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Tuesday, Sept. 22
Baldwin Auditorium

Free tickets for students, faculty and staff will be available Sept. 16 in the Student Activities Board Office, Student Union lower level.

Community Appreciation Day Planned

A Community Appreciation Day on campus has been planned for Sept. 26. The Kirksville and University communities are invited to take part in the day's activities.

A picnic lunch, co-sponsored by Sodexo Marriott Food Services, will be held from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Red Barn Park. Games for children will be offered at the park during the picnic. Lunch will include bratwurst, hamburgers, hotdogs, veggie burgers, baked beans, potato salad, cole slaw, chips, brownies and soda. The lunch cost is \$3 per person; reservations are required and must be made no later than Sept. 24 to the Public Relations Office, McClain Hall 202, 785.7522.

The Bulldog Football Team will open their home season at 1:30 p.m. in Stokes

Stadium against Central Missouri State University. The game also marks the beginning of the Truman Bulldogs Score Against Hunger campaign. Every dollar pledged to the campaign turns into food products to feed the hungry in northeast Missouri. The campaign challenges individuals to pledge a specific amount for every point the Bulldogs score during the 1998 home football season. Sign-up materials for the Truman Bulldogs Score Against Hunger Campaign will be distributed at the football game.

Free general admission football tickets for those attending the picnic will be available for a donation of two cans of food, or a \$1 donation, to the Truman Bulldogs Score Against Hunger Campaign.

Students Volunteer For Campus Work

Members of Alpha Phi Omega service fraternity will perform various tasks around campus, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sept. 15. The organization hopes to continue the service project throughout the year.

The idea was surfaced last spring when Brad Niebling, president of Alpha Phi Omega, approached University President Jack Magruder to offer the chapter's services.

"It's giving us a more complete service program," Niebling said. "We do a lot of work in the community and within our organization, but as far as doing service for the University itself, we don't do a whole lot."

Members and rushees are scheduled to paint, pick up litter, widen mulch circles at the bases of trees, clean the Pickler Memorial Library windows, vacuum near building entrances and power wash the outside entrances of Baldwin Hall and

Kirk Building. If it rains the tasks will be completed on a rescheduled date.

Alpha Phi Omega has a long history of helping out. The chapter at Truman was founded in 1927, and today its service program includes visiting animals at the Humane Society, organizing Red Cross Blood Drives, playing UNO with residents at Twin Pines Adult Care Center and performing maintenance work at Camp Thunderbird boy scout camp.

Last year the group was named Truman State University Outstanding Organization of the Year.

Niebling said Alpha Phi Omega would like to continue the cleaning-up project on a monthly basis. He also encourages other organizations to join in the effort.

"Truman really has a pretty campus, and it's hard to keep up," Niebling said. "The more organizations we can get out there doing this work, the better off our campus will be."

Hispanic Heritage Month

SEPT. 15

"Changing Faces," a presentation by Ed Marquez, coordinator for the Kansas City, Mo., School District, about how the face of Kansas City, Mo., is changing through Latino influences
7:30 p.m.
Ryle Hall main lounge

SEPT. 23

An Evening of Hispanic Literature
7:30 p.m.
SUB Down Under

SEPT. 29

An evening of music and dance of Spain
7:30 p.m.
SUB Down Under

OCT. 5

Spanish Immersion Day
7:30 p.m.
Multicultural Affairs Center

OCT. 14

Closing speaker
Pauline Rios
7:30 p.m.
Ryle Hall main lounge

Internship Program Gives All Students Unique Opportunity

Legislative internships are available next spring in Jefferson City for those interested in state government. The Missouri Government Internship Program offers a unique opportunity for students to intern with a public official, legislator or state agency during the 1999 spring semester. A limited number of internships is also available for the summer and fall semesters.

The internship, which is open to all majors, provides an inside look at state government. Interested students are invited to attend an informational meeting 7 p.m., Sept. 28, in the SUB Spanish Room. Former interns will be present to discuss their experiences. Those who choose to apply will be interviewed by a screening committee before being accepted into the program.

Interns are assigned to public officials or offices based upon compatibility and interests. Care is taken to consider each student's major, political orientation, career

goals and other preferences. The goal is to enhance the probability that each placement becomes a successful learning experience.

Missouri Government Interns live in Jefferson City for the duration of the spring semester and receive a stipend of \$2,200.

"Truman interns are in very high demand in Jefferson City," said State Rep. Don Summers, District 2. "During my tenure as a state representative, I've seen five classes of interns go through the capitol. I see the program not only as worthwhile, but also a win-win situation. The students learn a great deal, and state government is well served. You can't get this kind of experience, both in quality and quantity, anywhere else."

Interested students should contact David Clithero for more information and applications, in the Office of Governmental Relations, McClain Hall 202, 785.7432.

Lee Award Winners to be Recognized

Winners of the William O'Donnell Lee Advising Awards will be honored at a reception 3 p.m., Sept. 18, in the SUB Spanish Room. The 1998 winners are Sarah Delaware, assistant professor of nursing; Sharon McGahan, assistant professor of nursing; Marianna Giovannini, academic planning services counselor; and Judi Misale, associate professor of psychology. Colleagues and students are invited to attend the event, which will also recognize past award winners.

Past award winners include: Mark Weidner, Academic Planning Services counselor, and Chris Gregory, associate professor of English, in 1997; Emmanuel Nnadozie, associate professor of econom-

ics, and Michael Tannenbaum, associate professor of biology, in 1996; Patricia Burton, associate professor of philosophy, and Lin Twining, associate professor of biology, in 1995; Dana Delaware, professor of chemistry, and Garry Gordon, vice president for academic affairs, in 1994; Maria Di Stefano, associate vice president for academic affairs and associate professor of physics, and Elsie Gaber, formerly with Academic Planning Services, in 1993.

The Awards were established by Dr. Jeanne Stephens Lee Blackmar and family in memory of Lee, who was the Board of Regents chair in the 1970s. The award recognizes excellent academic advising and encourages professional development.

French Film Screening: Sept. 15 and 16

The French faculty and the Division of Language and Literature will sponsor a screening of *La Reprise*, an award-winning film from 1997. *La Reprise* is about the Wonder battery factory workers' return to work on June 10, 1968, and their perceptions of life and revolution 29 years later. Screenings of the three-hour film begin at 7 p.m. on both Sept. 15 and 16 in the

reserved viewing room of the Media Library in Pickler Memorial Library.

The film is in French with English subtitles and comes to campus from the French Consulate's cultural service in New York. Students or faculty with an interest in the life of work, the student-worker revolutions in Paris in May 1968, or film making in general will enjoy this work.

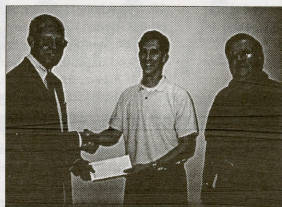
Notables

Jim Barnes, writer-in-residence and professor of comparative literature, has had a poem titled, "Tracking Rabbits: Night," accepted for inclusion in *Sing with the Heart of a Bear*, an anthology of Native American poetry. The poem will be published by the University of California Press in 1999.

Huping Ling, associate professor of history, has published a book titled, "Surviving on the Gold Mountain: A History of Chinese American Women and Their Lives," by the State University of New York Press, 1998. The book costs \$19.95 in paperback and \$59.50 in hardcover. To order a copy, contact State University of New York Press, c/o CUP Services, P.O. Box 6525, Ithaca, NY 14851. Send e-mail orders to orderbook@cupserv.org.

Christopher Maglio, associate professor of counseling and director of the Counselor Preparation Program, was recently elected chairperson of the Missouri Committee for Professional Counselor, the licensure regulatory board for Missouri professional counselors. Governor Carnahan appointed Maglio to the board in 1995. Maglio recently presented "Longitudinal study of death anxiety and attitudes toward suicide among counselors-in-training," at the annual meeting of the American Psychological Association in San Francisco.

Heckman Receives ΣΒΔ Fellowship



Michael Heckman, a senior business Administration major from Kansas City, Mo., receives congratulations on news from the American Assembly of Collegiate Schools of Business, which sponsors the international business and accounting honor society of Sigma Beta Delta, that he was chosen to receive a national fellowship. The fellowship carries a \$500 stipend value to help him complete his undergraduate business program at Truman. Heckman was selected from more than 200 member institutions.

Pictured are Robert Dager, head of the Business and Accountancy Division, Heckman, and Stephen Allen, associate professor of business administration and Sigma Beta Delta Truman chapter faculty adviser.

Tel Alumni Callers Needed

The Alumni/Development Office is accepting applications for Tel Alumni student callers. Tel Alumni is Truman's annual phonathon. Student callers contact alumni, parents and friends of the University in an effort to update mailing addresses, e-mail addresses and employer information. Student callers also ask for financial support for student scholarships, the Kohlenberg Lyceum Series, the Parents Council Project, the Bulldog Fund and other projects that enhance student learning. Last year, student callers raised more than \$382,000 in pledges!

This is a great opportunity for outgoing students who want to work nine hours a week in the evenings from 6 to 9 p.m. or Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 p.m.. The fall session begins Oct. 18 and runs through Dec. 3. Applicants must have good communication skills, an outgoing, positive attitude, and a willingness to talk with alumni and parents and ask for financial support.

Only 40 positions are available and they fill quickly as this is a fun job; many student callers return. If you're interested, pick up an application in the Alumni/Development Office, McClain Hall 100, and return it before 5 p.m. on Sept. 25.

For more information, contact Laura Cook, manager of the Annual Fund, at lcCook@truman.edu or call 785-4688.

Four Scholarships Still Available

Endowed and annual scholarships are made available to Truman students through private gifts made to the Truman State University campus. Four scholarships have not yet been awarded for the 1998-99 academic year. Students interested in these scholarships may apply at the Financial Aid Office, McClain Hall 103, before Sept. 21.

The Norma Blanche Glahn Scholarship is a \$1,200 scholarship for a Truman senior pursuing a four-year degree, and priority is given to students from Macon, Knox, Shelby or Sullivan counties.

The Olivene K. Baker Scholarship is a \$300 award for a student who works as an employee at the Child Development Center, displays exemplary skills for interacting with children and exhibits outstanding

service to the University.

The Jack and Melba Bowen Scholarship, \$275, is reserved for an exercise science major who has outstanding academic performance and has demonstrated leadership potential.

The Max Cogan Professional Award is a \$575 scholarship for a student who is conducting research in or is involved in a study program that integrates physical education with the social sciences with focus on the understanding of wellness. The award must assist participation in a conference, and the recipient must send a brief report to the Cogan family describing the conference and the recipient's research or study objectives. For more details about the Max Cogan Award, students should contact Fontaine Piper in the Division of Human Potential and Performance.

Notes

Students can pick up applications for Funds Allotment Council funding outside the FAC Office, SUB. Funding is available to all chartered campus organizations that want to plan events for the student body. For more information call 785.7674 or stop by the FAC Office, 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Monday-Friday.

A free Step Aerobics Workshop for Beginners will be from 6 to 7 p.m., Sept. 14, in the Aerobics Room, Rec Center. It will include a basic orientation to step aerobics, followed by a basic step workout.

Several members of Truman State University's music faculty will perform works by Greek, Italian, German and American composers, in a music recital 8 p.m., Sept. 14, in Baldwin Auditorium. Admission is free and open to the public.

College Democrats are holding a Voter Registration Drive from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Sept. 14-Oct. 3, in the SUB and outside residence hall cafeterias. Contact Jennifer Kopp at 665.8210 for information.

Cardinal Key and Blue Key are sponsoring a blood drive from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sept. 14-16 in the SUB Activities Room.

The Student Missouri State Teachers' Association will have a meeting 6 p.m., Sept. 17, the SUB Governors' Room. Joanne Jackson, credit analyst for the education division, will speak at the event.

Truman Bookstore manager Brian Beatty will give a Poetry Reading to the public 7 p.m., Sept. 18, in Used Books and Unicorns. Beatty holds an MFA in Creative Writing from Bowling Green State University.

"Who says you can't have it all?" is Sigma Chi Delta's local sorority rush theme. Sept. 14 to 18. Informational meetings will be 7 p.m., Sept. 14, Baldwin Hall 251; 8 p.m., Sept. 15, Baldwin Hall 218; and 7 p.m., Sept. 16, SUB Governors' Room. For information contact Julie Whitley 627.5161.

The Graduate Student Organization is open to all enrolled graduate students and will have its first meeting 8:30 p.m., Sept. 15, in the SUB Conference Room. Call Lissa Mitchell 785.7648 for more information.

The Wellness Luncheon for faculty and staff will be 12-1 p.m., Sept. 15, in the SUB Spanish Room. Chris Lantz and Evonne Bird, Health and Exercise Science, and Liz Hopkins, Recreation Center, will present a panel discussion titled, "How to Start an

Exercise Program and Stay with It." Cost for lunch is \$3.

The German Club will meet at 6 p.m., Sept. 16, in Baldwin Hall 218. All students interested in German Culture are invited to attend. **Student Senate fall elections** will be from 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m., Sept. 17, and 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sept. 18, outside Mainstreet Market, SUB. Students must bring their University ID cards to vote.

The Grand Opening of the William E. Unger Retrospective Exhibition will be 7:30 p.m., Sept. 19, in the University Art Gallery, Ophelia Parrish.

The Student Activities Board will bring "Better Than Ezra," a New Orleans-based rock-alternative band, to perform 8 p.m., Sept. 19, in Pershing Arena. Tickets are \$7 with a University ID and \$14 for general admission.

Dave Lusk, University Counseling Services, will give a time management workshop from 6 to 7 p.m., Sept. 21, in the Conference Room, Rec Center.

A free horse seminar will take place 6 p.m., Sept. 29, at the University Farm on the west edge of Kirksville. It is being co-sponsored by the Missouri Quarter Horse Association. Contact Don DeLaney 785.7477 for more information.

A National Teleconference titled, "How to Address Claims of Sexual Harassment: What the Law Demands," will be presented from 1 to 3 p.m., Sept. 28, in the SUB Activities Room. It is being given by the University of Vermont. Contact Maureen in Human Resources 785.7298 for more information.

Northeast Missouri Association for Citizens with Disabilities (NACD) will sponsor its first local Casual Dress Day for NACD Oct. 2. Contact Human Resources 785.4031 for more information.

The American Diabetes Association is looking for volunteers and walkers to participate in Walktoberfest Oct. 3 at Brashear Park in Kirksville. The walk is from 9 to 11 a.m., and volunteers are needed from 7:45 to 11 a.m. Anyone interested should call Ranjita Misra at 785.4461.

Blue Key National Honor Fraternity is currently accepting entry forms for the 1998 Homecoming Parade Forms are available in the Alumni Office, McClain Hall 100. Dead-line for entry is 5 p.m., Oct. 5.

On Campus

14 MONDAY
11 a.m.-4p.m.-**Blood Drive**, SUB Activities Room; also Sept. 15 and 16

6-7 p.m.-Step Aerobics Workshop, Rec Center; see Notes

7 p.m.-Sigma Chi Delta informational meeting, Baldwin Hall 251; also Sept. 15 at 8 p.m. in Baldwin Hall 218 and Sept. 16 at 7 p.m. in SUB Conference Room; see Notes

7:30 p.m.-"Roe No More," Ryle Hall main lounge

8 p.m.-Faculty music recital, Baldwin Auditorium; see Notes

15 TUESDAY
8:30 p.m.-**Graduate Student Organization** meeting, SUB Conference Room; see Notes

16 WEDNESDAY
6 p.m.-**German Club** meeting Baldwin Hall 218; see Notes
7 p.m.-**Volleyball** vs. Missouri Western

17 THURSDAY
9:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.-**Student Senate fall elections**, SUB; also 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m., Sept. 18; see Notes

6 p.m.-Student Missouri State Teacher's Association meeting; see Notes

18 FRIDAY
3 p.m.-**William O'Donnell Lee Advising Award reception**, SUB Spanish Room; see p. 2
7 p.m.-**Poetry Reading**, Used Books and Unicorns; see Notes

19 SATURDAY
9 a.m.-**Truman Invitational Men's Singles Tennis Tournament**

7:30 p.m.-Grand Opening of the William E. Unger Exhibition, Art Gallery; see Notes

8 p.m.-"Better than Ezra," Pershing Arena; see Notes

Truman Today is published weekly on Mondays. Deadline for entries is 3 p.m., the Wednesday preceding Monday's publication. Entries should be submitted on the *Truman Today* forms available in the Public Relations Office, McClain Hall 202. Activities listed in *Truman Today* are open to the public.