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## Program board resists changes

**Frank Russell**  
assistant features/arts editor

Under a proposal by Student Association President Larry Wines, the University Program Board would be funded in the future as part of the Student Association.

Several members of the program board, however, would prefer to see things remain the same.

Under the Wines proposal, the board would become a standing committee of the Student Assembly and its name would be changed to the Student Association Program Board. The board's chairman, under Student Association by-laws, also would be appointed by the assembly.

These changes, according to the Student Association, already were made effective Oct. 31.

Members of the program board disagree. "No one on the board is in favor of this," said

Cedric Anderson, the assembly-appointed chairman of the board. "There are an awful lot of unanswered questions."

"We had thought," Wines said, "there was a need for a better link [between the board and the Student Association]."

Wines believes organizations that primarily are student funded should also be student controlled. The program board currently is a division of the Office of Student Activities.

"Who pays for it?" Wines asked. Students should be responsible and accountable for the allocation and administration of student funds, he said.

"Students don't get as much out of a program," he continued, "if their [role is] merely advisory."

Wines admitted that the present board is mostly student controlled. He credited Coordinator of Programming Curt Watts, the

board's adviser, with much of this.

Wines said that there is no way to assure that future board advisers will act in the same manner as Watts. "We want to guarantee that students always have input," he said.

Program board elected chairman Clifford Reeves offered the theory that the Student Association wanted to take responsibility for the program board so that it could take credit for it.

"I don't know the truth of it," Reeves said, "but that's dirty."

"The board has reached a consensus," he continued, "that it would not submit its budget through the Student Association." Reeves also said that if necessary, the board would submit its budget through some other student organization.

Reeves added that part of the problem is that, as a division of Student Activities, the board is looked upon as part of an ad-

ministrative office and is not a student organization recognized by the University Senate Student Affairs Committee.

Wines said he refuses to allow the program board to be budgeted out of an administrative office.

Reeves and Anderson believe that a Student Activities program board is more desirable than a Student Association program board.

The Office of Student Activities, according to Anderson, is more stable than student government. He believes that under student government the board would be susceptible to poor student management. "It's really not in the board's best interest," Anderson said.

Anderson described Wines's proposal as an annexation, expressing concern that the board should not have to play by Student Association rules.

Wines said that the board will not be affected by student politics. He claimed the board will continue to be functionally independent with no changes in its operations.

"There's no way the assembly can dictate their programming," he said. Wines said that the board simply will report to the committee and will not need permission to act. "People get upset with change," he said.

Wines added that last year's board was in favor of stronger ties between the Student Association and the board. "Some things happened to change the game for us," he said.

Wines expressed dismay that he already had made concession in the matter.

First, former board member Ann Cronin, who initially was not appointed to another term, was

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Rich Podhorn

**DUCK!:** Two UMSL students taking advantage of a warm Sunday afternoon as they walk by Bugg Lake.

## Curators hire building planners

**Barb DePalma**  
co-news editor

COLUMBIA, Mo. — The University of Missouri Board of Curators has awarded a \$150,000 contract to Sverdrup and Parcel and Associates Inc. of St. Louis to begin planning for the UMSL science building.

The money for the science building was approved last summer as part of a \$600 million statewide bond issue vote. The new complex, which has been on the university's facility list since 1969, will cost \$21.7 million to build. It will be located adjacent to Stadler and Benton Halls and will house the biology, chemistry, physics and psychology departments along with the University of Missouri-Rolla Graduate Engineering Center and the UMSL Computer Center.

The bid from Sverdrup and Parcel was one of eight received from architects throughout Missouri. The firms were interviewed Jan. 17 and the bid was selected by a six-member committee consisting of Chancellor

Arnold B. Grobman, John P. Perry, UMSL vice chancellor of Administrative Services, and members of the UM Physical Facilities Committee.

"The firm of Sverdrup and Parcel and Associates was chosen because they will be able to solve difficult technical problems while providing good design," said James R. Buchholz, UM vice-president of Administrative Affairs. Buchholz said that the firm also was chosen because of its past engineering and talent and because the UMSL faculty and staff found their presentation the best of the eight firms interviewed.

Sverdrup and Parcel designed the corporate research headquarters of Ralston Purina Co. and also designed a building for the Petrolite Corp. of St. Louis. They also are responsible for designing the Hearnes Center at University of Missouri-Columbia and the chemical engineering facilities at UMR.

The actual date of construction has not been set, Grobman said,

but he hoped the Missouri General Assembly will appropriate funds in time to have construction begin during the 1983-84 school year.

The UM Physical Facilities Committee also awarded a contract to Missouri-Illinois Roofing Systems Inc. of Kirkwood to replace the roofs on Clark and Lucas halls. The project would include tearing off the existing roofs and replacing them.

UMSL received 12 bids for the job and the firms were interviewed Jan. 25. Missouri-Illinois Roofing Systems was selected because it submitted the lowest bid.

Clark Hall was constructed in 1966 and Lucas Hall in 1969. The roofs that presently are on these buildings were put on when the buildings were constructed. Both roofs together cover 34,900 square feet.

The Board of Curators originally recommended that the bid be given to the Missouri Roofing have an increase caused by

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## Activities fees to be linearized

**Barb DePalma**  
co-news editor

COLUMBIA, Mo. — Student Activities fees at UMSL will be linearized at \$3.30 per credit hour up to a maximum payment of \$46.20 for 14 credit hours beginning in the summer 1983 semester.

The University of Missouri Board of Curators approved the proposal, submitted by Chancellor Arnold B. Grobman, at its monthly meeting held Thursday and Friday.

The linearization came about as part of the change from 12 to 14 credit hours in assessing fees on campus. Presently, the Student Activities fee is based on 12 credit hour basis with students paying up to a maximum of \$42 in the regular semester and \$21 for six hours in the summer semester.

Although full-time students would be paying slightly more each semester, the part-time student would be paying less, Grobman said. "It is a very fair way to assess this fee," he said.

The money from the Student Activities fee is divided into five areas: University Center, athletics, Student Activities, Mark Twain Building, and Student Services. With the proposed increase in Student Activities fees,

four of these areas would see an increase in the money they received. However, the Mark Twain Building will receive no money from the proposed increase.

The reason for this, said Student Association President Larry Wines, is that the university is going to take losses in areas where it has experienced surpluses in the past.

Wines said that the university is ahead of schedule in paying off the bonds for the Mark Twain Building and that the interest from the reserve fund is enough to pay for the bonds. Therefore, it was decided that this was an area which felt a surplus, so no more money from the Student Activities fees needed to be channeled into this area, he said.

However, the Student Association submitted an alternate proposal to the curators which called for the linearization of fees at \$3 per credit hour to a maximum of \$42 for 14 hours. This proposal was rejected by the board.

"It was something we had to do," Wines said. "We (the Student Association) took a stand against increases in student fees every other time. As spokesperson for the students, I feel that when we

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### The munchies

UMSL's Sigma Pi fraternity held a benefit Taco Eating Contest at Great Scott Bar and Grill on Friday, and raised about \$450 for the Charles James Memorial Fund. **page 9**

### Considerate

UMSL student Jim Dryden produces the "All Things Considered" radio program on KWMU. **page 10**

### Getting even

The UMSL Rivermen avenged two earlier defeats by pounding the University of Missouri-Rolla and Quincy College last week at the Mark Twain Building. **page 14**

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# Anti-crime plans underway

**Kevin A. Curtin**  
co-news editor

A new anti-crime program, dubbed "Campus Watch," has been initiated by the UMSL police. It is aimed specifically at reducing the amount of larcenies committed here on the UMSL campus.

Director of University Police William G. Karabas said that the new program will feature two new cartoon characters, "Officer Riverman" and "Inspector Riverman," in an attempt to get the campus community involved in bringing the number of thefts under control.

"We've incorporated many things of the past with new ideas," Karabas said. "We hope that the catchy new characters, along with the poster campaign, will get some attention."

The poster campaign calls for placing anti-crime tips on bulletin boards throughout all university buildings. In addition, police officers will issue business-card-sized reminders to

people if the police discover a situation where a robbery might occur.

The cards and posters join a variety of anti-crime measures available from the police department. Students and staff and faculty members may have the windshields of their cars engraved for positive identification. Bicycles may be registered and engraved by the police during regular business hours.

A special program for women, "Whistle Alert," has been available since September. Women may pick up special whistles at the police office, and they can carry them around with them. The whistles emit a piercing noise that will alert officers or members of the Student Patrol.

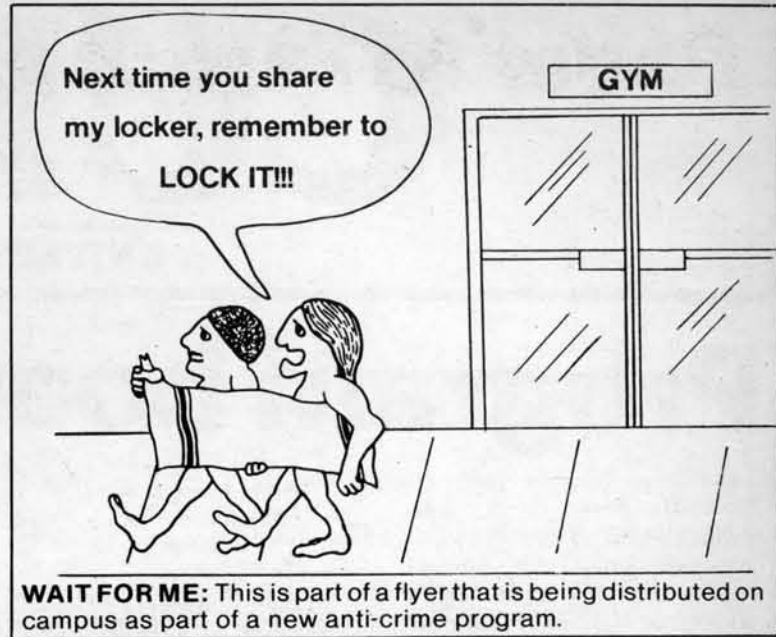
Karabas said that the majority of larceny reports result from carelessness on the part of property owners. "One student reported that his golf clubs were stolen from his car," Karabas explained. "When the report was filed, we found out that he had kept them on the back seat of his

car. Valuables don't belong on your back seat, they belong in your trunk. A little common sense goes a long way."

Karabas urges all members of the campus community to watch their belongings carefully. "We find a lot of theft with unattended purses, desk drawers that have been left unlocked, and storage lockers that don't have padlocks on them," he said. "Everyone should take precautions and be careful."

Karabas also has begun to give seminars for all cashiers on campus so that they learn how to safeguard money. He also is working to introduce a new bicycle lock that comes with a \$300 anti-crime guarantee.

Karabas is enthusiastic about the new Student Patrol. "People seem to like them," he said, "and they've been very well received. So far they haven't made any catches, but they have reported suspicious behavior and that will keep crime down. And in the evenings, they are available for escort service, and I think that



will make people feel safer up here at night. I just hope that the program is given a fair chance to show what it can do."

Karabas noted that violent crime is something that the UMSL campus doesn't have. "We have a very good overall record," Karabas said. The cooperation from the community is superb. We could have an atmos-

phere like McDonnell-Douglas—½ foot high chain-link fencing and admission by identification. That's fine for McDonnell—they need to protect themselves like that. But here, that atmosphere is no good. It only makes people feel apprehensive and no college needs to live with fear. If everyone helps out, we can keep the campus a nice place to work and go to school."

## Student Patrol stops issuing parking tickets

**Barb DePalma**  
co-news editor

Student Patrol members no longer are issuing parking violation tickets to cars on campus. This action came about following a meeting last Thursday between Director of University Police William G. Karabas and Student Association Vice President Earl Swift.

Swift met with Karabas to discuss problems with the escort service and the idea of students ticketing cars.

"We didn't like the idea of funding students giving tickets to students," Swift said.

Swift said the Student Association gave the UMSL police \$7,500 to establish an escort program.

However, with the money, the association also set up two guidelines for the services: (1)



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**WATCH IT:** Although the UMSL Student Patrol no longer is issuing parking violation tickets, it is placing these cards on windshields to let people know their cars were left unlocked or valuables were left in plain view.

Escort personnel would not act as "junior policemen." This includes giving out tickets, Swift said; and (2) they would serve as

escorts at night in clearly marked times and locations.

"The escort function is given priority as far as funding goes,"

Swift said. "It was a really bad move for them to give tickets in the first place."

Karabas said that he doesn't see the move hurting the UMSL police. "Their service helps us," he said. "We can cover more area. They [the student escorts] didn't mind the change. They thought it [ticketing cars] was a better way to round out their time."

Karabas said that no official count has been taken on how many tickets were written by the Student Patrol, but he estimated that each patrol member wrote an average of 15 tickets per day.

"I think the student escort service is doing a good job," Swift said. "Now they are leaving little notices on the cars that tell people that their doors were unlocked or that valuables were left where they could be seen."

Karabas said that he hopes the student escort program can continue. He also said that the student patrol will remain the same and will be available to escort people at night and during the day the way they do now.

"I don't think they have had to escort anyone during the day," Karabas said, "unless they are walking up and asking people if they want to be escorted."

## Board

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reinstated as a board member. Reeves said that this came about as part of the board's expansion from nine to 15 members.

Next, Wines said he has allowed the board to have participation in the interviewing process for new members. The association currently is in the process of selecting new program board members to serve a one-year term. Part of the board is appointed in the winter semester, and the other is appointed in the fall semester.

Finally, Wines said he has allowed the board to develop the criteria for board membership.

Wines also said that he had accepted these requests and believes the program board should live up to its end of the bargain.

Reeves feels that no bargain was made. He said that Wines merely expects the program

board to repay the favor Wines made when he helped expedite the expansion of the board.

Reeves also questioned Wines' actions in putting "Student Association Program Board" on applications for positions on the board.

He said that Wines believes that prospective members are signing a sort of contract accepting the name when they sign their applications.

"That was kind of dirty," Reeves said.

As far as who is chairman of the program board, Reeves said he doesn't mind Anderson representing the board with the assembly. He prefers not involving his board activities with student politics.

"We're not trying to be diligent," he said. "We just feel, 'Why ruin a good thing?'"

Reeves said he is confident that Dean of Student Affairs Lowe S. MacLean or even Chan-

cellor Arnold B. Grobman would back the board up if it needs to appeal any decisions made in its budgeting process.

MacLean said that he would rather not have anything to do with the dispute. "I try to stay out of student organization business as much as I can," he said. "I'm confident they can work that out between them."

MacLean did say that University Center Director Robert Schmalfeld would continue his role in overseeing current U. Center and Student Activities operations.

"One of my tasks for him," he said, "was to develop a group of advisory boards and committees." MacLean said he still was committed to Schmalfeld doing this.

The program board controls the largest portion of student organization funding. According to Reeves, its budget is approximately \$80,000.

**Erik Schaffer**  
reporter

The UMSL University Senate has tentatively set the elections for its student members for March 7 and 8, according to Dan Wallace, assistant dean of Student Affairs. Senate bylaws dictate which elections must take place before March 15.

Students interested in running for a position of the Senate should pick up an application at the Office of Student Affairs, located in 301 Woods Hall. Applications are available today and should be turned back into Student Affairs no later than March 1.

Twenty-five students will be elected to the Senate. They will join with 75 faculty members to make up the governing body here at UMSL. The Senate deals with everything from student grievances to the consideration of tuition increases. "It runs the whole gamut of policies and procedures that are dealt with," said Wallace.

Student Affairs would like to see more students get involved with elections. "The problem we've had in the past," said Wallace, "is 25, maybe 26, students would run. It really wasn't much of a contest." Wallace feels that, because of the nature of the policies dealt with, student involvement should be higher.



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# Bader to resign as Arts and Sciences dean

Kevin A. Curtin  
co-news editor

Robert S. Bader, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, will resign effective Aug. 31. The process for selecting a new dean has not yet begun.

Bader is leaving his post with the university after 15 years of working on the campus, both with the biology department and as dean of Arts and Sciences. He came here in 1968 from the University of Illinois in Champaign-Urbana, where he was a professor of biology.

"I've given this some thought for the past several months," Bader said, "and I decided that 15 years was ample. There are other interests that I would like to pursue."

Bader will be moving to Topeka, Kan., where he will be working on a history of prohibition in Kansas. He will be working through the offices of the Kansas State Historical Society.

Bader plans to write a letter to the faculty later this semester in which he plans to summarize his perspective of the last 15 years. He expects to have the letter completed sometime in April.

The procedure for finding a replacement for Bader has not yet begun. Bader said that Arthur C. MacKinney, vice chancellor for Academic Affairs, will discuss the proper procedure for selection with the chairmen of the 18 academic departments and the College Planning Committee.

That committee is made up of

six elected faculty members who advise the arts and sciences dean on budgetary and academic affairs.

Once the procedure is set, a search committee will be set up. They will place advertisements for the vacant positions in The Chronicle of Higher Education and other education periodicals.

Anyone may apply for the job or he may be nominated by another person. Once all the applications are in, a screening committee will be set up. It will narrow the field of applicants and make recommendations to Chancellor Arnold B. Grobman. Ultimately, Grobman will make the choice for a new dean.

"I hope that we have a replacement by August before I leave," Bader said. "I think that the

chancellor would appreciate that. If not, perhaps an acting dean will be named."

Bader's interest in history arose through casual reading during the early 1970s. He has been interested in the history of the Plains region of the United States for some time. He is the author of "The Great Kansas Bond Scandal," which describes a Kansas "Watergate" of the 1930s.

"The history of the Plains hasn't been intensely studied," Bader said. "Some people think of these people as hicks, but they are most certainly not. My wife Joan and I are both from small areas, so I've always been interested in them."

Bader will continue his research and his wife will continue

her dental practice in the Topeka area.

Bader said that he will miss UMSL. "I feel a greater pull than a greater push," he said. "But I'm going into something that I want to do. I do have mixed feelings about leaving. I'll miss my friends. I've enjoyed being part of the development of this school, and I know that UMSL has a very substantial future. I imagine that I'll visit if they let me come back on the campus."

## Fee

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bureaucracy, it should be handled in a way which would have the least impact on those it affects, namely the students."

Wines said that he would like to see a university-wide procedure for dealing with fees. He said that he has spoken with several of the student body presidents from the other UM campuses about the idea. "I would like to see more students becoming involved on different levels," Wines said.

Grobman said that the alternative of having a student referendum to vote on increasing the Student Activities fees was not feasible. "Only 5 percent of the students voted last time we had a referendum," he said.

## Building

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Company, which submitted the second lowest bid of \$169,481. The reason for this recommendation was that Missouri-Illinois Roofing Systems did not have three years of experience in replacing the types of roofs that cover Clark and Lucas halls.

"By staying with our (the Board of Curators) recommendation of the three-year qualification, we feel that we will be protecting the university from some situations and problems that we have gotten into in our past roofing situations," Buchholz said. "If we didn't have the condition of three years, especially in roofing, we would be taking and opening the university up to unqualified contractors."

Buchholz said that the Missouri-Illinois Roofing Company has been in existence for three and one-half years, but only had two years of experience in working with the type of roofing that is on Clark and Lucas halls.

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# editorials

## UMSL: It's not just for classes anymore

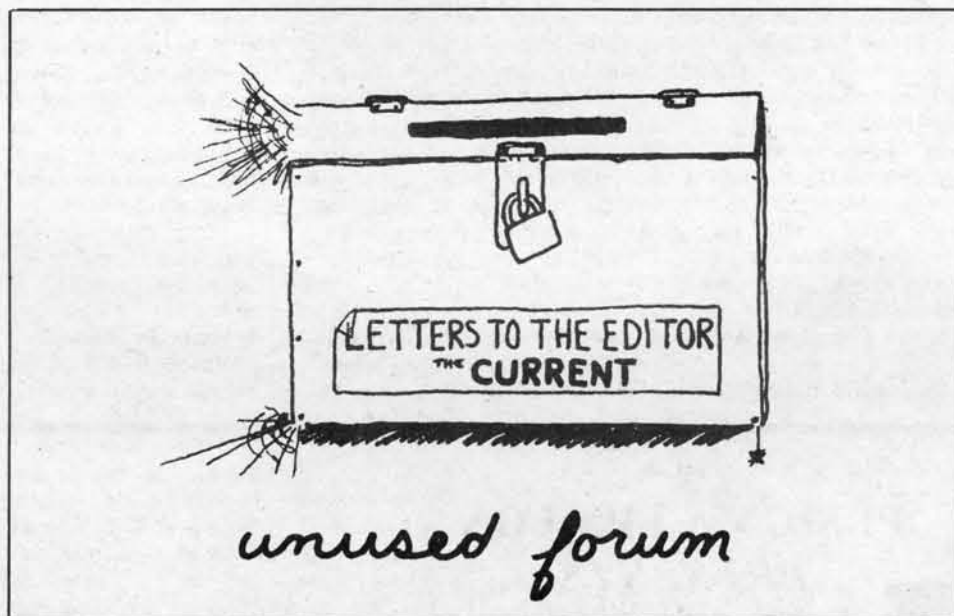
Over the years, the issue of apathy at UMSL has been beaten into the ground, almost to the extent that people are sick and tired of hearing about it. But without trying to belabor the issue, the subject needs to be addressed once gain.

Because most UMSL students place a top priority on academics and ways of funding their education, only a small percentage of them get involved in extracurricular activities. As students who pay tuition just like everyone else, it is their right to go to school, go to class and then go home, repeating the same procedure every day. These, however, are symptoms of apathy.

Apathy, though, is more of a serious issue at UMSL than some might believe. That only a minority of students feel the need to get involved in extracurriculars is bad enough. That only a few students display a desire to discuss or express their opinions on certain issues outside the classroom makes apathy at UMSL even worse.

Not all students, of course, are able to commit themselves to extracurriculars. Work schedules and class work usually limit one's availability.

But every student has an opinion about something. Furthermore, every student is capable of expressing his feelings, and should have the necessary forum to do so. The Letters to the Editor page of the



Current would like to provide that necessary forum.

Until recently, letters came in about once or twice a month at the Current. With this university and its students strapped by more than their fair share of problems, it's hard to believe the letters have not been pouring in. That weeks go by when no one writes at all is not just apathetic. It's pathetic.

Writing a letter to the editor is one of the simplest ways to get involved. It takes about five or 10 minutes to sit down, write the letter and mail it to the Current. It's a way of airing your frustration or joy about something you've experienced at UMSL, a forum for expressing one's thoughts and ideas.

Proponents of the nuclear freeze, for instance, are pushing to have a forum on

the UMSL campus. None has been scheduled as of yet, but one already is available. Whether you agree or disagree with the issue, write us and let us know.

Too many students are under the impression that knowledge can be gained exclusively through the classroom. Not true. Those involved in extracurriculars would certainly agree that their education has been enhanced as a result of the non-academic activities they have participated in.

Unfortunately, students are ignoring the opportunities that stare them in the face. Student government is a perfect example. Each spring, elections are held to name about 25 representatives to our student government. Unfortunately, only about 22 or 23 run for election, and thus, are victorious if they receive just one vote.

Last year our present government leaders (Larry Wines and Earl Swift) ran unopposed for reelection until Lisa Bronson and Mike Dvorak tossed their hats in the ring late in the race. It should be remembered that without opposition, a democratic system could turn into a dictatorship.

So whether you get involved by writing a letter or by actually trying to get involved in such non-academic groups as student government doesn't matter. Getting involved and speaking up does.

### Greeks

## 'Spirit Night' is fine, but where's real spirit?

A recent home basketball game was honored with the presence of several fraternities and sororities on campus. They cheered loudly throughout the game, spurring the Rivermen on to victory. It was a positive atmosphere all around.

With the exception of that game, though, the Greek organizations have been conspicuously missing every time the Rivermen go to battle within the confines of the Mark Twain Building. Whether it be parties or other social outings, the Greeks have not placed basketball games high on their list of things to do.

So why did they come en masse to this game? The reason was a promotional gimmick coined "Greek Spirit Night." About eight Greek organizations showed up to compete with one another in an attempt to claim superior spirit.

Unfortunately, it seems as if the competition itself was the primary reason for the number of Greek members in attendance and not so much the desire to support the team. This was made obvious

when, only three nights later, no Greek cheering sections were to be found at another home basketball game.

This is surprising, especially since UMSL coach Rich Meckfessel has put an exciting and potentially outstanding basketball team on the court. As groups that have traditionally represented the social aspect of UMSL, the Greek organizations would be a welcome sight at all the home basketball games.

Next Wednesday UMSL will be staging another "Greek Spirit Night." It is the last home basketball game of the regular season, and the result could determine whether the Rivermen qualify for post-season play in March or turn in their uniforms in late February. A vocal crowd would help.

This Saturday, though, UMSL will play its second-to-last home game of the season. It would be nice if a few Greek organizations, or any campus organizations, would take the initiative to come on out and show some real support for the team.

## letters

### Agrees that evaluations should be published

Dear Editor:

Two weeks ago, a student had the intentional fortitude to express what many students on this campus feel. It is unfortunate that a certain statistics professor's ethics were improperly maligned, but the student did make several valid points concerning the quality of instruction at the University of Missouri-St. Louis.

Why shouldn't information derived from student input be available for student consumption? Published faculty/course evaluations are a fact of life at many universities. Studies have been done which show that student evaluations correlate very well with faculty peer evaluations. This fact can be confirmed by using the ERIC materials at the library.

It might be argued that students would crowd the classrooms of the "easy" teachers thus leading to termination of the faculty who dare to fight "grade inflation," but the fact that students will still be required to take the classes remains. Those students who don't get into the desired class will be faced with the

choices of deferring graduation, or taking the less desirable professor. If that many students would prefer to defer graduation, then perhaps the faculty member deserves close scrutiny by the administration.

Furthermore, students who get a B from Mr. "Softie" are being compared for jobs with other students who get a C from Mr. "Tough." Where do you put that on a transcript? Under the current system, students lucky enough to have connections with more advanced students have an unfair advantage in knowing which faculty members give better grades.

If faculty/course evaluations were published, courses would gradually shift to a more uniform level of quality; no longer would a student who receives a C have learned more than a student who received

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## more letters

### Says aggression, not arms cause threat to war

Dear Editor:

One of the points missed by Joyce Mushaben and other advocates of a nuclear freeze is that it is our ideology of aggression (i.e., U.S. imperialism) that is the real threat to war, rather than the arms themselves.

As one of those who chuckled at Ms. Mushaben's statement, I must say it was not in defensive embarrassment. The laughter came after a comment of hers that implied that there is some value to the state (public) school system and that if the federal government gave more money to state schools, they could be even better, perhaps as good as those in the Soviet Union.

In my 16th year of attending a government-owned and operated (socialist) school, I have seen more indoctrination of statist

and socialist values than education. I have seen more teachers using the platform to preach their authoritarian values, rather than encouraging students to think for themselves (the free expression Ms. Mushaben claimed she is concerned about).

State schools are also morally corrupt, for, the government uses force to collect the money it contributes to state schools. If Ms. Mushaben were a true pacifist, she would have to oppose state schools for this reason.

For, to be a pacifist, one must oppose all force. I am not a pacifist; I advocate force in the case of self-defense. However, in all other cases the use of force is immoral because it impinges upon the liberty and autonomy of the individual.

Sincerely,  
Terry Inman

### Disputes Backer's account

Dear Editor:

The account of the Jan. 21 meeting of the Coalition for a Free America presented in the Current letter by Bernard Backer was at least in part a perverted distortion of what actually occurred.

1. Professor Mushaben did not enter as Dave Kiefer was introducing the film. The film had already been previously viewed and a lively debate was taking place.

2. As the professor entered she did not immediately interrupt with a prepared or any other kind of comment but when she was recognized and spoke her words were rudely and repeatedly interrupted by CFA members and their ideological blood brothers.

3. Further in Mr. Backer's smear, he accused Professor Mushaben of deliver-

ing a "canned speech." He had no evidence that this speech was "canned."

4. The "laughter" that was invoked from several members of the audience was limited to the same individuals that previously interrupted the professor, apparently members and friends of CFA.

In Mr. Backer's letter he indicated that he was not a member of CFA, but in the same letter he states that CFA was in no way obliged to listen to opposing viewpoints. Is he a spokesman for an organization that he does not belong to or is he a member that misrepresented his position or is he confused?

Finally, I ask, are the CFA presentations merely opportunities for bellicose, splenetic tirades from extremist conservative UMSL students?

Robert J. Roth

### Says Mushaben should apologize

Dear Editor:

I was delighted to read that Joyce Mushaben was "shocked" to see herself charged with repugnant behavior at a recent film presentation, "Countdown for America" (Letters, Feb. 10). Miss Mushaben, however, should have written a letter of apology to CFA instead of applying her self-proclaimed superlative command of the language to deny that which was correctly related by Bernard J. Backer (Letters, Feb. 3).

To deduce that it is not possible for pacifists to behave in a "bellicose" and "splenetic" manner is a ridiculous fallacy that Mushaben disproved in the first person. Her many "constitutionally guaranteed" disruptive comments may not have been planned in advance, but there is no doubt in my mind that she came only as a counterforce to an event that she despised. CFA was, in fact, welcoming opposing discussion, but it was Mushaben that single-handedly escalated the issue to an emotional level. Also, Mushaben did not as she claims "advise" Mr. Backer not to smoke (several others were smoking, too). Instead, she rudely told him of some rule in a display of personal authority, which she claims not to have worn on her "badge" when she entered.

Miss Mushaben can defend her behavior behind the screen of first amendment

rights, her institutional rights, her rights as a taxpayer, ad infinitum ad nauseum, but the fact remains that she behaved swinishly and lacked the common decency one would expect of a professor, especially at someone else's event.

Regretfully,  
Martin Havey

### Supports instructor

Dear Editor:

I am delighted to learn, by way of Bernard J. Backer's recent letter, that an UMSL political science faculty member attended the recent film presentation, "Countdown for America."

Apparently, some members of the UMSL faculty have enough moral and academic integrity to speak out against the insanity of the present arms buildup between the United States and the Soviet Union.

In particular, Professor Joyce Mushaben should be lauded for her attempt to expose "Countdown for America" for what it is: a dangerous exercise in intellectual midgetry.

Name withheld upon request

### What about poor students?

Dear Editor:

In response to the letter, "Displeased with Teaching Skills," in the Feb. 3 issue, I would like to present another view of another graduating student.

I think that for every poor professor, there are at least 100 poor students. If you feel the professor is below par, you can switch to another class. But what can the professor do with a group of students that he feels is below standard?

Isn't motivation for good performance a two-way street?

You can only expect to get out what you put in. And a student can almost always go to a professor for 'extra help.' But what's the professor's alternative?

I will agree that some professors lack the "book-side" manner to ignite a student's enthusiasm to learn, but I seriously doubt that there are any professors here that are actually unqualified in their particular field.

And the bottom line, good buddy: If you honestly felt the quality of teaching was not inferior, why have you stayed so long?

A Senior

### Says read the signs

Dear Editor:

Student Activities recently had large pink signs placed in all the "Hot Line" phone booths to inform users not to dial the first three digits for UMSL (553) when calling a number on campus, but to simply dial the last four digits. Our office gets from 30 to 40 calls per day from persons dialing either 553-5 ... or 553-6 ... Naturally, before they finish dialing, the call comes to us. Eighty percent of the

people hang up before we can explain the mistake and then they call us back, and hang up again.

I'm writing this letter to the Current in the hope that the people who don't bother to read the LARGE signs, will read this and follow the correct procedure. I can't tell you how grateful we'll be!

Thank you,  
Ginni Bowie

### Agrees UMSL is generic, but not really embarrassing

Dear Editor:

I would like to comment on a statement made by Gary Belsky in the Feb. 3, 1983 issue of the Current. In "Refractions," he stated his belief that UMSL provided generic higher education. I agree, and I think there is nothing degrading about this concept or about attending this university. UMSL may not have a long, distinguished history of ivy-covered buildings or even much campus-centered social life, and perhaps UMSL still carries some stigma from being at one time an extension for UMC, but what does it matter?

I do admit there is no prestige in attending UMSL, but there should be no shame. I will admit that in high school I did have

hopes of somehow getting to a private college (didn't most of us); I had the grades and the scores but not the finances. So to make a long story short, I came to UMSL. So far, I haven't regretted it. I am on a Curators Scholarship, and I am receiving a no-frills education that is very economical, which is extremely essential for me because I have had difficulty in finding a steady part-time job.

And while I have never had what some call "school spirit" and still don't, I do like UMSL and the education I am getting here. UMSL is not an embarrassment. It is merely generic!

Sincerely,  
Kevin Weible,

### Student suggests rating system

Dear Editor:

Over the past few months many students have written to air their views or to complain about certain professors or courses they were taking. I realize that some complaints may be unfounded, but there should be a way that students could find out about a certain instructor before signing up for his or her class.

I transferred to UMSL one year ago from an out of state university where students took part in a rating system. It was known as "FACE" (Faculty and Course Evaluation). At the end of each semester students evaluated the course and instructor's performance, much like we do here at UMSL. The only difference was, that our evaluations were published twice each year to coincide with the class schedules for the following semester. Students could decide which classes to take, while at the same time find out some helpful information about the instructor.

The majority of the evaluations were reliable and favorable, but did give some warning to students to "steer clear" from certain instructors. The bad evaluations

were usually consistent from one semester to the next. Most importantly, the evaluations were especially valuable for incoming freshmen and transfer students who knew nothing or very little about the faculty.

If UMSL were to have a program such as this, many potential problems could be avoided.

Name withheld upon request

### Evaluations

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a B from another professor. Grades are a necessary evil, but at least if we students are going to be compared on the basis of grades by prospective employers, then let a grade be a standard with meaning as a measure of academic achievement; not a measure of the student's access to the grapevine.

Sincerely,  
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# UM needs private funds

**Barb DePalma**  
co-news editor

COLUMBIA, Mo. — Dan Sullivan, former director of development at UMSL, spoke Friday at the monthly meeting of the University of Missouri Board of Curators on the need for the university to seek private funding from individuals, corporations and foundations.

"The advancement effort is a campus-by-campus effort," Sullivan said. "It is led by Dr. [James C.] Olson (president of the Board of Curators) and by the four campus chancellors."

Sullivan said that there are three categories for advancement purposes: (1) the public sector or allocations from the state, (2) the private sector which consists of volunteers, university advocates and gifts from private donors, and (3) income from student fees.

"In seeking additional support from the state of Missouri, our objective is to enlighten the General Assembly and to increase their understanding and appreciation of the needs of the over 50,000 students attending the university," Sullivan said.

By seeking support from the private sector, Sullivan said, the university can seek support for the features which are not available through the state. "Some people call this the margin of excellence for the university," he said.

Sullivan said that private support comes from three groups: individuals, corporations and foundations. Gifts from these sources usually are restricted to specific programs such as student scholarships, faculty salary supplements, equipment purchases or athletics, he said.

"Other funds referred to as unrestricted gifts enable us to apply funds where the need or the opportunity for excellence is greatest," Sullivan said.

People that the university seeks private support from include alumni, neighbors of the

**"We are succeeding in attracting increased private funding for the betterment of the university. The University of Missouri needs both private and public support."**

— Dan Sullivan

campuses, users of campus facilities or services, and members of the faculty, student body and staff. Sullivan said that 58 percent of all contributors to the university in 1981-82 were individuals.

Most gifts from corporations come in the form of cash and are established with a specific purpose in mind, Sullivan said. However, many times gifts from corporations come in the form of contributed goods, equipment or services. Twenty-seven percent of contributions to the university in 1981-82 came from corporations, he said.

Foundations most frequently contribute cash to the universities, but it almost always is specific projects, Sullivan said. In 1981-82 foundations contributed 6 percent of the private support to the UM system.

Sullivan said that in the fiscal year 1981-82, the UM system raised the most private money in its history. The university raised over \$18.6 million. Private grants to the university and gifts to affiliate groups brought in over \$3 million for a total of \$21.7 million in private contributions.

In fiscal year 1980-81, the UM system received only \$13.7 million and, in 1979-80, it received \$8.8 million in private money.

"These funds are being allocated by the university according to the donors' intentions," Sullivan said. "Each of the campuses showed significant increases in 1981-82."

Sullivan said that people give their support to the betterment of the university because of their knowledge of the university

staff, involvement in university decisions, and a commitment to university ideals.

Alumni are very important to the university's advancement process, Sullivan said. In 1981-82, alumni from the University of Missouri contributed \$9.8 million. Alumni organizations sometimes specify which projects they would like their contributions to support. Sullivan said one example of this is the UMSL Studio Set program and magazine at KWMU that is supported by UMSL alumni. These special support groups contributed \$897,000 to the university in 1981-82.

In the fiscal year, 1981-82, planned giving brought in over \$7.5 million to the UM system. Planned giving includes gifts of real estate, funds set up in memory of someone, and other tangible gifts. Last year the university received gifts from over 27,000 different donors.

"The impact of these advancement efforts is significant," Sullivan said. "We are succeeding in attracting increased private funding for the betterment of the university. The University of Missouri needs both private and public support. While private giving can increase, it will never replace the public support nor will it offset the cuts in public support which the university is now experiencing."

Sullivan left UMSL last November to take the position of special assistant for development to UM President Olson. His primary task is to coordinate efforts to enlist private sector support for the university.

# did you know . . .

By Sue Rell

. . . that the UMSL Career Planning and Placement Office assists students in finding career-related jobs while they are attending school.

Cooperative education involves alternating between periods of full-time work and full-time school, through graduation. Cooperative education programs are available to freshmen, sophomores and juniors. Internships are often over the summer and involve full-time work. Internship programs usually serve juniors and seniors.

All of these programs are paid positions and enable students to gain practical experience that will be invaluable when searching for a permanent position after graduation. For more information contact the Career Planning and Placement Office at 308 Woods.

. . . that the Rotary Foundation is offering scholarships for one academic year of study in another country. Graduate or undergraduate scholarships may be awarded for any field of study. Applicants should be proficient in the language of the country of proposed study. The scholarships pay round-trip air fare, registration, tuition, and other educational fees, books supply expenses, room and board and an educational travel allowance.

The Rotary Foundation also offers vocational, journalism and teaching scholarships for teachers of the handicapped. The application deadline is March 1. For additional information about the program or application materials call 553-5896 or inquire at 341 Woods.

. . . that the first homecoming was held Jan. 29, 1963 with a basketball game against Logan Chiropractic College in the Normandy Junior High gym. The basketball team won 72-44.

The Homecoming dance was held Feb. 1. Barb Bildner was crowned queen by Tom Hadicar, tri-captain of the basketball team. The queen received yellow mums and a necklace commemorating the occasion. The girls in her court received a charm bracelet to remember the occasion.

. . . that the University of Missouri opened a branch of its college bookstores on the UMSL campus at the beginning of the winter semester in 1963.

. . . that the Women's Center will sponsor a discussion on "What is Premenstrual Syndrome?" Feb. 22 at noon in the Women's Center, 107A Benton. Debbie Vega, director of the PMS Resource Center, will discuss PMS and how to control the syndrome.

. . . that the first basketball team was called the Missouri University Normandy Residence Center Cubs and played its first season in 1960. The team finished second in the league, consisting of Covenant, Eden, Logan and Sanford-Brown colleges.

. . . that Lucas Hall was completed in December 1971 and was named after Jean-Baptiste Charles Lucas, a leader of St. Louis during early Missouri statehood.

## Scholarships open to students

Four scholarships have been made available for college students at UMSL and in the St. Louis area.

The Lucia Kramer Collins Memorial Scholarship is open to UMSL students who returned to college as part of a significant lifestyle or career change and are the sole support of themselves and one or more dependents. Applicants must be enrolled in a regular course of study at UMSL seeking a bachelor's degree. They must have completed sufficient higher undergraduate work to qualify for a degree within four additional semesters.

They also must demonstrate financial need and must carry close to full-time academic loads. The deadline for application is May 31.

UMSL students who are descendants of honorably discharged veterans of World War I may be eligible for the LaVerne Noy Scholarship, which covers

incidental and activities fees for an academic year (fall and winter semesters) or a summer session.

Applicants must be U.S. citizens, and furnish documentary evidence of the ancestor's service during WWI. They also must provide an affidavit which

shows their direct descent from the individual, and they must be admitted or currently enrolled students at UMSL. Financial needs and academic records also are important. The application

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## Scholarships

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deadline is April 15.

The Beta Eta Chapter of Alpha Kappa Scholarship will give \$300 for the fall 1983 semester to a female college junior with at least a B average in the field of education.

Financial need, active involvement in school and/or community affairs, a talent for working with young people, and a sincere interest in teaching are necessary for consideration. The application deadline is March 1.

All information for these scholarships can be obtained from the Financial Aid Office here on the UMSL campus. The office is located at 209 Woods Hall and the telephone number is 553-5527.

Finally, the Scholarship Foundation of St. Louis allows students to borrow up to \$2,000 a year, interest free. The loans may be used for tuition or for general school expenses. They may be renewed annually on evidence of satisfactory work and continued need. Repayment

will be made in regular installments beginning one year after leaving school. The entire loan is to be repaid without interest within six years after leaving school.

These loans are available for full or part-time college work, professional and/or vocational training, and graduate work. The deadline for applications is April 1.

To obtain an application, write to The Scholarship Foundation of St. Louis, 8001 Clayton Road, Suite B, St. Louis, Mo., 63117, or call 725-7990.

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## New groups get nod

Kevin A. Curtin  
co-news editor

The Senate Student Affairs Committee has recognized eight new student organizations for the UMSL campus at its meeting held Tuesday, Feb. 15, in Room 119 of the University Center.

The eight new groups are the UMSL Student Literary Magazine, UMSL Students with Children, the UMSL Ping Pong Club, the Chad Everett Fan Club of UMSL, the Interfraternity Council, Moriah (Ministries), the Judo Club of UMSL, and the Opera Workshop.

Final approval for the new groups is the decision of Lowe S. MacLean, dean of Student Affairs. MacLean said that his approval for these groups would be automatic.

The new groups become eligible for funding from the Student Activities Budget Committee after a probationary period of six months, according to Student Association President Larry Wines.

Organizers of the UMSL Student Literary Magazine hope to publish a magazine containing the submitted works of UMSL Students. They hope to receive funding and publish the magazine every semester.

The UMSL Students with Children hopes to provide a support group for improving the availability of child care. It wants to establish close cooperation among club members and the faculty of the University Child Development Center.

The UMSL Ping Pong Club wants to improve the skill of its affiliated members and exchange their talents with other colleges.

The Chad Everett Fan Club of UMSL, the only group to appear before the committee, said that its group will represent a unification between the sciences and the liberal arts. It also wants to learn more about Chad Everett, whom it considers "a great actor and a fine influence on young people," according to its application form.

The Interfraternity Council will work to develop cooperation and coordination among its member fraternities and further the fraternity system on the UMSL campus.

Moriah (Ministries) plans to familiarize UMSL students with "the traditional Judeo-Christian philosophies and lifestyles through the distribution of literature, lectures and movies," according to its application form.

The Judo Club of UMSL will bring together students who are interested in the martial arts.

The Opera Workshop would like to provide talented students with a chance to participate in a full operatic production. They also wish to help students pursue careers on the stage.

The only group that did not get approval at the meeting was Phi Kappa, which seeks to improve its members through social interaction and cooperation with other organizations. The group was not approved because of a discrepancy on its application, and the committee would like a representative of Phi Kappa to attend its next meeting.

The committee has expressed concern over six issues that arose because of the recognition procedure itself. The committee is worried about organizations that may use UMSL facilities to promote outside activities such as dances. It also feels that the Athletic Committee might have to consider assuming responsibility for club sports, and it also would like to precisely determine any organization's relationship with the Student Association.

The committee also is concerned about organizations that may serve as fronts for profit-makers, and it would like a firm policy about space and room reservations in the campus buildings.

The committee will hold its next meeting March 8.

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- **"Photography Plus: Permutations and Modifications of the Silver Print"** continues in Gallery 210 through Feb. 25. The gallery, located at 210 Lucas Hall, is open from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday.
- **"Street Life in the Far East:** Scenes from Tokyo, Kyoto, Bangkok, Singapore, Taiwan and Hong Kong," an exhibit of photographs by Sherman LeMaster, is on view in the Center for Metropolitan Studies, 362 SSB, through Feb. 25.
- **"Margaret Mead's Research Attacked:** Samoan Sexual Freedom and the Validity of Social Science

- Research" is the title of an open discussion led by Bonnie Nardi of the UMSL anthropology department. The discussion starts at 12:30 p.m. in the McDonnell Conference Room, 331 SSB.
- **Lennart Sjöberg** of the University of Göteborg in Sweden speaks on "Factors Affecting Student Interest in Curriculum" at 12:30 p.m. in the Northwest Conference Room of the Education Office Building.
  - **Vernon Smith** speaks on **"African Art Before Christ"** at 12:30 p.m. at 254 University Center as part of Black History Month.

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Friday

- **Sigma Tau Gamma** holds an all-campus party at 8 p.m. at its house at 8660 Natural Bridge Road.
- **Douglas Heinson** of the **UMSL economics department** speaks on "International Price-Output Tradeoffs" as part of the Department of Economics Occasional Lecture Series at 1:30 p.m. in the McDonnell Conference Room, 331 SSB.

- **Theatre Project Company** presents **Edward J. Moore's "The Sea Horse"** at 8 p.m. in the Ridgeway Center of the Missouri Botanical Gardens. For ticket information, call 531-1301.
- **Associated Black Collegians** sponsor a program on the All-African People's Revolutionary Party at noon at 254 University Center as part of Black History Month.

## at the movies

**Produced by Warren Beatty.** Directed by Warren Beatty. Written by Warren Beatty. Guess who stars? "Reds" is Beatty's epic movie about journalist John Reed's love for Louise Bryant and for socialism—not necessarily in that order (it's hard to tell). Beatty wanted to play Louise, too, but the studio wouldn't allow it. Room was made for fine performances from Jack Nicholson as Eugene O'Neill, Diane Keaton as Louise

Bryant and Maureen Stapleton as Emma Goldman.

—Steve Klearman

"Reds" is presented at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday at 101 Stadler Hall. There will not be a 10 p.m. screening this week due to the length of the feature. Admission is \$1 with an UMSL student ID and \$1.50 for general admission. Students may bring one guest at the reduced price.

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Saturday



- **"The Sea Horse"** is presented at 8 p.m. See Friday.
- **The basketball Rivermen and Riverwomen** meet Northwest Missouri State University in the Mark Twain Building gymnasium. Women's play starts at 5:45 p.m.; men's play begins at 8 p.m.

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Monday

- **Steven Hause** of the **UMSL history department** speaks on "Reconstructing the Biography of Hubertine Auclert, Pioneer French Feminist — Or How I Spent a Weldon Spring Award Trying to Follow a Fascinating Woman Around Europe" as part of the Monday Colloquia in Social Science Research at 1:15 p.m. in the McDonnell Conference Room, 331 SSB.
- **Representatives of Stix, Baer and Fuller** and the Shawnee Mission, Kansas School District, conduct interviews in the Career Planning and Placement Office, 308 Woods Hall. A.G. Edwards and Sons, Mercantile

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- **Renew, sponsored by the New-m House**, continues this week. Call the house at 385-3455 for more information.
  - **A chemistry seminar** is held at 4 p.m. at 120 Benton Hall. The topic is to be announced. Coffee is served before the seminar at 3:30 p.m.
  - **Hugh White** of the **Tuskegee Air-men** presents a slide show as part of Black Culture Week at 10 a.m. at 254 University Center.

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Tuesday

- **Employment fair.** "Who Gets Hired and Why?" is presented at noon in the J.C. Penney Auditorium. The fair is sponsored by the Student Work Assignment Program.
- **Testing for sickle cell anemia**, sponsored by the Associated Black Collegians as part of Black Culture Week, is held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 155 University Center.
- **Women's Center** sponsors a lecture on the topic "What is Premenstrual Syndrome?" Debbie Vega, director of the PMS Resource Center, speaks at noon in the center, 107A Benton Hall.

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Wednesday

- **Psychology Organization** meets at 3 p.m. at 316 Stadler Hall to discuss award nominations.
- **A summer camp job fair**, spon- sored by the Student Work Assign- ment Program, is held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the University Center.
- **"You Have Struck a Rock!"** a film series on South African black women, is shown as part of the Women's Studies Program at noon in the

- McDonnell Conference Room, 331 SSB.
- **"Wednesday Noon Live"** pre- sents Tommy Bankhead and the Blues Eldorados from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the University center Student Lounge or on the U. Center patio if weather permits.
  - **UMSL basketball teams** face Northeast Missouri State University in the Mark Twain Building gymnasium. The Riverwomen play at 5:45 p.m.; the Rivermen play at 8 p.m.

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Thursday

- **Brian Vandenberg** speaks about **child psychology** at a meeting of the Psychology Organization at 3 p.m. at 316 Stadler Hall.
- **Women's Center** sponsors a lec- ture by Gail Garcia, Toyota sales rep- resentative, on the topic "Consumer Strategies for Bargaining: Purchasing a New Car" at noon in the center, 107A Benton Hall.

- **Representatives from business and industry** meet with students from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the University Cen- ter as part of the Student Work Assign- ment Program's employment fair.
- **Auditions.** Students in the "Direct- ing for Theater" class hold auditions for male and female parts from 11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. in the Benton Hall Theatre, 105 Benton Hall.

## kwmu programming

- **Thursday, Feb. 17**  
6-8 a.m. **Morning Edition**  
5-6:30 p.m. **All Things Considered**  
9:30-10:30 p.m. **Music of Our Time**  
10:30-11 p.m. **Ken Nordine's Word Jazz**
- **Friday, Feb. 18**  
6-8 a.m. **Morning Edition**  
5-6:30 p.m. **All Things Considered**  
11 p.m.-6 a.m. **Fusion 91**. Program celebrates its fifth anniversary and features music of John McLaughlin.
- **Saturday, Feb. 19**  
2-2:30 p.m. **The Empire Strikes Back**:  
5-7 p.m. **A Prairie Home Com- panion**  
11 p.m.-midnight **Gateway Jazz**. This KWMU Student Staff program presents an hour of recorded per- formances of live jazz.  
midnight-6 a.m. **Pipeline**. Avant- garde music show features the group Devo.
- **Sunday, Feb. 20**  
5-7 p.m. **Gateway Classics**  
7-8 p.m. **Creative Aging**: Program includes a report on the Feb. 14 speech by U.S. Rep. Claude Pepper called "Social Security: What Lies Ahead?" that was delivered at Webster College.

- 10-10:30 p.m. **Playhouse 91** — **The Lord of the Rings**: "The Fellowship of the Ring" (Episode 7).  
10:30-11:30 p.m. **Sunday Magazine**. The Student Staff reviews the week's news events.
- 11:30 p.m.-midnight **Sports Spec- trum**. The Student Staff reviews the week in sports.  
midnight-6 a.m. **Miles Beyond**. This Student Staff program pre- sents alternative and mainstream jazz.
- **Monday, Feb. 21**  
6-8 a.m. **Morning Edition**  
5-6:30 p.m. **All Things Considered**  
8-9:30 p.m. **Great Performances**: Act 1 of Wagner's "Die Walkure" is simulcast with television station KETC (Channel 9).
- **Tuesday, Feb. 21**  
6-8 a.m. **Morning Edition**  
5-6:30 p.m. **All Things Considered**
- **Wednesday, Feb. 2**  
6-8 a.m. **Morning Edition**  
5-6:30 p.m. **All Things Considered**
- **Thursday, Feb. 3**  
6-8 a.m. **Morning Edition**  
5-6:30 p.m. **All Things Considered**



# features/arts

## Taco eaters win prizes, fame, glory

Story and photos  
by Sharon Kubatzky

Crunch! Munch! Guzzle!

Those were the sounds of several aspiring taco eaters who were entered in the Sigma Pi benefit taco eatoff Friday at Great Scott Bar and Grill. Contestants competed for prizes (trophies and cash) and for personal glory (the roar of the crowd?).

Women entrants were required to eat five tacos each, while men contestants each had to consume 10.

The fastest eater in the men's division was Gary Miller, with a time of 4 minutes 43.59 seconds. Miller displayed his own special style of taco-eating; he scooped out the inside of each taco and ate that first, then folded the 10 shells together, dipped them in beer, and munched out, much to the delight (and disgust) of the audience.

Karen Winter, a member of Delta Sigma Pi, was the winner in the women's division, inhaling her five tacos in 2:35.75 as her coach, Mike Willard, urged her on.

Both Winter and Miller received a Busch jacket, compliments of Grey Eagle Distributors Inc., and \$25.

In the "fraternity munch-out" competition between members of several fraternities, Sig Pi

Kevin Finley took first place, winning a Budweiser Lite light.

Sig Pi financial chairman John Ruhmann said he felt the event was a success. "We had a good time with it," he said. He added that the fraternity had made about \$450 on the event, just short of its projected \$500 goal. The \$5 entry fee and the sale of raffle tickets generated most of the funds.

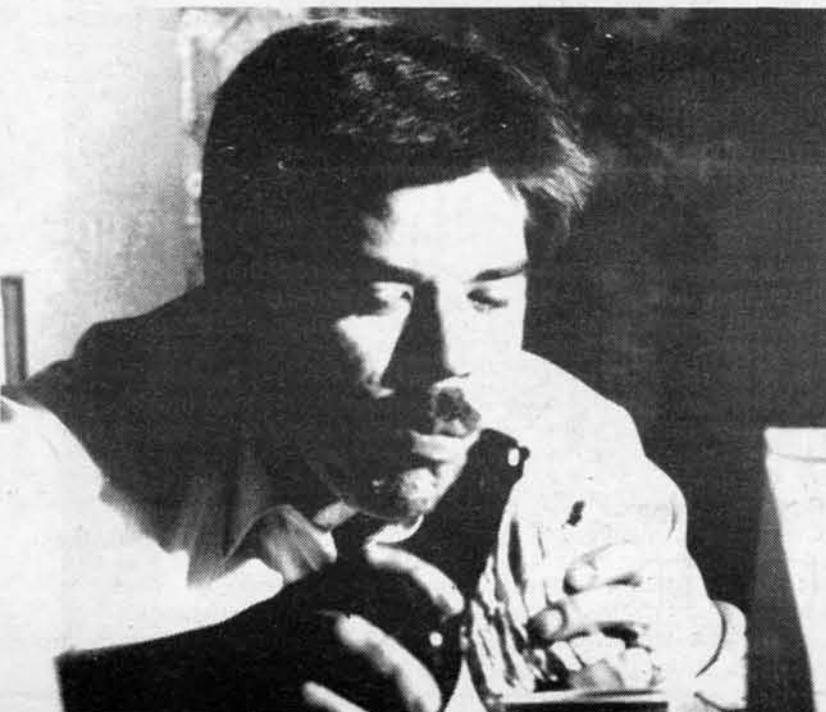
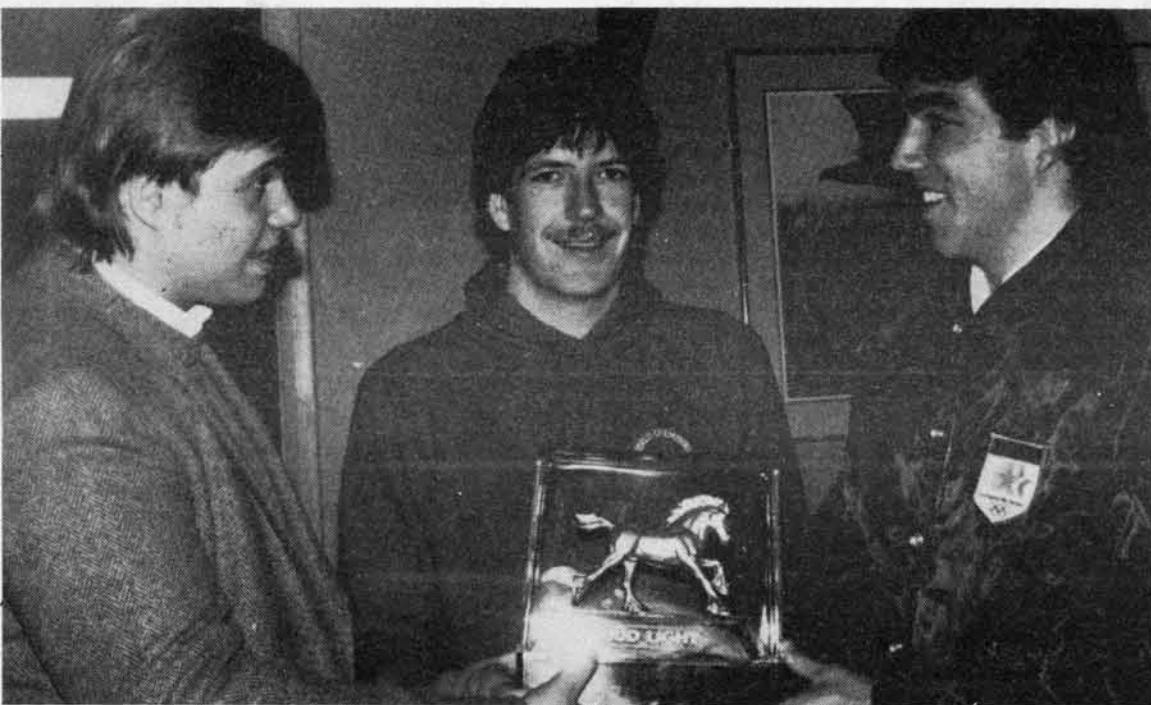
Ruhmann said he was pleased with the help of the sponsors.

"Jim Kohlschreiber (Grey Eagle campus representative) really came through," he said. Kohlschreiber provided hats, huggers and bar lights to give as raffle prizes, and also donated the jackets given to the winners.

"Also, Tom Brown of Taco Bell and Scott Blunk (owner of Great Scott) helped out a lot," Ruhmann said. "Taco Bell gave us 50 percent off the tacos."

Although the contest was open to anyone, organizers of the event had counted primarily on support from Greek organizations on campus. Ruhmann said he was somewhat disappointed with the response.

All proceeds from the event will be given to Charles James Memorial Fund. James, a Pine Lawn police sergeant, was killed in the line of duty last month.



**MUNCH OUT!:** (Top) Dana Haba makes a valiant effort to gulp down her tacos but is distracted by the crowd. (Above) Delta Zeta Linda Buchmueller says "No way!" (Below) Zeta Tau Alpha members Linda Wester, Sherry Daugherty and Carol Mis-savage cheer on a teammate. (Below Left) Men's division winner Gary Miller displays his taco eating technique, aided by a glass of beer. Miller demolished 10 tacos in less than five minutes. (Left) Grey Eagle Distributors campus rep Jim Kohlschreiber, right, presents a Bud Lite wall light to Sigma Pi members Hans Schreiner, center, and John Ruhmann. Kohlschreiber supplied the fraternity with raffle prizes.



# Dryden considers it all on KWMU news program

Story and photos by Frank Russell

It's 5 p.m. An UMSL student is in her car and she wants to learn the whole story on the president's latest round of budget cuts. Where would she turn her radio dial? KMOX?

Or, an evening student is cooking dinner for his kids before rushing off to his data processing class. Still, he's heard there have been some interesting MX Missile developments. Would he watch "Eyewitness News" on KSDK (Channel 5)?

Not necessarily. KWMU, the 100,000-watt UMSL radio station, broadcasts what Time magazine has described as "the most literate and entertaining news program on radio."

It's 1½ hours of news, in-depth analysis and light features. It's called "All Things Considered."

While most of the program originates from National Public Radio in Washington, D.C., UMSL student Jim Dryden produces local segments here on the UMSL campus.

And "All Things Considered" hasn't always been part of KWMU's programming. It was added to the station's format of mostly classical music only after a long controversy between the sta-

tion's professional staff, student staff, and the university administration.

Considering all things is just a day's work for UMSL student Jim Dryden.

As local producer for KWMU's "All Things Considered," his day usually begins around 7 or 7:30 a.m. with a phone call from KWMU news director Lorraine Fuller during which they basically discuss his preliminary plans for the day's program.

Dryden starts his work by 10 a.m., spending an hour or so making phone calls and setting up interviews, he said.

During the day, Dryden is out working on stories, usually for his own local segments, but often as a stringer for the national "All Things Considered" program.

On this particular day, he is working on a story concerning St. Louis County Executive Gene McNary's State of the County address.

By mid-afternoon, Dryden returns to the KWMU newsroom, a small cluster of rooms including a small office, a studio and a control room located on the first floor of Lucas Hall.

By 4 p.m., only an hour remaining before airtime, the evenings' program is coming together.

Dryden may be preparing part of his script, while newscaster Kevin Killeen and reporter John Scieszner may be making final additions to their segments.

Engineer Marc Lehmuth, meanwhile, takes his place in the control room well before airtime.

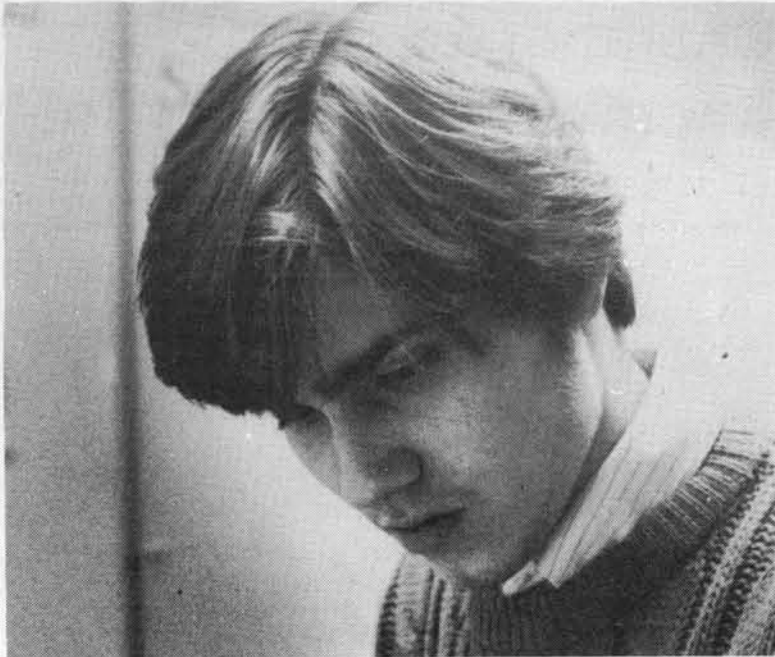
At 5 p.m. "All Things Considered" is on the air. Dryden lists the evening's top stories; the program then shifts to National Public Radio in Washington.

While the program's listeners, after the news, are hearing con-

servative analysts react to President Ronald Reagan's State of the Union address, Dryden is busily preparing for his 5:30 segment.

This first segment contains a number of local news stories and copy from The Associated Press wires. The segment has to be exactly 8½ minutes long. Dryden said, due to the constraints of live radio. Everything must be done to get it right. "We tap dance a lot during the newscast," he said.

Thirty seconds past 5:27, the first segment is on. Chrysler Corp. is bringing back laid-off workers to its Fenton automobile assembly plant, the suspect in the kidnapping of Dr. Hector Zevallos has been found guilty, and the weather forecast calls for cold weather. At 5:35 it's back to NPR.



**CONSIDER THIS:** Jim Dryden is the local producer of KWMU's "All Things Considered."

Dryden described the 6 p.m. segment as more laid-back, at least from his perspective.

"The news is not necessarily

less hard, but the coverage is longer," he said. The main story, tonight County Executive McNary's State of the County address, is covered in more depth and is often taped ahead of time.

After the 6 p.m. segment, most of the day's work for Dryden is over. He closes the program after 25 minutes of national features at 6:30.

"This is a job I sort of fell into," Dryden said. When KWMU decided to put "All Things Considered" into its daily programming, Dryden was news director of the Student Staff and already had experience with the program. At that time, the Student Staff was airing parts of "All Things Considered" during its late-night weekend hours.

"I think we're doing good work," Dryden said. While "All Things Considered" may not have the drive-time ratings of KMOX, for example, Dryden said it has the respect of its listeners, many of whom are members of the journalistic community.

Dryden said that the program has been making strong gains in

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**CALM BEFORE THE STORM:** Engineer Marc Lehmuth (left) and Jim Dryden take a short break before airtime.

## Controversy subsided

All is quiet on the KWMU front.

But things haven't always been so peaceful. Until about a year ago, the Student Staff and the professional staff of the station, as well as the university administration, were embroiled in a controversy concerning student hours at the station and KWMU's programming.

Key to the matter, at least from the Student Staff's point of view, was the airing of the National Public Radio program "All Things Considered."

After a report by Nancy Avakian, assistant vice chancellor for Academic Affairs, KWMU was transferred from the Department of University

Relations to the speech department.

Along with these changes, the professional staff decided to run "All Things Considered" every weekday. And, "All Things Considered" producer Jim Dryden said, the controversy is now non-existent.

"If there are people who are upset about what happened a year ago," he said, "they're no longer around here. It blew up in everybody's face and that isn't any good."

It was, he said, "a shame that such a good show ("All Things Considered") got on the air because the Student Staff was obnoxious."

—Frank Russell

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# Chamber music concert, Kammergild included in upcoming music events

Baritone John Hylton will present a faculty recital Friday, Feb., 25, at 8 p.m. in the Education Auditorium on the South (Marillac) campus.

Hylton, assistant professor of music at UMSL, will be joined in the performance by pianist Evelyn Mitchell, associate professor of music. The program will include selections by Bach, Handel, Mozart, Schumann, Brahms, Faure and Vaughn Williams.

The recital is free of charge.

Mitchell will then be the featured soloist at a chamber music concert on Sunday, Feb. 27, at 8 p.m. in the Education Auditorium. The concert will be presented by the St. Louis Sinfonia da Camera.

Mitchell will play the Mozart Piano Concerto in A-major. The balance of the program will include works by Sibelius, Boyce and von Weber. Conductor of the orchestra is James Richards,

assistant professor of music at UMSL. Admission to the concert is free.

The UMSL University Singers will begin their annual midwestern tour with a program on Wednesday, March 2, at 8:15 p.m. at the St. Louis Art Museum Auditorium. The program will include music for Easter. Bruce Vantine, assistant professor of music, will direct.

Admission to the choral concert is \$4. For more information, call 553-5980.

The Kammergild Chamber Orchestra, under the direction of Lazar Gosman, will perform works by Purcell, Walton and Barber in "An English Evening," on Sunday, March 13, at 8 p.m. at the Art Museum Auditorium. Pianist Seth Carlin will be the soloist. Tickets are \$8 and \$5, with a limited number of \$3 tickets available for students and senior citizens. For more information, call 553-5991.

## Empire to strike back on KWMU radio drama

Mark Hamill, Billy Dee Williams and Anthony Daniels will re-create their film roles in National Public Radio's exclusive audio adaptation of George Lucas' "The Empire Strikes Back."

The new radio drama series debuts on KWMU (FM 91) Saturday at 2 p.m.

"The Empire Strikes Back" chronicles conflict in a galaxy far, far away. On the ice planet Hoth, a determined Rebel Alliance struggles vainly to resist Imperial Forces led by the consummately evil Darth Vader. Seeking to turn the tide, Rebel Commander Luke Skywalker journeys to the distant swamp world of Dagobah for further instructions in the way of the Jedi. There, under the tutelage of the centuries-old Jedi Master Yoda, Luke begins to learn the secret behind The Force. But a terrifying vision of endangered allies interrupts his training — leading the brave young warrior to a terrible discovery.

## Dryden

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its ability to contact its necessary news sources. "We're turning the corner in news," he said. The people in town who make the news now know who they are.

And Dryden expects the ratings to come in time. "We're running top-flight programming in hopes of attracting a broader audience," he said. "KWMU is doing some of the most exciting stuff that is being done on radio."



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1. On the average, about how many hours of television do you watch every day? \_\_\_\_\_
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4. If you answered yes to #2, do you still watch commercial TV? ☐yes ☐no
5. Do you feel that you would study more frequently if you didn't own a television set? ☐yes ☐no
6. About how many movies (in the theater) do you see every month? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Do you mainly attend ☐afternoon matinees or ☐evening showings?
8. Do you go to the movies primarily during ☐the week or ☐on weekends?
9. Do you ever go to movies alone? ☐yes ☐no
10. Does the cost of going to movies keep you away from the theater? ☐yes ☐no
11. What is your favorite type of film? (check one)  

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12. Do you read film reviews? ☐yes ☐no
13. Which of the following current movies have you seen?  

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# Schmalfeld's job means many big decisions

Greg Barnes  
reporter

Chances are you've never heard of Bob Schmalfeld. Chances are you will, though, as the new director of the University Center/Student Activities faces some major decisions affecting student interests and campus life in the coming months.

Schmalfeld, a 25-year veteran in the field of higher education, took over the newly expanded directorship in October. In his first four months, he has undertaken a major review of the programs and services administered by the U. Center, which since July encompasses Student Activities as well. The purpose of this evaluation is to set priorities, with an eye to such factors as cost-effectiveness and unnecessary duplication.

That all sounds pretty routine until one considers the implications of the impending budgetary crunch. According to Schmalfeld, action by the UM Board of Curators will in time require all auxiliary enterprises—including the University Center—to be self-supporting. Such a requirement would force Schmalfeld and his staff to compensate for the approximately \$225,000 subsidy the U. Center's operations presently receive from the university as a whole. That's about 25 percent of the U. Center's total budget.

"That looms ahead somewhere, exactly where I can't tell you. But I know that's an expectation of the Board of Curators," Schmalfeld said.

Schmalfeld denied having specific contingency plans for that eventuality. "There are a lot

"...if you cut away all those things that are not self-supporting, you probably wouldn't be providing many services."

— Bob Schmalfeld

of alternatives that you can look at. You can talk about reducing services, you can talk about raising costs, you can talk about new aspects of services which might have a potential to bring in income, you can talk about increasing fees—but it would be foolish of me to make a recommendation until I am informed [that it's absolutely necessary]," he added.

Still, students should have no illusions about what's likely to lie ahead: some combination of service cuts and new fees. If he had to act today, Schmalfeld admitted, "I would be making pretty firm cuts."

Considered in such a context, an evaluation which ranks programs and services in order of priority takes on added importance. "When we get through, we'll have ranked all of our programs," said Schmalfeld. "So anytime we are considering creating a new program, we'll know where it fits in the priority of things—and where we'll have to drop something in order to provide something else. So that setting of priorities is really [going to] be very helpful." The unmistakable implication is that it also will provide an indication of what is expendable if and when outside funding sources dry up.

But Schmalfeld cautioned that the decisions will not be made strictly on a dollars and cents basis. "You don't necessarily cut out everything that may be a marginal operation like you

would if you were running your own business," he emphasized. "One of the things a university center should provide is a reasonable number of services... because of the fact that the largest source of support is student fees. That immediately puts us in an obligated position." Things such as the Information Desk, audio-visual services, photography services and "a lot of other things" are not self-supporting, but "if you cut away all those things that are not self-supporting, you probably wouldn't be providing many services."

On the other hand, food services at the Fun Palace has recently been phased out (on Schmalfeld's recommendation) because it failed to justify the resources it required to operate.

Besides overseeing the operation of the University Center, Schmalfeld, unlike his predecessor, has jurisdiction over Student Activities. He reports to the dean of Student Affairs, Lowe S. MacLean.

Thus, students have a direct interest in the aspects of his review process which may affect their role in the governance of activities, as well as the activities themselves.

"One of the things Dean MacLean has asked me to do is to propose an appropriate governance structure for the University Center and for the University Program Board," said Schmalfeld. "I think there may be a duplication between the

[University Center Advisory Board and the University Program Board]. It's clear to me that we have one board (the program board) that's very active and has traditionally been viewed as being very effective and another (the advisory board) that over time has not been particularly active or effective. That will be one of the factors that I will weigh as I look at making a recommendation, although I don't have any recommendations to make at this time."

Schmalfeld said he has no knowledge of the ongoing controversy concerning student approval (or the lack thereof) of activities fee increases via the referendum process, a controversy which at various times has threatened to wind up in court. "If your question to me is, Do I think a referendum is necessarily appropriate? the answer is no," he added. "Unfortunately, very few people are really interested in coming out for elections, whether it be for the student body president or for issues that might be on referendum."

"I'm not sure whether [a few hundred] is necessarily better than six or eight [representing students on a University Senate committee]. It depends on quality of information on the ability to question and explore 'Why is this needed?' 'What will happen if we don't do this?' a lot of things of this kind that could be explored in a small committee that wouldn't necessarily be able to be as openly responded to on a referendum, which is after all a question to be decided 'yes' or 'no,'" he said. A careful reading of the above quotation indicates that Schmalfeld has not firmly committed himself one way or the other, a tendency one encoun-

ters repeatedly in talking with him.

Open and to the point, Schmalfeld comes equipped with a full complement of qualifiers and caveats acquired over a quarter-century of bureaucratic life.

Before coming to UMSL, Schmalfeld spent 13 years at Oklahoma State University as dean of men and dean of student affairs. In the dozen years prior to that, he served as a dean or assistant dean at Heidelberg College in Ohio, the University of Arizona, and Lea College in Minnesota, the latter of which was then a new college.

Schmalfeld spent a year between his tenure at OSU and his arrival at UMSL as a management consultant in San Francisco.

He chose to accept the UMSL post because he longed to return to the field of higher education in a metropolitan center which supplied the cultural opportunities he became accustomed to as a youth growing up in Chicago.

As an undergraduate, he majored in drama and music. He retains these interests and is exploring the idea of bringing a "madrigal dinner"—which includes food, entertainment and Christmas music—to UMSL in December.

Schmalfeld, a resident of the Central West End, also professes to be excited by the various restoration projects designed to draw people back into the central city. "I see a lot of signs that [St. Louis] is about to re-emerge and that's sort of exciting to see."

"All the things you'd ever want to see and do are here if you're inclined to see and do them."

Chances are, Schmalfeld will be seeing and doing plenty on the UMSL campus in the coming months.

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### Personals

Joe Hofer. Sorry this is late, but Happy Valentine's Day! Roses are red, violets are pink, but Hello "Hosie," What do you think? Gigi

Blondie, here's another note to you because we always have fun no matter what we do! I don't care what others say as long as we keep having fun everyday! Don't worry about school, everything will turn out cool. Buttons

Dear Snugglebuns,

Last weekend was a dream. You lured me in by saying your car was fast and surprised me when I found out you were even faster. I long for another midnight ride. Meet me at the all-campus party Friday night. Slip it into gear and I will meet you there.

Seductively,  
Your Pit Crew

The TEKES are having a non-alcoholic (dry) rush party because we are looking for a new breed of members, and to show that we can have fun without alcohol. If interested, leave Feb. 19 open on your calendar, and join us at our party house.

My bike was stolen last week. You know from where and when. You know you did it and I do too. Alas, all is forgiven. But if you want to sleep nights, return it.

TO BUTTONS: Be my belated VALENTINE! Keep practicing your right cross, and keep on poking! I hate it, but I love it! Yours always, with love, Slowbo, Jerk, Weirdo, Dork, and Spare me please.

To Hot and Bothered: I never go back on my word. Name the place and time and I'll be warmed and ready. If you're good I'll let you warm my fingers!

Nimble Fingers

Tom, Jeff, John,  
Glad to see you "poopers" are back on campus together. We missed you last semester. We are two blondes and a brunette. Tom, I'm what you always wanted. John and Jeff will make your fantasies come true.

Love, "The Playgirls"

To Coraine,  
Did you have a good weekend? Did you get ???  
I hope so.

Love, The Fireman

To Donna,  
You sexual dynamo, just kidding. I still love you. Come on over and let's play prisoner again. P.S.: Whip me, hurt me.

Your brother and Kenny

Roland:  
You made it. Congratulations. I knew you could do it. We are one step away from being together. I love you.

To the ZTA With the Cute Dimples:  
YOU REALLY LIGHT MY FIRE!

The Young One

A.G. Thanks for calling! Do you think you can just use me and then not call? Next time you feel the urge, play with someone else. I warned you—now I'll (we we'll) spread the news about you.

Your Playmate (s)

To Chris "Barry" G.,  
Leave the sharks alone in Florida.

Missing Persons

"Mr. K" -  
Roses are Red,  
Kurt will be Blue  
If our hockey team  
Moves to Saska-who.

Truuuuuuuuuuuuue?

Hope your VD was especially joyful  
Love,  
your "Palsy-Walsy"-Wolf

R.W.—Sorry that it wasn't my "Love note," but maybe next year, okay? I love you lots and I'm looking forward to the next 90 years together (maybe more?) Which is what?

N.W. to be??

ED KLEIN, We love the name Ed, or we could call you Fred; but instead it's just a silly name, but just the same, we really know your name. You probably think we're doing a snow job; but we really know your name is BOB.

Love,  
the featsome hat snatchers  
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Teri Furlow,  
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The Sisters of  
ZETA TAU ALPHA

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, DZ mother and daughter—Barb Luedde, 21 years old and Shari DeKert, a BIG 19. Sorry it's a belated message but at least you finally got your names in the Current!

In DZ love,  
the Forceful 2

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Get in shape!

# Healthier body can mean happier life

**Editor's note:** This is the fourth in a series of articles exploring various aspects of the Wellness program. Bruce Clark, assistant professor of athletics, contributed this story.

There is a familiar quotation that goes, "When I was a child, I spoke as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child; but when I became a man I put away childish things" (1 Corinthians 13:11).

It is never too early nor too late to start taking care of the most intricate, complex, and magnificent machine that you own (you're not even making payments on it)—your body. You may feel that hereditary factors have put you in either a better or worse position than others in some respect. You have little control over that. But you do have significant control over your body's environment—what you do with what you've got.

Younger people seldom give much thought to aging, at least as it relates to old age. Yet there are ways that we can help to control something that affects the way our body functions, often associated with aging—cardiovascular disease. STOP HERE, you might say. I'm too young to consider the following... it's not about me. Wrong, reader eyes... you are just the person that this article is about! Cardio (referring to the heart) vascular (referring to blood vessels) disease is by far the nation's no. 1 killer. It affects not only old, but also young individuals. The three prime risk factors, those things related most to it, are hypertension (high blood pressure), high blood cholesterol and cigarette smoking. Secondary risk factors in-

clude those we have some control over—obesity, stress and tension, diabetes and lack of exercise and those we cannot control—age (older people are most disposed to heart disease than younger ones), hereditary (some inherited factors appear related to disease tendencies), race (some risk factors affect races in different proportions) and sex (not your habits or frequency, but males are at greater risk than females). One of these factors, physical exercise, can affect you and your relationship to cardiovascular disease risk.

Most of the available research illustrates that a combination of reasonable dietary habits and regular physical exercise, three or more times per week, positively affects blood pressure, serum cholesterol and body composition. Not only is obesity controlled, but lean body weight (the "good stuff," muscle, bone etc.) is increased while fat weight (the "not-so-good stuff") is reduced, often with little overall change in body weight, but major proportional alterations. That's right, you may weigh the same, but look better.

But, you exclaim exercise is okay for those "nuts" who want to torture their bodies. You're not motivated enough to maintain a regular program? Physical exercise has been shown to generate cyclical adherence properties. As people get into exercise programs, the benefits produced regarding how the person looks, feels and perceives himself generates the motivation to repeat the experience. Further, reduced stress, tension and depression have been reported by individuals incorporating regular physical exercise into their

lifestyles. The feeling of exhilaration that is brought about by exercise usually persists for some time following the activity bout. That, along with the increased physical work capacity that accompanies training, will allow you to enjoy and be more productive in your work and play.

Now, what about the cigarette smoking? We know that it is a long-term health hazard, but it affects you now as well. The carbon monoxide in smoke combines with the red oxygen-carry-

ing cells in the blood, diminishing aerobic exercise capacity. It's also distasteful to some because of the smell, ashes and respiratory irritation. Conversely, many derive pleasure from it, which places the smoker in a quandary that regular exercise may help to resolve. Most who embark upon a regular physical activity program find smoking incompatible with their program. It's difficult to partake of sports while smoking (especially water sports—the tobacco falls

out of wet paper). Many find that the positive changes they experience due to their exercise program, both physical and emotional, help them to cut down or quit smoking.

In the springtime (believe it or not, it is coming!) doesn't your fancy turn to thoughts of love? You will love yourself and what physical activity can do for you. Treat yourself to the many benefits of physical activity. You deserve it. Try it. You will feel better and be better for it.

## Meet your average Joe UMSL

When I told my Astronomy 1 pal, Shawn, that I was doing this week's piece on the typical UMSL student he said that he didn't think that he'd read it as it would probably be boring. Thank God he didn't say more boring than usual.

Anyway, I was at a Blues game recently with my friend Jay when I pointed across Arena Circle and confidently told Jay that over yonder was an UMSL student. Jay asked me how I knew and I honestly told him that I was sure how I knew. I just did. C. a sick sense.

This got me to thinking, though, and I decided to search out a typical UMSL collegiate and introduce him to my reading audience. Hi, Mom.

After many minutes of searching I finally found him. He was sitting at a table in the Underground playing Spades with other typical UMSL guys and gals. All UMSL students play Spades. They may not admit it, but they do play.

So I randomly picked one UMSL male from the table and we sequestered ourselves up in the Summit lounge.

His first name is Dan, his middle name is Jeff and you can call him Tim. His last name always

has an 'o' in front of it. O'Leary, O'Renack, O'Murphy, O'Smith, O'Brother!

### refractions

Gary Belsky

Now Tim's father works for Anheuser Busch. Or McDonnell Douglas. His mom is a housewife who volunteers at Christian Northwest Hospital, vacuums a lot at home and drinks even more anywhere.

Tim is a business major here on the five-year plan. He would like to work in marketing at Busch, would be satisfied as a Radio Shack manager and will probably settle for a counter position at Taco Bell.

"Tim," I said, "what do you do with your free time? What sport do you play?" Tim leaned back and grinned. "Indoor soccer," he chirped. "And what do you like to watch?" I asked. "Indoor soccer." I was struggling now. "How about literature, what do you like to read?" "Indoor Soccer Digest," he answered. So as you can see Tim has a wide range of interests. He can honestly claim to know the shoe size of the entire 1979 New York Arrow Soccer team.

Still Tim is not a hermit. He has friends. He met them while playing indoor soccer. Tim even has girlfriends. His girlfriend is a typical UMSL woman. Her first name is Jane, her middle name is Kathy but you can call her Cindy. Cindy plays outdoor soccer and sweats a lot. She is an accounting major.

Both Tim and Cindy drink a lot. They both wear Nike tennis shoes also. Tim usually wears a jogging suit and a T-shirt that says something like "Yeah, Let's Party Hardy." Cindy, you'll find, wears designer shirts. Really though she only owns two at the most: she alternates and washes a lot.

Make no mistake however. Tim and Cindy are very happy. They may even get married one day. Tim is ready but Cindy refuses to have her wedding at the Checkerdome. And she simply won't be satisfied with Tim's DuBourg High School ring as a wedding band. Good luck, kids.

One last thing. For those of you who take offense at my description and want to find me, I'll describe myself. I am six foot four and 225 pounds of hard muscle. I've got blond hair and people often confuse me for Tom Selleck. Or Mr. T. That's really all you need to know.

Oh, yeah. I lie a lot.

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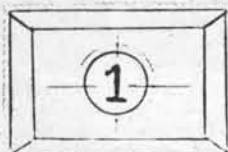


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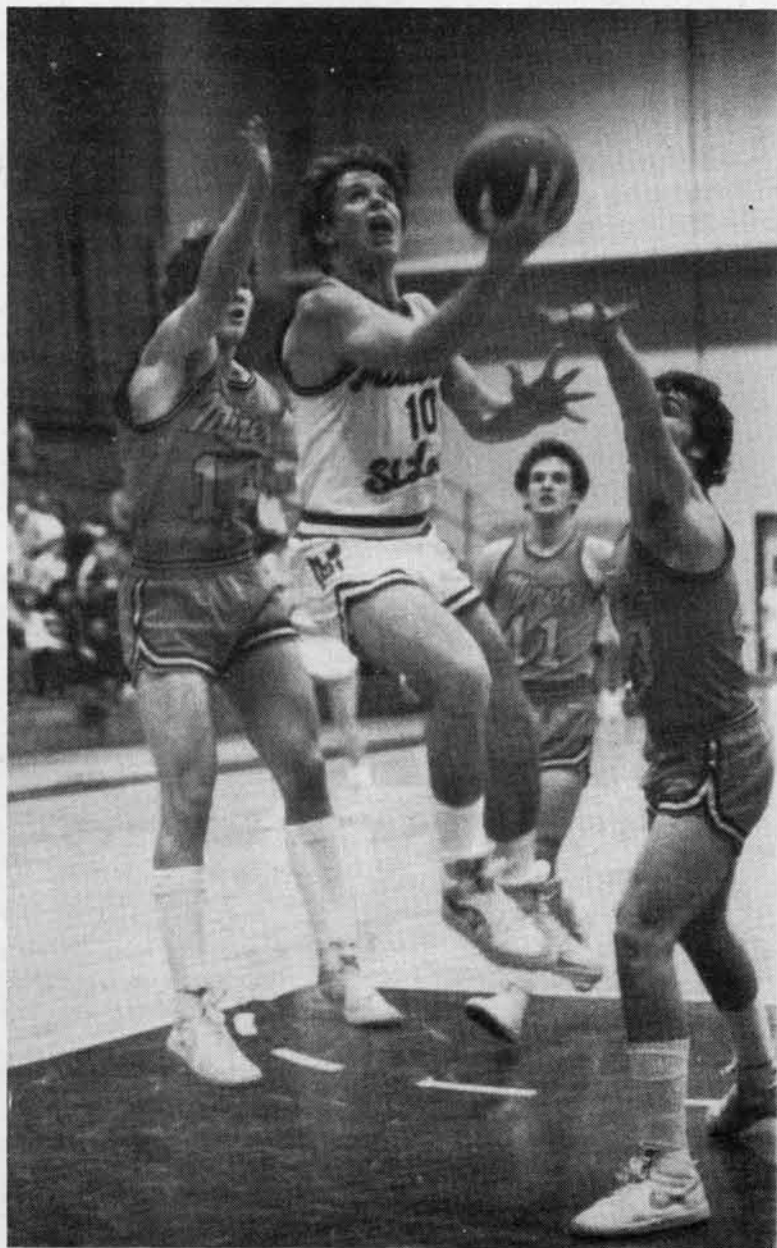
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# sports



Sharon Kubatzky

**HE SHOOTS, HE SCORES:** Bob McCormack, a guard for the Rivermen, drives for a basket against the University of Missouri-Rolla. McCormack had a season-high 18 points against the Miners as the Rivermen took a 80-67 decision.

## Rivermen get revenge; destroy Rolla, Quincy

**Kyle Muldrow**  
reporter

The games that the UMSL men's basketball team played last week can be described in two words—sweet revenge. After falling into the midst of a three-game losing streak, the Rivermen decided to take out their frustrations on two teams that had beaten them earlier in the season. They must have been pretty frustrated.

The first team to suffer was the University of Missouri-Rolla. The Miners already had beaten the Rivermen, 79-76, a game in which the red and gold lost a 13-point lead with nine minutes to go in the game. The rematch got off to a rather sloppy start, as both teams had trouble with shooting and ball handling. But the Rivermen took control midway through the first half and built up a 10-point halftime lead. The Miners stood no chance after that, as UMSL won it, 80-67.

The big story in this game was the outstanding play of sophomore guard Bob McCormack. In his first starting assignment of the season, McCormack pumped in a season-high 18 points. He also teamed up with junior Frank Cusumano in the backcourt to halt the Miner attack. The biggest highlight of the game, as far as the fraternities and sororites were concerned was a second-half slam dunk by Kurt Jacob,

which brought the already "super rowdy" Greek crowd to its feet. A "thank you" from Coach Rich Meckfessel after the game brought a memorable Greek Night to a close.

So much for festivities. Last Saturday night, the Rivermen were out for revenge again. This time, the opponents were the Quincy College Hawks, who had crushed UMSL, 76-56, way back on Dec. 6. The Hawks' main weapon was 6-foot-8 center Gary Kerkemeyer. The native of Collinsville, Ill., came into the game averaging 6.3 points and 8.3 rebounds per game.

But that didn't seem to bother the Rivermen much. They came right out in a run-and-gun style of offense that totally befuddled the Quincy defense. On the defensive side of the game, the Rivermen's man-to-man defense was forcing an abundance of turnovers.

Under the boards, not even Kerkemeyer could outdo the aggressiveness of Ron Porter. Kurt Berg and Reggie Clabon. Carlos Smith and McCormack, who got his second straight starting assignment, couldn't miss on their shooting and were passing and driving right through Quincy's man-to-man. For that matter, so was everybody else. When the first half was finally over, UMSL held a commanding 47-35 lead.

The second half was a direct

replay of the first half. The Rivermen never let up on their bewildered opponents until the 6-minute mark, when they went into a stall. Quincy already was out of it. The Rivermen got revenge again, crushing the Hawks, 94-77 (and that score is no joke).

To summarize the Rivermen's dominance of the game, look at it this way: They had five players who scored in double figures. Carlos Smith led the way with 22 points, Reggie Clabon had 20, Ron Porter had 18, Kurt Berg had 17, and Bob McCormack had 11. Porter also had 10 rebounds, while Berg had six.

Two big wins in one week—maybe that's what they mean when they say, "Revenge is sweet."

**UMSL notes:** The Rivermen's record is now 11-11, with a conference record of 3-5. . . The Rivermen are now in a three-way tie for fourth place in the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association, along with Rolla and Northwest Missouri State University. The fourth-place team will get a bid into the MIAA playoffs. . . Junior forward Joe Edwards is now back in action after being sidelined for a month with an ankle injury. . . The team's next home game is Saturday, Feb. 19, against Northwest Missouri State University. Tipoff time is 8 p.m.

## Riverwomen start anew; now stand at 9-12 overall

**Kurt Jacob**  
reporter

Coach Mike Larson and his basketball team have started a "new season." As of Saturday night, his womens' team was sporting a perfect 2-0 record in this new season and playing well.

"We have a different outlook on the year now," Larson said. "We put everything behind us and decided to start from scratch."

"The team agreed to forget the first part of the season and to just look ahead," he said.

So far, the new attitude had worked splendidly. UMSL destroyed UM-Rolla, 89-54, and handed Division I St. Louis University an 82-69 setback.

Against Rolla, the Riverwomen came out from the opening tipoff running, chasing and trapping the bigger, slower Miners.

The strategy definitely paid off as Rolla found itself fortunate to get the ball past midcourt. The Miners threw countless passes away as UMSL came up with an amazing 22 steals.

"Rolla didn't handle the pressure well the first time we played them," Larson said. "We knew what we had to do to win."

"We just pressed them from the beginning and we had good results," he said.

The results: 35 Rolla turnovers

and an easy UMSL win.

Five people scored in double figures for UMSL. Sandy Moore led the way with 23 points followed by Kandy Stickrod with 13 points and eight rebounds, Chris Meier with 12, and Renee Skaggs and Georgia Hinson with 10 apiece.

Last Saturday, the UMSL squad went downtown to the West Pine Gym to take on the Lady Billikens from St. Louis U. This was the second game in UMSL's young "new season."

This game was particularly special for UMSL senior guard Chris Meier. She would be going up against her sister, Katie, a freshman starter for SLU.

Most of the Meier family which took up nearly half the gym was present at the game displaying various signs such as "GO UMSL," and "GO UMSLU."

Both Meier sisters played well but Chris' team got the better of Katie's.

UMSL again came out pressing, setting the fast-paced tempo for the contest. They then dropped back into an aggressive man-to-man with UMSL defensive specialist Sandy Moriarty on SLU's star forward, Carolyn Drane.

Though SLU was much bigger than UMSL (6 foot 4, 5 foot 11 and 5 foot 9 across the front line), the Riverwomen moved the ball very well and hit the open shot.

"We executed very well offensively," Larson said. "Sandy (Moriarty), Karen (Lauth) and Sandy (Moore) did a great job of passing inside."

"They're passing resulted in a lot of wide open shots," he said.

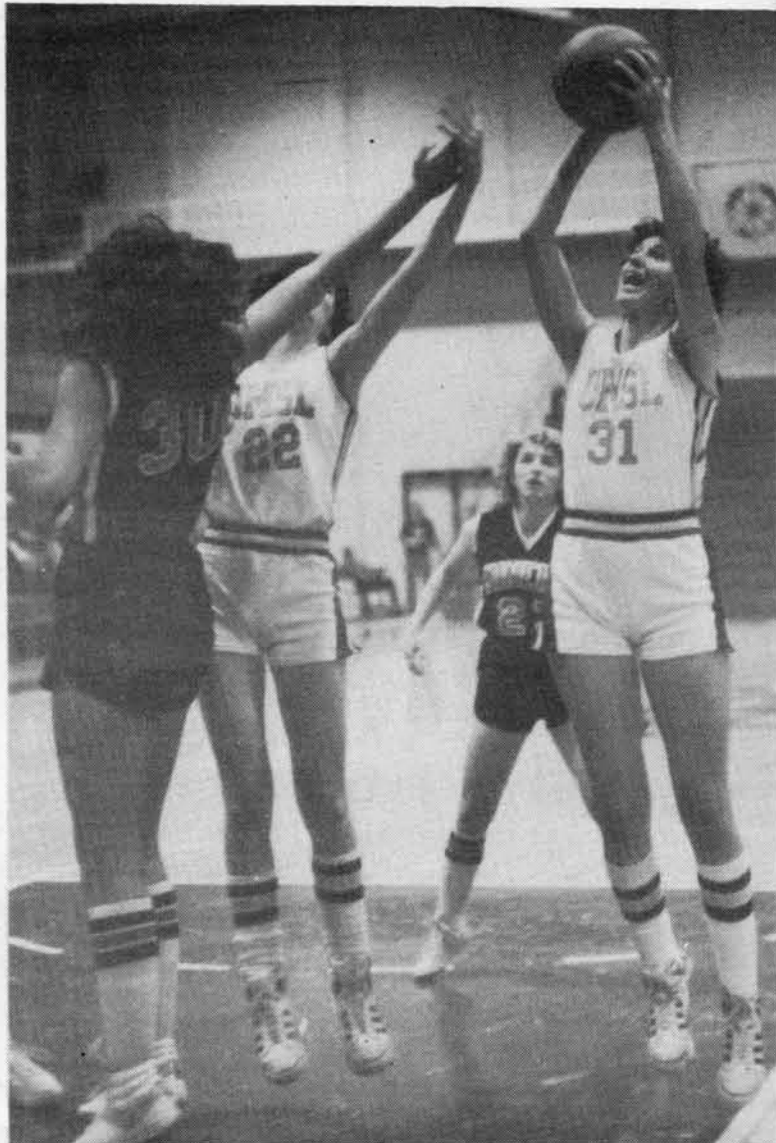
UMSL, which shot a brilliant 57 percent from the field, never trailed in the game and was up by as many as 26 points at one time. They never were seriously threatened in the second half.

A very balanced scoring attack led UMSL to victory. Meier and Stickrod had 14 apiece, Moore chipped in with 13, and junior Ellie Schmink added 11.

"We're not depending on one person to carry the load for us," Larson said. "Everybody is contributing. Everybody is doing their part."

It sounds like good ingredients for a "new season."

**UMSL NOTES:** The Riverwomen are 9-12 overall and 2-6 in league play. . . UMSL traveled to Jefferson City last night to take on Lincoln in a key Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association game; the Tigerettes defeated UMSL 60-46 earlier in the year. . . UMSL hosts Northwest Missouri State University this Saturday night in a 5:45 p.m. game; NWMS beat UMSL 64-62 three weeks ago in Maryville. . . Senior guard Renee Skaggs has quit the team for personal reasons.



Sharon Kubatzky

**KAREN AND KANDY:** Karen Lauth puts up a shot against the University of Missouri-Rolla. The Riverwomen got back on the right track this week as they defeated Rolla 89-54. They also took measure of Saint Louis University 82-69. Kandy Stickrod (22) lends Lauth a helping hand.



# Skaters finish second; face Meramec in playoffs

Bob Chitwood  
reporter

The UMSL skaters' battle with St. Louis Community College at Meramec last Thursday night was just that: a battle. With emotions running high and second place on the line, the Rivermen stayed in control posting a 5-2 victory.

UMSL — Meramec hockey has turned into quite a rivalry. Both teams have learned to lace their skates extra tight in preparation for a fast-paced, hard-checking affair. "The play was pretty physical against Meramec," acknowledged UMSL winger Chris Sprague.

After a relatively clean first period, the second and third periods disintegrated into a minor war. Sixteen penalties were assessed including three game misconducts and one gross misconduct.

Regardless of the penalty situation, red and gold defenseman Craig Gulley was pleased with the Rivermen's game. "We played well, skated well, and pretty much dominated the game. By and large they (Meramec) were out of control."

The home skaters forced Meramec into errors by jumping out to a 2-1 first period lead. Sprague scored first, assisted by Jerry Polk midway through the period. The lead didn't last long, however, as Warrior Tim O'Hara struck 15 seconds later to even the match. With just over one minute left to play in the period Bill Karides slipped a pass from

## League Standings

	W	L	T	PTS
SLU	11	2	1	23
UMSL	9	5	0	18
Meramec	7	6	1	15
Parks	0	14	0	0

Jim Langhardt into the Meramec net.

Rough play and a penalty overshadowed second-period action.

Meramec captain Jeff Burley, who entered the game late, took his first skating shift halfway through the second period. On a Warrior rush into the UMSL zone Burley unleashed a slapshot that goalie Mark Starr glove-saved. Frustrated, Burley skated in on Starr and waved his stick into the goalie's face.

Messing with the goalie is an unwritten hockey no-no. Rivermen defenseman Eric Amundson let Burley know that in no uncertain terms by driving the Meramec captain into the boards. Amundson and Burley were penalized and told to head for the penalty box. Amundson went, Burley argued. As the referee went to inform the statistician of the penalties he was checked by Burley in front of astonished players and fans.

Bye-bye Burley. He was hit with a gross misconduct and suspended for the remainder of the season, which consists of the playoffs.

Meramec tied the score at two, but the home stickhandlers came

right back. Jim Demos made it 3-2 on a shorthanded goal from assist whiz and playmaker Gulley. With just seven seconds left in the period, Darides found the back of the Warrior net on a pass from Gulley.

"They got frustrated," theorized Gulley on the Warriors second period penalty problem. Sprague agreed. "When they start to lose; they start to fight," he said.

Sprague closed the scoring book with 1 minute, 56 seconds on assists from defenseman Ken Whitbrodt and Rick Peterson.

In the last two games Sprague has been on a scoring rampage, pocketing four goals and one assist. Sprague gives a lot of credit to his teammates and especially Gulley, who has six assists the last two games against Saint Louis University and Meramec.

The final bomb of the battle landed with 1 minute 3 seconds left in the game. The match was halted when UMSL's Gip Garafolo and Meramec's Andy Cleveland squared off. Both benches emptied onto the ice and the referees decided it was time to send everyone home.

The struggle for second place and a newfound rivalry between these two foes created the excessively rough play, which is the exception rather than the rule in the St. Louis Collegiate Hockey League.

UMSL completed its regular season Sunday evening with a 17-3 thrashing of Parks College. The Riverman's first season record is an impressive 10-5.

The league playoffs begin tonight at 8:45 p.m. when SLU faces off against league lightweight Parks. In the evening late

See "Skaters," page 16

# Cusumano looks to broadcasting after finishing education

Curt Melchior  
sports editor

We all go through stages in our lives. Some stages are more important than others. Frank Cusumano is at an important stage in his life.

Cusumano is a guard for the Rivermen basketball team. Even though he does not start most of the time, he is happy with his role on the team. "There has been a 360 degree turnaround in the attitude here with Coach [Rich] Meckfessel. This is the first year that I have enjoyed playing basketball since I was at DeSmet. Somebody once said it is not who starts the game but who finishes it," according to Cusumano.

DeSmet Jesuit High School Basketball went through a stage where it won 63 straight games. Cusumano was an integral part of that streak. He sees one difference between the winning attitude at DeSmet and the rebuilding one at UMSL. "The difference between DeSmet and UMSL was seven feet. Steve Stipanovich was the most dominating player in the area. Students at DeSmet are imbedded with a winning atmosphere and Stipanovich added to that atmosphere," according to Cusumano.

Meckfessel has this to say about Cusumano. "Frank has done well in the first-guard-off-the-bench role. His defense has helped us in some games as well. The intensity and enthusiasm he plays with enables him to get the utmost out of his abilities. Frank is

the type of person who we can say, later on, that we were proud to have in our program," according to Meckfessel.

Almost everyone who attends college does so with a specific career in mind. Cusumano is no exception. He would like to be either a sportscaster or sportswriter. "Broadcasting is more of a challenge but I would like to do both. In broadcasting, delivery is just as important as creative writing. Consequently, there is more pressure in broadcasting," Cusumano said.

The epitome of professional broadcasters is ex-Missouri Tiger basketball announcer Bob Costas. Costas now announces baseball, football, basketball and other sports for NBC. Cusumano would like to emulate Costas when he (Cusumano) graduates from college. "Costas' potential is unlimited. He is a spectacular talent who is also a warm person. He cares about others and would be a success at whatever he does," Cusumano said.

Cusumano has a headstart on his career. He does play-by-play and color commentary for various sports at Warner-Amex Cable Communications of St. Louis Inc. He also has a show on KWMU FM-91 called "Sports Spectrum." This show airs every Sunday evening from 11:30 p.m. to midnight. "The thing that is most enjoyable for me is doing the Spectrum. I have written, produced, and even

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# Women standout in classroom

Dan Kimack  
assistant sports editor

While the women's basketball and softball teams usually are overshadowed by the men's basketball and baseball limelight, the women athletes themselves are shining brightly in the classroom.

Each semester, in an effort to give women athletes incentive to do well with their studies, Assistant Athletic Director Judy Berres publishes overall team grade point averages for all women's sports programs. Berres also keeps records of all female athletes acquiring dean's list stature for each individual semester.

"I started the idea a few years ago," Berres said. "It's supposed to be an incentive to the women and interesting to each team. It serves as competition to do well in the classroom."

For the 1982 fall semester, Mike Larson's women's basketball and softball teams finished

in the top spots of Berres' rankings.

The women's basketball squad led other teams with an overall grade point average of 2.871. Larson's softball team finished a close second at 2.834. The Riverwomen soccer team finished third with a GPA of 2.398, followed by the volleyball squad at 2.317. The tennis and swimming teams finished up the rankings with 2.320 and 2.123 team GPAs, respectively.

Also, the women's softball and basketball teams placed their share of student-athletes on the dean's list. Five softballers earned 3.0 GPAs or better, while three basketball women also earned recognition for their prowess in the classroom.

Softballer player Lisa Studnicki paced the women athletes with a 4.0 grade point for the semester. Lori Davidson (basketball and softball), Susan Hilmes (softball), Sandy Moriarty (basketball) and Ellie Schmink (basketball) all did 3.5 or better GPA work. Two softballers,

Diane Fredriksen and Pat Maleas, both earned a 3.2 or better.

"The women's basketball team has been consistently high in their grade point performance," said Berres. "In the fall and winter of '82, the basketball team had the best grade point of any women's team."

"We have a lot of women that may qualify for conference competition," said Berres. "The conference will host an all-Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association academic squad. There will be both men and women all-conference teams, and both will award first- and second-team honors. Both the first and second teams will consist of 10 members from the entire conference. A cumulative average of 3.0 is needed."

Other women athletes to make the dean's list are Sue Durrer (volleyball), and Jan and Joan Gettemeyer, Linda Horvath, Theresa Nappier and Deborah Lewis, all from the women's soccer team.

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## Current regrets error

The diver who was pictured on the front page of the sports section last week was incorrectly identified.

He was identified as Bob Swain, when the diver really was Tony Rogers. The Current regrets any inconvenience that this error may have caused.





**COOSE CONTROL:** This is Frank Cusumano in action on the basketball court. Off the court Cusumano can be seen in action on Warner Amex cable sports events. "Sports Spectrum" is hosted by Cusumano on KWMU. It is aired Sunday evenings from 11:30 p.m. to midnight.

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done some engineering on the Spectrum. I have also gotten talk to various personalities such as Danny White, Tom Lasorda, and Joe Garagiola in connection with the Spectrum. My work on the Spectrum and at KWMU has taught me more than I could have ever learned in a classroom. The people there are great," said Cusumano.

Cusumano credits DeSmet with most of what he has today. "Every contact I have ever made is directly related to DeSmet basketball and Coach Rich Grawer. When we had the consecutive game winning streak going, there would always be press people at the games. If I had gone to another school I would not have gotten the opportunities I got while I was at DeSmet," Cusumano said.

Cusumano's most inspiring moment was, oddly enough,

when teammate and close personal friend Ron Tyler died last season during pickup basketball game. Cusumano wrote an article about Tyler for the St. Louis Globe-Democrat Sports Special page. "I wrote the article with tears in my eyes. It only took me 20 minutes to write that article. I felt the area deserved to know what kind of player and person Ron was and I was the one who was privileged enough to tell them. I did the article and took it to Dick Wagner (Globe-Democrat sportswriter) who decided to run the story," Cusumano said.

Frank Cusumano is going through the college stage of his life just like the rest of us. A good education and personal initiative are needed to succeed in the business world. Cusumano has the will to succeed. He also has the talent.

## Skaters

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game, at 10:30 UMSL meets the Warriors of Meramec.

While tonight's rematch may be tough, the Rivermen already are looking ahead.

"I want SLU more than Meramec," said Sprague. All the home-team skaters feel they can beat SLU for the league championship. All season "SLU only had two losses," observed Sprague, "and we gave them both of them." He continued, "We seem to be getting the job done lately. Our defense is as solid as can be."

The forerunner of that defense is goalie Starr who is in "cham-

pionship form" according to Gulley.

What it all boils down to is the team that wants the championship the most probably will win it. The Rivermen skaters are playing their best hockey of the season. They have won five straight.

The road to the championship game begins tonight against Meramec in a 10:30 p.m. duel at the Dellwood Ice Arena, 10266 West Florissant Road. Admission is free. The winners of this evening's games will face off Sunday night in the championship.

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# Keggers lead basketball

Ronn Tipton  
reporter

With all the nice weather we have been having lately, it seems that everyone would turn his or her attention to summertime activities.

However, the sudden climate change also has helped the UMSL intramural program. The basketball leagues are the main intramural activity going on now, and they are coming into full bloom.

In the Tuesday afternoon league, the Keggers (3-0) maintained their lead over the Shorts (2-0) and Devastation (2-1). Following these three are the Big Dogs (1-1), ROTC-1 (1-1), the Deans (0-3) and the Beach Bums (0-3). The Keggers easily downed the Deans 58-29 Tuesday. Meanwhile, the Shorts and Devastation battled it out for second place. The Shorts came

## intramural report

out on top 53-49. Also, the Big Dogs annihilated the hapless Beach Bums 64-21. Next Tuesday's games are ROTC-1 vs. Devastation, Big Dogs vs. the Deans, and the Shorts vs. the Keggers.

The United Blacks and Salt & Pepper are tied for the first place in the Thursday league. Both teams are 2-0. Behind them come the Butchers (1-1), Biology Club (1-1), FUBAR (0-2) and the Papal Bulls (0-2). Last week's action included the United Blacks bombing FUBAR 88-41, Salt & Pepper getting by the Biology Club 51-40, and the Butchers swamping the Papal Bulls 63-22. Tonight's games are United

Blacks vs. Butchers, FUBAR vs. Salt & Pepper, and Biology Club vs. the Papal Bulls.

As for the night league, Fubar (1-0) and the No Names (1-0) are on top in the A division while the Baseball Rivermen (2-0) and Beta Alpha Psi (2-0) are leading the B division. The rest of the A division looks like this: Icemen (1-1), Fighting Irish (1-1), and the Latecomers (0-2). Likewise, the rest of B division standings are Papal Bulls (1-1), Optometry School (1-1), and Psychos (0-2).

Switching from basketball to volleyball, one finds the Shorts and Soft Set leading the league with 2-0 records. After them come Special Forces (2-1), the Tennis Team (1-1), ROTC Too (1-2), Phi Zappa Krappa (0-2) and Sig Tau (0-2).

**Intramural Notes:** A frisbee clinic will be held Feb. 24th at 3 p.m. in the Mark Twain gym. Admission is free.

# Greek night comes back

Curt Melchior  
sports editor

If at first you do succeed, try, try again. At least that is what the UMSL athletic department is doing. It will hold another "Greek Night" on Wednesday, Feb. 23. The Rivermen will face the Northeast Missouri State University Bulldogs in a 8 p.m. contest. A game between the Riverwomen and the Northeast Missouri State women's team will take place at 5:45 p.m.

The first "Greek Night" was held Feb. 9. According to UMSL Sports Publicist Dan Lehr the response was good. "We had approximately 1,000 people at that game. That is good for a game at that time of the week.

Most of the crowd consisted of the eight Greek fraternities and sororities that turned out that night. They were really enthusiastic," Lehr said.

There will be many prizes given away at the upcoming "Greek Night." Two pizzas from Pantera's and a trophy from Wilson Trophy Co. will be awarded to the most enthusiastic fraternity or sorority in attendance. The halftime entertainment will consist of a performance by the McCluer High School Drill Team.

That is not the really good news, however. The really good news is that a certain number of people will be picked out of the crowd to try and make a halfcourt shot. If this shot is made, then

that lucky person will win a free trip to Las Vegas. The trip will run for three days and two nights and is given by Huffman Travel Agency.

"The Greeks were really good on February 9 and we hope to have at least that many come out again on February 23," Lehr said. A good basketball game and nice prizes should be incentive enough for everyone to come out Wednesday.

This will be the Rivermen's last home game of the season. Currently, they are tied with the Bulldogs for the fourth and final playoff spot in the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association standings. Maybe a big crowd will be just what the Rivermen need to propel themselves into postseason action.

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