



The Board of Governors and President Magruder cordially invite you to the Groundbreaking Ceremony of the new Kenneth L. Gardner Track Facility at 3:30 p.m., April 12 at the track site, Stokes Stadium.

Dog Days '96 Schedule

April 12

3:30 p.m. - **Slip & Slide** behind Dobson Hall
7 p.m. - **Karaoke**, SUB
Down Under
9:30 p.m. - **Reservior Dogs**
Baldwin Auditorium

April 13

noon - 4 p.m. - **Bazaar and Concerts** on the Quad
6 & 9:30 p.m. - **Heat**
Baldwin Auditorium

Retirees honored at annual Service Recognition Banquet

Faculty and staff retiring this year were honored at the annual Service Recognition Banquet on March 26. Faculty and staff celebrating their 5-, 10-, 15-, 20-, 25- and 30+ year anniversaries with the University were also honored at the banquet. See additional photos, p. 2.



Pictured are retirees Jerry Vittetoe, (Business & Accountancy), Pat Ellebracht (Library), Irma Witt (Small Business Development Center), James Paulding (Fine Arts), Gary Sells (Science). Not pictured is James Edwards (Business & Accountancy).

Children's Literature Festival to celebrate 13th year on April 19

The 13th Annual Northeast Missouri State University's Children's Literature Festival will be from 9 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. on April 19 for 1,500 fourth-, fifth- and sixth-grade students. Programs will be held in the Student Union and Violette Hall.

Visiting authors and illustrators include Joan Carris, Shirley Climo, Michael Emberley, Vicki Berger Erwin, Carol Gorman, Margaret Peterson Haddix, Jim May, Dian Curtis Regan, Carol Lynch Williams and Nancy Wood.

Students will participate in 30-minute sessions with the guest authors and illustrators. All children must be pre-registered.

Anyone interested is welcome to attend an informal meeting with the authors and illustrators from 3 to 4 p.m. in the SUB

Conference Room.

The festival will conclude with a banquet at 6:30 p.m. in the SUB Alumni Room with Joan Carris speaking at 7:30 p.m. The dinner is limited to pre-registered adults and children accompanied by an adult. Dinner reservations must be sent to Ann McEnderfer by April 10. The cost of the dinner is \$8.25. The public is welcome to the after-dinner talk. Joan Carris' topic will be "It's a Wonderful Life."

Storyteller Jim May will give a presentation at 7 p.m., April 18 in Ryle main lounge. This event is sponsored by Ryle Residential Colleges.

Contact Ann McEnderfer at 785-7230 for additional information. The authors' books are available at the Campus Bookstore.

Recognition Banquet honors faculty and staff



30-plus Year Honorees: Jo Ann Weekley (Health & Exercise Science), Jo Anne Moritz (Business Office), Connie Holt Jones (Language & Literature), Linda Parsons (Assessment & Testing), Marilyn Gibbons (Registrar's Office), Ann Gibson (Human Resources), Regina Lindhorst (Health & Exercise Science); (row two) Dale Martin (Social Science), Ronald Knight (Math & Computer Science), Walter H. Ryle IV (Athletics/Social Science), Richard Weerts (Fine Arts), Keith Morton (Physical Plant), E. Gene Schneider (Physical Plant), Jack Magruder (President's Office/Science), David Nichols (Fine Arts), Larry Boleach (Health & Exercise Science), Sam Lesseig (Math & Computer Science), Jack Bowen (Health & Exercise Science), John Kenney (Fine Arts/Industrial Science). Not pictured are Robert Mason (Science) and Robert Schnucker (Social Science/Thomas Jefferson University Press).



25-Year Honorees: Leon Devlin (Computer Services/Industrial Science), Melinda Hettinger (Library); (row two) Jerry Stremel (Social Science), J. Paul Hunt (Communication Disorders), Fontaine Piper (Health & Exercise Science). Not pictured are Donald Kangas (Science) and Joe Morton (Physical Plant).



Five-Year Honorees: Heidi Templeton (Public Relations), Kyung Mun (Business & Accountancy), Lisa Sprague (Public Safety), Sally Owings (Financial Aid), Tracey Sutherland (Faculty Development), Mark Weidner (Academic Planning Services), Ron Manning (Language & Literature); (row two) Tracy Williams (Computer Services), David Bethel (Professional Development), Laura Tamakoshi (Social Science), Bob Behnen (Alumni and Development), Douglas Daubert (Residential Living), Christopher Gregory (Language & Literature), Mark Hanley (Social Science), Charles Murray (Social Science); (row three) Lori Murray (Education/Field Experiences), Harold Reeves (Physical Plant), Teresa West (Student Union), Harold Baugher (Physical Plant), Carl Baldwin (Mail Services), Judy Howerton (Facilities), Cynthia Rowland (Vice President for Academic Affairs Office), Jody Rowe (Language & Literature), Joe Billington (Physical Plant), Danny Roof (Physical Plant), Sara Orel (Fine Arts), Gregg Siewert (Language & Literature), Yinfa Ma (Science); (row four) Jerry Findling (Student Union), Aaron Lehmann (Physical Plant), Cornelis Koutstaal (Human Potential & Performance), Mark Myer (Campus Planner's Office), Lee Orchard (Fine

Arts), Michael Nelson (Science), Eric Howard (Math & Computer Science), David West (Physical Plant). Not pictured are Richard Barnes (Physical Plant), Richard Casey (Physical Plant), R. Paul Crabb (Fine Arts), Paul Fellows (Business & Accountancy), David Fortney (Language & Literature), Cheryl Grew-Gillen (Student Union/Campus Activities and Organization Center), John Hoffmann (Education), Steven Klein (Business & Accountancy), Huping Ling (Social Science), Tim Maize (Facilities), Closepet Ramesh (Language & Literature), Jennifer Sargentini (Education), John Schmor (Fine Arts) and Cathy Wiggins (University Center for Printing and Publications).



20-Year Honorees: Jeff Romine (Business & Accountancy), Shirley Morahan (Language & Literature), Arlie Garrett (Physical Plant). Not pictured are Bill Capps (Physical Plant), Carol Race (Instructional Technology Center), George Schulte (Science) and Sandra Weber (Business & Accountancy).



15-Year Honorees: Pyung Eui Han (Business & Accountancy), Larry Hunter (Physical Plant), Jack James (Physical Plant/Industrial Science), Delores Lesseig (Nursing), C. Ray Barrow (Social Science), Robert Graber (Social Science); (row two) Kathy Elsea (Financial Aid), Shirley Schultze (Admission), Linda Shada (University Career Center), Lin Twining (Science), Theresa Lancerst (University Career Center), Robert Brochu (Physical Plant). Not pictured are Steve Baldwin (Physical Plant), Gary Cass (University Center for Printing and Publications), Paula Moore (Multicultural Affairs), Ervinetta Pettit (Facilities), Leon Shafer (Facilities) and Randall Shafer (Facilities).



10-Year Honorees: Cheryl Miller (Facilities), Jim LeCompte (Physical Plant), Deborah McCormick (Library), Ben Bennani (Language & Literature), Sharon Hackney (Library), Bob Mielke (Language & Literature); (row two) Brad Chambers (Admission), Melinda Maggart (Physical Plant), Glen Giboney (Business & Accountancy), John Ware (Athletics), Maria Di Stefano (Science), Steven R. Smith (Business & Accountancy), Paula Presley (Thomas Jefferson University Press), Jason Lin (Business & Accountancy). Not pictured are Michael Ackerman (Facilities), Thomas Capuano (Language & Literature), Shirley Douglas (Student Health Center), Duane Ford (Science), Donna Fude (Upward Bound), Lucy Lee (Language & Literature), Debbie Masten (Athletics), Tammy Martin (Financial Aid), Wynona Murphy (Justice Systems), David Partenheimer (Language & Literature), Maren Partenheimer (Language & Literature) and Kenneth Strahm (Physical Plant).

University Speaker Series brings political satirist April 11



Satirist Sand veteran Washington insider, Christopher Buckley, will speak on "A

Comic Chronology of Campaign '96" at 7:30 p.m. on April 11 in the SUB Activities Room.

Buckley is the author of four best selling fictional novels, including *The White House Mess*. His experience in the early 1980s as a speechwriter for then Vice President George Bush provided Buckley with the necessary background for parodies of the inside workings of Washington, D.C.

Buckley, the son of

National Review editor William F. Buckley, left home at 17 to work as a deck boy on a freighter. Buckley eventually went to Yale, where he started the *Yale Daily News Magazine*. By age 24, Buckley was managing editor of *Esquire* magazine. He currently writes new fiction and is the editor of *Forbes FYI*, *Forbes* magazine's business-leisure quarterly.

Steve Smith, University Speakers Committee chairperson said, "Buckley is one of the country's leading political satirists. His topic will be informative, entertaining and especially amusing at this time of year for members of the Northeast community."



Junior Jana Hutchison and freshman Doug Hott appear in "You Can't Take it With You" at 8 p.m., April 9-13 in Baldwin Hall Little Theatre. A matinee performance will be at 2 p.m., April 13 for faculty, staff and their families.

First candidate for VPAA to visit

Dr. Paul Gaston, Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost, Northern Kentucky University

Monday, April 8:

4 p.m. - Open meeting with faculty and staff, SUB Activities Room
5 p.m. - Reception

Tuesday, April 9:

11 a.m. - Meeting with students, SUB Room 4

Dr. Gaston's resume is available in the academic division offices, the office of the vice president for academic affairs and Pickler Memorial Library.

Academic Honor Awards announced

The following students will be honored at the 1996 Academic Honor Awards Assembly on April 10 in the SUB Georgian Room. The reception will begin at 7 p.m., followed by the awards ceremony at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Outstanding Undergraduate Student in Accounting

Gregory S. Knehaus

Outstanding Graduate Student in Accounting

Tamara A. Gorman

Outstanding Student in Business Administration-Finance

Ronald G. Whitehead

Outstanding Student in Business Administration-Management

Alessandra S. Gentili

Outstanding Student in Business Administration-Marketing

Russell C. Neale

Outstanding Graduate Student in Special Education

Katherine H. Hiebert

Outstanding Graduate Student in Elementary Education

Karen K. Van Soest

Outstanding Student in Theatre

Gretchen L. Schiltz

Outstanding Student in Music

Jennifer E. Norton

Outstanding Student in Art

Elizabeth M. Duffy

Outstanding Student in Communication Disorders

Jennifer R. Head

Outstanding Graduate Student in Communication Disorders

Elizabeth D. Elkan

Outstanding Student in Exercise Science

Leah M. Himmelberg

Outstanding Student in Health

Kevin G. White

Outstanding Student in Nursing

Christina M. Grote

Outstanding Student in Spanish

Jennifer S. Roach

Outstanding Student in French

Elizabeth A. Kemery

Amy L. Hubbell

Outstanding Student in Classics

Michael J. Johnson

Outstanding Student in Communication-Journalism

Renee M. Short

Outstanding Student in Communication-Speech

Roberta K. Fedak

Outstanding Senior in English

Laura M. Ryan

Amy L. Ranev

Outstanding Student in German

Shelly A. Stumme

Outstanding Student in Mathematics

Thomas F. Kent

Travis M. Austin

Outstanding Senior in Computer Science

Tamera S. Kapler

The General George C. Marchall ROTC Award

James A. Moyer

Outstanding Senior in Agricultural Science

Elisa Martin

Outstanding Senior in Chemistry

Nicole M. Brunkan

Outstanding Senior in Physics

Walter R. Simmons

Outstanding Senior in Biology

Michael T. Rothermich

Shawn M. Degler

Kellie D. Andes

Outstanding Student in Justice Systems

Jennine D. Adamek

Outstanding Student in Psychology

Debra J. Drenth

Outstanding Student in Economics

Janaki Jayawardena

Outstanding Student in Philosophy and Religion

Manuel Chavez

Outstanding Student in Political Science

Rachel C. Braaf

Outstanding Student in Sociology and Anthropology

Debra K. Worthington

Outstanding Student in History- Service

James T. Nugent

Outstanding Student in History- Scholarship

Angela L. DiCostanzo

This Week

8 Monday

Alpha Gamma Delta/Phi Lambda Chi Camp on the Mall; through April 12.

9:30-11:30 a.m. - **Introduction to LOTUS/ Windows,** Barnett Hall 200

4 p.m. - **"Interdisciplinary Ethics, Contemporary Life and Moral Philosophy"** by Dr. Robert Audi, SUB Tangerine Room

8 p.m. - **Faculty Recital featuring Jacqueline Collett, voice,** SUB Activities Room - **"The Mind, the Body, and Resurrection"** by Dr. Robert Audi, 411 E. Harrison

9 Tuesday

10 a.m.-5 p.m. - **Book Drive,** East Side of the SUB; see Notes.

6 p.m. - **Educator of the Year Banquet,** SUB Georgian Room; see Notes.

7 p.m. - **Professor Will Adams Lecture,** SUB Room 2-3; see Notes.

7:30 p.m. - **Society for Human Resource Management Meeting,** Violette Hall 111

8 p.m. - **You Can't Take it With You,** Baldwin Hall Little Theatre; through April 13. A matinee performance for faculty/staff will be at 2 p.m., April 13. \$1 advance reservation.

10 Wednesday

10 a.m.-3 p.m. - **SPJ Silent Auction;** see Notes

3:30-5 p.m. - **Illustrator Workshop- Part 2 of 3,** New Media Center
- **Men's Tennis vs. Central College**

5 p.m. - **Golden Apple Awards,** SUB Tangerine Room

8 p.m. - **"Le Bourgeois Gentilhomme,"** SUB Down Under; also April 11.

- **New Music Ensemble Concert,** Baldwin Auditorium

11 Thursday

38th Missouri Conference

on History; through April 13
8 p.m. - **Chris Duarte Group,** Baldwin Auditorium

12 Friday

Lady Bulldog Golf Classic, through April 13.

1:30-3:30 p.m. - **WordPerfect 6.1 Special Topic**

Workshop, Barnett Hall 200
3 p.m. - **Softball vs. William Penn**

3:30 p.m. - **Gardner Track Groundbreaking Ceremony,** Stokes Stadium; see page 1.

- **Men and Women's Tennis vs. Drury College**

4:30 p.m. - **Kohlenberg-Towne Lecture, Alice B. Kehoe speaking on "Knowledge and Destiny: Retrieving the Role of the First Nations in American History",** SUB Tangerine Room

13 Saturday

8:30 a.m. - **Board of Governors meeting,** SUB Conference Room

10 a.m. - **Men and Women's Tennis vs. Emporia State**

10 a.m.-4 p.m. - **Blanton/Nason Hall Annual Yard Sale,** For more information, contact Becca at 785-7105 noon-4 p.m. - **Day of the Dog, featuring Reggae at Will,** The Quad

7 p.m. - **Senior Voice Recital featuring John Jakes,** SUB Activities Room

14 Sunday

3 p.m. - **Northeast Composer's Recital,** Baldwin Auditorium

8 p.m. - **Brandi Stuart and Charles Lee, Senior Saxophone/Tuba Recital,** Baldwin Auditorium

15 Monday

BFA Exhibitions in the University Art Gallery through April 27.

3 p.m. - **Softball vs. University of Missouri-St. Louis**

3:30-5 p.m. - **Scanning and Image Editing Workshop,** New Media Center

8 p.m. - **Jazz Band Spring Concert,** Baldwin Auditorium

Northeast Notes

The Intramural-Rec Sports Department is accepting applications for officials, scorekeepers and event managers for the 1996-97 academic year. Contact Bill Borgia in Pershing Building 309 for more information.

The 1996 Educator of the Year Banquet will be at 6 p.m., April 9 in the SUB Georgian Room. Tickets are \$10 for faculty/staff, \$3 for students with a meal plan and \$4 for students without a meal plan. Tickets are available in the Student Senate Office, SUB.

Students enrolled in French 221 or above may participate in the Fourth Annual French Immersion Weekend at Camp Thunderbird. One credit hour is offered and \$25 is needed for food and lodging. Contact Timothy Farley at 785-4059 or Baldwin Hall 288C for a yellow card.

Tutors are needed to help an exchange student with English and a teenage girl prepare for her GED. Volunteers are also needed to read aloud to individuals around Kirksville for 3 hours a week. Contact the Center for Service-Learning at 785-4265 for more information.

Applications are available for Writing Center consultants for the fall 1996 semester. Applicants may be from any major and should have superb interpersonal skills as well as superior writing skills. For more information stop by the Writing Center, McClain Hall 303 or call Terri Norero at 785-4484. Deadline is April 10.

"Meeting America's Health Care Challenges with Information Technology" will be sponsored by the nursing program on April 25. This live, interactive videoconference will be held from noon to 2:30 p.m. in the SUB Activities Room.

Will Adams, professor emeritus of political science at William Jewell College, will be speaking on "The Russian Political System: Imperial Russia, Soviet Totalitarianism, Post-Soviet Politics and the

Russian Elections" from 7 to 9 p.m., April 9 in SUB Room 2-3. The event is sponsored by the Center for Political Communication and Argumentation. For more information contact John Ishiyama at 785-4096 or Michael Davis at 785-4652.

The Society of Professional Journalists is holding a silent auction April 10-11 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Student Union Building. Among the many things being auctioned is a lunch date with President Magruder.

The International Student Office is looking for student assistants for the 1996-97 academic year. Positions are available for scholarship, workstudy and institutional pay. Applications are available in Kirk Building 120.

Sigma Tau Delta is sponsoring a book drive April 9-11 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Donations may be dropped off on the east side of the SUB. All books donated will be sold with the proceeds going to a shelter. A book sale will be held April 17-19.

The Student Health Center is offering cholesterol, blood pressure and glucose screenings for all faculty, staff and their spouses throughout April. The service is free to all who are covered by the University insurance plan. For more information call 785-4182.

Pre-summer swim clinics will be April 15-25 at 4, 4:30 and 5 p.m. at the Natatorium. Five-year olds to adults looking to refresh their swimming techniques are encouraged to attend. The cost is \$30.

Applications are available for Victim Assistant volunteers for the 1996-97 academic year. Applicants should be either freshmen or sophomores and interested helping victims of crime. Applications are available at Public Safety.

Greek Leaders Against Drunk Driving will have tables available in front of Main Street Market in the SUB on April 11-12 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Bring your student ID and sign a pledge card to drive sober during Greek Week 1996.