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**Looking for a Bible Study**

Tuesday, April 18

**Bulletin Board**

At 3:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 18, the Next Generation Bulletin Board will be held in the Student Center. The Next Generation Bulletin Board is a wonderful source of caring and compassion for all students and staff. It is a place where students can post information about upcoming events, job opportunities, or any other pertinent information.

Wednesday, April 19

**Rec Sports Deadline for Tennis Tournament**

April 22 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Coed Softball Tournament with Barbecue on the same day. Please sign up by today at the Rec Sports Office, 233 Mark Twain Building.

**International Scholarship**

At 3:30 p.m., Thursday, April 20, an International Scholarship will be held at the Student Center, Room 201. For more information, call 316-7299.

**April, 19**

**The Irish Fiddlers** - "Performance and Historical Reflections" will be held from 12:30 p.m. to 1:45 p.m. at the Music Building, Room 305. Forquiries, call 516-7299.

**Lecture** - "Inventing Paradise: The Greek Journey of Modern Helens and Philhellene" will be held from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on the third floor of the Millennium Student Center, Room 702. For more information, call 516-7299.

**Monday, April 23**

**McClary Noon Series**

"The Process of Singing-An Artist's Solo Talk" will be presented by Eric Sheets, assistant professor of art and program coordinator for the fine arts at St. Louis Community College at Florissant Valley. The event will be held to Room 229, J.C. Penney Conference Center, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Free and open to the public. For inquiries, call Karen Lucas at 516-5699.

**Sunday, April 22**

**Catholic Mass**

Will be held at the South Campus Residence Hall Chapel at 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 p.m. Free and open to the public. For more information, call 516-5933.
School violence is becoming more popular

BY CATHERINE MARQUIS-HOEYER

Mother Earth is certainly having a bad hair day today. Environmental issues have been in the news lately with our government's decisions not to support the Kyoto protocols to control greenhouse gases and cut down on deforestation in drinking water, along with the looming issue of global warming and the spread of annual genome wars also changing the globe's economy. And now, in less than a year, a planet to ponder of the planet's environment.

Earth Day is April 22. As the flowers of April bloom, it is a good time to think about taking care of the natural environment. Earth Day is the day to traditionally consider and speak up for the issues concerned with the health of the planet. Although Earth Day is officially April 22, the events happen all year round, making April the month of the environment and the blossoming of spring.

Earth Day-related events for the month are (as always) crowded by other events for the month, but there are a few important ones that you might want to look into.

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Rivermen undefeated in weeks

Baseball team unstoppable since loss to Indianapolis

BY DAVID KINWORTHY

Staff editor

If all it takes is losing to one of the top 10 teams in the nation before going on a hot streak towards the end of the season, then so be it, as the Rivermen’s baseball team has rebounded to win their past four games since the sweep by Indianapolis two weeks ago and boost their record to 8-6 in the Great Lakes Valley Conference and 20-13 overall.

USM’s pitcher Matt Vassnicht set up a game at a recent match, the Rivermen just ended their regular season at 7-2 in the GLVC.

R-Women lose another three, now 11-19

BY TOM WATSON

Staff reporter

The UMSL River women were 3-1 last weekend in Great Lakes Valley Conference play, as they defeated a doubleheader with St. Louis University losing the first game 5-2 and winning the second game 5-2, and also swept Southern Indiana in which they started out the first game, but fell short, losing the first game 5-2 and the second 5-4. In the first game, Southern Indiana started out on the scoreboard in the fourth inning, scoring on a bases-loaded walk to cut the lead to one. UMSL then scored two runs in the fifth inning to take the lead. UMSL then scored three runs in the fifth inning and took a commanding 1-5 lead.

The Riverwomen added a run in the fifth inning and UMSL countered with single runs in the fifth and sixth.

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Tennis team holds head high at 11-4 as regular season ends

BY NICK BOYWIN

Staff reporter

The Rivermen moved the No. 1 overall spot in the Great Lakes Valley Conference in the third all season, the No. 1 team spot holding the top spot.

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Most people, myself included, view the Blues as a team that has been injury-plagued all season long by Al McNeil, Chris Pronger, Pavel Datsyuk and even Thimoteo Toregros going down at certain points of the season with injuries. The Blues have been a team that will not put it all together in spite of their abilities to have overcome. If the first game of a playoff series is an indicator, the Blues just silenced the critics and scored four runs over their rival victory over the Sharks at the Savvis Center.

They played well and the acquisition of Keith Tkachuk and Daniel Cleary, along with Scott Mellanby, really showed their worth as the Sharks were out-matched by the Blues and out-talented as well.

The Sharks may have own Nolan and Vincent Damphousse, along with an explosive Teemu Selanne, but they were overpowered in this first round of the National Hockey League playoffs. The Blues have always won when it counts this season, but it appears I stress appears as if they have finally come together as the team who was competing with the Colorado Avalanche for the most points in the league.

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Ani DiFranco's intense lyrics strike again

by KATE SCHMIDT AMBER

If you're jarring in the ear, then listen to this one. If you're interested in your life, then check out this one.

Not many tunes has a theme on a certain subject. Ani DiFranco's "You're My Voice" comes close. The theme is something that can apply to anyone, not just the one who wrote it.

Ani DiFranco understands yet again in bringing something as moving as the main industry.

DiFranco's double-disc album Revolutions/Revolutionizers covers all the songs in a new manner. Most of the songs are just coming, out April 11. It's a new way of listening to the songs. At other times she has help in the production of the songs. She is a private person who does not get a lot of public attention. Each song has an amazing array on a single track.

The first disc, Revolutions, offers a more joyous style with a wide variety of music. The second song, "Big Blues," has a slightly electric guitar intro that sets the mood of the song. The guitar is very catchy and yet racy voice. "I'm not the one who break your heart." The seventh song, "Kansans," is an emotional song about the life of a group of people. It is filled with emotional, something that is not easy to do. The song is about a life that is not easy to describe.

Revolutions starts off with a verse about a theme in the song to capture the essence of the song. The former five songs have been written by DiFranco. With an album like this, the vocals are not the only thing that makes the album enjoyable. It is the vocals and the music that make the album enjoyable.

Ani DiFranco is a talented and creative artist. Her music is a reflection of her life. It is a heartfelt story from the beginning to the end.

Reasons why the 'Roaring '20s' really did roar

A few weeks back, our esteemed columnist wrote about how the "Roaring '20s" was really as great after all. I have to strongly disagree with your statement. I think the fact that the 1920s is my favorite decade of the 20th century. As a facts historian, I have studied this time period and it was the Golden Age of silent films and the silent screen. I think you can offer some of the reasons why the 20th century was a great time.

It's hard to imagine how anyone could describe the '20s as anything but fabulous. It was the decade when the world really began to grow in so many ways. The advancements in technology, medicine, and science were amazing. The world was changing and it was happening so fast.

Many of the changes in this time period were due to the industrial revolution. The invention of the automobile, the telephone, and the radio were all part of the changes. The world was becoming more connected and it was happening so fast.

As for the mid-20th Florida real estate crash, it is important to point out that the Florida real estate boom had no effect to start with. It was a world-wide economic downturn, which led to the financial crisis of 2008.

The housing market turned around in 2010, but the market did not recover until 2013. It was a time of great uncertainty and fear. The market was slow to recover and it took many years for prices to return to their pre-recession levels.
**Tangerine** drizzles with originality of downtown certainly gives it a flair of jazz, Screams originality. super-hip, eclectic vegetarian restau-...
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Adventures and other family activities. Events at the various locations include riverwalk blue boat ride, a tour of the wetland treatment plant, bird watching at the wetland restoration and education activities, park clean-ups, and children's hands-on activities.

Earth Day is Sunday, April 22, with the day's festivities starting at the World's Fair Pavilion in Forest Park at 10:30 a.m. with an interfaith celebration of water. The interfaith ceremonies at 11 a.m. will be followed by booths, food, music, educational events, and hands-on water activities for kids. Activities include Native American storytelling, World Bird Sanctuary shows, EarthLinks Art Bus painting in progress, and free giveaways from the Department of Conservation. This is provided by several hosts, including DuBie Ray, Dongie Armstrong, the Flying Mules, Soul Reunion, and Water activities for kids.

Events conclude with a Water Symposium at the Missouri Botanical Garden on April 27, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m., with speakers and panel discussions on water quality and quantity issues and the places of rivers and streams in communities. You must register to participate, and there is a fee, but some scholarships are available. Call 314-421-6220 for information and to register.

A lot more is going on in connection with Earth Day. For more information on the day's events and on other Earth Day-related events, visit the official St. Louis Earth Day website at www.stlouisearthday.org.

The better scenes, and the ones that make it happen. Want to get students involved in your campus department? Give us a call and we'll help you make it happen, 516-5316.

Author tells about vicarious life in boat journey across America

by Sara Porter

When I was little, I wanted to travel through America by boat. I always loved the water, and I had visions of traveling like the great explorers and sailors of the old days to see the water in the horizon and go to uncharted lands. Reading William Least Heat-Moon's interesting book "River Horse," I'm glad I never did.

The book chronicles Heat-Moon's journey across America by boat from the Shattuck River in New York to the Pacific Ocean in Oregon with his fellow pilot Pfitzner (in reality six different men and one woman, according to Heat-Moon's dedications) in Heat-Moon's boat Missoula, River Horse. The book deals with the beauty of nature and the adventure, but it also deals with the hardships of travel: the bad weather and the occasional boredom of the journey, and the limitations with traveling companions.

Heat-Moon and Pfitzner encounter many wondrous sights on that journey—from the gritty bustling port of the Erie Canal to the metropolis of the Missouri River. The settings and the characters, for example a Native American wedding and a persecuted professor and photographer who wanted to capture the daily journey, are described so vividly by Heat-Moon that the reader could see them happening right before his or her eyes.

The better scenes, and the ones that make it happen. His writing on the occasional monotony of traveling when one stretches of water is like another and after awhile the memories start to run together. He also excellently describes the few times when heat and Pfitzner are so intent on one another that they want to get as far away from each other as fast as they can. In these passages they become well-rounded people with failures and weaknesses who just happen to be traveling, not explorers who are symbols of great adventures.

"River Horse" is a better than average book about a journey by water and living vicariously the journey. Although, after it was over, I was glad I didn't have to make the journey myself.
Millie hit his incentive fly with the bases loaded and inn to the fourth inning to provide all the offense the Rivermen would need in a 7-5 victory.

Left-handed pitcher Scott Johnson went 7 2/3 innings, striking out 10 batters. He allowed five hits, none of them for extra bases, as he pitched the Rivermen to their third win in a row.

Keele Jackson also had a strong game. He went 7.2 innings, blanking Kentucky Wesleyan in the run department and taking the game for the Rivermen. His team scored six runs on two hits, while striking out 10 batters.

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UMSL is now 4-8 in the GLVC and 11-10 overall. This week will be another important week for the Riverwomen. They will play at Lincoln University on Tuesday, April 18, and will travel to Battle Creek, Mich. for the weekend.
University prepares to build next two garages

by Nick Bowman

By an 8-0 unanimous vote, the University of Missouri Board of Curators has passed an action to authorize the sale of approximately $45 million in bonds in order to raise money for the renovation and construction of parking facilities. UMSL said it needs $37 million of this, while Columbia will take the remaining $11 million. The bond issue was addressed at the March board meeting or a recommendation by the Finance Committee.

With the passing of the issue, Sam Diercksen, director of campus planning and construction, can now begin planning the construction of Phase II, which includes another North garage and a North garage.

“We can now fund the new garages with the bond issue,” said Darandari. “We are working with the Columbia garage.”

By Bishop Luther H. Schuster, executive director of Development

Since 1993, it was suggested by a planning firm that UMSL construct a new campus traffic flow between North and South campuses as part of a university master plan.

More traffic flow would “establish stronger connections between the North and South Campuses and address the potential acquisition of the institutions separating the two campuses,” the plan states.

The international firm, Sanders Associates Inc., was contracted by UMSL to study the campus and make suggestions that would address major issues on campus like student housing, campus expansion, and parking places.

Most of the major issues that were noted in the plan have been addressed, except for, um, UMSL officials say.

The connection between North and South campuses has not yet been improved, said Don Diercksen, deputy in the Chancellor’s Office. “This way they will say that’s a connection issue,” Diercksen said.

Sasaki suggested the University add an entrance in North campus that would wrap around Normandy Bridge Road, and run through an existing street between the Music Building and Normandy Hospital on South campus.

The campus entrance would be one of two main entrances that run through both campuses.

However, the property on South campus that is essential for the new entrance to work is privately owned and not the University’s main source. Diercksen said.

Child Credit Loan of Lady, a health-care organization that provides housing and assistance for children with behavioral problems, has owned the 65 years of property for over 40 years, said James Rishak, the center’s operations director.

Barnum said that negotiations aimed to sell between UMSL and the Child Center in 1999. The two sides couldn’t agree on a set price for the property.

One Samples, manager of University Communications, said that the Child Center’s offer was more than what approached the property.

Music programs grow as Arts Center nears completion

by Dallila Warlick

UMSL will be experimenting with a new ensemble next fall when the University of Missouri Wind Ensemble, the University’s wind band, will give its first performance.

The addition is part of a plan to create musical groups that will help expand its campus life, said William Riddick, director of Music and Arts.

The band’s main focus will be playing chamber music for functions on campus,” said Richardson.

However, the band will also perform on-campus and at campus-related events, including functions at Chancellor Blanchette Touhill’s residence.

The band will play and enhance contemporary music over the last 100 years, said Richardson. The band’s flexibility will be evident in its music selections, which range from “Back to Ragnarok, to Medievalis to Broadway popular movie themes,” said Richardson.

Richardson said the band will include five to 20 members who will compose an average of 20 different pieces of music.

Richardson says they are looking for the best available musicians in UMSL, not just students in the band program.

Both music and non-music majors are invited to audition for the band on April 25.

Scholarship money is available for students in this ensemble, as students will not have to incur additional tuition fees, said Richardson.

The band will practice April 16 and 18, from 3 to 4:30 p.m.

The music programs will also be affected on next spring as the Performing Arts Center, which will give them a place to practice and host their art when it is completed.

“The University has been extremely excited about the Center and looking forward to its completion,” said Richardson. “As the Performing Arts Center opens, we need to have students that are capable of playing in a venue such as the Center.”

Richardson said he anticipated that the Wind Ensemble, which will be portable enough to travel, as well as the Performing Arts Center, will be another public relations tool for the University and the music program.

The expansion of the arts at UMSL is helping the music programs to become a “full partner in the University,” said Richardson.
Apollo 13 exemplified our ability to overcome problems

"Oh boy, Houston, we've got a problem!" This was the first words spoken by Commander James A. Lovell in the April 13, 1970, launch of Apollo 13. The mission was intended to be the first visit to the moon. It was the first mission since Apollo 8 in 1968 that ended the manned exploration of the moon. The mission was to proceed in three steps: commander James Lovell, pilot Jack Swigert Jr., and lunar module pilot Fred W. Haise Jr.

The Saturn V rocket, with its three stages, blasted off from Pad 39A at Kennedy Space Center. It was the largest and most powerful rocket ever built. The mission was to orbit the moon, coming to within sixty nautical miles of its surface. Lovell was always known for his sense of humor. This was vividly displayed when he was in orbit during Apollo 8. He asked to have a pair of hub caps. While he was in orbit during Apollo 8, Lovell was a veteran astronaut. He was by no means an accident. Lovell was always known for his sense of humor. This was vividly displayed when he was in orbit during Apollo 8. He asked to have a pair of hub caps.

The Saturn V SA-511, with its five separate firing stages, hence its nickname of "five-toed Jumbo", was used to launch the crew. The entire spacecraft was paid for by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. The entire spacecraft was to be used for a five-year period for the crew to be able to test the spacecraft and its systems. This was a necessary step in ensuring the crew could safely return to Earth.

The mission was to proceed in three phases. The first phase was to orbit the moon, coming to within sixty nautical miles of its surface. The second phase was to land on the moon, coming to within thirty nautical miles of its surface. The third phase was to return to Earth, coming to within thirty nautical miles of its surface. The fourth phase was to return to Earth, coming to within sixty nautical miles of its surface.

Just seven minutes later, ground control told Jack Swigert to say a series of cooling fans in an effort to cool the oxygen tanks. Swigert choked, and the fans sounded off. This was a deadly situation that destroyed the oxygen tanks, while severely damaging the other one. At first, the crew had 76 hours of oxygen left. This was only the tip of the iceberg. The crew was to further develop man's capability to work together and to improvise during moments of extreme difficulties.

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New center supports would-be entrepreneurs

BY STEVE VALKO
staff writer
UMSL's new Entrepreneurial Business Center is facing nationwide challenges at a unique competition.

Four entrepreneurs will submit business plans for their own real-life businesses.

"All of the entrants are on the MBA online program," said Kuehl.

The competition will be held in St. Louis on May 7 at the Chase Park Hotel. There will be several teams competing, including an international club. "There's a team from Douglas, Arizona, California, and Mexico," said Kuehl.

The Entrepreneurial Business Center is still relatively new at UMSL, as Kuehl says that it's only been around for the last three or four months.

The reason for the recent opening was to get a team together for the May tournament, said Jill Kohler, program manager for the Center.

"It's really a timing issue," said Kuehl.

"We try to encourage entrepreneurship," said Kuehl.

Kohler said that people try to serve as liaisons between people who need money and contacts that have money.

This service is open to UMSL students or outside individuals.

"If person A invents, say the typewriter, we can introduce him to person B who might want the typewriter," said Kohler.

Kohler also stressed that the Center's function is to act as a networking resource for entrepreneurs, and no money will be available for loans or grants through the Center.

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