

Student Senate President Attends National Leadership Forum

Matthew Barnes, president of Student Senate, recently attended the National Leadership Forum on Faith and Values in Washington, D.C. The four-day conference taught student leaders how to include their Christian values in leadership positions. Five-hundred students attended from 45 states and 14 countries.

Many prominent speakers such as Vice President Al Gore, former Missouri Governor John Ashcroft and Georgia Congressman John Lewis presented programs dealing with social issues leaders face every-



Matthew Barnes

day. Some topics covered were ethics in leadership, dealing with the poor, and racial issues.

Community service was an important topic at the forum. The idea of servanthood was discussed and students participated in public service projects to experience the rewards of being servant.

Barnes attended the Governor's Leadership Conference early this year and was then invited to the National Forum.

After meeting with many student leaders from schools across the country, Barnes expressed his feelings about Northeast.

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"The atmosphere on other campuses is not as good (as at Northeast). The administrators aren't as concerned about students' views, academics is not as stressed and the quality of students does not compare. It made me proud to be going to NMSU," Barnes said.

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Barnes is a senior health major from Florissant, Mo. He plans to work in health administration after he graduates next August. □

United Way Drive Surpasses Goal

Kristin Schneider (top), student committee chair, puts the final touches on the 1993 United Way Drive. The Northeast portion was a great success, raising an anticipated total of at least \$38,600, 103.5 percent of the goal. Student committee members pictured are: (l-r) Steven Baldwin, Chad Itner, Monika Kump, and Hannah Sumerlin. Other committee members not pictured are Tina Beyane, Leigh Walton, Matt Hurych, Tammy Canovi and Susana Mendoza. □



Northeast Missouri State University
Lyceum Series



The Nebraska Theatre Caravan presents

Charles Dickens'

A Christmas Carol



November 20
2 & 7: 30 p.m.
Baldwin Auditorium

Free tickets are available for students, faculty and staff in the SAB office.

Financial assistance for this production has been provided by the Mid-America Arts Alliance and the Missouri Arts Council, a state agency.



1993-94 Jepson Fellows

Following is the seventh in a series of 10 features on the 1993-94 Jepson Fellows. Each faculty member featured has been awarded a Robert S. and Alice A. Jepson Fellowship for Active Learning Initiatives to pursue active learning teaching methods.

Maria, Di Stefano, associate professor of physics, will actively engage students in class activities, paying close attention to the most common misconceptions, pre-conceptions and difficulties in understanding certain physics concepts. Working toward the goal, she is blurring the distinction between "lecture" and "labs" making everything a part of an experience in which students develop new skills and concepts. Students will complete short exercises



Maria Di Stefano

when beginning a new concept to help them construct new knowledge that is correctly understood. The lab sessions will depart from the "traditional experience" in which students mechanically follow detailed instructions step by step without comprehension. Activities will focus on giving students the opportunity for reflection which is not always straightforward for new learners.

Janice Grow, professor of education, will work with her students to develop stu-



Janice Grow

dent-active units of curriculum of current interest on two levels of maturity: that of the teacher, and that of the student. This will teach MAE graduates how to develop and transform a curriculum so it is understood by students in the classroom. Grow will also help her students to focus on the use of active learning techniques in their design of the curriculum. The reflective case studies, which is the final activity of the MAE student teaching internship, will measure the degree to which they develop student-active teaching and learning styles. □

Notables

Bob Behnen, manager of annual giving, and **Barb Holthaus**, assistant director of public relations, recently completed the seven-week Leadership Kirksville program, as members of the charter class. The course covered areas such as how to deal with the media, local education system, local government, local industries and community health and wellness offerings. □

Keith Doubt, associate professor of sociology, was designated Program Chair for the 1994 annual meeting of the Society for Phenomenology and Human Sciences to be held next fall

in Seattle. The Chair solicits their papers, organizes sessions and chooses the keynote speaker. □

Lora Ebert, a senior sociology major, won second place in the 1993 Ruth S. Voorhees Memorial Student Paper Competition, sponsored by the Missouri State Sociological Association. Ebert attended meetings in Osage Beach, Mo., where she was presented her award on Nov. 5. □

John Ishiyama, assistant professor of political science, had an article titled "Founding Elections and the Development of Transitional Parties in

Ethnically-Cleaved Societies: The Cases of Estonia and Latvia 1990-92" published in the September edition of the journal *Communist and the Post Communist Studies*. He also presented a paper titled "Political Parties and the Nationalization of the Vote: The Cases of Peru, Argentina and Uruguay" at the annual meeting of the American Political Science Association in Sept. □

Andrea Leak, a senior communications major, received a \$2,000 scholarship from the Missouri Press Foundation. □

New Faces

Gary Jones, assistant professor of language and literature, received a bachelor's in liberal arts and sciences from Bradley University, a master's in public relations and a doctorate in news construction and mass communication theory from the University of Southern California. His experience includes a lecturer at Southern California University, Loyola Marymount University and Eastern Kentucky University. He is a member of Phi Kappa Phi National Honor Society and received the Telford and Robert Work Award at the University of Southern California School of Journalism.

Bill Krueger, part-time instructor of foreign language, holds a bachelor's in Spanish from Brigham Young University and a Master of Arts in Education from Northeast Missouri State University. He has served as a graduate teaching assistant at Northeast and as an instructor at Brigham Young University. □



Gary Jones



Bill Krueger

Faculty/Staff Campaign Begins

With chairperson Ruth Towne, emeritus professor of history, and 30 other division and area volunteers leading the way, the first organized Faculty/Staff Campaign kicks off Nov. 15 and runs through Dec. 10. The goal of the 1993-94 drive is 50 percent participation.

"Participation is the most important number for any faculty/staff fund-raising effort," said Joe Moeller, director of development. "People away from campus put a lot of stock into the number of people supporting their own institution."

Understanding they receive something much greater in return, contributing faculty/staff emphasize the reasons why they give. First, corporations and foundations use institutional giving as a deciding criterion for grant

proposals. Second, a documented trend by large individual donors is to request the number of individuals giving internally before they make any type of commitment. And last, most national publications ranking colleges and universities have started using faculty and staff giving as a measuring tool in their annual evaluations.

For convenience, all faculty and staff members will have the opportunity to participate by using payroll deduction or by writing a check. And, as a way of saying thanks, each participant will receive a 1994 Northeast faculty/staff pocket planner. □

The Northeast Today will have weekly updates throughout the campaign. This week the Alumni/Development office would like to thank last year's contributors and highlight () those who have volunteered as coordinators this year.*

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This Week

15 Monday

◆ Campus College Bowl, SUB, through Nov. 17

◆ 1-3 p.m.—"Assessing the American Disabilities Act (ADA)," video conference, SUB Tangerine Room

◆ 7 p.m.—"Meeting Needs Through Collaboration," SUB Alumni Room

◆—"U.S.-Asian Relations in the Post-Cold War Era: How Each of us will be Affected," Ryle Hall conference room

16 Tuesday

◆ 7:30 p.m.—Campus Coffeehouse: "Piano Bar," Mainstreet Market

◆ 8 p.m.—*Playboy of the Western World*, Baldwin Hall Little Theatre, through Nov. 20

17 Wednesday

◆ 12:30 p.m.—Faculty Lunch Series: "Open Topic," SUB Spanish Room

◆ 7 p.m.—Informational meeting on Avignon, France study abroad program, Ophelia Parrish 213

◆ 8 p.m.—Jazz-Lab Band concert, Baldwin Auditorium

18 Thursday

◆ 7 & 9:30 p.m.—*Single White Female*, Baldwin Auditorium

◆ 8 p.m.—"(Mis) Trial: I Got One, You Got One. It's Fair." SUB Activities Room

◆ 7:30 p.m.—"Sherlock Holmes: A Mirror Image?" McClain Hall 302

19 Friday

◆ 1:30 p.m.—"John Millington Synge's Place in Irish Drama," Baldwin Hall Little Theater

◆ 8 p.m.—SAB's Karaoke, Mainstreet Market

20 Saturday

◆ 2:30 & 7:30 p.m.—Lycium Sales' *A Christmas Carol*, Baldwin Auditorium

◆ 3 p.m.—Maccabees' informational meeting, Wesley House

◆ 7:30 p.m.—Bulldog Basketball vs. Central Iowa, Pershing Arena

21 Sunday

◆ 5 p.m.—Canterbury Club's prayer and pizza, 124 N. Mulanix

22 Monday

◆ 5 p.m.—informational meeting on Costa Rica summer program, Ophelia Parrish 218

◆ 8 p.m.—"Mammalogy Down Under," Science Hall 274

23 Tuesday

◆ 6 p.m.—Library closed through Nov. 27

24 Wednesday

◆ Thanksgiving vacation begins

28 Sunday

◆ Noon-2 a.m.—Library open

29 Monday

◆ Classes resume

◆ Echo Yearbook photos, SUB 2 and 3 until Dec. 3

Notes

The English Study Club at the National Hualien Teachers College in Taiwan welcomes students to join their "global village" by writing letters. The address is: English Study Club; National Hualien Teachers College; Hualien, 970; Taiwan, R.O.C.

The Liberal Arts and Sciences Task Force will hold a session on Nov. 15 and Nov. 18 from 3:30-5 p.m. in the SUB Georgian Room. Please prepare by answering the following questions:

- 1.) What is liberal arts and sciences education? What should it be at Northeast?;
- 2.) What is the role of general education within a liberal arts and sciences university?; and
- 3.) What should and should not be included in the general education program?

The deadline for submissions to *Windfall*, the student literary magazine, is Nov. 17 at 5 p.m. in the CAOC office.

Peer Reader applications are available in the Writing Center, McClain Hall 303, for positions in spring '94 semester. The deadline is Nov. 15.

The CAOC is accepting applications for desk attendants in the SUB Gamesroom. The deadline to apply is 5 p.m., Nov. 22. For more information, call the CAOC at 785-4222.

Applications for the Ronald E. McNair Post-Baccalaureate Achievement Program are being accepted until Nov. 19 in the Office of Multicultural Affairs, Missouri Hall 110. Contact Bertha Thomas at 785-4142 for more information.

Applications are being accepted for hall director, assistant hall director and hall counselors for the 1994 Thousand Hills Summer Camps. Applications are available in Kirk Memorial 203.

Applications for the Dog Days 1994 committee are due by Nov. 19 in the CAOC office.

The University Players will sponsor *Much Ado About Nothing* on Dec. 1 at 7 p.m. in Baldwin Hall Auditorium. Admission is \$2 with student identification.

Is your organization participating in The Heartland Food Drive?

- ◆ All food will feed the hungry of Kirksville and surrounding areas.
- ◆ Prizes will be awarded to the top organization.

For more information, contact Mark Mlynarczyk at 785-4016 or stop by McClain Hall 106.

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New Faces in Student Affairs

Lou Ann Gilchrist, Ed.D., became the director of University Counseling Services in October. One new program added since her arrival is the professional development seminars over the lunch hour on Fridays. These seminars are planned to allow faculty and staff to learn more about specific topics related to student concerns and mental health.

Gilchrist feels it is important that students and staff realize there is a counselor on call at all times. A stu-



Lou Ann Gilchrist

dent should feel that if there is an emergency a qualified professional counselor will be available to provide crisis intervention and emotional support. For information, call University Counseling Services at 785-4014.

Robin Gryting joined the Career Placement Center staff in a temporary position as a Career Specialist working with external relations. His efforts will focus on recruitment, the



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Northeast Network of alumni, and faculty relations. Gryting will not only work with employers providing permanent placement but internship opportunities for students will be promoted. Along with scheduling campus interviews, he will do career counseling.

Daun Hooley will serve as Clinic Director/Health Educator beginning Nov. 15. She plans to work closely with the staff and physician to determine what services are most often requested and how the clinic can best meet student needs. Hooley announced at a recent health clinic forum sponsored by Student Senate

that she would like to form, a Health Clinic Advisory Committee consisting of faculty and students to look at creative ways to provide health care to students. The committee will be instrumental in reviewing the scheduling procedure and scope of services. Persons interested in serving on the committee should call the Student Health Clinic at 785-4182.

As a health educator, Hooley will sponsor and present programs on a variety of wellness concerns for students. Sexually transmitted diseases, nutrition and knowing how to care for common illnesses are just a few topics which will be addressed. □

Martin Luther King Celebration Planned

Plans are under way for a campus-wide Martin Luther King Jr. celebration. A committee was formed including Ave Alvarado, Multicultural Affairs; Keith Doubt, Social Science; Barb Holthaus, Public Relations; Jim Shaddy, Lyceum Committee; Renee McCowan, student; Tina Raymond, student; David Bethel, Academic Affairs; Ben Ogden, Language and Literature; and Dean Mark Shanley, ex-officio.

The traditional events such as a banquet and speaker and the Unique Ensemble gospel choir concert will be enhanced with additional programs. Faculty, staff and students with ideas or suggestions can contact any member of the committee or call the Dean of Student Affairs Office at 785-4111. □

Extended Hours Planned for Student Health Clinic

Additional office hours are planned for the Student Health Clinic contract physician, Dr. George Pipes. With the change to an appointment system to ensure each student receives adequate time with the physician, the need for additional hours has become apparent. As a result, Pipes will be available two afternoons a week from 1 to 4 p.m. □

Around the Residential Halls and Colleges

E.C. Grim will be celebrating Thanksgiving with a special Thanksgiving Vespers service. The hall government is coordinating a potluck dinner with Morrison's providing the traditional turkey. In December, E.C. Grim will extend the Vespers tradition with a Christmas Vespers the Sunday before finals. A dinner, secret santa presents exchange, and holiday songs will be the highlight of the holidays.

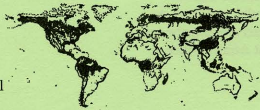
Another tradition which continues in E.C. Grim is the "Last Lecture" series. Prominent faculty and staff leaders will be invited to give a lecture as if it were their last. In the past, Vonnie Nichols, Sal Costa, and Dr. Charles McClain have presented speeches.

The campus apartments have developed their own council. The Campus Apartments Activities Board (CAAB). The CAAB has had a very successful beginning. CAAB has been instrumental in developing the desk operations for the apartments and providing important campus information to the residents. Brian Carter, student manager, serves as the contact person for CAAB and can be contacted at 785-7167.

Ryle Colleges continue to sponsor outstanding lecturers in the Monday nights at Ryle series. Just recently, Arun Ghandi, grandson of the late spiritual leader Mahatma Gandhi, was sponsored. Prominent speakers to come include Dr. Charles Crenshaw, one of the surgeons who labored to save President Kennedy minutes after the assassination, on Dec. 6; and Robert Clary, an actor who played LeBeau on *Hogan's Heroes*, starred on *Days of our Lives* and is currently with *The Bold and the Beautiful*. On Jan. 24, Clary will address the horror of the Holocaust, which claimed the lives of 13 members of his immediate family. The speaker's series is one component of the total living/learning environment and an important aspect of the holistic education of Northeast students.

A highlight of the fall semester is the International Dinner. The International Dinner, scheduled to take place in the SUB Georgian Room on Dec. 4, is sponsored by the International club. Food from more than 20 countries will be prepared and

served entirely by the students and accompanied by traditional and modern entertainment. The International



The Blanton/Nason Formal is scheduled for Nov. 20 from 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. The theme is "Wonderful Tonight" and tickets are \$8 a person or \$15 a couple. Tickets will go on sale soon. Call Ana at 785-4710 for more information.

The sixth annual Blanton/Nason Night Spike Tournament will be arriving in Spring 1994. This is a campus-wide event volleyball tournament. All the proceeds from the tournament are donated to a charity. Last year over \$100 was donated to Special Olympics as a result of the tournament.

Peer Academic Counselors: Scholars bring academic services into the resident's living areas. For the past 13 years, the residence halls have created and improved a unique system of using "in-hall" scholars to assist peers in registration, drop-add, undecided major issues, the liberal arts core, tutoring, resource location and referrals. The Peer Academic Counseling Program pairs a scholar with a resident advisor to meet the wide range of needs found in a wing of residents within the halls that have the Academic Planning Services (APS) Counselors. Having a branch advising office in the hall gives students an opportunity to interact more closely and frequently with academic advisors. Students are more likely to seek an advisor because they don't have to leave the building. The students are more aware that the advisors are there to help them throughout the semester rather than just a registration time. Advising becomes an ongoing process.

As the in-hall advising has grown, so has the success of the students living in the halls. Cumulative grade point averages are better and there is a higher retention rate of residents on campus. For more information about the Peer Academic Counselors, visit the hall directors in Centennial, Dobson or E.C. Grim. □

International Dinner Planned

Dinner is an annual event and has become a tradition. It is a showcase of the diversity of culture and tradition at Northeast.

The International Club President Evangelos Christou, a senior from Cyprus, says, "This International Dinner is going to be the biggest ever."

Tickets are available at the International Student Office, Missouri Hall 110. □