

"Monday Nights in Ryle" Features Sit-In Participant



Joseph McNeil

One of four African-American college students involved with the famous sit-in at the Greensboro, N.C., Woolworth's lunch counter in 1960 will speak at 8 p.m., Oct. 17, in Ryle Hall main lounge.

Joseph McNeil was 17 when he and fellow students decided to challenge laws barring blacks from many public facilities in the South. Their protest led to similar sit-ins across the country in 50 cities and nine states. Woolworth lunch counters were opened to all on July 25, 1960.

McNeil said Woolworth was chosen as the sit-in site because it was a national institution. During that time, Woolworth only segregated its lunch counters in the South. An eight-foot section of the Woolworth counter and other items from the store were recently obtained by the Smithsonian's Museum of American History.

Currently, McNeil lives in Hempstead, N.Y., where he is a manager in the Flight Standards Division of the Federal Aviation Administration. McNeil's lecture is sponsored by Monday Nights in Ryle, the Office of Multicultural Affairs and the Division of Social Science. ☛



A camera crew films a commercial opposing Amendment 7 on campus Oct. 13. The commercial is funded by the Committee to Protect Missouri's Future and will run statewide. ☛

Northeast Featured In The Kansas City Star

Northeast was featured on the front page of the Oct. 10 issue of *The Kansas City Star*. The article, "Small, but big value," focused on Northeast's reputation for academic excellence and its assessment program.

Staff writer Diane Carroll interviewed stu-

dents and faculty and President Jack Magruder during a recent visit to campus. In addition, she spoke to Michael McManis, associate commissioner for the Missouri Coordinating Board for Higher Education.

"It's not an exaggeration to say they [Northeast] are a model in the country," McManis stated in the article. "Institutions do seek them out for assistance."

The article and McManis went on to say that "...he thinks the assessment program works well because administrators at Northeast have never used it to punish professors. In fact, he said, the faculty and administrators work well together, and faculty often play a key role in administrative decisions.

For a copy of the article, stop by the Public Relations Office, McClain Hall 106. ☛

The Impact of Amendment 7 On Public Safety

In addition to the loss of budget and personnel, a significant number of Public Safety facilities will be closed.

- ✓ Close 20 of 67 National Guard Armories.
- ✓ Close three Highway Patrol Satellite Headquarters; cancel opening of Troop J.
- ✓ Close three of six Liquor Control Offices.
- ✓ Close two of five Veterans Homes. This means the loss of 332 beds in Missouri.
- ✓ Close one of five Water Patrol Zone Offices.

Missouri Department of Public Safety

DPS Divisions	\$\$\$ Lost	Potential Lost Personnel
Director's Office	176,000	8
Mo. National Guard	2,300,000	77
Emergency Mgmt. Agency	301,000	14
Highway Safety	234,000	6
Veteran's Commission	5,500,000	261
Capitol Police	308,000	13
Fire Safety	1,082,000	18
Liquor Control	874,000	35
Water Patrol	1,323,000	31
Highway Patrol	34,200,000	731
TOTAL LOSS	46,298,000	1,176
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS LOST		441
-Department of Public Safety		

Challenge For Excellence Announced

For the first time, supporters of Northeast Missouri State University have additional incentive for providing private funding resources for University students, faculty and programs. It is called the 1995 Challenge for excellence, and it is under way now.

Six Northeast graduates have challenged alumni and friends of the University with personal financial commitments to match every "new" dollar contributed to the 1995 Annual Fund with a dollar of their

The leaders of the Challenge for Excellence campaign are Kenneth R. Bounds ('71) of Glen Ellyn, Ill., Gary Hollingsworth ('72) and his wife, Theresa, of Olivette, Mo., Josephine Jansons ('39) of Rockville, Md., Donald D. ('50) and Jolene D. Scriven ('54) of DeKalb, Ill., and L.L. Via ('48) of Scottsdale, Ariz.

"Nationally recognized excellence deserves nourishment," said the Scrivens. "We wanted to see the educational environment continued that served us so well."

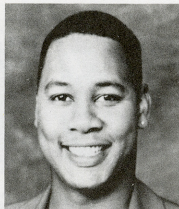
Additionally, the entire amount received from first time contributors will be matched dollar for dollar.

All increased contributions to this year's Annual Fund will be matched, whether the contributor supports a particular scholarship, organization, academic division, or provides an unrestricted gift.

"This Challenge for Excellence gives everyone an opportunity to participate, whether or not they have been a past contributor to the NMSU Development Fund," said Dale Schenewerk, chief advancement officer. "The Challenge leaders want to ensure that all alumni and friends have the chance to take part in making this challenge succeed."

"The faculty was second to none," Via said. "This is my way of repaying the University and saying thank you."

In an effort to contact nearly 30,000 alumni, parents and friends of Northeast to take part in the 1995 Challenge for Excellence, the annual Tel-Alumni Campaign began Oct. 16. ♡



Mark Curry Headlines Homecoming

Comedian Mark Curry, commonly known as Mark Cooper of ABC's *Hangin' With Mr. Cooper* headlines this year's Homecoming activities. Curry will perform at 8 p.m., Oct. 29 in Baldwin Auditorium. Tickets are available in the Alumni Office, McClain Hall 106.

Tickets are \$10 for adults (in advance) and \$12 at the door; \$8 for children under 12 (in advance) and \$10 at the door; and \$6 for Northeast students with a current ID (in advance) and \$8 at the door.

Curry's performance is sponsored by the Alumni Office and the NMSU Alumni Association. ♡

In recognition of the campus-wide effort to support the Committee to Protect Missouri's Future in resolving the Amendment 7 (Hancock II) ballot issue, the **1994-95 Faculty and Staff Campaign** has been rescheduled for kickoff on Jan. 23.

own. Collectively, they have offered a total of \$50,000.

"This is a great opportunity for everyone associated with Northeast to show their support by taking the challenge and investing in the future of more than 6,000 talented and deserving students," President Jack Magruder said.

Any increase in an individual's contribution for last fiscal year (July 1, 1993 through June 30, 1994) creates a match of an equal amount from the challenge pool. An individual whose gift increases to \$150 from \$100 last year will have the \$50 increase matched by the Challenge For Excellence Leaders.

Annual Vreeland Lecture To Be Presented Oct. 20

Susan Ball, director of the College Art Association, will present "Purism and the Machine Age: humanizing the mechanical or mechanizing the human?", Oct. 20 at 3:30 p.m. in the SUB Alumni Room. Ball's lecture is sponsored by the Barbara Early Vreeland Lectureship in History and is free and open to the public.

Joseph Vreeland established the Barbara Early Vreeland Lectureship in History through the NMSU Development Fund three years ago in memory of his wife, Barbara, who graduated magna cum laude from Northeast in 1973 with bachelor's degrees in history and French.

For the past eight years, Ball has directed the College Art Association, an 82-year-old artist-scholar professional organization with more than 14,000 members. Previously, she was director of government and foundation affairs at

the Art Institute of Chicago. She has also worked with Chase Manhattan Bank and the Real Estate Board of New York.

Ball earned a doctorate in history of art and architecture from Yale University, where she served as a research assistant and teaching fellow. She holds a master's degree in the history of art from the University of California-Riverside and a bachelor's degree with a concentration in European thought and culture from Scripps College. She has also studied French art history at Ecole Du Louvre, Paris.

She serves on the board of directors of Arttable, a national organization of professional women in visual arts, the National Cultural Alliance and the National Humanities Alliance. ♡

Northeast Notes

Legislative internship applications are available for students wishing to serve a full-time internship in the Missouri General Assembly. The internship begins in early January and runs through the end of the General Assembly. Forms and additional information may be secured in the Center for Service-Learning, McKinney Center.

Volunteers are needed to serve as polling judges for the Nov. 8 election. If you are interested in helping, contact County Clerk Joan Elmore at 665-3350.

Blue Key announces registration for the 1994-95 College Bowl teams. Teams will consist of five members each, and the tournament is limited to 16 teams. The tournament will be held on Nov. 14-16. Sign up for teams by 5 p.m. Oct. 28 in the CAOC Office. Registration fee is \$25 per team. Anyone interested in volunteering may call Jim Nugent at 627-1757.

The men of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity announce the sponsorship of its \$100 book scholarship for African-American students. To apply, students should submit a resume and a one-page essay stating why they deserve the scholarship to the Kappa Alpha Psi mailbox in the SUB. Essays and resumes are due by Nov. 4.

Youth basketball coaches needed (grades 3 - 8) for Adair County Family YMCA on Saturday or Sunday afternoons at Greenwood School Gym. Training and orientation is provided and mandatory. For details call 665-1922. **The YMCA will sponsor line dance instruction** at 7 p.m. Nov. 3 - Dec. 15. Cost is \$12 for members and \$24 for non-members, per six weeks. For more details call 665-1922.

The honor society Phi Kappa Phi will hold its fall meeting at 4 p.m. on Oct. 26 in the SUB Alumni Room. President Jack Magruder will address the chapter. Following the address there will be a brief business meeting. All are welcome to attend.

Chinese Magic Revue To Perform



The Chinese Magic Revue will bring their precision and grace to Northeast's stage at 8 p.m.

Oct. 25, in Baldwin Auditorium.

The multi-faceted production features dazzling acrobatic displays, feats of balance, explosive Kung Fu, brilliant costumes and a touch of Chinese comedy.

The Revue's performance is sponsored by Multicultural Affairs, the Chinese Students Association and the International Student Office. Admission is free and open to the public.

1994 United Way Campaign



Northeast has reached 47% of its \$37,000 goal. Thanks.

The NCAA Foundation is offering a scholarship program for sports-journalism students. Eight \$3,000 scholarships will be awarded to juniors who have experience in sports journalism and who will be full-time seniors during the 1995-96 school year. For more information and an application, contact the Financial Aid Office, McClain Hall 103.

Unique Ensemble Gospel Choir will perform a Gospel Concert, "Witnessing Through Song," at 2 p.m. on Oct. 30 in the SUB Activities Room. Refreshments will be served afterward and admission is free.

AMA's Third Annual Conference for Working Women: "Leading Through Chaos" will be held from 11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. on Oct. 19 in the SUB Activities Room. Please call the Instructional Technology Center at 785-4545 by noon on Oct. 18 to register for the teleconference. Feel free to bring lunch; beverages will be provided.

Mark Salinas' "Winners Exhibition, National Art Competition" is on display until Nov. 18 in the University Art Gallery in Ophelia Parrish. The Gallery is open 9:30 a.m. - 7 p.m., Monday - Friday, and noon - 4:30 p.m., Saturday. An opening reception will be held at 8 p.m. Oct. 17 in the Gallery; admission is free and all are welcome to attend.

The Center for Service-Learning is sponsoring a Habitat for Humanity trip over Spring Break. This trip is open to students. Contact Kristen or Michelle at 785-4265 if you are interested.

Advance tickets to the Bulldog Homecoming football game can be purchased at the Pershing ticket booth from 1:30 - 5 p.m. on Oct. 27 and from 2:30 - 5 p.m. on Oct. 28. Ticket prices are: reserved, \$7, and general admission, \$5. For more information call 785-4236.

There will be a Career Fair in Omaha, Neb., on Oct. 19. The Fair will be held at the Holiday Inn Convention Center from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. There is no fee. For more information, call (402) 697-9503.

A Celebrity Benefit Auction will be held at 6 p.m. on Nov. 17 at the Days Inn. All proceeds will go toward funding the Roger E. Cody Music Scholarship and the William R. Murray Art Scholarship. For information call 785-4417.

This Week

17 Monday

8 a.m. - 2 p.m.--**Phi Theta Kappa**, national honor society, bake sale, McClain Hall. Buy an item and qualify to win a chance to shoot the cannon at the Homecoming game.

10 a.m.--**Northeast's Second Annual Ronald E. McNair Presentation and Luncheon**, SUB Tangerine Room.

7 p.m.--**"Developing a Hispanic - American Identity,"** Violette Hall 172. This program is sponsored by SALSA in conjunction with Hispanic Heritage Month; admission is free.

--**"Easter Celebration"** led by the Rev. Larry R. Linville, Faith United Methodist.

8 p.m.--**"Putting a Down Payment On Our Manhood,"** by Joseph McNeil, Kyle Hall main lounge. See story, p. 1.

--**German Club open meeting**, Ophelia Parrish 113A. Ryan Sather will talk about

his internship in Germany. --**Opening reception for artist Mark Salinas**, University Art Gallery.

18 Tuesday

11 a.m. - 6 p.m.--**Rummage Sale for the United Way** sponsored by Alpha Sigma Gamma, Ryle Hall main lounge.

7 p.m.--**"Pentecost Celebration"** led by the Rev. Larry R. Linville, Faith United Methodist. Everyone is invited to wear red to this service.

19 Wednesday

11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.--**"Leading Through Chaos,"** AMA's Conference for Working Women, SUB Activities Room. See Notes.

12:30 - 1:30 p.m.--**"Using journals to assess and support student understanding,"** a Faculty Development Lunch Series, SUB Spanish Room.

7 p.m.--**"Bilingualism,"** sponsored by SALSA, Kirk Memorial Rotunda.

8 p.m.--**Museum** by Tina Howe sponsored by NMSU Theatre Department and University Players, Baldwin Hall Actors Studio, Baldwin Hall 180. Admission is free. *Museum* runs through Oct. 22.

8 p.m.--**Guest Saxophone Recital** by John Vana, assistant professor of saxophone at Western Illinois University, SUB Activities Room.

9 p.m.--**NEMO News**, Channel 19; also on Oct. 20.

20 Thursday

3:30 p.m.--**Annual Vreeland Lecture** presented by Susan Ball, SUB Alumni Room.

7 p.m.--**"Hispanic outreach in the American community,"** SUB Alumni Room.

--**Erotic Sex Literature Performance Hour** sponsored by Reader's Roundtable, Violette Hall 172.

8 a.m. - 2 p.m.--**Phi Theta Kappa** bake sale in McClain Hall.

3:30 p.m.--**"Group Dynamics"** business and accounting workshop by Lynn Ratcliff, professor of communication, Violette Hall 111.

21 Friday

7 and 9:30 p.m.--**The Flintstones**, sponsored by SAB, Baldwin Auditorium. Free to students.

7:30 p.m.--**The Northeast Missouri Folk Dance Society** sponsors Contra Dancing at the Journal Building. Instruction and open dance. Admission is \$2.

22 Saturday

6:30 p.m.--**Oktoberfest at the University Clubhouse.** Dinner and drinks served for \$5. All faculty and staff invited.

7 and 9:30 p.m.--**I Love Trouble**, sponsored by SAB, Baldwin Auditorium. Free to students.

23 Sunday

noon - sundown--**Medieval Fair and Demonstration**, in front of Missouri Hall.

1994 HOMECOMING SCHEDULE

Monday, Oct. 24

-Street Graffiti Judging
-Building Decorations Judging
9 p.m.--**Kickoff comedian**, Eddie Brill
-Bonfire

Tuesday, Oct. 25

-Spades Tournament
8 p.m.--**Chinese Magic Revue**
9:30 p.m.--**Karaoke**

Wednesday, Oct. 26

-Kirksville Day
11 a.m.--**Pumpkin Carving**
3 p.m.--**Trivial Pursuit**

4:30 p.m.--**Powderpuff Football**

5 p.m.--**Scavenger Hunt**
7 p.m.--**Volleyball** Tournament

8:30 p.m.--**Drive-in Movie Thursday, Oct. 27**

-**Banner Contest** Judging
11 a.m. - 4 p.m.-- **Barbecue** on the Mall

8 p.m.--**Lip Sync**

Friday, Oct. 28

10 a.m.--**Book signing** with alumnus Fred Adam '72, author of *Return to American Gothic: The Long*

Way Home

5 p.m.--**Skit Competition** at Pershing Arena
-**Coronation** (after skits in Baldwin)

7:30 p.m.--**All-Alumni**

Banquet

-Pep Rally

9 p.m.--**"Put on Your Dancin' Shoes"** Video Dance Party
9:30 p.m.--**Up All Night** with Blanton/Nason

Saturday, Oct. 29

8 a.m.--**5K Run**

9 a.m.--**Parade**

10:30--**National Alumni**

Association Meeting

Noon--**Bulls Rugby**
1:30 p.m.--**Sub Station**
-**Shoot the Cannon Drawing**
2 p.m.--**Bulldog Football**
8 p.m.--**Mark Curry**
9:30 p.m.--**Masquerade Ball**
10:30 p.m.--**Step Show**
Sunday, Oct. 30
8 a.m.--**Golf Tournament**
1:30 p.m.--**Unique Ensemble** performance

For more information about any Homecoming activities, contact Tony Lai at 785-7129.

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