the stage where we will be considering key points for going smoke-free on campus," Goldsmith said. "We're going to be putting a proposal together and determining what we may need."

The task force will use this meeting to prepare for presenting a proposal to SIUE administration.

"We talked about how best

to approach this, then creating a proposal and rationale," Goldsmith said. They wanted to ensure everyone could be involved.

Anyone may attend the meeting, and of course, "smokers are welcome," Goldsmith said.

The focus of the first meeting was spent dealing with the media frenzy surrounding the controversial proposal to make SIUE a smoke-free campus.

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## Plants purloined at East St. Louis Center

STEVE BRITT  
NEWS REPORTER

Mums the word when it comes to plants being stolen on campus.

Four mums, valued at \$5 each, were stolen from the SIUE East St. Louis Center between Oct. 6 and 10.

"There's a big sign over on

Fourth Street with a little plantery underneath. Grounds workers reported the plants missing," Lt. Charles Thompson said.

Police have no suspects over the grabbed greenery.

Thieves attempted to steal other greenery of sorts at the library of the East St. Louis campus.

A cash register was damaged Oct. 6 in an apparent theft thwarted by several bolts.

"They didn't get it open. It's actually bolted to the table. They kind of bent the under frame," Thompson said.

"There were lots of kids in the area watching TV so we don't have any suspects," Thompson said.

## Campus Scanner

**Free Movie:** Campus Activities Board brings "Charlie and the Chocolate Factory" as part of the Friday Free Flicks beginning at 6 p.m. Friday in Lovejoy Library's Abbott Auditorium. Enjoy the movie with free popcorn and soda. For more information, contact Laura Linnemann at 792-4603 or llinnem@siue.edu.

**Informational Meeting:** The School of Education will hold an informational meeting for anyone interested in earning their master of arts in teaching at 7 p.m. Nov. 3 in the Morris University Center's Hickory/Hackberry Room. For more information, contact Secondary Education Director David DeWeese at 650-3432 or

at ddeweese@siue.edu.

**Health Information:** Raise Your Voice is sponsoring a Health Care Forum from 11 a.m. to noon Thursday in the MUC Goshen Lounge. This will be a discussion about the need for health care insurance and what is being done about it. For more information, contact Leah Orwig at lorwig@siue.edu or call Kimmel Leadership Office at 650-2686.

**Street Smarts:** Come out and hear James Karin present a seminar designed to enhance the awareness of potentially dangerous situations and ways to avoid them. This event, which is sponsored by Alpha Phi Sorority, will be from noon to 2 p.m. Saturday in the MUC

Conference Center. For more information, contact Dana Margherio at 580-4943.

**Tobacco Counseling:** The American Lung Association of Illinois is providing the Illinois Tobacco Quitline. Registered nurses, respiratory therapists and addiction counselors staff the toll-free line. Counseling is free to residents of Illinois. Those interested should call (866) QUIT-YES. Hot line hours are from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday.

**Alcoholics Anonymous:** The Gut Level Group will meet at 7 p.m. Saturday in the Religious Center. This is an open meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous and Al-Anon.

## Workers strike Madison County



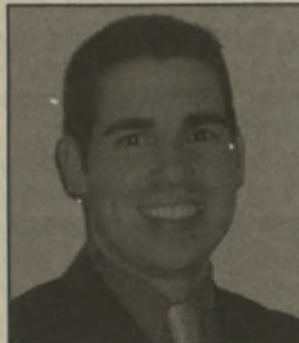
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Jim Corey, 48, joins other workers on strike with the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees Local 799 Wednesday in downtown Edwardsville. "We feel the county is being unfair with health care benefits and we need to take care of our children. We are willing to fight to get them proper health care," Corey said.

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## Kimmel honors deceased grad with spring break fund

AARON SUDHOLT  
NEWS REPORTER

SIUE alumnus Bradley Miller died Sept. 24 after a two-week hospitalization for Wegener's granulomatosis. He was 30 years old.

A memorial service has been scheduled for 4 p.m. Thursday in the SIUE Religious Center to "celebrate his life and all that he has contributed to us," according to a press release.

All may attend.

Miller graduated from Orion High School in 1994 and studied at Black Hawk College.

He graduated in spring Summa cum laude with a bachelor's degree in psychology from SIUE.

"There are some people that make the world a better place to be in. He was one of them," Kimmel Leadership Center Secretary Diane Schilling said.

Miller had received an award for his participation in the

Student Leadership Development Program at SIUE, which involved an alternative spring break trip in the past two years, where he and other students went to an Oklahoma Indian reservation.

"His maturity really helped with the trip," Schilling said. Miller helped with the trip itself, and had completed his volunteer requirements at the same time, she added.

Miller was a member of Psi Chi, the National Honor Society in psychology and was going to enter the master of social work Program at the University of Chicago in fall.

A special memorial fund has been established in his name for the alternative spring break service trip program.

Checks may be made out to SIUE Spring Break Trip in care of United Campus Ministries, Box 1059, Edwardsville, IL 62026-1059. Please indicate on the memo line, "Brad Miller fund."

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dramatically since the first year of the weekend's creation.

"Last year we had 200 families and we are expecting 300 more this year. Some of the new alumni are bringing their families, which makes it a really good event," King said.

Currently, 500 people have registered for the weekend activities.

Freshman Lance Strubing invited his parents to come to Family Weekend.

"My family wants to come to meet all of my new friends and make sure I am eating right," Strubing said.

King encourages students to invite their families to the event.

"Family Weekend provides families the opportunity to come to campus and retrace their student's daily routine, as well as getting involved with campus life in general," King added.

## MEETING

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"At the last task force meeting, we kind of dealt with the media hype," Goldsmith said.

There was so much attention paid to the first meeting that the task force spent more time handling the media than dealing with the issue.

News organizations and people from all over the country are paying attention to what SIUE is doing, he said.

The Tobacco Task Force has been meeting for the past year and a half, he said.

The task force is part of a statewide grant project by the Illinois Department of Public Health designed to look at tobacco use on college campuses.

The meeting takes place at 10 a.m. Thursday at the Vadalabene Center in Room 2001.

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October 12-15, 7:30 pm - "Blur", by Melanie Marnich, directed by Chuck Harper, University Theater, Dunham Hall.

October 13, 1:00 pm - Sculpture on Campus 2005-2006 Season, Guest Juror Lecture, Atrium, Art & Design Building.

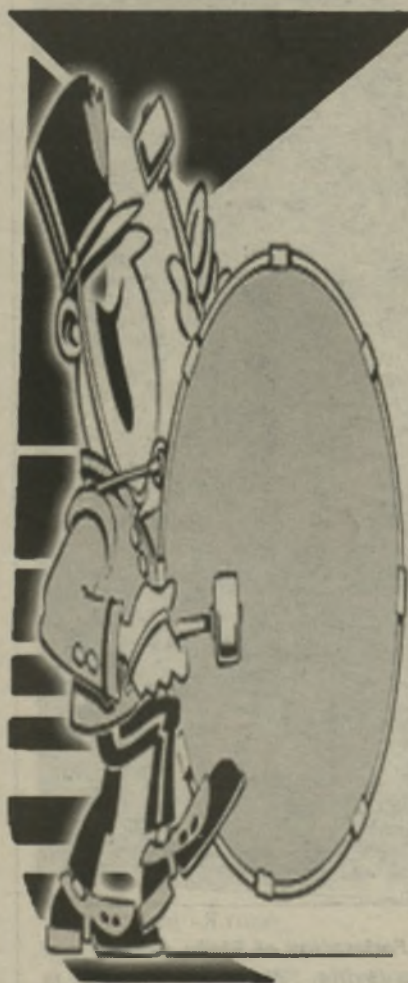
October 14, 4:00 pm - Sculpture on Campus 2005-2006 Season, Sculpture Walk, Starting at the Art & Design Building.

October 15-16 - Art East, Edwardsville - Alton Studio Tour, Alton Area.

October 16, 2:00 pm - "Blur", by Melanie Marnich, directed by Chuck Harper, University Theater, Dunham Hall.

October 17, 7:30 pm - Coffee Concert, Meridian Ballroom, Morris University Center.

October 19, 11:30-1:00 - Chalk One Up For The Arts - Sidewalk Art - Outside the Morris University Center - Prizes. Rain Date: October 20, 11:30-1:00.





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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2005

## Ready for round two? You gotta go with the flow



Time really does fly. In case you haven't noticed, we are already eight weeks into the semester – we're already at midterm.

This really came as a shocker to me Monday. Every year, the first half of the fall semester just flies by. The first couple of months are full of activities. There are people to see and

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things to do. Once midterm exams roll around, it is – or should be – a bit of a reality check. It usually kind of clicks that I need to prepare myself for the amount of work that professors are just waiting to assign.

So far this semester, I have had one test and one graded assignment. According to my planner, I still have two papers to write, three tests, a poster project, a magazine to design and several small assignments. That's a pretty uneven distribution of work over 16 weeks.

I'll admit that I do have an unusual schedule this semester. However, it always seems like the second half of the semester is a lot harder to get through than the first. Except in the spring.

I find it hard to believe that if we were in the spring semester right now, spring break would begin Friday. As it stands, we don't go on fall break for another five weeks. Teachers really get down to business a lot sooner in the spring semester. I would bet that if I were in the same classes in the spring, several of the assignments I still have to complete this semester would be due next week because teachers know we're all pretty much worthless by the time we get back from the spring break.

Anyway, it's still fall, still midterm and still a long way from break. Everyone around me is suddenly succumbing to the

pressures of class. I had four tickets to Game One of the National League Championship Series. My roommate informed me the night before the game that he was unable to go due to the massive amount of homework he had to finish. I was a little bit surprised; no, make that shocked. This is his last semester and he has a full load, but I never would have dreamed that he would have passed up this game.

So I asked another neighbor. He was bummed. He passed on the tickets in favor of going to class. Shocked, I made a third visit. Shot down in favor of homework again. I'm proud of my friends for being responsible and getting their stuff done, but how much work must they have to pass up NLCS Cardinals tickets?

I guess I'll have to resign myself to buckle down as well to finish up the semester. I've been here for almost four years and it never ceases to amaze me how much work suddenly pops up this time of year.

On the bright side, by the time Thanksgiving break rolls around, we're only a couple of weeks from Christmas and a month of blissful freedom. Here's to finishing up the rest of the semester with a bang – and a little bit of fun.

Courtney Rakers  
Editor in Chief

EUGENE, Ore. (U-WIRE) – Once upon a time there was a rock and roll band called Oasis. Oasis once made a song called "Roll With It," which, as cheesy and clichéd as this is going to sound, is actually kind of inspiring. The reason for this inspiration might seem obvious, but let's look at the reason nonetheless.

Fact No. 1: You are a college student. That means by default you have a lot on your plate. A harsh regimen of classes with a few extra hours of homework tacked on to boot. If that isn't enough, it's entirely likely you have a job somewhere that is eating up even more of your time and putting added stress on your shoulders. Factor in a thriving social agenda, like any good college student would have, and you've made a high-tension, high-stakes cocktail of life.

Fact No. 2: Life is now. They say that elementary school is preparation for middle school, middle school is preparation for high school, and high school is preparation for college. College is preparation for what? Life? Take a good look around: Your life is happening right now. It would be nice if college was just another form of preparation, but let's be honest, there's just too much going on. The game has already started and the clock is running.

Fact No. 3: There isn't a

written manual that tells us how to do this. You're never going to find a carefully laid out diagram that explains what a good life looks like and what you can do to achieve this mysterious goal. And, what is that achievement? Do you get a gold star to wear on your lapel with the words "Great Person?" The bare fact of the matter is, we don't know what a good life looks like, or how to lead one. If that doesn't creep you out just a little bit, I don't know what will.

So, with all this in mind, it's safe to say things can look pretty grim at times. You and everyone you know have got a tough life going for them. That's just how it is. Life is never as easy as you'd like it to be and you're always going to get tossed curve balls that you don't know what to do with. That's where the song comes into the equation. You just got to roll with it.

The whole thing sounds painstakingly clichéd, believe me I know, but some clichés exist for a reason. The sun is going to keep coming up every morning, and you're going to keep waking every morning having to live your life. None of that changes when the chips are down or things are stacking up. The only way to get by is learning to deal with things as they come.

I know this one applies to someone out there: Suppose your

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## Please Try Again — Brad Keim





## COLLEGE

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girlfriend or boyfriend decides to dump you the night before a big test. You have to show up to that class and take the test. If you had a really bad night and you don't want to go to work early the next day, you have to just show up and make it happen. It's probably the advice everyone wants to hear the least, but it's the truth.

Now, for the benefit of everyone reading this article, I'm not standing on a literary pulpit trying to preach to you that I have all the right answers, and that in this article I am going to impart to you my wisdom. If I know anything in the world, it's that I don't know the "right answers" any more than anyone else. Anyone could have come to this exact same conclusion; I'm just trying to get people to think about what's going on around them.

We all get dealt the difficult hand once in a while, and I'm sure anyone could have just as easily have figured this out, but sometimes we need a wake-up call. Sometimes we need to have

someone grab us by the shoulders and give us a good shake and a rude awakening. Figuratively speaking, of course.

This is your wake-up call, world. Things are tough and they're just going to get tougher. What are you going to do about it? Quit? No chance. You're going to keep putting one foot in front of the other and get from here to there. You're going to show up and do the things you have to do. Nobody's coming to save you; you're here to save yourself.

All that said, you can take the advice, or you can call me crazy. Either way, it's something to think about. You never know, maybe all it takes is for someone to just go with the flow and roll with it.

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## Baez returns to SIUE

EUCELIA HILL  
NEWS STRINGER

Thirty years ago, a pregnant and barefoot Joan Baez walked to the middle of the Mississippi River Festival stage and sang her heart out.

For two hours, the crowd at SIUE's annual summer festival was transfixed by this woman, her guitar and her melodious cries

2005-06 Arts & Issues series. This is Baez's third visit to SIUE. She made her first appearance at the MRF in 1969.

Unlike her debut 36 years ago, where she sang under the Illinois sky, Baez's performance will be in the Meridian Ballroom of Morris University Center before approximately 700 people - a generous mix of baby boomers and students.

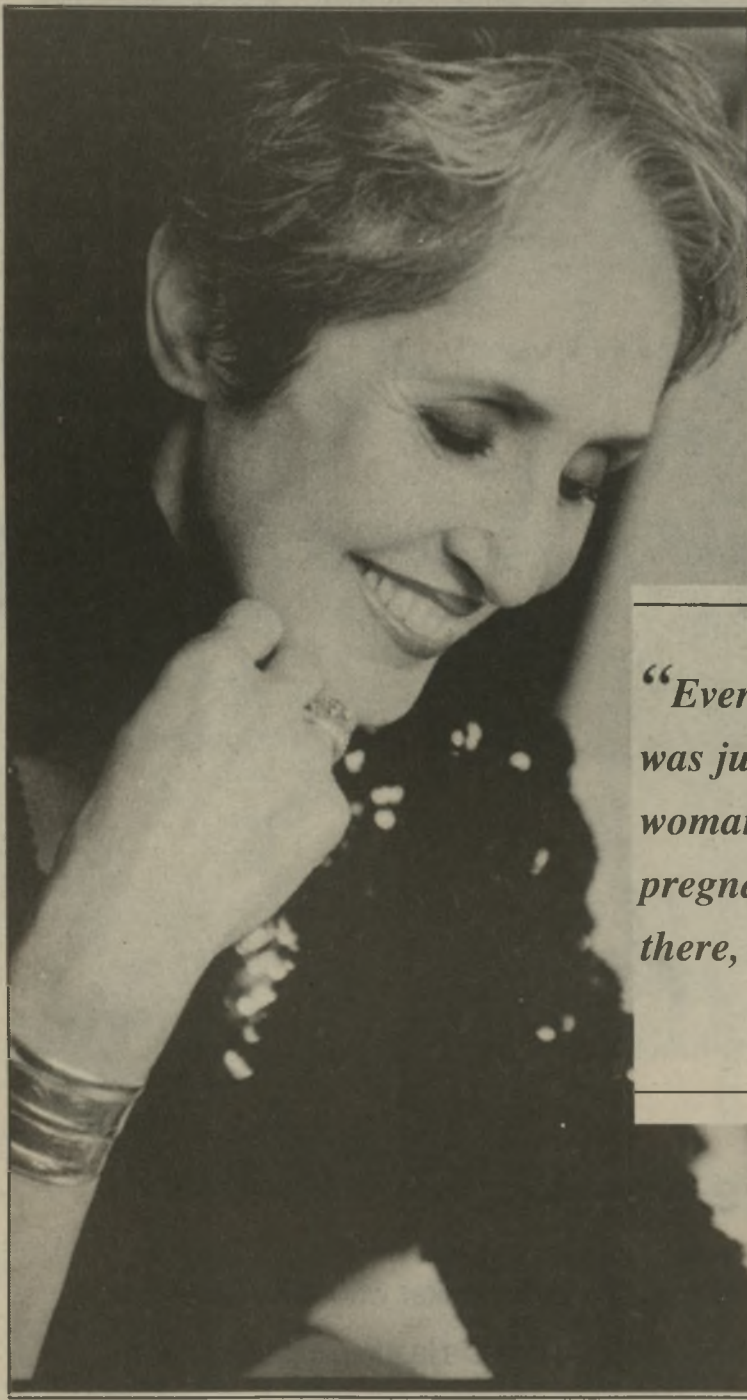
and he bought six tickets. He is bringing a carload," he said.

Baez's concert at SIUE is part of her regional tour where she is promoting her latest album, "Bowery Songs" - her first live album in 10 years. The album was recorded on the Saturday night after Election Day 2004 at New York City's Bowery Ballroom.

Armed with her guitar and a heart for the oppressed and downtrodden, she started her prolific career as a folk singer and social activist in 1959 in the formative stages of the Civil Rights Movement.

"She was among the singers who rejected the 'Hit Parade' and established a precedent whereby the music of a new generation became the conscience for an emerging era of social activism," her official online biography states.

Throughout her illustrious career, Baez has crisscrossed the



Joan Baez

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*"Everyone in the audience was just bowled over at this woman who was obviously pregnant and was standing there, singing."*

~John Peecher  
Arts & Issues Coordinator

globe - her guitar, her "gun" and her voice, the "ammunition." Her music is strongly influenced by the legendary Bob Dylan, and many of her albums are peppered with his music.

She has received numerous awards for her music and her social activism.

In 1963, Baez sang on the steps of Lincoln Memorial at Martin Luther King Jr.'s March on Washington. She was at Woodstock in 1969 and years later, in 2003, she sang at the Concert for a Landmine Free World.

Baez is famous for songs like "Forever Young," "The Night They Drove Old Dixie Down" and "Diamonds and Rust."

"I think it is going to be a wonderful evening of listening to a singer that an enormous number of people have loved for 45 years," Peecher said.

## Homecoming royalty offers words of advice

*The departing Homecoming king and queen weigh in on their reign and offer ideas to this year's royalty*

THOMAS PHILLIPS III  
LIFESTYLES STRINGER

This year's homecoming court may do well to take a detour from 'Route 66' to visit the royal couple from Homecoming 2004. Last year, Larry Brown and Lee Ann Lomax claimed the title of SIUE Homecoming king and queen.

A year later, both took time to reflect on their time spent as royalty in Edwardsville.

Lomax, who is currently pursuing a master's degree at SIUE, gave her reasons for running last year.

"I felt that I represented a lot of attributes that a homecoming queen should have," said Lomax. "I've been involved in a lot of diverse organizations, such as the Gospel Choir and Black Student Union, and participated in such events as India Night and several other campus events. I try to go outside my comfort zone when it comes to doing things."

"One of the main reasons I ran is because I wanted a chance to represent the entire student body at SIUE," said Brown, who is scheduled to graduate in 2006 with a degree in music performance. "And it seemed like a great opportunity."

When the votes were in and results made official, Brown and Lomax turned up at Casino Night during the Homecoming festivities to participate.

"After myself and Larry were announced as king and queen, we made it a point to show up to events during Homecoming, and on occasion, a few events here and there where we would wear the crown," said Lomax. "We just wanted to represent and show our pride in the title."

Both Brown and Lomax noticed no real change in the way that students and faculty acted with them after Homecoming weekend.

"(I didn't really) notice a difference, because people already knew me," said Brown. "I'm sure everybody was aware of it."

"Honestly, I didn't really notice a change in how people reacted with me," said Lomax.

"Some people were more positive for me, and some remained completely normal with it."

The two were less than thrilled about the level of publicity following the event, as it appeared that Homecoming advertising overall and announcement of the winning couple were less than stellar, according to Brown.

"We both thought that Homecoming King and Queen should have been a bigger deal," said Brown. "Or at least been in the paper last year." Lomax echoed Brown's sentiments.

"We didn't get much publicity after we won," said Lomax. "And it really shouldn't be like that. I hope that this year, the winners and the court get a lot more light."

Both Brown and Lomax have goals for the future of the Homecoming Court, with both being involved in the selection of this year's court.

"I'd like to see if I could get a scholarship going for the winners of the Homecoming Court, or at least, the king and the queen," said Lomax. "\$500 for each would be decent."

As for words of advice for the next royal pair, both have different viewpoints.

"My advice to this year's court is to get out there, be diverse, and represent SIUE to the fullest," said Brown.

"Take it as an opportunity to get yourself known," said Lomax. "And also, to gain support for not just athletics, but other events throughout the year."



for peace.

Amidst the crowd that day stood a young John Peecher, now coordinator of the Arts & Issues series.

"Everyone in the audience was just bowled over at this woman who was obviously pregnant and was standing there, singing," Peecher said.

On Saturday night, this legendary American folk singer and songwriter comes back to SIUE as the second event of the

The event is already sold out, with only a limited number of free student tickets available through Friday.

Although "quite a few tickets were sold to students," Peecher acknowledged that Baez was best known among baby boomers.

"We sold a lot of tickets to staff and faculty, and then a number of tickets to people around the region. A gentleman is driving up from Paducah, Ky.,



## Students sleep in Quad to raise awareness

EMILY REUTEBUCH  
NEWS STRINGER

Bluff Hall Council is giving students a chance to experience homelessness Thursday.

Box City Chair Kimberly Triefenbach said the event was created to "inform the students of homelessness awareness."

According to Triefenbach, the event will take place from 8 p.m. Thursday until 8 a.m. Friday on the Stratton Quadrangle. To receive the night's food and a box for shelter, a donation of \$3 or two canned goods must be made.

Last year, the first Box City was held in November near Bluff Hall.

"We tried to have it in November last year because that's when National Homeless Awareness Week is, but it was too cold," Box City Co-Chair Adam Pallai said. "We chose October this year so the weather would be warmer and hopefully more people would be willing to attend."

Despite last year's chilly weather, Box City had more than 100 students in attendance, with 40 staying in their boxes the entire night.

Bluff Hall Council also

suggests that everyone collect pledges and donations for the amount of time he or she stays on the quad. All proceeds will go to the Metro East Weather Crisis Task Force.

"Our goal is to reach \$1,000," Triefenbach said.

The \$1,000 goal is not the only goal for the event.

If Bluff Hall Council collects \$250 from faculty and staff, the Vice Chancellor of

include a guest speaker and live music. Throughout the night, food will be provided.

In addition, door prizes will be given. The larger prizes will be awarded at the end of the event as an incentive to stay the entire time.

Pallai said his favorite part of Box City last year was the guest speaker on homelessness.

"It was an eye-opener for everyone," Pallai said. "You don't realize how much you have until you see what little others have."

Bluff Hall Council requests that anyone planning to attend sign up on sheets located at the front desks of the Kimmel Leadership Center, the Central Housing Office and the residence halls.

"If you don't sign up or have any donations, it's okay," Pallai said. "Everyone is welcome. You can even come in late. Just pay your \$3 or contribute two canned goods."

Any faculty member that wishes to contribute should contact Student Government Vice President Nikki Grashoff at ngrasho@siue.edu. Donations will be accepted through Thursday.

For more information on Box City, contact Triefenbach at ktiefe@siue.edu or Pallai at apallai@siue.edu.

**"You don't realize how much you have until you see what little others have."**

~Adam Pallai  
Box City Co-chair

Student Affairs Narbeth Emmanuel and Student Body President Cindy Holesko will participate in the event.

Participants will be allowed to bring sleeping bags, pillows, blankets and any other necessities needed to withstand weather conditions. However, technology use will not be permitted.

Cell phones, laptops, radios, and electronic organizers will be confiscated if they are found and returned at the conclusion of the program.

Activities for the night

## Climb rock wall at festival

KEVIN DEADMOND  
NEWS STRINGER

SIUE Campus Recreation is hosting a free Climbing Festival from 4 to 9 p.m. Friday in the Vadalabene Center's climbing gym.

Campus Recreation decided to put on this event to promote the rock wall and just "to change it up a little," as Dave Richey, a climbing gym staff member, put it.

The festival is open to students, staff members, alumni and faculty members of all ages. Family members of those campus community members are also welcome.

"(You can participate) as long as you can fit into one of our harnesses, which makes about three or four years old the limit," Richey said. "We actually had a 4-year-old climb one time."

According to Richey, the

event is free and no safety course is required.

"Just show up," Richey added.

The Climbing Festival will include events like Twister Bouldering, Blindfold Climbing, Speed Climbing and more.

"(The event is good to participate in) because it's fun, it's an unconventional workout, it builds confidence and it helps improve balance and technique," he said.

The wall is always free for students to climb.

In addition, there is a climbing club for students to join for a \$15 fee. The club provides gear and opportunities to go on climbing trips.

For more information about the Climbing Festival, the rock climbing club, or the climbing gym, call 650-3235 or visit their Web site at [siue.edu/CREC/climbinggym/specialprograms](http://siue.edu/CREC/climbinggym/specialprograms).

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# The little civilian who could trucks on through the cold

STEVE BRITT  
NEWS REPORTER

The little-civilian-who-could staggered along this week with the Army ROTC.

Let me preface this article by noting I am still sore. It has been four days since I decided to suit up and "ruck run" with the Army cadets practicing for the Ranger Challenge. Previous intentions were cut short by my subconscious desire to sleep.

Friday morning, I donned my uniform, beneath which I had secretly added layers to protect against the 40-degree temperatures. I didn't want the other cadets to know how much of a pansy I was against the cold.

My rucksack was lightly packed with a helmet and towel. The other ten or so guys' packs bulged with equipment that seemed to throw them off balance. Masculine pride took over and I thought, "If they can do it, I should do it."

I returned to my Jeep and loaded a toolbox into my rucksack. This would prove to be a grave error.

The group began jogging around the rear of the fitness center and I followed, clanging along as my wrenches and hammer clinked together in the metal toolbox.



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**Reporter Steve Britt (second from left) prepares to practice a two-man buddy rush with members of the 2nd Platoon.**

Shortly after the outset, I fell behind and cursed every step I took as the tools jangled louder, seemingly out of spite. The group ran slower, offering encouragement, as we traversed the bike paths and cross country course.

Wild deer take advantage of slow cadets I was told. Alarmed, I sped up and scanned the foliage.

We hit Poag Road and walked in single file for safety. A squish was heard up the line, followed by an expletive. Another squish, a little closer.

Cadet Nick Toney announced he stepped in something. Surely it wasn't daisies. The smell was overwhelming and I wished I had the physical capacity to be at the front of the line instead of the back.

My slow jogging pace was clearly a detriment to their training, and I managed to convince Cadet Andrew Stevens, most unwillingly, to carry on without me. The rucksack was digging into my hips and my shoulders protested each shift of weight.

Cadet Adam Westbrooke stayed behind and walked with me. He served as a drill sergeant prior to ROTC and his encouragement was useful. Common sense dictated I do as he asked, because a leisurely stroll at 5:30 in the morning with an angry, yelling drill sergeant could be dangerous.

By the end of the run, I had stripped off every layer I could remove while still walking. My uniform was drenched with sweat and I lurched, boot in front of boot, through the cold morning air. I managed to meet up with

the group at the fitness center, wheezing, cursing and clanking.

Our lab for the week was based on conducting reconnaissance patrols. Once again we were issued fake rifles and I resumed my "pew, pew" noises. This time, I did in fact hear other cadets doing the same.

I was picked to be Op-For (opposing forces), given a football and told to go wait. No one would play catch with me, so I wound up being the lone enemy wandering around tossing the pigskin to myself. Upon my return, Cadet Toney informed me that my erratic behavior got me neutralized.

"I got you right in the face, Britt," Toney exclaimed with a distinct note of sarcasm.

On the next event, however, the Op-For got revenge. Cadet Zachary Deetz led a squad of five in an L-shaped ambush through foliage and green smoke. I am proud to say, I too was part of the operation that decimated the surprised patrolling ROTC forces. Plenty of "bang, bangs" were exchanged, but in the end we got them first. And like the child I am, I made sure to announce it to every cadet within earshot.

"Dude, I totally got you first." More to come from the little-civilian-who-could as I get issued dog tags and prep a military brief.

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# Cougars foot the slick kick

*Seven-game winning streak propels SIUE to top of heap*



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**SIUE junior Victor Pacheco flicks a shot past a University of Wisconsin-Parkside defender as senior Pete Cacciatore watches from behind. Pacheco scored the game-winning goal against the Rangers.**

JANELLE DOBSON  
SPORTS REPORTER

The No. 2-ranked SIUE men's soccer team maintained its winning streak in the conference to 30 games by winning both of its home contests this weekend against annual rivals Lewis University and the University of Wisconsin-Parkside.

"I must admit, that's a long run of success that is not found often in a very competitive conference like ours," SIUE Men's Soccer Head Coach Ed Huneke said. "It's a reflection of

the quality of players we've had here the past 3 or 4 years."

SIUE has not tasted defeat since it suffered a season-opening loss to Christian Brothers University on Aug. 25.

The Cougars opened the weekend on Friday night by shutting the Lewis Flyers out 3-0.

The game remained scoreless until the 48th minute when junior defender Trevor House converted his second goal of the season off a pass from senior co-captain Brian Higgins.

The team did not let up and was able to add to its lead less

than three minutes later when junior Victor Pacheco received a pass from fellow junior Mike Banner on the right side of the box.

Pacheco took a touch and then beat the keeper with a left-footed shot to the far post.

The Cougars were able to extend their lead in the 74th minute when sophomore Ross Beveridge assisted junior Ameen Attas' first goal of the season.

Sunday's game held a little bit more weight since it was for first place in the Great Lakes Valley Conference, and,

according to Huneke, the winner would also have an edge in hosting post-season play.

The 11<sup>th</sup>-ranked Wisconsin Parkside Rangers came into the game with an identical record to the Cougars — 10-1-1 — and were on SIUE's heels in the conference and Great Lakes region.

SIUE came out in the first half playing stingy defense.

The Cougars did not allow a shot on goal in the first 45 minutes of play.

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## SPORTS EVENTS

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20

### Pep Rally

6:30 p.m.

Woodland Bowl

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21

### Homecoming Soccer Game vs. University of Missouri St. Louis

5:30 p.m. — Women's

7:30 p.m. — Men's

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### Soccer Alumni Social/Ice Breaker

8 p.m.

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### Soccer Alumni Reception

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

### SimmonsCooper Stadium Dedication

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### Baseball Alumni Game

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SimmonsCooper Baseball Complex

### Softball Alumni Game

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Cougar Softball Field

### Athletics Hall of Fame Banquet

6:30 p.m.

Vadalabene Center  
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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23

### Athletics Alumni Nine Hole Golf Challenge

9 a.m.

The Woodlands Golf Club

### SIUE Men's Soccer vs. Quincy College

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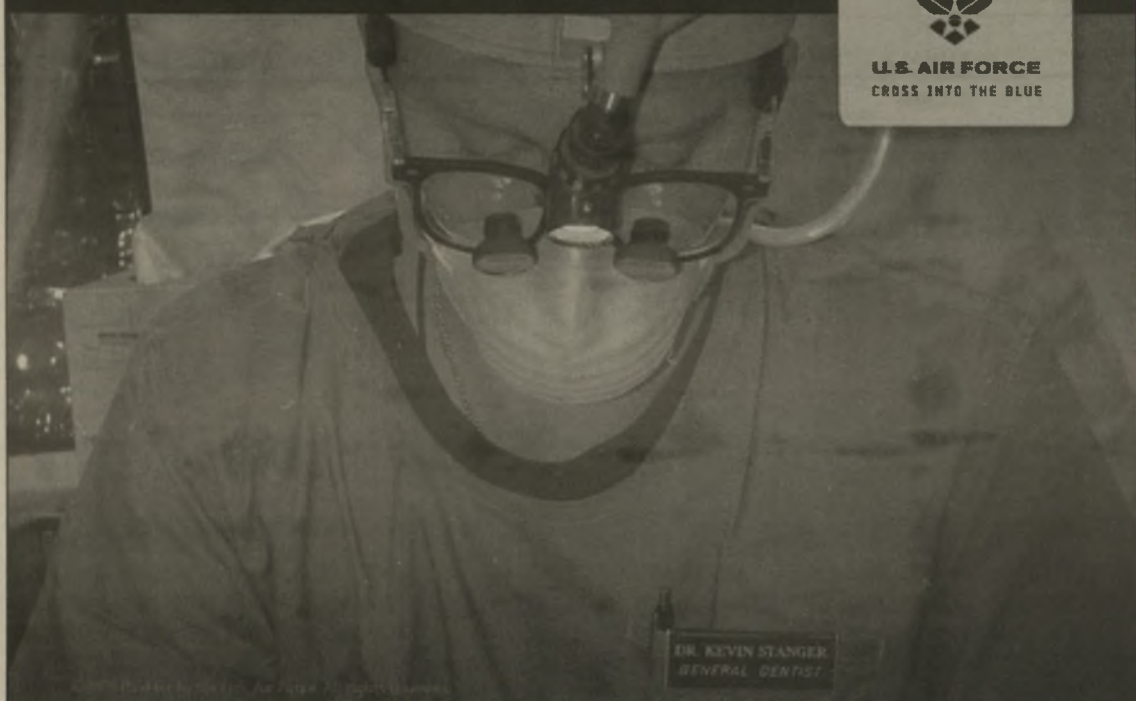
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## SIUE's cross country meet brings men top-five finish



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**SIUE sophomore Brian Getz (524) turns the corner at the Illinois/Missouri Border Wars during the weekend. Getz and the Cougars finished the event with 195 total team points.**

MALLORY HENSLEY  
SPORTS STRINGER

The SIUE men's and women's cross-country teams hosted the Illinois/Missouri Border Wars Saturday.

Twenty-two men's teams and 26 women's teams battled to win the championship.

The men's team added yet another top-five finish, making it the fifth consecutive match that the team has done well.

The men competed in an 8,000-meter race on their own course.

SIUE senior and team captain Brian Taghon and sophomore Erik Steffens continue to lead the Cougar pack.

Taghon, who came in at 25 minutes, 23 seconds, placed third overall. He has won two races so far this year.

"I think I'm finally getting into good shape, and I think the coach's workouts are starting to take effect," Taghon said. "After Border Wars, I've got a lot more confidence, so sky's the limit."

Steffens crossed the finish line at 26:04 to earn himself 15th place.

Five other SIUE runners placed in the top 100. Freshmen Kyle Cameron and Marty Copeland, sophomore Brian Getz and juniors Josh Bozue and Justin Crain all contributed for the team.

"I think our three, four, five guys did a good job," Taghon said, adding that he believes they are capable of stronger performances.

The women's team, which is full of young talent, continued to struggle at the weekend event.

Seven of the 11 members of the women's team are freshmen.

The team placed 13th in the 5,000 meters, with an average time of 20:49.97.

The only senior for SIUE, Heather Zipparro, was the best performer for the Cougar women.

Zipparro came in 58th with a time of 19:54.

Freshman Michelle Meador was right on her tail, finishing at 20:22, to take 83rd place.

Both the men's and women's teams will travel to Decatur this weekend to take on rivals in the Millikin Invitational. The tournament begins at 4 p.m. Friday.

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## Tailgate to support the team

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Get in on the pre-game action at the SIUE Football Club's tailgate party from 4 to 6:15 p.m. Saturday in the Korte Stadium parking lot.

The team will face the Central Illinois Cougars, a semiprofessional team, at Bunker Hill High School for its first game.

The players will be warming up during the tailgate part. Free hotdogs, soda, foam fingers and face painting will be available to students.

"It's kind of like a pep rally," Student Body Vice President Nikki Grashoff said. "We're hoping to get a lot of people to come out who want to support the football club."

After the party, students can ride a free bus to the game. Sign-up sheets for the bus are available in the Kimmel Leadership Center. As of Wednesday, about eight spots remained.

"People should come out and show their support for the club football team," Grashoff added. "It'll be a good time."



## Men's golf team takes second place in Rivermen Invitational tourney

CASEY BIDDINGER  
SPORTS STRINGER

After a 10-year drought, the SIUE men's golf team has emerged back onto the Great Lakes Valley Conference golf scene like it never missed a beat.

The Cougars finished their season by placing second out of 11 teams in the Rivermen Invitational.

The men competed in the two-day tournament Oct. 10 and 11 at the Winghaven golf course in O'Fallon, Mo.

SIUE junior Kyle Gansauer led the team shooting 75 on the first day and 69 on the second day, giving SIUE Head Coach Mark Marcuzzo a reason to be excited.

"Gansauer played a solid tournament, he hit most of his greens in regulation and putt well," Marcuzzo said.

After Gansauer were fellow juniors Craig Heinzmann, who finished with a two-day total of 146, and Kyle Lickenbrock, who notched scores of 77 and 73.

"These three guys seemed to always post good scores all season long," Marcuzzo said. Rounding out the team were freshman Matt Lehl with 75 and 77 and junior Ryan Coughlin with 86 and 74.

"The entire team played great," Marcuzzo said. "They were able to get their tee shots in good position for their second shot."

The Cougars shot a team score of 286 the second day, which is one of the lowest tournament scores on record for the men's golf team.

The Cougars beat all competitors to qualify for a possible bid to the super regional in the spring.

Marcuzzo said this



KATIE GROTH/ALESTLE  
**SIUE junior Kyle Gansauer displays his gentle side with a soft putt on the greens. Gansauer led the Cougars over the weekend.**

tournament was a good way to end the fall season and give the players confidence going into the spring season, which will begin Feb. 15, 2006.

"I am extremely proud of the effort today and the entire

fall season," Marcuzzo said. "The guys worked extremely hard on their games and it paid off in the tournaments. It's nice to see they can be competitive in every match they play in."

## MEN'S SOCCER

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In the 13th minute, Pacheco scored the only goal of the game for SIUE, netting his second of the weekend.

"Victor's had a very good year," Huneke said. "His restart shot is something we've come to expect and when they are game-winners they're even more meaningful."

After a foul was called outside of the Ranger's box, Pacheco converted a free kick to

the far post and gave the Cougars a 1-0 lead.

SIUE was able to maintain the lead and held on for a very important victory.

Sophomore goalkeeper Nick Frasca posted two shutouts over the weekend, giving the Cougars eight for the season.

This weekend leaves the team two games clear of the Rangers in the conference, with five regular season games left on

the schedule.

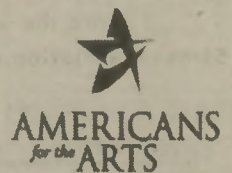
The Cougars travel to play Northern Kentucky University at 7:30 p.m. Friday night in Wilder, Ky., before heading to Louisville, Ky., to take on Bellarmine University Sunday afternoon.

"Both of these teams have had nice wins over top-ranked teams, so we have to respect them," Huneke said. "They're inconsistent, but we have to make sure they don't surprise us."

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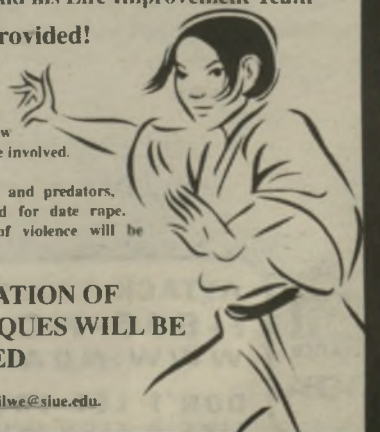
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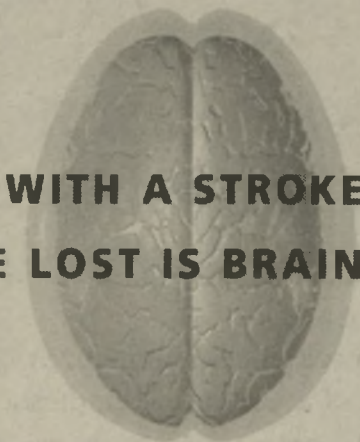
**HANDS-ON APPLICATION OF  
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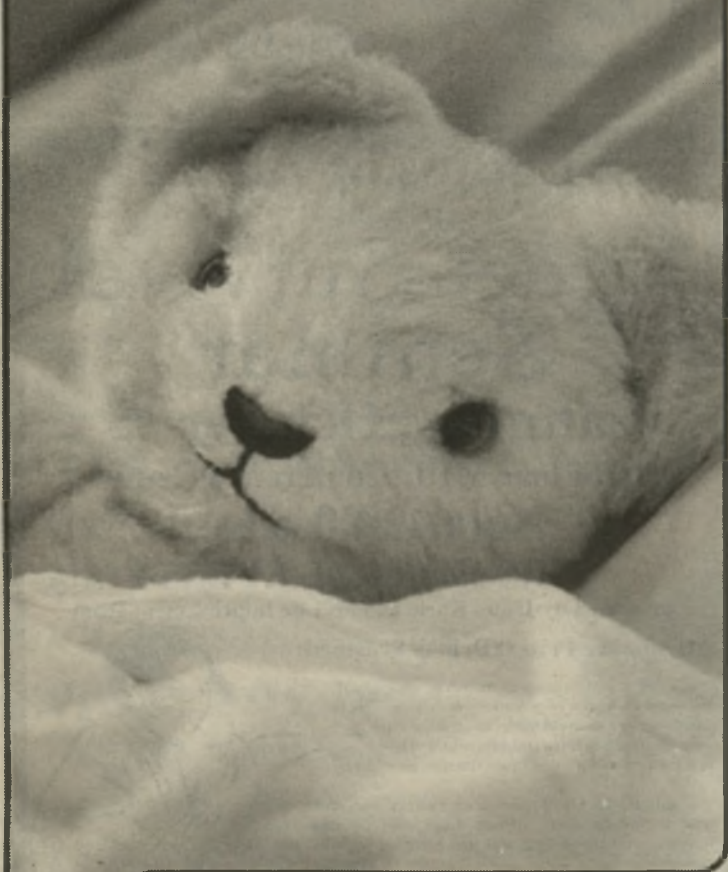
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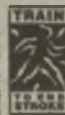
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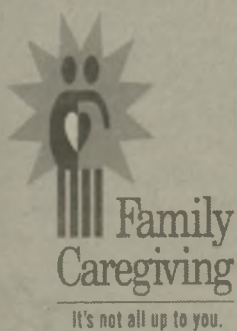
## PERSONALS

**Congratulations to Sig Ep** for raising \$2000 for Hurricane Relief and to Ralph for AKA brother of the week. 10/13/05

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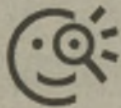
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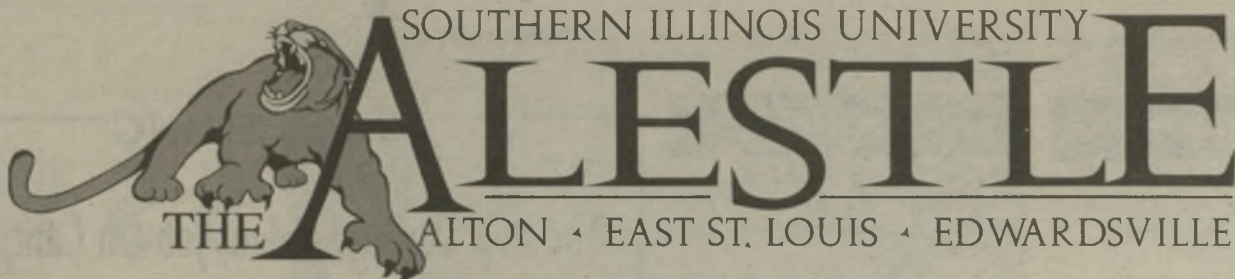
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