

United Way campaign underway

NDSU has kicked off a new season of fund raising for the United Way of Cass-Clay. The campaign runs through the end of October.

According to Barb Pederson, the campus campaign coordinator, NDSU raised \$54,675.04 for United Way last year. This year's goal is an increase of 9 percent.

"We have 1,700 possible givers on campus, and last year about 700 contributed. We are hoping for increased participation this year to help meet our goal," Pederson said.

The money raised goes directly to 35 member agencies in Cass and Clay counties. Some of the areas funded include basic food and shelter needs, counseling, domestic violence and abuse programs and services for youth, elderly and the physically and developmentally disabled in the area.

Every faculty and staff member of campus has the opportunity to give through payroll deduction. Department or unit representatives have more information and pledge cards. Those who pledge have the opportunity to specify which agencies receive their gifts.

The United Way also is looking for volunteers. Interested persons can call 237-5050.

Surveys planned to gauge student campus satisfaction

NDSU is interested in knowing how satisfied students are with a wide range of college experiences. Surveys will be distributed to help pinpoint strengths and areas in need of improvement.

Students will be asked their opinions regarding topics such as academic services, including the library, computer clusters and study areas; the campus climate, including campus policies, housing and food service; diverse populations on campus; and support services. In addition, faculty, staff and administrators who receive benefits will receive nearly identical surveys that ask them to indicate how satisfied they think students are with the campus environment.

The Office of Assessment and Institutional Research will coordinate the distribution of the surveys with the assistance of George Youngs, associate professor of sociology, and Richard Rathge, professor of agricultural economics.

For the survey, classes will be selected from various Monday-Wednesday-Friday classes, Tuesday-Thursday classes and evening classes. Instructors will be contacted for permission to allow staff to enter the classroom to administer the surveys during a portion of a class period. Campus mail will be used to distribute and collect the employee surveys.

The standardized surveys have been approved by the campus Institutional Review Board and should take approximately 30 minutes to complete. Any questions regarding the rights of human subjects may be directed to the Institutional Review Board at 1-8908.

The surveys are anonymous and voluntary, and participants may skip any questions they do not care to answer. All surveys should be completed by the end of November. For more information about the survey effort, contact Mary McDonald at 1-7752, George Youngs at 1-8941 or Richard Rathge at 1-8621.

Y2K update

Conversion, testing and implementation phases of the NDSU Y2K project are now complete for mission critical, high impact, Life and Safety and Environmental issues in the NDSU Y2K Hardware Compliance Inventory. A chart showing the areas impacted by these remedies and more details are available on the CYA for Y2K Web site at www.ndsu.nodak.edu/cya/project/tracking/status09-30-1999.htm.

Varsity Mart to hold staff appreciation sale

The Varsity Mart is sponsoring its annual staff appreciation day, 1-4 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 23. Punch and cookies will be served. Specials include 20 percent off souvenirs, cards, clothing, supplies and miscellaneous items. Some exclusions apply in each department.

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Homecoming activities include dedications, Hall of Fame inductions

Homecoming 1999 featured a busy schedule of new building dedications and a luncheon honoring the latest inductees into the Bison Athletic Hall of Fame.

Dedication ceremonies for Ehly Hall, the first academic building on the campus to be funded entirely with private contributions, were held Oct. 7. Located in the College of Engineering and Architecture, the \$1.6 million structure includes a materials and construction laboratory, library, study area, architectural studio space and an interactive video classroom.

Ehly Hall is named in honor of Raymond Ehly Sr., who contributed \$700,000 to the project. Ehly earned a degree in civil engineering from NDSU in 1955 and later pursued a career as a contractor, eventually becoming president of Asphalt, Inc., Moorhead. In 1969, he relocated the business to El Cajon, Calif. Now in semi-retirement, he and his wife, Joni, divide their time between their residences in Blaine, Wash., and Cabo San Lucas, Mexico.

"As I look at this new building, I see it as a reminder that success breeds success," said NDSU President Joseph Chapman, noting the funding for the building was part of the \$20,000,000 Campaign for North Dakota State University. "The private funds which have paid for this building came from a successful fund drive, which tapped into the professional success of many generous individuals and firms. Everyone who has invested in this building has invested in young people."

Ehly pointed out that more than 150 individuals and firms contributed time, materials and funds for the project. "Today is special for me as I recall the excellent tutelage I received here," Ehly told the large crowd attending the ceremony. "To the students, I hope you all have the greatest success so you, too, can come back to contribute to future generations."

The new Alumni Center was officially dedicated Oct. 8. The \$3.5 million building was funded solely with private contributions from NDSU alumni and friends. Located at 1241 N. University Drive, it houses the offices of the NDSU Alumni Association and NDSU Development Foundation.

"I consider this beautiful new Alumni Center as a vital two-way bridge that allows for communication, collaboration and celebration," said Chapman as he accepted the building on behalf of the university. "Clearly, it will play a valuable role for years to come. As NDSU moves forward building strong and lasting relationships with alumni and friends, this center will provide an important link between the campus and the community."

David Maring, Alumni Association president, said, "I regard this facility as a symbol of the devotion we all feel for NDSU. It is a place where our alumni and friends can come to tell stories about wonderful experiences in the past or hear NDSU administrators talk about exciting plans for what lies ahead. It is a place where we can gather in friendship to do important work that needs to be done."

Also on Oct. 8, seven members were inducted into the Bison Athletic Hall of Fame, bringing the total number of inductees to 162. The announcement of the 28th annual class was made by Hall of Fame committee chair Lee Petersen.

It includes Don Morton, head football coach from 1979-84; Orrin "Gene" Gamache, an outstanding basketball and track performer from 1953-56; Stacy Robinson, an All-American wide receiver and track sprinter from 1982-84; Gary Leurer, a standout football defensive lineman and wrestler from 1968-70; Mike Langlais, a national champion wrestler during his Bison career from 1980-84; Deb (Bergerson) Stambaugh, a two-time All-American and five-time conference track and field champion from 1981-84; and Pati Rolf, an All-NCC and NCAA All-Regional selection in volleyball during her career from 1981-84.

Homecoming king and queen named

Mark Wilson and Jennifer Bjorge were crowned the 1999 NDSU Homecoming king and queen Oct. 8.



Wilson

Wilson is a senior from Greenbush, Minn., working on a double major in accounting and agricultural economics. He is involved in several campus organizations, including Bison Ambassadors and student government, and he plans to become a certified public accountant/agricultural consultant in the Red River Valley.



Bjorge

Bjorge is a senior from Buxton, N.D., majoring in agricultural economics with an emphasis in communication. Her career goals are to work with youth in the agricultural sector and she hopes to one day to own a bed and breakfast and be a stay-at-home mom.

Other members of the Homecoming court included Jessica Anderson, a senior in economics; Jennifer Batschelet, a senior in business administration; Rhonda Graff Menze, a senior in crop and weed sciences; Sheyna Richard, a senior in mass communication; Annie Williams, a senior in accounting;

Shawn R. Berg, a senior in criminal justice and psychology; Erik Robert Hatch, a sophomore in speech communication; David Lyste, a senior in civil engineering; Brad Olson, a senior in business administration; and Brian Peters, a senior in architecture.

Library offers AP photo archive

NDSU Libraries has arranged for a campus trial of the AccuNet/AP Photo Archive database through Nov. 1.

The AccuNet/AP Photo Archive provides researchers with access to the world's largest online collection of current and historical photographs, with text. The database goes back 150 years and is the oldest, largest and most up-to-date photo archive of its kind. NDSU students, faculty and staff can use the database to research topics in the areas of history, political science, English, journalism, art, sciences and information technology.

Any campus computer can access AccuNet/AP Photo Archive at <http://ap.accuweather.com/apphoto/> or from a link from the Libraries' home page. Our username is "58105ndsu" and the password is "photo," in all lowercase letters.

For more information, call the Reference Desk at 1-8886 or contact a subject librarian.

Researcher looks for hair-pulling volunteers

An NDSU researcher is looking for adult and older adolescent volunteers who wish to rid themselves of the habit of pulling their hair. Raymond Miltenberger, professor of psychology, is conducting a study in which he is treating people with "trichotillomania," a condition where they actually pull out their hair.

"These people pull their hair out, typically from various part of the scalp, but also from their eyebrows and eyelashes in some cases," Miltenberger said. "This hair loss can range from very mild to almost complete hair loss. This is something they don't want to do, but they are somewhat driven to do it."

The condition, which is believed to affect 1 to 2 percent of the population, often is triggered by certain situations, such as when a person is stressed, anxious or bored. "Part of our research is to understand more about why people pull their hair. The major focus of the research is to evaluate treatments," Miltenberger said. Previously he conducted successful research with children and is now turning his attention to older subjects.

Treatment includes awareness training and sessions to teach alternative uses of their hands during times when they usually pull their hair. "We want them to learn a new, alternative habit that is socially appropriate," Miltenberger explained. "This can be as simple as making a fist or grasping an object. We work with participants to choose the behaviors they are most comfortable with that are inconspicuous and incompatible with hair-pulling." There also is a social support or motivational component to help participants achieve success with treatment.

Miltenberger, who is assisted by graduate students Cristine Deaver and Tiffany Kodak in the research, is looking for up to 20 volunteers. They will be asked to make weekly visits to NDSU for a few months and then participate in follow-up sessions after treatment. He plans to write a research paper about the results of the work.

Persons interested in participating are asked to contact Miltenberger's research laboratory at 231-8563.

People

Bromley presents workshops in Wyoming

Kimble Bromley, assistant professor of art, was a visiting artist at Laramie County Community College, Cheyenne, Wyo., on Sept. 27. He presented "Creativity Enhancement Using Hypnosis" to a painting class, held a watercolor workshop and presented slides of his Cuba series and most recent work.

Bromley joined the NDSU faculty in 1996 and has served as a visiting artist throughout the Midwest and in Ecuador and Mexico.

Stegner receives Development Foundation Service Award

NDSU alumna Anne Stegner was presented the 1999 NDSU Development Foundation Service Award during the foundation's Homecoming honors dinner Oct. 7. The 1949 home economics graduate, who enjoyed a successful career as an executive in the retail clothing industry, was recognized with the prestigious award because of her active leadership in foundation activities and capital campaigns.

A member of the foundation's board of trustees since 1978, Stegner has held a number of foundation positions, including president and chair. She served on the steering committee of the Centennial Campaign, policy committee for the \$20,000,000 Campaign for NDSU and was chair of the Scholarship Endowment Program. Stegner also participated in the SU '75 campaign and fund raising efforts for the new Alumni Center.

Stegner, a native of Amidon, N.D., previously was honored by the university with an Alumni Achievement Award in 1977, Distinguished Alumna in 1988 and an honorary doctorate in 1990.

"Dedicated alumni like Anne are the core of our fund-raising efforts and their efforts are tremendously important to the institution," said NDSU President Joseph Chapman. "She has made a tremendous difference and we consider her not only a friend, but a lifelong mentor of the university."

After graduating from NDSU and earning a master's degree from the New York School of Retailing, Stegner began her career in 1950 with Rike's Department Store in Dayton, Ohio. After 18 years, she joined Bullock's Department Store in Los Angeles, where she became the first woman to be appointed a company vice president. In 1978, she was named president of the Harzfeld's store chain in Kansas City, Mo. She joined Dayton's, Minneapolis, in 1980 as senior vice president. She retired in 1981.

Lloyd Thompson, foundation trustee, describes Stegner as a generous person committed to NDSU. "I've never seen anybody as dedicated as Anne has been," he said. "She has a tremendous amount of energy and I can see why she is a very successful person. There's just no end to her energy. It's just unbelievable."

Katherine Kilbourne Burgum, foundation trustee, said, "In a sense, this honor is a personal victory for Anne because we were on the committee together that started the award. I'm very pleased with the selection. There are a lot of wonderful people who have contributed to the foundation over the years and all of those people have been very worthy, but I think this award for Anne is very special. It's a victory she deserves."

Stambough to be published in journal

A research article by Stephen J. Stambough, assistant professor of political science, will appear in the December 1999 issue of the journal *Comparative State Politics*. The article is titled "Political Cable Advertising and the Future of Political Campaigns: A View from the West." The study addresses the impact of cable television advertising on low-profile political campaigns due to its flexibility in demographic and geographic targeting of voters.

History faculty present papers at conference

David Danbom, professor of history, and Gerald Anderson, associate professor of history, presented research papers at the 34th annual Northern Great Plains History Conference in St. Cloud, Minn., Oct. 7-9.

In "The Great Depression and the Crisis of Business Leadership in Fargo, North Dakota," Danbom argues that the city depended heavily on leadership from the business community, even after Franklin Roosevelt's New Deal programs heightened the level of federal involvement in the city's life. He suggests that early New Deal recovery and relief programs succeeded in Fargo because of support from business volunteers who exhibited a traditional spirit of can-do boosterism.

He also notes the Community Chest, the charitable innovation initiated and operated by the business community, faced severe challenges during the Depression. It survived only by dramatically altering its mission and substituting professional leadership for that of business volunteers.

Danbom's paper is a product of his continuing research on Fargo during the Depression. In 1996 Danbom was awarded the Larry Rowen Remele Award for his significant contributions to the Northern Great Plains History Conference.

Gerald Anderson presented "The Last Dance: British High Society in the Summer of 1939" at the conference. Utilizing contemporary accounts and memoirs of participants, his paper examined the attitudes of the British elite in the weeks before the outbreak of World War II. He argues that many were in denial that war could occur, as they continued the season of debutante "coming out" balls that culminated in the fantastic ball in honor of Sarah Churchill at Blenheim Palace.

Anderson's paper is derived from his long-term research on England during the 1930s. Anderson serves on the Board of Governors of the Northern Great Plains History Conference.

Veterinary technology staff member honored

Teresa Sonsthagen, instructor of veterinary technology, was named "Veterinary Technician Making a Difference" for the state of North Dakota by the North Dakota Veterinary Technician Association and the North American Veterinary Technician Association.

Sonsthagen was a founding member of the North Dakota association and has held every office in the group. She also served in several offices in the North American association, including president. She continues to play an active role in both associations. Sonsthagen has been an instructor in the NDSU veterinary technology program since 1981. She wrote the textbook "Restraint of Domestic Animals," contributed to several others and has had articles published in veterinary technology journals. She also speaks at continuing education programs nationwide.

Horticulturists honored at conferences

Dale E. Herman, professor of horticulture, received the "Distinguished Achievement Award for Nursery Crops" from the American Society for Horticulture Science at the group's summer conference in Minneapolis.

Herman teaches five horticulture courses at NDSU. He has been involved in the introduction of 20 superior woody plants for Northern Plains landscapes in his woody plant improvement research program. Woody plant evaluations are conducted at eight locations throughout North Dakota, including the NDSU Research Arboretum in Absaraka, N.D., four NDSU research centers and three urban forestry sites.

Chiwon W. Lee, associate professor of horticulture, also was honored by the group with a citation for distinguished services rendered to the society as the associate editor of HortScience, 1996-1999. Lee teaches four horticulture courses at NDSU and is involved with research in high-cash value crops, including carrots.

Both Herman and Lee presented papers at the conference and Lee chaired a workshop on "Ornamental Plant Breeding in the Midwest."

Lawrence J. Chaput, horticulture research specialist in Herman's research program, received the R.L. Wodarz Award at the North Dakota State Horticultural Society Conference held in Wahpeton, N.D., in August. The award recognizes outstanding contributions to the field of horticulture in North Dakota.

Events

Theatrical percussion troupe to perform Oct. 23

The NDSU Festival Concert Series will present "Mary Ellen Childs' CRASH" at 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 23, in Festival Concert Hall.

Childs, the founder of CRASH, is a composer who is involved with the entire staging process of the program. She composes music and incorporates visual media, theater and choreography for a comprehensive performance that entertains the eyes and ears.

One of her works has cymbal players on rolling stools, in-line skates and other rolling modes of transportation. Another piece is a fast-paced, game-like work for three or more stick-wielding performers. These pieces of music in motion have earned the group raves from The New York Times, The Chicago Tribune and The Village Voice.

Tickets are \$13 for adults, \$10 for senior citizens and NDSU employees, \$6 for children and non-NDSU students and \$5 for NDSU students. To order tickets call 1-8458 or visit any TicketMaster outlet.

Gender researcher to present lectureship

Michael Kimmel, professor of sociology at SUNY at Stony Brook, is scheduled to present the 1999 Sociologists for Women in Society Lectureship. He is a nationally known researcher and speaker on gender and masculinity.



Kimmel will present "Saving the Males: VMI, the Citadel and Gender Equality" at 3 p.m. Monday, Oct. 25, in the Memorial Union Century Theater. He also is scheduled to speak at

Concordia College the same day. He will present "Are Men and Women from Different Planets: Exploring the Differences and Similarities between Men and Women" at 7:30 p.m. in the Knutson Theater.

The lectures are sponsored by a grant from the national organization of Sociologists for Women in Society and the Women's Studies programs of Concordia College, NDSU and Moorhead State University.

In "Saving the Males: VMI, the Citadel and Gender Equality," Kimmel argues that while the Supreme Court decisions to admit women to VMI and the Citadel in 1996 were a landmark victory for women's equality, the cases allow a unique opportunity to explore the meaning of masculinity in contemporary America. Upon examination, cases may be used to focus questions of sameness and difference within the discussion of equality, and to discuss remedies offered to ameliorate gender inequality in education, including the issue of single-sex schools. By looking at the experience of the first women cadets at West Point and Norwich University, Kimmel predicts some of the difficulties that women entering VMI and the Citadel will confront.

Given the popular opinion circulating in the United States today that women and men come from different planets—women from Venus, men from Mars—it has become popular to outline many gender differences: brain chemistries, brain organization, hormones, bodies, selves, ways of knowing, moral voices, ways of speaking and hearing each other. Yet we all are together, attending the same classes, reading the same books and subject to the same grading criteria. Kimmel considers the case for gender difference, and also suggests alternative ways of understanding gender.

Kimmel is the editor of the international journal *Men and Masculinities*. His books include "Changing Men," "Men Confront Pornography," "Men's Lives," "Against the Tide: Profeminist Men in the United States, 1776-1990," "The Politics of Manhood" and "Manhood: A Cultural History." In addition to the journal, he also edits a book series at the University of California Press, and the Sage Series on Men and Masculinities. He is the spokesperson for the National Organization for Men Against Sexism and lectures extensively on campuses across the country and abroad.

NDSU mathematics faculty present program for high school girls

The third annual Sonia Kovalevsky High School Days, a nationwide program that encourages high school girls to consider careers in science and mathematics, is scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 16, at NDSU. The NDSU mathematics department will host students and teachers from North Dakota and Minnesota.

The daylong program will begin with a keynote speech by Jane Hawkins from the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. Hawkins received her doctorate from the University of Warwick, Coventry, England. She has taught at SUNY Stony Brook and Cal Tech, as well as UNC. Her research area is in chaos theory. Additional workshops will be presented by NDSU professors.

The event is funded by a grant from the Association for Women in Mathematics and will be coordinated at NDSU by Ken Johnson, associate professor, and Ayse Sahin, assistant professor, both in the mathematics department. Johnson's research area is analytic number theory, while Sahin conducts research in ergodic theory.

Kovalevsky was the most widely known Russian mathematician of the late 19th century. As a woman, she was not allowed to attend university lectures, so she studied mathematics privately. In 1883 she was appointed to a professorship at the University of Stockholm, Sweden. In 1884 she received a doctorate in Germany. Her most important work was in the theory of differential equations.

Students and teachers should pre-register for the event. For more information, contact Johnson at 1-8192 or kejohno@plains.nodak.edu, or Sahin at 1-8175 or sahin@plains.nodak.edu. Information also is available online at <http://skday.math.ndsu.nodak.edu>.

Workshop on grant opportunities planned for Oct. 15

"An Introduction to Applying for Funding from the National Institutes of Health" is an informal workshop planned for 1:30-3 p.m. Friday, Oct. 15, in the Memorial Union Ballroom (Room 337). Participants will learn how to tap into the \$13 billion in NIH grants.

Faculty members Mukund Sibi and Mark McCourt and representatives from the Offices of Research Administration and Restricted Fund Accounting will present the workshop. They will offer tips on how to go about applying for and receiving grant monies in the biomedical and health-related sciences from the NIH.

Topics will include new investigator issues, programmatic opportunities, the new modular budget system, reviewing the pink sheets and insights on how the review committee and study sections work. Faculty members who have applied for or received NIH funding also are invited to attend to share their experiences and observations.

Brown bag seminars to discuss gay rights, alcohol and students

Due to incorrect information provided, the description of the brown bag seminar "State of the State" was not accurate in the Oct. 6 issue of "It's Happening at State."

Robert Uebel, assistant professor of German, will present "State of the State," at noon Wednesday, Oct. 13 in the Memorial Union Peace Garden Room. The seminar will address issues concerning gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender people in North Dakota. Uebel is the co-chair of Equality North Dakota (END), the first statewide political organization to focus on gay rights in the state.

Kevin Thompson, associate professor of psychology, is scheduled to present "Alcohol Related Arrest Patterns among NDSU Students," at noon Wednesday, Oct. 20, in the Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room.

Thompson will examine the frequency of alcohol-related arrests of students and discuss whether such incidents rise during sporting events and Greek rush week.

Also in conjunction with Alcohol Awareness Week, the Peer Health Network will have a booth in the Memorial Union on Tuesday, Oct. 19. The theme is "Stand Up and be Counted," and it is sponsored by the Bacchus and Gamma organization.

For more information contact the YMCA of NDSU at 235-8772.

ATID hosts educational camp for Girl Scouts

The Department of Apparel, Textiles and Interior Design, in collaboration with the Pine-to-Prairie Girl Scout Council, hosted an educational camp for area Girl Scouts Oct. 10.

Camp sessions, which focused on career exploration and service projects, taught about 40 girls from grades 7 to 12 about career paths in apparel, textiles, interior design and facility management. Faculty and students offered hands-on projects to the Girl Scouts that show how work within the disciplines can aid in enhancing people's lives.

The camp featured four program sessions, including "Color and Environment" led by Susan Ray-Degges, assistant professor; "Sun Protection: Be Sun Smart" taught by Linda Manikowske, assistant professor; "Universal Design for People of All Abilities" led by Shauna Corry, assistant professor; and "Clothing for Special Needs: Urban Turban Service Project" coordinated by Ann Braaten, senior lecturer, and Bev Motschenbacher, Pine-to-Prairie Girl Scout Council program director.

Horizons seminar to focus on the church in China

Dorcas Wang, Chinese International Christian ministry at NDSU, is scheduled to present "The Church in China" at noon Wednesday, Oct. 20, in the Memorial Union Cul de Sac Lounge. The seminar is part of the weekly "Horizons" series presented by United Campus Ministry and the University Lutheran Center. For more information call 235-0672 or 232-2587.

Women's Studies symposium to focus on farmers' health



McCullagh

Marjorie McCullagh, assistant professor of nursing, is scheduled to present "Staying Healthy on the Farm - A Focus on Health Behavior," as the next Women's Studies symposium at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 21, in Loftsgard 380. She will expand on the presentation she recently gave at the 1999 National Nursing Research State of the Science Conference in Washington, D.C.

In her presentation, McCullagh summarizes a variety of health hazards that farmers are exposed to in the course of their daily work. These include their use of machinery and chemicals as well as their contact with dust, microorganisms and noise. These hazards take their toll in the form of increased risk of disease and injury. Placing these unwanted conditions in perspective, McCullagh says that many can be reduced through preventive health practices.

McCullagh's presentation then focuses on the use of protection devices to prevent hearing loss. Noting that actual use of ear protection devices is low, she designed her study employing the Pender Health Promotion Model to identify factors affecting farmers' use of protective ear devices. She found that while less than one-fifth of farmers studied used protective devices, use was not related to production type, occupational role, operation size, gender or age. Rather, a logistic regression analysis identified use of devices as related to interpersonal support, barriers and situational influences in 75 percent of the farmers studied.

McCullagh explains that information from her study has implications for farmers, farm family members, extension service personnel, equipment dealers and health care workers. Her results can be used to design and evaluate interventions to promote ear protection device use among farmers and reduce the level of noise-induced hearing loss among this high-risk and under-served worker group.

McCullagh is a registered nurse and holds a doctorate in nursing from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. She is a certified clinical specialist in occupational health nursing, specializing in the health of agricultural workers. Since 1983, she has worked to promote the health of farmers in a variety of settings and has been teaching at NDSU since 1986.

The symposium is free and open to the public. For more information contact McCullagh at 1-7517, or Kathleen Slobin, director of women's studies, at 1-8939.

Admission office plans Discover NDSU

The Office of Admission is sponsoring Discover NDSU programs Thursday and Friday, Oct. 21-22, and Friday and Saturday, Nov. 12-13.

Discover NDSU is designed to acquaint prospective students and their families with the people, programs and campus at NDSU. Students tour campus facilities, meet professors, students and staff and learn about academic life, student involvement and financial aid available to NDSU students. The program also provides an opportunity for prospective students to become familiar with campus departments and organizations. For more information contact Merideth Sherlin at 1-9653.

Teleconference planned to address world hunger

In connection with World Food Day, an international teleconference is scheduled to be aired from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Friday, Oct. 15, in the Memorial Prairie Rose Room. The broadcast, "Tomorrow's Farmers: An Uncertain Future," will address the problems facing the world's young farmers and possible solutions to fight hunger at home and abroad. The program will be broadcast in English, French and Spanish to a worldwide audience.

An international panel of experts will take calls from participants at hundreds of sites around the world. A live program from the National Summit on Community Food Security in Chicago also is planned as part of the broadcast. The Chicago summit is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

The teleconference is being sponsored by the U.S. National Committee for World Food Day, the Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations, the U.S. Agency for International Development and the U.S. Information Agency.

World Food Day is Saturday, Oct. 16, and is observed in more than 150 countries. The teleconference is being presented Oct. 15 to accommodate campus calendars. The day was founded in 1981 to mark the formation of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations.

For more information contact Abby Gold at 1-7482 or Abby_Gold@ndsu.nodak.edu or Sharon Greeley at 1-7478 or greeley@plains.nodak.edu.

Snow blower clinic planned for Oct. 23

Agricultural systems management and the American Society of Agricultural Engineers are sponsoring a snow blower clinic at 6 p.m. Oct. 28 in the Agricultural Engineering building. A tune-up, oil change, spark plug change, air filter cleaning and wash are included in the \$20 fee. Any additional parts needed for repairs will be an additional charge.

Pick up and delivery is available within city limits for an additional \$5. To schedule an appointment, call the agricultural biosystems engineering office at 1-7261.

Shorts and Reminders

Positions open and their closing dates through the Office of Human Resources, Room 205, Old Main:

Administrative Assistant
Physical Plant
\$20,000 minimum/year (32-40 hour work week)
Oct. 13 (internal)

Reservations and Event Services Assist/#4199
Memorial Union
\$12,500+/year (10-month position)
Oct. 15

Administrative Secretary/#3668
Mathematics
\$14,450
Oct. 18

Salad Department Supervisor/#1149
(5 a.m.-1:30 p.m.; M-F; 12-month position)
Dining Services
\$9.40/hour
Oct. 13 (internal); Oct. 27 (external)

Cook/#1071
(8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; M-F; weekend rotation, summer hours as available)
Dining Services - Memorial Union
\$7.46/hour
Oct. 13 (internal); Oct. 27 (external)

Bakery Assistant/#1124
(7 a.m.-3:30 p.m.; M-F; 10-month position)
Dining Services - Auxiliary Bakery
\$5.80/hour
Oct. 14

Custodian/#707
(M-F; 6 a.m.-2:30 p.m.)
Physical Plant
\$14,560 minimum/year
Oct. 27

Painter
Physical Plant
\$18,000 minimum/year
Oct. 28

Carpenter
Physical Plant
\$24,960 minimum/year
Oct. 28

Admission and Records Associate
Student Academic Affairs
\$19,794 minimum/year
Oct. 27

Riparian Forester/#4745
North Dakota Forest Service - Walhalla, N.D.
\$21,216 minimum/year
Oct. 20 (extended closing date)

Research Specialist
Carrington Research Extension Center
Carrington, ND
\$25,000 minimum/year
Nov. 15

Position openings also are available through the NDSU Web site at www.nodak.edu/human-resources/.

Union Food Court Specials Oct. 14-20

The Corner Deli

Thursday: ham
Friday: chicken salad sandwich
Monday: chicken
Tuesday: roast beef
Wednesday: pastrami

More Than a Burger

Thursday: cheeseburger
Friday: fish sandwich
Monday: cheeseburger
Tuesday: mushroom Swiss burger
Wednesday: broiled chicken

A La Carte

Thursday: hand-carved roast beef
Friday: fish strips
Monday: broasted chicken
Tuesday: hand-carved roast beef
Wednesday: barbecued pork

Soup of the Day

Thursday: Wisconsin cheese
Friday: tomato
Monday: knoepla
Tuesday: tomato
Wednesday: broccoli cheese

*Items are subject to change without notice.

Call the Dining Services Lunch Line daily at 1-9501 to check out the soup of the day, dining center specials and Union Food Court specials.

Questions or comments may be dropped in the suggestion boxes in each dining center and the Union Food Court or call Kim at the Union Dining Center and Catering office at 1-8122.

Beef roasts on sale

The NDSU Meat Lab has about 20 slow-roasted beef roasts for sale. The roasts are approximately 3.3 pounds each and sell for \$10. To place an order, call 1-8107 8 a.m.-2 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Smoked turkeys available for Thanksgiving

The NDSU Saddle & Sirloin Club will be selling smoked turkeys to be picked up for Thanksgiving. The cost is \$17 for a 10-12 pound turkey. The ordering deadline is Oct. 27. For more information or to place an order, call Sara Hoesel at 293-6647, Jessica Larson at 476-0801, Russ Danielson at 1-7648 or Jim Kirsch at 1-7665.

Research Opportunities

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The Office of Research Administration in Old Main 201K announces the following funding opportunities and deadlines. For more information, call 1-8114. For information about other grants, check the Research Administration Web site at www.ndsu.nodak.edu/ndsu/sizer/resadmin.html and click on "Funding Opportunities."

Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation Teacher-Scholarship Awards Program www.dreyfus.org/tc.shtml Deadline: Nov. 15

The Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation Teacher-Scholar Awards Program seeks to strengthen the teaching and research careers of talented young faculty in the chemical sciences. Based on institutional nominations, the program provides funding to faculty at early stages in their careers. Criteria for selection include a commitment to education and an independent body of scholarship that signals the promise of continuing outstanding contributions to both research and teaching. The Camille Dreyfus Teacher-Scholar Award focuses primarily on individual research, but evidence of excellence in teaching is also expected. The Henry Dreyfus Teacher-scholar Award stresses teaching, mentorship and the nominees' accomplishments in research and teaching, primarily with undergraduates.

American Association of University Women (AAUW) Educational Foundation Fellowships www.aauw.org Deadline: Nov. 15 (varies by fellowship type)

For the Nov. 15 deadline, the American Association of University Women invites applicants for American Fellowships, Dissertation Fellowships, Postdoctoral Research Leave Fellowships and Summer/Short Term Research Publication Grants. Other upcoming fellowships, with deadlines of Dec. 15 and Jan. 10, include Selected Professions Fellowships, Focus Professions Group Fellowships, Science and Technology Fellowships and International Fellowships. The fellowships are open to a wide variety of disciplinary areas.

Bush Foundation Leadership Fellows Program Deadline: Nov. 15

The Bush Foundation is looking for accomplished, motivated individuals who are eager to prepare for greater leadership responsibilities within their professions and communities. Applicants propose educational programs to help attain goals they set for themselves. Awards have been granted to those in fields such as community service, education, government, health care, business, engineering, science, architecture, farming, forestry, law, trade unions, law enforcement, journalism and social work, but fellowships are not restricted to these fields. Applicants must be U.S. citizens between the ages of 28 and 54, must have lived at least one continuous year in Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota or certain areas of Wisconsin, and have had at least five years experience in any field with strong evidence of competence and leadership abilities.

**Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
Environmental Education Grants Program**
www.epa.gov/enviroed/
Deadline: Nov. 22

The Environmental Protection Agency is soliciting grant proposals from education institutions, environmental and educational public agencies and not-for-profit organizations to support environmental education projects. Environmental education is defined by the EPA as projects that increase public awareness and knowledge about environmental issues and provide skills to make informed decisions and take responsible actions. It does not advocate a particular viewpoint or course of action. The EPA is looking to address the following educational priorities: capacity building, education reform, community issues, health, teaching skills, career development and environmental justice.

**National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
Office of Earth Science
University Earth Science (UnESS) Project**
www.earth.nasa.gov
Deadline: Dec. 1

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration Office of Earth Science has announced the opportunity to conduct innovative space-borne Earth system investigations in the form of complete spaceflight missions or secondary payload instruments through the University earth System Science project. The project includes significant and meaningful hands-on student involvement in Earth observation space missions at the university level.

Calendar

October

- 13 Math/Physics— MATHEMATICA seminar, 3 p.m., South Engineering 305; for information call 1-8977
- 14 Fall choral concert, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 14 Mathematics—Graciela S. Birman, University Nac. del Centro, Tandil, Argentina, "A Glance at Integral Geometry," 3:30, Morrill 105
- 14-16 Little Country Theatre presents "It Is So, If You Think So," 8 p.m., Askanase Auditorium
- 15 Psychology—Mike Antoni, University of Miami, "The Effects of Group-based Stress Management on Distress, Endocrine and Immune Functioning in HIV-infected Persons," 3:30 p.m., Minard 209
- 15 Animal and Range Sciences—Daniel R. Arnold, graduate student, "Regulation of Uterine Prostaglandin F₂ Production in Cattle," 3:30 p.m., Hultz 104
- 15 Plant Sciences—Trevor Dale, "Canola Production in North Dakota," 3:30 p.m., Loftsgard 380
- 17 Soccer vs. Rocky Mountain College, 11 a.m., Ellig Sports Complex
- 17-18 High School Choral Festival
- 18 High School Choral Festival concert, 7 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 20 Architecture/Landscape Architecture—R. Garry Hilderman, principal, Hilderman, Thomas, Frank, Cram, Winnipeg, Canada, "CentreVenture and the Framework for Downtown Revitalization," 5:30 p.m., Loftsgard 114
- 20 Math/Physics— MATHEMATICA seminar, 3 p.m., South Engineering 305; for information call 1-8977
- 22 Family Weekend, Gallery hours 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m.
- 22 Jazz Ensemble concert, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 22 Psychology—John Northup, Louisiana State University, "The Effects of Methylphenidate (Ritalin) in the Classroom: What Dosage, for What Children, for What Problems?" 3:30 p.m., Minard 209
- 22 Chemistry—Andrew Sykes, University of South Dakota, "Chemical Sensing Using Electrochemistry and Luminescence," 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152
- 22 Volleyball vs. Nebraska-Omaha, 7 p.m., Bentson-Bunker Fieldhouse
- 22 Biochemistry and Molecular Biology—John B. Shabb, department of biochemistry and molecular biology, University of North Dakota, "Cyclic AMP-dependent Protein Kinase: How to Get Specificity of Action out of a Multifunctional Enzyme," 3:30 p.m., Loftsgard 102
- 23 Festival Concert Series presents Mary Ellen Childs' CRASH, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 23 Community pumpkin carving festival, 1-4 p.m., Art Building
- 23 Volleyball vs. Northern Colorado, 4 p.m., Bentson-Bunker Fieldhouse
- 23 Football vs. Nebraska-Omaha, 7 p.m., Fargodome
- 24 Gold Star Concert Band concert, 2 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 24 Soccer vs. Moorhead State, 1 p.m., Ellig Sports Complex
- 25 Advising week begins for spring semester
- 27 Chemistry—Nancy Totah, University of Iowa, "The Dihydropyrone Diels-Alder Reaction: Development and Applications," 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152
- 27 Math/Physics— MATHEMATICA seminar, 3 p.m., South Engineering 305; for information call 1-8977
- 28 Chemistry—Robert Paine, University of New Mexico, "Expressions Through Synthesis: From Molecules to Polymers to the Solid State," 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152

29 Psychology—Nancy Volgetanz, University of North Dakota, will present a lecture at 3:30 in Minard 209

30 Football vs. Minnesota State-Mankato, 1:30 p.m., Fargodome

November

Through Nov. 10 “Walter Piehl: Sweethearts, Roping Fools and Cowgirl Suite,” Memorial Union Gallery; for information call 1-8239

1 Spring semester registration begins

2 Volleyball vs. South Dakota State, 7 p.m., Bentson-Bunker Fieldhouse

3 Jazz Combos concert, 8 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall

3 Math/Physics— MATHEMATICA seminar, 3 p.m., South Engineering 305; for information call 1-8977

5 Psychology—Steve Wonderlich, Neuroscience-UND Medical School and Neuropsychiatric Research Institute, “Bulimia Nervosa: The Role of Personality and Child Abuse,” 3:30 p.m., Minard 209

5 Heartland Brass Quintet concert, 7:30 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall

6 Men's basketball vs. Dream Builders Basketball, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

11 Veteran's Day, administrative offices closed, no classes

11 NDSU faculty/staff free preview night of the Little Country Theatre's “Oleanna,” 7:30 p.m., Walsh Studio Theatre

11 Chemistry—Richard Taylor, University of Notre Dame, “Synthetic Methods for Diversity Generation: From Structural to Conformational Libraries,” 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152

12 Psychology—Kevin Thompson will present a seminar at 3:30 p.m. in Minard 209

12 Volleyball vs. St. Cloud State, 7 p.m., Bentson-Bunker Fieldhouse

12-13 Little Country Theatre presents “Oleanna,” 8 p.m., Walsh Studio Theatre

13 Wrestling hosts Bison Open, 10 a.m., Bison Sports Arena

13 Volleyball vs. Minnesota State-Mankato, 7 p.m., Bentson-Bunker Fieldhouse

14 Men's basketball vs. Tharaldson Enterprises, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

17 Union Market, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Memorial Union Alumni Lounge

18 Chemistry—Rita Majerle, South Dakota State University, “Dendrimers: Novel materials—their interfaces and interactions,” 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152

18-20 Little Country Theatre presents “Oleanna,” 8 p.m., Walsh Studio Theatre

19 Psychology—Ann Sandgren, Meritcare Medical Center, “Breast Cancer Telephone Therapy: A Novel Approach to Intervention,” 3:30 p.m., Minard 209

19 Wrestling vs. Minnesota, 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

20 Men's basketball vs. Concordia College, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

23 Men's basketball vs. Minot State, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

25 Thanksgiving Day, administrative offices closed, no classes

26 Administrative offices open, no classes

26-27 Women's basketball hosts the Valley Imports Classic, 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

29 Classes resume

29 Chemistry—Sheila David, University of Utah, “Recognition and Repair of Damaged and Mismatched DNA by the Fe-S Protein MutY,” 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152

30 Women's basketball vs. St. Scholastica, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

December

2 Chemistry—Cecelia Giuliv, University of Minnesota-Duluth, “Nitric Oxide in Mitochondria,” 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152

3 Psychology—Jim Mitchell, Neuroscience-UND Medical School and Neuropsychiatric Research Institute, “Recent Research on the Treatment of Bulimia Nervosa,” 3:30 p.m., Minard 209

3-5 Madrigal Dinners, 6:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall, Grand Lobby

4 Women's basketball vs. Stonehill College, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

- 6 Tri-College Percussion Ensemble and Marimba Choir concert, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 7 Jazz Ensemble and Jazz Lab Band concert, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 8 Brass Ensemble and Gold Star Concert Band concert, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 9 Chemistry—Monique Cosman, Lawrence Livermore National Library, will present a seminar at 3:45 p.m. in Dunbar 152
- 10 Annual Chili Feed and SAS Art Sale, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Art Building
- 10 Annual Holiday Ceramic Sale, noon-6 p.m., Art Building
- 10 Psychology—Tricia Cook Myers, VA Medical Center, "Treatment of Gulf War Syndrome," 3:30 p.m., Minard 209
- 10 Last day of classes
- 12 Winter choral concert, 2 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 13-17 Final exams
- 14 Women's basketball vs. Mayville State, 6 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 14 Men's basketball vs. UM-Crookston, 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 17 Winter commencement, 4 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 20-Jan. 10 Winter recess, no classes

January

- 8 Mens' basketball vs. University of North Dakota, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 9 Women's basketball vs. University of North Dakota, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 10 Orientation and registration for new and returning students
- 11 Classes begin
- 13 Chemistry—Scott Bohle, University of Wyoming, "Chloroquine and the Heme detoxification pathway in Malaria," 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152
- 14 Women's and men's basketball vs. Morningside, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 15 Women's and Men's basketball vs. South Dakota, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

- 17 Martin Luther King Jr. holiday, administrative offices closed, no classes
- 18 Administrative offices open, classes resume
- 20 Chemistry—Marc Snapper, Boston College, will present a seminar at 3:45 p.m. in Dunbar 152
- 21 Festival Concert Series presents Brave New Workshop, 8 p.m., Festival Concert Hall
- 22 Wrestling vs. Minnesota State-Mankato, 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 27 Chemistry—Keith Woerple, University of California-Irvine, will present a seminar at 3:45 p.m. in Dunbar 152
- 28 Women's and men's basketball vs. Augustana College, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 29 Women's and men's basketball vs. South Dakota State, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

February

- 2 Wrestling vs. Dickinson State, 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 5 Wrestling vs. Nebraska-Omaha, 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 12 Wrestling vs. Augustana College, 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 16 Wrestling vs. Moorhead State, 7:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 17 Chemistry—John Peters, Utah State University, will present a seminar at 3:45 p.m. in Dunbar 152
- 18 Women's and men's basketball vs. St. Cloud State, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 19 Women's and men's basketball vs. Minnesota State-Mankato, 6 p.m. and 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 21 President's Day, administrative offices closed, no classes
- 22 Administrative offices open, classes resume
- 24 NDSU faculty/staff free preview night of the Little Country Theatre's "The Crucible," 7:30 p.m., Askanase Auditorium
- 25-26 Little Country Theatre presents "The Crucible," 8 p.m., Askanase Auditorium
- 27 Little Country Theatre presents "The Crucible," 2 p.m., Askanase Auditorium

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