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### **Student Success Center construction**



Construction workers are at the site of the Student Success Center, located behind the Morris University Center. The building is expected to be completed in May 2009 and will house Health Services, Academic Advising, International Student Services, Counseling Services, Career Development Center, Student Opportunities for Academic Results and an expansion to the Kimmel Leadership Center.

# Viewing of Palin, Biden debate in Goshen Lounge to prepare voters

Debate to take place at Washington University Thursday

by Sydney Elliot Alestle A&E Editor

Less than a week after the presidential debate between Democratic candidate Sen. Barack Obama and Republican candidate Sen. John McCain, the vice presidential nominees will go head to head in their own debate Thursday.

The nominees Alaska Gov. Biden of Delaware will be at Washington University in St. Louis.

Leadership Center.

In an effort to better prepare voters for the November election, the departments of social work, sociology and criminal justice and political science will host a viewing of the vice presidential debate from 7 to 10 p.m. Thursday in the Morris University Center's Goshen Lounge, according to Matthew Matheny, graduate assistant in the Kimmel

Matheny is part of Raise Your

Voice, a program developed by members of the Kimmel Leadership Center, a group of volunteers who help register students and members of the SIUE community to vote. Raise Your Voice will also cosponsor the viewing.

originally volunteered with Raise

"Making a blind vote is a bad presidential decision because you don't know major Jamie Doss of Sarah Palin and Sen. Joe if that person agrees with what you agree on."

-Joey Hogan, freshman

Your Voice as part of a project for an economy class, though he said he now enjoys it.

Hogan said he intends to plan the viewing of the debate Thursday and said it is important for voters to attend as well.

"Basically (people) need to know what's going on," Hogan said. "They need to see what both parties are planning on doing and what they

aren't going to do."

Before the debate begins, Matheny said faculty from the hosting departments will lead a discussion on what to look for during the debate.

"(The discussion will cover) Freshman Joey Hogan of Alton things to look for and how to interpret the debate and how to put

politics aside and (listen for the issues)," Matheny said.

Senior psychology Belleville vote at SIUE about two years ago. Since then, she said there has been a dramatic increase in people registering to vote.

Doss attributes the increase in voter registration to the economy and stars on TV pushing people to

Although Doss said she doesn't intend to watch the debate at SIUE, she said having an event to show and discuss the debate could be beneficial

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# Senate fills one of two empty positions

by Allan Lewis Alestle Reporter

Junior political science major Barrett Feltmeier made his way to the podium at the Student Government meeting Friday and soon after took his seat on the Senate, filling one of two empty slots.

With the impeachment of former senators Ryan Watson and Natalie Butler Sep. 12, the student body president, vice president and external affairs chair have been conducting interviews with candidates to fill the positions in the weeks leading up to the meeting.

Watson was impeached on charges of violating Articles I and III of the Student Government Constitution, and Butler was also impeached for violation of Article III.

Article III of the constitution states that all senators must attend a mandatory training session sponsored by Student Government, a trip to Potosi, Mo., which Watson and Butler failed to attend.

The second charge against Watson dealt with failing to "encourage students to exemplify qualities of responsible citizenship" and failing to "function cooperatively with other constituent bodies to achieve the mission and purpose of the university," as written in the constitution.

"Throughout the interview process there are different people that strike your interest," Student Body Vice President Bryan Kress said. "We were very impressed with Barrett and his experiences.'

Feltmeier was previously involved with Springboard to Success, SIUE's freshman orientation program, and said his interest in Student Government

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## Ameren rate increase causes monthly fees to rise, students react

by Leo Brown Alestle Correspondent

Students paying utilities will notice a slight spike in their upcoming Ameren electric bills after the Illinois Commerce Commission unanimously approved a \$162 million rate increase Wednesday.

Ameren IP spokesman Leigh Morris said Ameren originally proposed a \$247 million increase in November 2007, which was renegotiated to \$207 million annually. Morris said this was the first rate increase in over a decade.

"Ameren has been subject to a 10 year rate freeze that expired at the end of 2007, but has not had a rate increase in 15 years," Morris said.

According to Morris, on average, each Ameren customer will experience an increase of \$7 to \$15 per month for customers who use electricity only, and \$4 to \$9 for gas users.

Morris said the increase was needed for reliability improvements, which account for approximately 30 percent of the monthly utility costs.

"The rate increase does not reflect an increase in the cost of gas or electricity, but rather the cost to deliver the services," Morris said. "What we pay is what we provide, nothing more, nothing less."

Freshman geography major Kevin Brake of Granite City said he has already made lifestyle adjustments to afford his cost of living while attending

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# Police Reports

#### 9-24

Police issued Stephanie M. Aagaard a citation for speeding on South University Drive.

Police issued Rachel E. Matthews a citation for speeding on South University Drive.

Police took a report from a student who said her hangtag had been stolen from her vehicle.

#### 9-25

Police met with a male student who said his iPhone had been stolen while he was playing basketball.

Police met with a housing maintenance worker who said someone had cut the cable holding bicycles at the housing maintenance shed.

Police met with an Information Technology Services employee about a stolen computer from the Cougar Village Commons building.

Police responded to Prairie Hall because of an active fire alarm. A microwave caused smoking, but no fire.

Police met with a student whose rear license plate was stolen from Lot 10.

Police issued Denise L. Piskulic a citation for the operation of an uninsured motor vehicle on South University Drive.

#### 9-27

William J. Howard was arrested in connection with domestic battery at Cougar Village apartment 404.

Howard's girlfriend had called the police saying Howard was drunk and had pushed her into a wall. Howard was processed and transported to Madison County Jail.

Alex J. Hoffman, Stephen J. Noeth, Sarah L. Kafka, Rachel M. Bussie and Bryan P. Mock were arrested in connection with unlawful consumption of alcohol by a minor after police broke up a loud party at Cougar Village apartment 511. All were processed, given notices to appear and released.

Joshua T. Wilhelmi was arrested in connection with unlawful consumption of alcohol by a minor at Woodland Hall. Wilhelmi was processed, given a notice to appear and released.

Police issued Khamaree D. Karim a citation for speeding on North University Drive.

#### 9-28

Bryan J. Bell, Jillian K. Kellenberger and Amy L. Miller were arrested in connection with illegal consumption of alcohol by a minor in the Woodland Hall Lot. All were processed, given notices to appear and released.

Police took a report about a cell phone stolen during a football game near the Rec Plex.

Kyle Aschemann was arrested in connection with criminal damage to government supported property at Cougar Village apartment 511. Aschemann was processed, given a notice to appear and released.

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was sparked through regularly attending meetings.

"Barrett will add another perspective to our Senate group," Kress said.

During his address, Feltmeier told the Senate he would bring dedication, charisma and approachability to the position.

"I want to be an example to the rest of our students," Feltmeier said. "I am open to new ideas and feel everyone deserves a chance."

The Senate approved the nomination of Feltmeier to the position and instated him with a vote of acclamation.

Kress said the executive board has a nominee in mind for the second position, which should be voted on at the Oct. 10 meeting.

The meeting Friday also featured an appearance from Chancellor Vaughn Vandegrift, who updated the Senate the university's continuing growth through different aspects, including enrollment and construction.

Vandegrift said the freshmen class of 2012 brought total enrollment at SIUE to around 13,600 and added more than 1,000 full-time students.

"This year, all of the residence halls are virtually full," Vandegrift said. "I hope you all know that we are a hot school, and I credit this to the students as our greatest ambassadors."

With SIUE on the rise, Vandegrift said the university is working to hold more events on weekends to keep students on campus, and create a more welcoming campus experience for students.

"We need this to be a 12 month campus and not a suitcase campus in order to significantly add to the university life," Vandegrift said. "Your time here should be fulfilling."

Vandegrift said the university will continue to grow and to be recognized in its own right.

"We have a plan and we know where we are

going," Vandegrift said. "We will be nationally recognized for what we do, not for being like (the University of Illinois) but for being SIUE."

Vandegrift said by the end of the fiscal year, the school will have completed nearly \$100 million in buildings and renovations.

"We are doing everything we can to make this university better," Vandegrift said. "We want our students to feel proud of this place."

The chancellor also provided some insight on the Cougars' move to Division I and the completion of the Vadalabene Center renovation, scheduled to be ready for use in October and fully complete in December.

"All of our fall sports have won against Division I opponents," Vandegrift said. "I hope now that we have made this decision, people will see it as a good thing and all throughout your adult life you can rally around SIUE sports as a unifying theme."

Three financial matters were included in Friday's agenda: a travel request for the SIUE Council for Exceptional Children to attend their annual fall convention, and program requests for A Cross Between and the Student Organization for Sustainability.

The Senate approved all three requests by acclamation; A Cross Between received \$4,429 for Butterball Bowling on November 12 in the Morris University Center, while SOS was allotted \$538 to show the film "What Would Jesus Buy?"

The Senate also approved seven personnel matters for committees within Student Government and went over goals and objectives for the semester.

The next Student Government meeting will take place Friday, Oct. 10 at 2 p.m. in Morris University Center's Goshen Lounge.

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Campus Activities Board



# Career fair helps students find employment More than 140 company reps offer advice, accept résumé

by Jeremy Clinton Alestle Reporter

Armed with resumes and decked out in professional attire, students will have the chance to break into the job market Wednesday with the first two career fairs of the year.

Students will have the opportunity to network and interview with more than 140 company vendors looking for soon-to-be graduates in the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Business and the School of Engineering.

This year the fairs will take place from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday for the College of Arts & Sciences and School of Business, and from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday for the School of Engineering.

In previous years, the career fair has been held in the SIUE basketball arena, but due to renovations of the Student Fitness Center, the events have been moved to the Morris University Center's Meridian Ballroom.

Director of the Career Development Center Jean Paterson said the main goal for students participating in these career fairs is to impress and hopefully land a job with a

the students to offer them the chance to be in a co-op, internship or full-time job after graduation," Paterson said. "It's basically a sale, but a student should bring a well prepared resume, be professionally dressed and be knowledgeable on the businesses they will be visiting."

Paterson said there are many different preparation tactics students could use before attending the career fair or a job

"One thing that businesses hate is when a student or potential candidate for hire asks, 'What do you do?" Paterson said. "Students should visit the Web site of who they are meeting to get a better understanding of what that company actually does."

Paterson said while document preparation and resume building is important, personal presentation is key.

"The first impression counts. It is what they will focus on and remember the most," Paterson said. "Then you have a minute to give a brief synopsis of yourself and hope that they like what they

With a list of more than 140 company, and preparation is vital. company vendors attending over The career fair is directed at the two day fair, students will have many chances to get their names and faces out to companies such as Ameren, AT&T, U.S. Steel and all branches of the military.

Junior medical science major Ony Nono of Hazelcrest said he has checked and re-checked his resume to make it as outstanding as he could for the event.

communications major Derrick Halpin of Pittsfield said he will attend the career fair because he is looking for a start in the job

"When I get out of college I want to find a job," Halpin said. "So, by going to the fair I hope to away with some suggestions, guidance and advice of where to go next."

For a complete list of companies attending the job fair, students should log onto Cougar Jobline on the Development Center's Web site www.siue.edu/careerdevelopmen

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to some people, but not beneficial to others.

"(It wouldn't be beneficial) to the majority of people who know who they plan to vote for regardless of what they watch," Doss said. "But I think it will (be beneficial) to some who don't have any idea. It might give them some insight into what the VP candidates have to offer."

After the debate airs Thursday, Matheny said anyone who watches it at SIUE or at home is welcome to attend a "Chat and Chew" event from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Friday in the Oak/Red Bud Rooms on the second floor of the MUC.

Matheny said the chair professors of the departments of social work, sociology and criminal justice and political science are expected to host a discussion on the debate during a luncheon.

Doss said a luncheon to discuss the debate could help those who don't know who they want to vote for, hear different opinions, but said it could create "chaos" if the luncheon were to turn into an argumentative debate instead of discussion.

Hogan said it was important for people to watch the debates and make an informed vote in

"Making a blind vote is a bad decision, because you don't know if that person agrees with what you agree on," Hogan said.

Doss said she urged people to vote on the

"If people don't know who they plan to vote for, they need to get on the Internet and do some research," Doss said.

Raise Your Voice is finishing up their registration drive this week on campus, though the organization will continue to register people to vote until Oct. 7, the last day to register.



Jessica Griffin/Philadelphia Daily News/MCT Republican vice presidential candidate Gov. Sarah Palin of Alaska speaks during a campaign rally with Republican presidential candidate Sen. John McCain on the steps of the Chester County

Courthouse, in Media, Pa., on Sept. 22.



Elizabeth Malby/Baltimore Sun/MCT Democratic vice presidential candidate Sen. Joe Biden addresses the annual conference of the **National Guard Association of the United States** in Baltimore, Md., on Sept. 23.



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Sean Roberts/Alestle

An Ameren IP employee works after a power outage in Cougar Village earlier this year. Ameren will increase its monthy fees for customers between \$7 to \$15 for electricity users and \$4 to \$9 for gas users.

"I can't imagine cutting back any more. I've already stopped driving," Brake said. "I catch the bus to school these days."

Freshman international business student Maggie Amburg said she and two other roommates will have a difficult time affording the higher living expenses.

Cuts costs.

Amburg resort to a were few of the state of the

"I've already made enough sacrifices as a fulltime student," Amburg said. "This will probably cut into my shopping money."

Amburg said the increase could also cause her to increase the number of hours at her parttime job.

Junior nursing major Elyse Mack of Collinsville said she does not think she will be too affected by the increase. She lives in a large apartment building and said the high number of units in the building makes electricity cheaper for all of its tenants.

"I'm only affected if I leave the lights on, or if I leave my computer or television on unattended," Mack said. "It's only then that I may see a \$2 to \$3 monthly increase."

Mack said she shares the bills with her roommate, which also cuts costs.

Amburg said she would resort to asking for help if there were few options left.

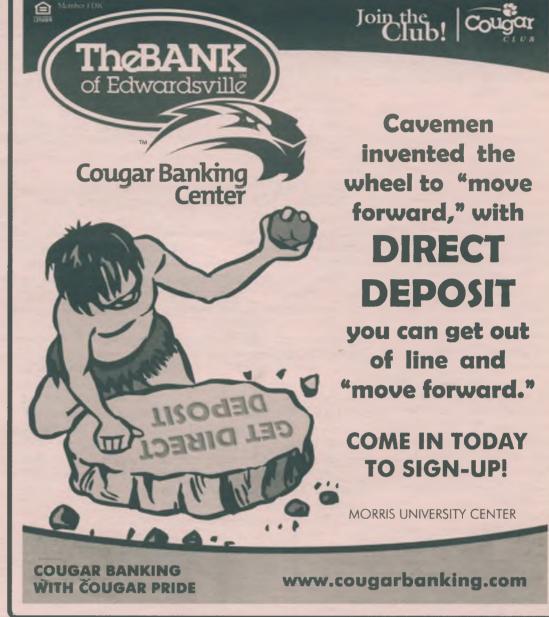
"I really don't want to, but if I have to call my parents if things become too difficult, I will," Amburg said.

Brake said he doesn't know what else he can do to cut additional costs while attending SIUE.

"I already live at home and share expenses with my mom," Brake said.

Morris said if customers want to know what kind of increases to expect, they should go to Ameren's Web site at www.ameren.com where a rate estimator will be available for customers to use, or they can call for more information.

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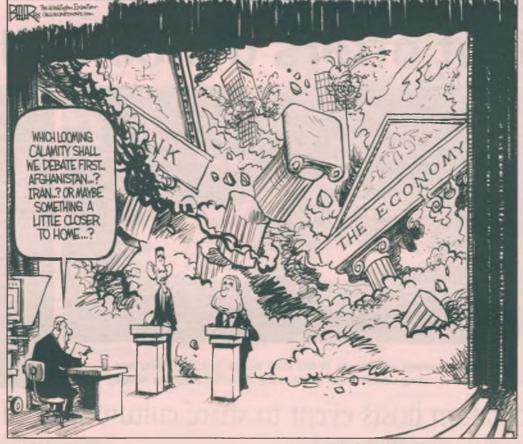
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# Athletics replace military in student development

Last Sunday marked the final day of the regular season for America's longest running professional sport: baseball. The game has been around long enough to have a team working on its 100th year without a

championship. But over that time a lot has changed.

Back in 1942, after the attack on Pearl Harbor, over 500 players left their teams to join the effort against Nazi Germany and its allies. Ted Williams, DiMaggio and 33 other eventual Hall of Fame players joined the armed forces during World War



Jeff Mason

No, this isn't some rant about today's athletes, but rather how things have changed.

The military is no longer the place to go like it was in the '40s. Out of my own high school class, I can count on one hand how many people went into one of the branches of the military. It's the reason why Army recruitment offices have begun to pop up all over the place, trying to scratch out every possible recruit they can.

The military's role as a place to learn organization, fitness and discipline has been replaced by sports. Sure, it doesn't always yield the desired results, but neither does the armed services.

Sports have given thousands upon thousands of talented athletes a chance to get an education they might not have. Sports scholarships offer some families that can't pay for their kid's college, even with financial aid, an alternative. How many athletes wouldn't have been able to attend a good school based only on their GPA, ACT and SAT scores alone? Sports allow these people a chance to

get organized and earn their education, despite mistakes they made in high school.

Student athletes at most schools have to face the same rigorous schedule and class list that the rest of us have with the added responsibility of being on a team. They have to cut out time dedicated to studying for practice and games. It forces them to adhere to a strict studying habit which translates to better organizational skills out of college.

Sports tend to get a bad rap for the way some athletes are treated with a second set of rules, but for most schools, the rules are the same. So next time you see a guy playing baseball, football, tennis or whatever sport he chose, remember that it's helping him get through college.

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# Making 2008 a year for activism among students at SIUE

This is your year.

On Sept. 20, my sorority, Alpha Upsilon Sigma chapter of Sigma Gamma Rho sorority, collaborated with a Kappa Alpha Psi fraternity alumni chapter to host a voter registration drive. During this event, I

approached a young lady. She appeared to be in her Letter mid-twenties, and I asked if she was a registered voter. to the She responded, "No."

As I attempted to Editor explain to her the

importance of this election and how it will affect her, her body language persistently implied she was not interested in registering. I continued to run down a list of issues that are important, such as high gas prices, childcare, social program funding, and, most

importantly, asserting her citizenship. Needless to say, the young lady eventually registered.

This example illustrates my concern for our generation dismissing the value of citizenship. Certainly, political participation is an important element of citizenship; however, educational opportunities, contributing to the improvement of community life and shunning ignorance of all kinds are valuable virtues of citizenship.

We are approaching another election where gas prices are soaring, companies are filing for bankruptcy, the real estate market is plummeting, student loan lenders are becoming pickier and who can afford health insurance? Don't for one frosty, freaking minute think this election will not affect you!

I know many of you think the political

system is a circus of clowns, donkeys and elephants, but at the end of the day, it is your right. A lot of people of different colors, creeds and religions have shed blood by being set on fire, beaten by clubs, attacked by dogs, hanged by trees and burned by water.

Although we are beneficiaries of these true citizens' toil and tarry, it gives us no right to disrespect it. So, we choose not to vote; therefore, we disrespect it.

Sadly, you cheat yourself when you ome silent. Why?

"Our lives end the day we become silent about things that matter." - Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

Amber Suggs Public Administration Graduate Student Paducah, Ky.

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# Dandia Night offers dance and culture

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SIUE Indian students participate in the stick dance (left and right) and a prayer circle (center) during Dandia Night 2008 in the Meridian Ballroom Sunday.



# Indian Student Association hosts event to share culture with SIUE community

by Ben McDonald Alestle Correspondent

Surrounded by a crowd of more than 200 people, participants in groups of about 20 gathered in the Morris University Center's Meridian Ballroom Sunday with sticks in hand to fill the room with the sounds of clapping as part of the traditional Indian dance of Dandia during the Indian Student Association's Dandia Night 2008.

The crowd was a mix of SIUE students, alumni and members of the SIUE community. ISA President Praveen Dodda said the turnout this year was good, though not as big as last year.

"Dandia is part of a larger nine day celebration called Navartri, which celebrates the goddess conquering evil," Dubey said. "Every night during Navartri is celebrated with dancing.'

Dandia Night is celebrated annually and brings back some SIUE alumni for the celebration. SIUE alumnus and former ISA President Latish Adnani said he has not missed a Dandia Night since he attended SIUE five years

Although Adnani, who flew in from New Jersey to attend the event, has not missed a Dandia celebration at SIUE, he said celebrations elsewhere are much larger.

"In New Jersey there can be about 20,000 to 30,000 people dancing," Adnani said. "In India the celebration is

over 100,000 people.30

Adnani said watching tens of thousands of people doing the same coordinated dance is "pretty amazing."

The Garba dance involves moving around a huge stage and clapping with the other hundreds of people on the dance floor in an energetic way. Dandia dancing includes rows of people clapping sticks together with the other dancers.

"It is really fun, but the Dandia is a group dance and all it takes is one person, and the entire order of the line is messed up and can break apart," Dubey said.

The celebration was broken up into four parts. The evening began with a brief prayer ceremony called Gayatri Mantram, followed by an hour-long session of Garba dancing. After this, there was a slight break with another prayer session called Aarthi.

Once the prayer session ended, traditional Indian food was served. The Dandia dance began after the food

International adviser Geet Vanaik said it is good to have events such as Dandia Night.

'Out of all of the international students that come to SIUE, 60 percent of them are Indian, and most come from southern India," Vanaik said. "Dandia is recognized everywhere but mainly celebrated in the northern and western parts of India.'

Because Dandia is new to many students, both

international and domestic, they had to learn the dance at the event.

Asok Dubey, an SIUE graduate and former ISA member, said the evening's events always happen in a specific order, and the Garba dance always precedes the

"When it is celebrated in India, the Garba begins at nine at night and goes straight to 12 where there is a short break for people to catch their breath," Dubey said. "Then the Dandia starts and goes until two in the morning."

Five hours of dancing may be exhausting for some, but Dubey said in India, the dancing could go much longer.

"That's nothing though, it used to go until four in the morning, but the government had to step in and remind people that there are people sleeping at that time," Dubey said.

SIUE's celebration only lasted until midnight, but was still intense enough to douse a person in sweat.

As another form of prayer, the night culminated in a large group forming in a circle around a table in the middle of the stage with the goddess' picture on it.

ISA's next event is International Night on Nov. 1. For more information about International Night go to www.isasiue.com.

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# Architecture tour and art auction is first for School of Education

by Brittany Zehr Alestle Correspondent

For the first time, the School of Education will host the Art & Architecture House Tour and Art Auction on Sunday.

Christina Donsbach, director of development and alumni relations for the School of Education, said the event will give viewers an opportunity to view both local architecture and local art.

"We haven't done a fundraiser for a couple of years," Donsbach said.

Donsbach said her goal is to draw a they prefer.

large crowd bringing students, faculty, alumni and community members together. All proceeds will fund scholarships for students in the School of Education for use in student teaching and clinical

The auction will begin at 1 p.m. with a tour of five homes in the Edwardsville area, as well as the new Goshen Arts Center and said he is excited about reception. Elementary School and Villa Marie donating his own art. Winery in Maryville. The house tour is loosely structured, allowing participants to view the houses when and in what order

auction will begin at the Edwardsville Arts Center. The event should end around 5:30

Retired SIUE professor Dan Anderson will assist with the auction. said he has volunteered at the Edwardsville

his wife's glass art, will appear in the silent be able to sample wine from local vintners auction. Anderson said anything to do with education is a great thing, and he

At 3 p.m. the reception and art likes that the proceeds will go to a scholarship fund.

> Around 15 pieces have been donated to the cause so far, all from prominent

The Edwardsville Arts Center played Since he left SIUE 32 years ago, Anderson a significant role in finding the artists and are also donating their facilities for the

Participants will receive Some of his ceramic art, along with commemorative event wine glass and will

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10 a.m. to 2 p.m **MUC Meridian** Ballroom

#### Self-Defense **Awareness Night** 4 to 6 p.m. Vadalabene Center Group Activities Room

#### **Thursday Career Fair School** of Engineering 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. **MUC Meridian**

**Buckcherry** 7 p.m. Pop's \$25

Ballroom

### **Friday** Hey Nightmare, **Beyond Regret,** Circa, Your Mom's and The Window

6 p.m. Creepy Crawl \$7 to \$10

# Saturday

**Abondoned Cars** 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Subterranean Books through Nov. 9 (314) 862-6100

#### **What Came Before** 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sheldon Art Gallery through Dec. 6

### Sunday **Meal and Music** 6 to 8 p.m.

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# Monday

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# Country singer to perform Tuesday

by Soni Kumar Alestle Reporter

Campus Activity Board's Live Wire Concert Series will rock the campus Tuesday, Oct. 7 with country singer and musician Zane Williams.

Williams, from Nashville, Tenn., will perform live from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Morris University Center's Goshen Lounge.

According to Campus Activity Board's concert chair Jessica Schuette, the Live Wire concert recruits performers and musicians to come and play for an hour in the Goshen Lounge or in the Stratton

Schuette said she personally enjoyed Williams music and looks forward to something different.

"We haven't had a country singer in a long time and he's really good too, and I really like his music a lot," Schuette said.

CAB attempts to bring a variety of musicians to campus because of the wide variety of diverse students at SIUE.

Graduate student Kristin Hoover, CAB's graduate adviser for concert entertainment and homecoming, said CAB recruits musicians who play all types of music.

"We try to get a variety for all students such as acoustic, rock, country, R&B and rap. (We) try to hit a bulk of students because we are not for just aiming for one group of students," Hoover said.

Schuette said CAB recruits musicians from agencies as well as some local musicians.

"Sometimes we browse Myspace and look for musicians," Schuette said. "Sometimes we use SIUE students, too."

Hoover said CAB books all the artists a semester in advance. They usually don't have the same musician play twice in one

"If we really want them in the same year, it depends how well students like them," Hoover said. "We pass out surveys to students to see how well they like them, but generally speaking, we don't bring the same people.'

CAB uses the fees from student tuition to bring in musicians and entertainment for homecoming and other campus life activities.

Sophomore education major James Tucker said students do enjoy listening to some of the music the Live Wire Concert series provides.

"It depends on the music and if it's entertaining," Tucker said. "It keeps spirits up, if you have class all day you can use a break instead of sitting around doing nothing."

Schuette said students should look for the fliers and other advertisements CAB posts to promote the concerts. There is also a Facebook group named "Livewire Concert Series."

Students can preview some of Williams's music and learn more about him on the Facebook group or his Myspace page at myspace.com/zanewilliams.

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Chair and professor of the Art and Design Department Thad Duhigg, Sculpture instructor Nick Lang and graduate student Andy Magee discuss a piece during the graduate sculpture critique in the Art and Design Building atrium on Sept. 10.

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throughout the art auction.

Beth Weeks, administrative secretary for the School of Education, said some committee members knew the Edwardsville area quite well and knew friends who were willing to open their homes for the occasion.

Artists from the Edwardsville community, as well as SIUE students, will participate in the fundraiser. All of them were chosen on a volunteer basis.

glasswork, Paintings, jewelry, photographs and much more will all be available to bid on.

Senior Alyx Mark, a political science and environmental science major from Roxana, said she is donating her handcrafted jewelry to the cause.

Michelle Kreger, support associate for the School of Education, said if the event is successful, there may be more like it in the future.

"We've been planning this for several months. Hopefully it is successful enough that we can grow on it," Michelle Kreger of the School of Education said.

Tickets for the event cost \$25 and can be purchased at the School of Education's Web site. They will also be available at the Edwardsville Arts Center the day of the tour and auction. For more information or purchase tickets, go to at www.siue.edu/education/housetour.

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Tuesday, September 30, 2008

# Club Football falls short to the Redhawks in last minute drive



Levi Kirby/Alestle

Kevin Nesselhauf, quarterback and club president, gives a pep talk after Saturday's game.

# Final score 6-9 ends turnover heavy game, homecoming game scheduled for Oct. 11

**by Levi Kirby**Alestle Correspondent

SIUE Club Football came within four yards of victory on Saturday against Miami University, but fell short to the Redhawks 6-9.

Turnovers were the main folly of both teams throughout the game, beginning with eight minutes left in the first quarter when SIUE junior Jason Follick intercepted an MU pass. The interception led to the Cougars driving down field, but ended up in a scoreless possession.

With less than a minute left in the first quarter, the SIUE defense stopped the Redhawks and forced a punt, which led to the Cougars' first turnover of the game.

Senior Peter Choudry dropped the punt-return, giving MU possession at their own eight-yard line.

The Cougar defense stepped up and forced a red-zone turnover when junior Jay Verstreater intercepted a pass in the end zone, denying MU a touchdown.

Senior Tony Ballard was pleased with the way the defense played throughout the whole game.

"Overall our defense played some outstanding football," Ballard said. "The pass coverage was solid and our linebackers filled holes well."

The Redhawks stopped the Cougars again after the interception and, on the following drive, scored the first touchdown of the game with only two minutes left in the first half.

The extra point attempt was blocked by SIUE senior Ben Jacob, holding MU to a 6-0 lead.

After the MU touchdown, the Cougars wasted no time getting down field. After a couple runs and a first down, senior quarterback Kevin Nesselhauf threw a 55-yard touchdown pass to Jacobs with 1:11 left before halftime.

Nesselhauf went for a two-point conversion that was stopped by MU, leaving the score tied at 6-6 heading into the second half.

"We just have to grind it out, and the offense

can't have any more turnovers," Nesselhauf said at halftime. "The effort out here is amazing tonight, now we just have to play a whole half."

The third quarter went back and forth with neither team threatening to score until the last minute, when MU drove down the field back into their red-zone for the second time, and for the second time SIUE defense prevented them from scoring when Verstreater snagged another interception.

After the interception the Cougars had the ball heading into the final quarter with the score tied 6-

The second play of the drive resulted in a SIUE fumble by freshman Tony Uzzo giving MU the ball back on their own 30-yard line.

For the third time in the game, the Cougar defense created yet another red-zone turnover when Vestreater recovered an MU fumble with 9:38 left in the fourth quarter.

The Cougars came up scoreless again and found themselves right back in MU territory with the Redhawks looking to take the lead.

SIUE defense prevented a touchdown, and created another fumble by MU, but the Redhawks recovered it on their 10-yard line.

MU connected on a field goal with 2:46 left in the game, giving them a 9-6 lead.

The Cougars received the ball for one final drive with 2:31 left in regulation.

SIUE marched down field thanks to two big runs by senior Matt Ringkampe and a defensive pass interference call on MU that put the Cougars on their own 13-yard line.

With less than a minute to go, SIUE used their first three downs to make it to the seven-yard line.

On fourth and four, with seven yards to go for the winning touchdown and only seconds left on the clock, the Cougars decided to go for it.

The MU defense stepped up and stopped the Cougars' run one yard short of the first down,

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# Brown claims second straight title as Saluki Invitational champion

by T.J. Cowell
Alestle Correspondent

SIUE runner Kayla Brown claimed her second straight title as the Saluki Invitational champion on Saturday at Southern Illinois University Carbondale. The junior from Petersburg bested her winning time from last year by nearly 10 seconds, despite the hilly trek.

SIUE cross country Head Coach David Astrauskas said the times this year compared well to previous years, considering the course conditions.

"Kayla Brown did a great job of winning for the second year in a row," Astrauskas said. "The course was more difficult than it had been in past years because there was some work being done around the SIU campus."

Murray State's Katelyn Jones finished four seconds behind Brown, good enough for second place. Brown's winning time in the 6,000-meter race was 18 minutes, 18.34 seconds.

"We competed better than we have in previous meets," Brown said. "We keep improving and are looking to close our gap between our first and last runners."

Kelly Flounders was SIUE's next best finisher, placing 18th overall in Saturday's race. The senior finished with a time of 19:39.31.

"Saturday's meet was smaller than last weekend's," Flounders said. "There was still some great competition though, and there were quite a few teams from the (Ohio Valley Conference.)"

Flounders was followed by sophomore Maggie Krall, who posted a time of 20:14.62. Freshman Aftan Noon and junior Stacey Briggs rounded out the scoring for the Cougars,

finishing with times of 20:22.66 and 21:11.41, respectively.

SIUE placed fourth as a team with host SIUC winning the meet. Murray State University and Southeast Missouri State University finished in second and third place on the women's side. SIUE finished the day with an overall team score of 93.

On the men's side, Kyle Cameron led the Cougars posting a time of 25:55.18. This placed the senior from East Moline in ninth place overall in the 8k race.

SIUE's No. 2 through 5 runners all finished in a pack. Sean Gosewich finished 22nd overall individually, finishing with a time of 27:08.79. Marc Amarillas was close behind Gosewich coming in 26th place at 27:24.37.

Sophomore Shawn Dillard and junior Ryan Wessling finished out SIUE's charge, clocking in times of 27:28.38 and 27:41.01, respectively. This put Dillard in at 27th place and Wessling in at 32nd place for the day.

The men also finished with 93 points as a team score, putting them at third place overall as a team. The Cougars were four points out behind Eastern Illinois University for the second place spot. SIUC also claimed the team title on the men's side, completing the sweep.

Next up for the Cougars is their only home meet of the season, Border Wars, set to take place at 10 a.m. for the women and approximately 10:30 a.m. for the men on Saturday, Oct. 11 at the SIUE cross country

The SIUE women will compete in a 5k race, while the men will run an 8k race.

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# Volleyball team's loss to Tigers continues 2-6 losing streak

by T.J. Cowell
Alestle Correspondent

The SIUE volleyball team traveled to Columbia, Mo., to square off against Big 12 foe, the University of Missouri Tigers, but lost in three straight sets.

The hosts jumped off to a quick start in the first match set, scoring 10 points before the Cougars could get on the board.

Missouri's Megan Wilson gained the momentum for the Tigers early, scoring the first 10 sets of the match before SIUE could get on track.

The Cougars dropped the opening set to Missouri by a final decision 25-8. SIUE was held to a .112 hitting percentage for the match.

Missouri answered by posting a .310 hitting percentage for the match, boasting a .500 hitting percentage in the first set.

SIUE came back and competed solidly after the first set, keeping sets two and three close. The Cougars rebounded

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# SPORTS BRIEFS

# Final softball record 5-3

**Alestie Staff Report** 

The SIUE softball team's fall exhibition play has come to a close on a winning note in Evansville,

The Cougars swept their doubleheader Saturday, defeating Southern Indiana, a former conference rival in Division II, by a score of 4-2 and edging out Evansville 4-3.

Erika Taylor pitched strong for the Cougars against USI, taking a 2-0 lead into the middle innings before the Screaming Eagles rallied to tie the game. SIUE would then use back-to-back doubles off the bats of freshman first baseman Whitney Davis and junior outfielder Chaleen Rumpf to plate two more runs en route to the victory.

In the Evansville contest, the Cougars played the comeback kid, falling behind 3-1 before scoring three runs in the top of the seventh and shutting down the Aces the rest of the way for the victory.

Senior pitcher Kaitlin Colosimo collected her second win of the fall, allowing six hits after

its previous games.

"We made a lot of strides and

The Cougars do not return to the diamond until the regular season begins Feb. 6, when they take on Centenary College and Bryant College in Shreveport, La.

# losing her last outing against Western Illinois University in

SIUE finished the fall season sporting a 5-3 record by defeating Southern Illinois university Carbondale, Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis and Heartland Community College in

saw a lot of our younger kids, and we know what it's going to take to win at this level," volleyball Head Coach Sandy Montgomery said. "We need to continue to do the things we need to do to get better and stronger, and hopefully have a decent winter."

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# Men's soccer comeback cut short at 2-3 loss

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-senior midfielder

Nick Bigogno

by Levi Kirby Alestle Reporter

SIUE men's soccer record moved to 3-5 Friday after a 3-2 loss to the University of Dayton Flyers after a near comeback.

The first half was deadlocked 0-0 as both defenses held strong, despite five shots by SIUE and seven from Dayton.

The game drastically changed in the second half when Dayton scored within the first minutes out of halftime.

Josh Albers scored off an assist from Isaac Kissi for the Flyers in the 46th minute, giving them a 1-0 lead over the Cougars.

Dayton continued to add on points with a goal from Jack Pearson at 59:10 and another goal by Albers

at 68:10, giving the Flyers a three point lead over the Cougars.

The Cougars refused to quit after giving up the goals and came back to score two goals in the final seven minutes of the game. Junior Jack Twellman scored the Cougars' first goal at 83:47 off an assist from freshman Nash Maduekwe.

"We stayed positive, and after one goal came we got some confidence back," Maduekwe said. "Which also gave us a sense of urgency to keep fighting."

With less than four minutes to go, SIUE sophomore Mike Jones scored with an assist from freshman Kyle O'Brien, narrowing the gap

"We capitalized on Nash's throw-ins with a flick back door by Jack," O'Brien said. "Then we started gaining momentum and got another off a throw from the other side."

However, the comeback came too late, and the Cougars would run out of time before scoring another goal.

They had one last attempt off of a corner kick with 27 seconds left in regulation. The kick went to O'Brien who got off a shot, but missed.

Dayton ended up out shooting the Cougars 15-10 and had one more corner kick

The Cougars' senior midfielder Nick Bigogno said the team played much better in the second half despite the loss.

"We started taking care of the ball better," Bigogno said.

"(We kept) pushing them back in their end farther and finally finished a couple of chances."

The Cougars now have a break until Oct. 10, when they play in Korte Stadium for the first time all season to face McKendree University at 7 p.m. during Homecoming

SIUE plays the following two games at home against Jefferson College on Oct. 15 and then against the SIUE Alumni on Oct. 17.

After enjoying the three game home-stand, the Cougars will be back on the road for the remainder of the season.

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giving the Redhawks the ball and the victory as time expired.

"We are so close to a win," Nesselhauf said. "We just have to do the little things, and we are right there."

The Cougars next game is the homecoming game on Oct. 11 in a rematch against the Redhawks beginning at 1 p.m.

"We still have to work on our run defense," Ballard said. "But I am confident that the whole team will step up and play great football on Oct. 11."

Nesselhauf said the team

needs to learn from its mistakes and fix them for the homecoming

SIUE junior Zach Hern is excited for the homecoming game and knows the team will be

"We just need to stay healthy and work on holding onto the ball," Hern said. "Playing at home will help us win the next

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and scored the first two points of the second set. After a 14-14 tie in the middle of the second set, Missouri slipped past the Cougars and took the second bout 25-21.

"I wish we could have came out stronger in the first game," sophomore Sydney Winslow said. "We bounced back, and it was anybody's game in the second and third sets."

Winslow led SIUE with 15 kills and 5 digs while posting a .242 hitting percentage.

The Cougars led early on in the third set 11-7 only to have Missouri take the momentum again. The Tigers, now 7-6 on the season, claimed the match after defeating SIUE by a final score of 25-22 in the third set.

paced the Cougars with 23 assists and eight digs. Junior Tiffany Turner added to the effort leading SIUE with 13 digs on the evening.

"Our serve receive and defense was good," senior middle hitter Kelsey Hubert said. "We need to keep improving on the little things.

Hubert had 14 kills and

added an ace and block in for good measure in Saturday evening's match.

"This was the toughest stretch of our schedule," SIUE volleyball Head Coach Todd Gober said. "We knew when we made the schedule, Evansville and Missouri were going to be tough games."

The Cougars have dropped four straight decisions and now post a 2-6 record, and Gober said the team needed to regain confidence.

"The team is used to winning. We need a win to get our confidence up," Gober said.

Loyola University, the Cougars' next opponent, is currently 11-3 on the season.

"Loyola has been playing Senior Mallory Clements with a lot of confidence right now," Gober said. "We are going to steal one over in Loyola, and from there, win the ones we are supposed to."

> SIUE's match against Loyola is at 7 p.m. Tuesday in

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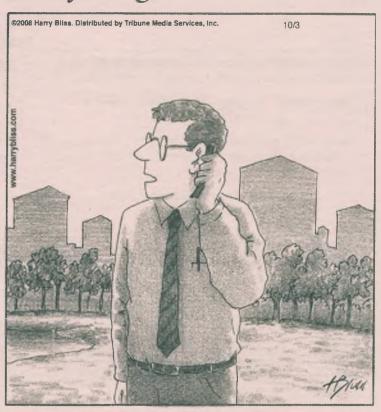
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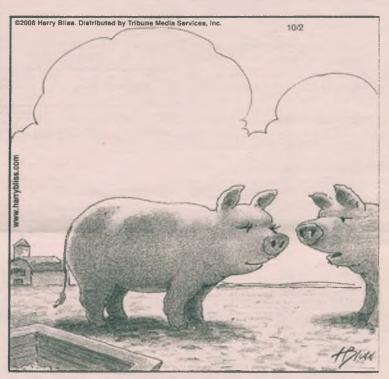
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GOT NIGHT OR INTERNET CLASSES? Three full-time house painters wanted. 7a-4p M-F. Must have reliable transportation. Can lift 100 lbs. Willing to learn. \$\$\$ depend on skills learned. Click the envelope icon to request application (or call 656.9300 and leave your email address). Thanks.

SHIPPING RECEIVING COORDINATOR ESS Data Recovery is currently accepting applications for a shipping/ receiving coordinator. Interested candidates should be organized and detail-oriented. Approximately 30-35 hours per week, no weekends. Email your resume to hr@essdr.com or fax to 800.299.7815. EOE

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HOUSEKEEPER WANTED for 3 houses in Edwardsville. Experience is preferred. 217-821-9990

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### MISCELLANEOUS

USED BOOKS AT BARGAIN PRICES. Good Buy Bookshop, Lovejoy Library Room 0012, Wednesdays and Thursdays 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sponsored by Friends of Lovejoy Library.

SIGMA PI Brother of the Week: Rambo for doin' work in CV. Burro of the week: Nanners for his accidental late night electric fireworks show.

MANDY JONES IS the sister of the week for planning Barn Dance! It was a PHI- nominal time!

### PERSONALS

HAUNTED DEAD WALK - This old prairie town does have a haunted history, it's just that no one ever dare talk about it until now! We enter haunted sites based on availability. October every Friday & Saturday including Nov. 1st. Paid reservations, limited group sizes. Visit www. SpringfieldWalks.com or call 217.525.1825

### ROOMMATE WANTED

NEW ROOMMATE NEEDED NEAR SIUE Two-bedroom apartment approximately one mile from SIU-E Campus. \$312.50 per month rent + 1/2 of utilities. Private parking. Room being rented is approximately 12x15 with a medium-size closet. Apartment fully furnished. Contact Steve. 217.246.1762



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in the
Goshen Lounge
Monday, October 6th
from 11am - 1pm

Performing

