Tom George, Chancellor, University of Missouri–St. Louis

At UMSL during the week, and tickets are available to the public now.

Lastly, we are preparing for Mirth Week at UMSL next month, which will feature a variety of events and activities. Registration deadlines are coming up soon, so be sure to save the date for these exciting occasions.

For area youngsters to learn and grow in programs at UMSL this summer, we are offering a variety of opportunities. There are also scholarships available for incoming seniors and transfer students who are underrepresented in the St. Louis area. These scholarships are open to academically gifted first-generation college students or other students who meet the eligibility requirements.

The Opportunity Scholars Program is targeted to educate and prepare students for college and careers. Recently, members of the UMSL admissions team surprised five high school students from the St. Louis area who are underrepresented in STEM fields with scholarships.

Additionally, we are proud to announce the launch of the STARS Program. The STARS Program is designed to help students who are interested in pursuing careers in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. The program provides a supportive and enriching environment for students to develop their skills and pursue their passions.

The Leadership Breakfast will also showcase current initiatives led by community leaders for those who work in North County. North County Inc. (NCI) will host its 41st Annual Leadership Celebration, which will feature a keynote address by former First Lady Michelle Obama.

Questions, Comments or Share a Thought? Visit our online subscription form to order a free edition of the monthly newsletter this month. Additionally, as spring quickly approaches, we encourage you to attend local schools have come to our campus, and we have hosted a variety of events for students from the St. Louis area. For more information, visit UMSL's website online or call 314-516-6000.