

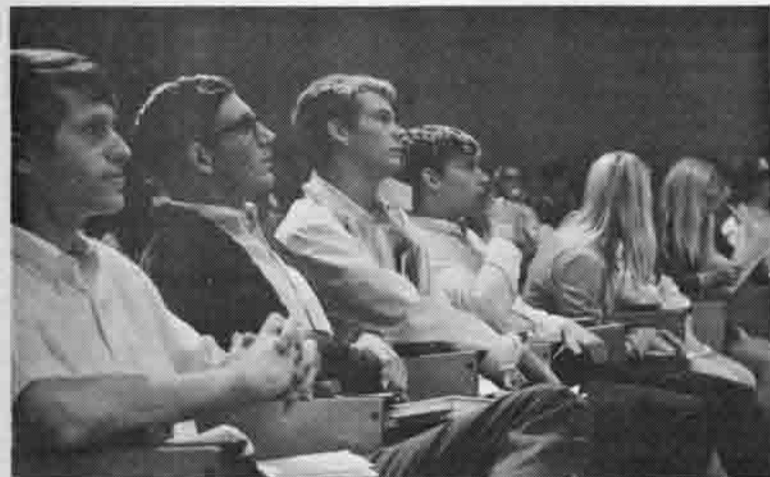
# UMSL CURRENT



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Attentive freshmen listen to speakers during Orientation week, September 10, and 11. Approximately 1600 new students participated in the activities.

## Eickhoff Goes to Old Dominion

### David Ganz New Dean of Students

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David R. Ganz, instructor of accounting, became the new Dean of Student Affairs August 22 upon the resignation of Dr. Harold Eickhoff. Dr. Eickhoff left UMSL to accept a post at Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Virginia.

"The appointment was unexpected," Ganz told the *Current*. "I knew my name had been placed in nomination and I was very interested, but the actual appointment came as a surprise. I was honored and pleased."

Upon the announcement of Dr. Eickhoff's departure, acting chancellor Glen R. Driscoll asked the Student Affairs committee, to conduct a search for prospective candidates, Dr. Driscoll then asked the Student Affairs committee, a committee of the Central Council and a committee of deans to interview the candidates both on and off campus and the chancellor made the final decision.

Mr. Ganz received his Bachelor of Science in Commerce-Accounting from St. Louis University in 1960 and his Master's degree from the same school in 1962. He is a candidate for a doctorate in accountancy from the University of Missouri-Columbia. Ganz felt that his new position would not affect his work toward his doctorate. "The research is finished," he said, "and I'm in the process of writing the dissertation at the present time. I hope to have it completed in January."

Dean Ganz's previous administrative experience includes being an assistant and resident supervisor for the Pershing Group of the University of Missouri-Columbia from 1962-1966. The Pershing Group houses 1600 men.

In an interview with a *Current* reporter three days after assuming his new post, Dean Ganz announced a list of priorities. He expressed concern over the student health center. "The need for a student health center is critical. The



David R. Ganz



Glen R. Driscoll  
photo by Mike Olds

University budget will support the hiring of a full-time nurse, whose hours will probably be 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday. This is timed to coincide with the presence of students on campus for classes," he said. "The program for the nurse is under the guidance of Columbia and will be implemented upon the advice of a physician."

Dean Ganz also indicated that the room was available and would be ready for use as soon as the Administration of Justice completed its move to Benton Hall and the necessary plumbing has been installed.

He expects to announce the hiring of a nurse within the first few weeks of the semester. Ganz also said that UMSL's relationship with Normandy Osteopathic Hospital is being maintained.

An effort to provide a "ticket office" on campus is also on Mr. Ganz's list of priorities. "Contacts have been made with the Arts and Education Council to investigate the possibility of making tickets to cultural and sports events available to students at a discount," he said. "The success of this program will depend on the type of function and producer, the legality of operating such a program, and the availability of space to handle it. Contacts have also been made in Columbia to attempt to provide UMSL students with tickets for activities in Columbia at a discount. This is still in its earliest stages, however."

"Another point is a fuller commitment to the evening college," Mr. Ganz said. "There are several limitations leaving offices open for the evening students' use, having the personnel to staff the offices and having fuller coverage of the evening college activities in the *Current*. A fuller involvement in the University's scope is a necessity for the evening college."

Dean Ganz also expressed a need for an additional person in

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### Driscoll Continues As Chancellor

According to University of Missouri President John C. Weaver, acting chancellor Glen R. Driscoll will continue to serve in that capacity "almost certainly through the first semester" of the academic year.

Dr. Driscoll became acting chancellor late last May when former chancellor James L. Bugg, Jr. left for a vacation before taking over as president of Old Dominion University July 1. Dr. Driscoll was serving as dean of faculties at the time of Dr. Bugg's departure.

In a memo to the UMSL faculty, President Weaver stated, "It is with sincere regret that I report the fact that it has not been possible to achieve a final appointment among the first names submitted by the Chancellor's Search Committee.

"Unhappily I have had to ask the committee to continue the search and I am grateful to them for their willingness to go forward with this time-consuming, but extremely important, service.

"I would express for everyone involved in the search for a new chancellor our renewed resolve to push this work forward with increased vigor. I do hope that the matter can be brought to an early and satisfying conclusion," the memo concluded.

Aiding Dr. Driscoll is Dr. Raymond E. Peck, who retired from his position as Vice-President of Graduate Studies and Research in July. Dr. Peck became Special Assistant to the Chancellor September 1.

Dr. Driscoll said that Dr. Peck's duties will be mixed. "Dr. Peck will serve as the dean of faculties, the dean of the graduate

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### Rally Near Lake

There will be a student power rally September 24 on the hill by Bugg Lake at 12:50 p.m. According to Bill Church of The Student-Workers Alliance, the rally "will promote the idea of the student as an active member in a common-bound community which is involved in and critical of their surrounding community."

Appearing with Church will be Mike Jones of the Association of Black Collegians; Brian Costello of the Congress for Student Involvement; and John Oleski of Students for Political Action.

Three points of action will be introduced. They are: 1) formation of a student credit union; 2) formation of a student cooperative bookstore; and 3) formation of a more involved student newspaper.

## Students on Faculty Senate

by Tim Flach

A faculty-student committee is expected to submit a report shortly to the Faculty Senate containing recommendations on how student representatives may be added to that body.

The committee, headed by Dr. Monroe Strickberger of the Biology Department, is still formulating the content of the report and gathering testimony from interested students and faculty. The report is "at least a month away from completion," according to Sam Bommarito, president of the Central Council and a member of the committee.

Two methods of representation are now being considered by the committee: (1) a plan that would permit the inclusion of students

when the Senate expands to 90 members this fall; and (2) a combination of student, faculty, and staff representatives that would form a "super-council."

The first method would allow some of the 30 new members of the Senate to be students, opening what Bommarito termed would be a direct communication link with the faculty. However, some of the current membership of 60 is known to be more edgy in granting any practical power to student representatives. Bommarito warned that such tokenism would be rejected by the Central Council and promised no co-operation under the policy.

The second idea would establish the "super-council" as a coordinate committee for presenting matters to the Chancellor. Certain committee members feel that this body would never be given any real power to act because the other bodies here would be unwilling to lose any of their powers. Consequently, Bommarito believes that this system would build "just another layer on the university complex."

If both recommendations are turned down, Bommarito has suggested an area of compromise. He stated that the addition of three or four students to faculty planning committees would still open "Talk Channels" between students and faculty.

Dr. James N. Primm, chairman of the executive committee that sets the agenda for Senate meetings, expects the study to be presented early enough this fall so that, if final approval is awarded, the authorized plan would go into effect no later than fall, 1970.

Technically, this change in the Senate's by-laws would have to be okayed by the Board of Curators. But no trouble is anticipated from the Board, according to some committee members. The first student members of the committee, approved by the Central Council at its first summer meeting are: Dr. John Boswell (Psychology), Dr. Joseph McKenna (Economics), Dr. Arthur Schaffer (History), and Dr. Milton Strauss (Psychology).

## Weaver Cites Fee Increase

A 21 per cent increase in the incidental fee was announced by University of Missouri President John C. Weaver July 21. The increase, from \$165 to \$200 for Missouri residents and \$250 to \$400 for out-of-state students, was ordered to bolster the operating budget of the University of Missouri to \$160,865,014 for the fiscal year beginning July 1.

Weaver pointed out that while this budget exceeds by \$14,000,000 last year's budget, most of the increase will go to meet enrollment increases, higher operating costs, and improvements of some programs. No new programs, including the start of a medical school at UMKC, are possible with the present budget.

UMSL will receive \$8,914,865 in operating expenses, an increase of \$1,263,189 or sixteen per cent over last year. The Columbia campus will receive \$69,883,798; UMKC will get \$16,493,855; and Rolla will get \$12,493,706.

The Missouri Legislature approved an \$80,702,119 appropriation for the university. The figure

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# No Chancellor for UMSL -- Why?

UMSL faces many formidable problems this year, but there is one which stands out among these many as particularly urgent and particularly frightening. This problem is the absence of leadership embodied in the vacuum where a chancellor should be. Dr. Glen Driscoll, Dean of Faculties at UMSL, is serving as acting chancellor, and we have no reason to question his ability to meet the demands of his office. UMSL, however, does not need an acting chancellor, no matter how capable he is; UMSL requires direction and leadership -- and a certified, full-time, permanent chancellor.

This problem is particularly frightening because of the failure of the University of Missouri to select a successor to Chancellor Bugg, who announced his resignation last October. The search committee charged with providing University President John Weaver with candidates for the chancellorship fulfilled its mission. President Weaver, however, refused, or was unable, to appoint any of the nominees to the position. Why?

In a memorandum circulated to faculty members last July, Weaver said: "The committee, which has

worked conscientiously over many months, did present me with several names during the course of the spring. It is with sincere regret that I report the fact that it has not been possible to achieve a final appointment among these first names submitted by that committee."

Nowhere in the memorandum does President Weaver illuminate the failure to appoint a new chancellor; we know only that "it has not been possible."

We do not know whether "it has not been possible" because none of the candidates wanted the job, or because President Weaver found that none of them is qualified, or because of other reasons. What we do know is that UMSL urgently needs effective leadership, and arbitrary refusals to fill the chancellor vacancy may seriously handicap this University.

For this reason, the Current is undertaking an investigation into the matter of choosing a new chancellor. We are not satisfied to know that UMSL faces a crisis because "it has not been possible to achieve a final appointment;" We want to know why.

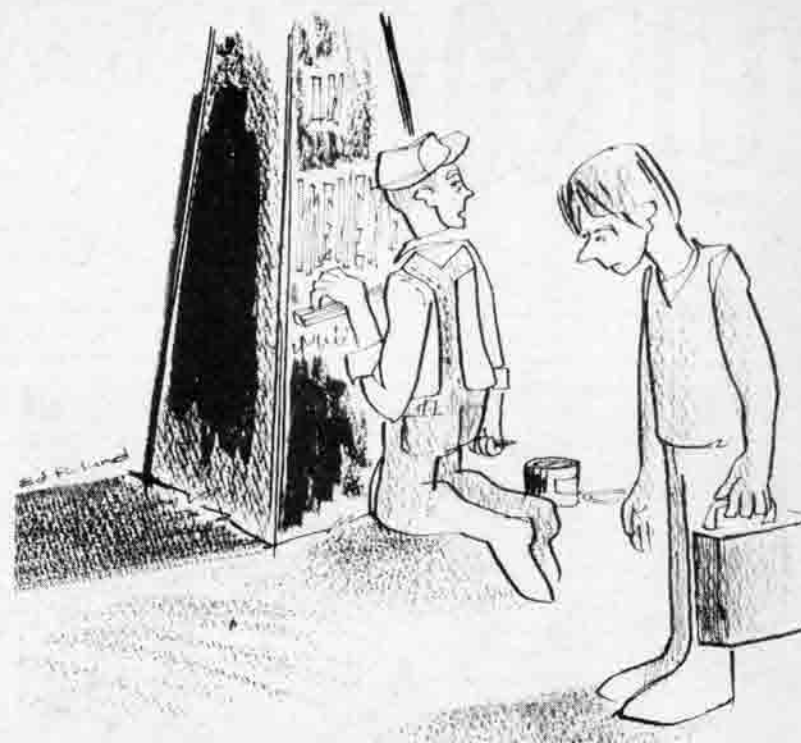
is this fact that makes the Legislature's allocations particularly irksome. Not only did last year's session provide no capital improvements funds, but the session the previous year cut \$3.5 million in construction funds for the UMSL campus alone, including those for two parking garages. Had those funds been approved, the garages would have been completed by now, and the parking problem here perhaps would not be so bad.

The increase in the fees is made unpleasant because better services for the students have not kept pace. And with the Student Center here not due for completion until 1971, the end of the cafeteria and study space problems is barely in sight.

We realize that complaining about cafeteria and parking facilities here is like beating a dead horse. Unfortunately, we are beginning to suspect that the Legislature is that dead horse.

## Rights of the Faculty

The staff of the Current knows nothing more of the scanty details shrouding the Tinker affair than our editor-reporter (pg.3). However, for the benefit of both parties involved, the entire faculty and especially the administration, it would seem imperative that a full scale investigation take place. Also, an attempt at a viable and progressive system should be devised without haste to insure full and part-time professors a sounding board if they feel they are being arbitrarily and/or unfairly dismissed. Without such a board it leads one to seriously consider the presence of the "academic freedom" that this administration prides itself on. It would be foolish if this "free community" excluded the rights of the faculty.



"It's a memorial to the people who didn't make it through registration."

## Beating A Dead Horse

We should be used to the Legislature's backwardness with regard to higher education in Missouri by now. But when once again we must face the same problems which have plagued us in the past, severe parking problems, crowded and inadequate cafeteria facilities, and lack of study space, it is hard to remain calm.

Especially when incidental fees have been raised to \$200 from \$165 per semester.

The fee raise was required to meet operating costs for the University for the fiscal year which began July 1. Costs which weren't fully covered by the funds allocated by the Legislature in its regular 1969 session.

In its session last Spring, the Legislature allotted \$80 million, a figure \$5 million below Governor Hearnes's request and \$15 million below President Weaver's. Furthermore, these funds were for operating expenses only. There were no resources provided for capital improvements at all.

Increasing the incidental fees will not aid capital improvements, and it

## Social Activities Calendar

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

- 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. APO Book Pool 208, Administration Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. APO Rush Table Lobby, Administration Bldg.
- u.a.m. - 4 p.m. Young Republicans Lobby, Administration Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Marketing Club Lobby, Administration Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Intervarsity Christian Fellowship Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Sigma Pi Rush Table Lobby, Benton Hall
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Alpha Xi Delta Lobby, Benton Hall
- 8 p.m. - 12 md. All School Mixer Cafeteria Annex

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

- 2 p.m. - 6 p.m. APO Smoker SA Bldg.

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

- 1 p.m. - 5 p.m. University Players Auditions 105 Benton Hall
- 2:30 - 4:30 Alpha Xi Delta Meeting 100 Clark Hall

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

- 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. APO Book Pool 208 Adm. Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Young Republicans Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- Alpha Xi Delta Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- Sigma Pi Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- 2 p.m. - 5 p.m. Post-Orientation Meeting Lounge, Cafeteria Annex
- 3:30 - 4:30 Cheerleaders Meeting Cafeteria Annex

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

- 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. APO Book Pool 208, Adm. Bldg.
- 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Young Republicans Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- Alpha Xi Delta Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- Sigma Pi Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- 2:40 - 3:40 Cheerleaders Clinic 105, Benton Hall

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

- 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- 6 p.m. - 9 p.m. APO Book Pool 208 Adm. Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Young Republicans Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Sigma Pi Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- 12:50-1:30 Student Workers Alliance Bugg Lake
- 3:40 - 4:40 Young Democrats Meeting Lounge, Cafeteria Annex

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Young Republicans Lobby, Adm. Bldg.

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

- 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Luther Club Coffee 208, Adm. Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. Angel Flight Shoe Shine Cafeteria, Adm. Bldg.
- 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Young Republicans Lobby, Adm. Bldg.
- 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. Basketball Squad Meeting 208, Adm. Bldg.
- 8 p.m.-12 p.m. Congress for Student Involvement Rock Concert SA Bldg.

*Editor's note: those groups whose activities meet off-campus and would like to have announcements placed in the calendar should contact the Student Activities office, room 117, Administration Bldg., at least one week prior to the scheduled date of publication.*

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Bring or mail letters to the Current, room 210, Administration Building. Submit typewritten copies. Space limitations may make changes necessary.

## Carpool Registration

All students interested in participating in a car pool should pick up an application in Room 117 of the Administration Building before Friday, September 26.

Once these forms have been completed by all interested students, they will be punched into IBM cards and processed by UMSL's computer. All applicants will receive a letter listing the names, addresses and telephone numbers of the students in their area whose schedules approximate their own.

# Ex-Teacher Disputes Dismissal

by Jeffrey Cohen

"This entire incident was complete contempt and disrespect towards a faculty member." These words were hurled at this reporter as he slouched down in a chair in a futile attempt to get the facts straight on the dismissal last May of Mrs. Lorena Tinker, Assistant Professor of Education.

Mrs. Tinker sat in the living room of her modestly furnished University City home, looking like a person who has been to hell and back. Evidently the string of events over the last year of teaching, writing, raising five children and arm-wrestling administrators has taken a considerable toll. A pattern formed in my most informal conversation with Mrs. Tinker.

### 'Not a Paranoic'

Every few sentences would come the plea of "I'm not a paranoic." She was an almost unbelievably gracious but desperate type of person as she dropped in stories of her previous adventures along with the controversy at hand. She is kidding herself by trying to do so damn perfect with her case (which includes notes, recorded conversations, direct quotes of everyday conversation) herself. She obviously is not a blunt and outspoken sort of person as her nervous condition illustrated. She feels as though she is being shanghaied by the administration, so right or wrong, she should come out with it.

The incident as I understand it, was that there was an uproarious pile of suggestions, counter-suggestions, official edicts and lies dealing with Sister Joann Malone's

(war dissenter from Nerinx Hall High School) appearance at Professor Tinker's class, School in Contemporary Society, last April. The only facts of Sister Joann's appearance which are clear are that the class voted to open the class to the public, allegedly at Dr. Whitener's, Dean of Education, suggestion, (he has since told Mrs. Tinker he cannot remember whether he suggested it or not), and that Chancellor Bugg decided not to open it three hours before Sister Joann's arrival. At any rate, the scheduled open appearance went off without interference.

### Dissertation Incomplete?

However, Dr. George E. Mowrer, Dean of Education, maintains that this incident had absolutely nothing to do with Mrs. Tinker's dismissal. He said in a phone interview that, "We just had no need for her. She has not finished her dissertation," (Mrs. Tinker showed me a most complex 302 page digested, inspected, statistic-ridden cancer cure of a dissertation at my interview with her.), "and although I consider her an effective teacher, the courses she was teaching are now being taught by people on the doctorate level." (I wonder if he has any doctors on the people level teaching.) I asked Dr. Mowrer how he felt personally towards Mrs. Tinker's techniques and tools as a teacher to which he answered, "When I teach, I sometimes stray, but doesn't everybody? She was considered by many of her students to be an exciting teacher." I'm still wondering where in the hell straying entered into the picture. Mrs. Tinker does not believe

the story of the dissertation and she labels it, "selective perception" on the part of the administration because the education department does indeed, even according to Dr. Mowrer, have part-time employees without their doctorate degrees. This reporter awards a point for the mutual agreement between the two parties.

### Supreme Court Decision

Instead she feels as though her involvement over Sister Joann and also her personal life has much to do with her current unemployment. Her children recently won a Supreme Court "watermark" decision on symbolic speech in Iowa public high schools; her husband works with the peace-oriented American Friends Service Committee. "Even if this dissertation thing is the reason, I owe my primary responsibility to the students, even though my more cynical friends would argue with me," stated Mrs. Tinker in a most erratic manner. "These kids got excited about my course, and I tried to help them carry through their objective, to learn."

By this time, this reporter is aggravated, hot, and somewhat mystified at the inconsistencies involved in this mess. Mrs. Tinker says she has good reason to believe that she is being blackballed from local employment by Dr. Mowrer; but of course, he says this is absurd, and that he knows nothing about any "bad raps" when an employer has called in reference to Mrs. Tinker. I'm mad because I have a story due tomorrow, and if I can't get the truth, how am I supposed to write this thing?



Jeffrey J. Shenk, (far right), president of Alpha Phi Omega, presents a \$1,000 check to Dean of Students David R. Ganz. The money is the proceeds of the "book pool," held last year. Also accepting the check is Emory A. Jackson, (far left), assistant director of admissions and financial aids. APO historian Robert D. Lindsley, (second from right), officially observed the event.

## Films Shown as Modern Art

The study of film as a modern art form is being incorporated into the Art 1 classes this fall, and students, faculty and staff are invited to attend class on days when films are being shown.

The classes will meet in room 120, Benton Hall, and except for the first week, films will be shown Wednesdays at 2:40 p.m. and Thursdays at 10:45 a.m.

Films shown will cover a broad range of types and subject matter, including documentary, animated, silent and experimental films. Each film scheduled is an example of a particular type.

The schedule for the first three films is:

*The Medium is the Massage* (53 minutes), Monday, September 23, 10:45 a.m. 1967 documentary produced for television. Marshal Mc-

## Chem. Professor Gets NSF Grant

Dr. M. Thomas Jones, associate professor of chemistry, has received a National Science Foundation grant of \$33,300 to support a two-year research project, "Spin Lattice Relaxation in Orbitally Degenerate Free Radicals."

The funds will enable him to test current theories and to provide better definition and understanding of the electronic and molecular species.

Dr. Jones joined the UMSL chemistry faculty August 1 after serving three years at St. Louis University.

Luhan's controversial ideas on life in the electronic age.

*Pigs* (11 minutes), Wednesday, October 1, 2:40 p.m. and Thursday, Oct. 2, 10:45 a.m. Visual exploration of the pig world. Sensitive photographic technique transforms common subject into a work of lyrical beauty.

*Occurance at Owl Creek Bridge* (27 minutes), October 8, 2:40 p.m. and October 9, 10:45 a.m. Classic short film based on Civil War story by Ambrose Bierce. Cannes Film Festival award winner.

## Accounting Club

There will be a meeting Wednesday, September 24 at 12:40 in room 208 of the Administration Building for all students interested in joining Accounting Club.

Shortly before the close of the Winter Semester the University granted formal recognition to the Accounting Club at UMSL. The club functions as a departmental organization within the School of Business Administration.

Club membership is open to all students at UMSL interested in the field of accounting. Additional information about the club can be obtained from Mr. Kargas in the Administration building.

## Y. D. Meeting

The Young Democrats will hold their first meeting, Wednesday, September 24 at 3:40 p.m. in the Cafeteria Annex. All freshmen who signed up during Orientation are urged to attend.

## Refreshing

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# UMSL NIGHT ON THE MISSISSIPPI



Among the participants in the rally were master of ceremonies Marty Bronson (foreground), and left-to-right, UMSL Athletic Director Chuck Smith; Gordon Hopper, executive director of Downtown St. Louis Inc.; and UMSL Dean of Students David Ganz.



U. S. Congressman James Symington serenades the crowd from the desk of the Goldenrod Showboat.

photos by Mike Olds and Bill Leslie

Highlights of the UMSL Night on the Mississippi are captured in these pictures by *Current* photographers Mike Olds and Bill Leslie. Mayor Ceryantes declared Thursday, September 11, as "UMSL Day," and approximately 500 students attended the extravaganza, which was co-sponsored by the UMSL Steamers and Downtown St. Louis, Inc.



(Left) Framed by the Gateway Arch, Student Body President Sam Bommarito, Acting Chancellor Glen Driscoll and "Riverman" Neil Friedman discuss the rally.



Steamers member Tammie Layton addresses the crowd.

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# Council President Outlines Goals

by Matt Mattingly

In recent *Current* interviews, President Sam Bommarito and Vice-President Dave Singer forecasted a picture of this year's Central Council. The Council will concern itself with such matters as placing students on the faculty senate, challenging the language requirement, considering the merits of R.O.T.C., strengthening the committee system, and curbing factionalism.

According to Bommarito, "The top priority for the council this year--one of my top goals--is to get students placed on the faculty senate. I think last year we worked on the basis of achieving one primary goal--for instance, last year, to get more cafeteria space; and we worked at that goal until we completed it. So I think it's a high priority to get students placed on the faculty senate, and I think it's obvious that once we have that, we'll be in a better bargaining position to work on curriculum changes like the language requirement. So I think it's a matter of priorities. . .

"Actually I have two goals at the beginning of this year. The first of these is organization of the Council itself. Thanks to the constitution that was passed last year, we have a rather sizable body, and that means it will be an unworkable body if we don't find some way of working well within a large group. And the only method that has traditionally worked at that is to have a strong system of committees. For instance, in the case of the United States Congress, by

having a committee system where the most important decisions are made in the committees, the big fighting goes on in the individual committees. . . the work goes on in the individual committees; and when things come to the floor of the Congress, they are fairly well ironed out. I'd like to see it the same way in the Council: when things finally get through committees and come to the floor of the Council, I'd like to see well-thought-out bills, and then the Council would be able to make rational decisions quickly and efficiently. Last year our meetings had a notoriety for being disorganized. . . lengthy . . . and very verbose. In the first two meetings this year--especially the second--I think a lot of this was avoided, simply by having operating rules and procedures, by requiring people to have their bills written before turning them in, and by the fact that, I think, Steve Heist makes an excellent chairman. . . And I think that, by strengthening the committee system so that the most important bills come through committee and are fought out there--rather than have someone motion that we do such-and-such, and have to go through twenty-seven amendments before we get it clarified, and then start arguing the issues. That's what we did last year. . . this year, I think we'll be able to strengthen ourselves through the committee system."

Vice-President Singer quickly summed up the prospects he held out for the Council: "The Council will certainly be more effective

this year, given the fact that the problem of the constitution has been solved. The membership of the Council, in my opinion, is much more interested than it was last year, given the fact that the attendance at the summer meetings was extremely high--we've had a quorum every time, which is unusual for some of the people who live out of town. The interest in issues is great; there is, of course, a wide variety of opinion, and we have a tendency at times to get bogged down in irrelevant facts and details; but, on the whole, I think we'll accomplish quite a bit."

Bommarito elaborated on the ever-present problem of inter-Council factionalism: "You have to find conflict. . . The thing is, that factions are made and broken up on given issues. I don't think that there are any permanent factions on the Council, where you can clearly define X number of members as a faction, and they're going to fight on this issue. If you're asking, say, whether there are going to be a lot of fights among different groups on specific issues--I should hope so! If there wasn't, that would mean that the Council does not represent a wide range of interests, it represents only a small portion of interests."

## Council Members

The members of this year's Central Council are: Sam Bommarito, President; Dave Singer, Vice President; Steve Heist, Chairman; Jean Heithaus, Secretary; Gall Goldstein, Treasurer;



Are you in this picture? Photographer Ken Ealy took this photo from the top of the newly-completed Life Sciences building.

Herb Bittner, Politics Club representative and Chairman of the Rules Committee; John Heithaus, Biology Club representative and Curriculum Committee chairman; Barry Kaufman, Alpha Epsilon Pi representative and Appointments Committee head; Ed Babcock, chairman of the Grievance Committee; and Susan Littlefield, Chairman of the Publicity and Publications Committee. Other members are Rick Kannapel, Newman House; Michael Jones, University Players; Bob Hausladen, Debate Club; Nanette Smith, River Queens; Dee Dickinson, Spanish Club; Cindy Smyrniotis, CIRUNA; Brian Costello, C.S.I.; Rita Swiener, Evening College Council; Gary Horenkamp, Strategic Theory; Joel Van Over, History Club; Bob Ehrig, Delta Sigma Pi; Rick Sharp, University Band; Lynn Lee, Angel Flight; and the rest of the members are Robert O'Hanlon, Mary Fly, Mike Kruger, Arthur Kinnel, Susan Hopwood, Claudia Green, Paul Civill, Graydon Gwin, Dennis Curran, Jack Payne, Ruth Hudnot, and Debbie Allen.

Any head of a University-recognized campus organization is invited to contact Jean Heithaus about placing a representative on the Central Council.

# Fee Increase

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is \$4,000,000 less than that recommended by Hearnese and \$15,000,000 less than was sought by Weaver.

The Legislature, called into special session by Governor Hearnese, began debate on Hearnese's income-tax increase bill September 8. The Governor estimated that his bill, which would increase the maximum tax on individual income from 4 per cent to 6 per cent, would raise \$112,700,000 in additional revenue. When the *Current* went to press, the Senate was considering a substitute bill recommended by the Ways and Means Committee and sponsored by Senator Earl R. Blackwell (Dem.), Hillsboro, President pro tem and leader of the opposition to Hearnese's bill.

# Acting Chancellor

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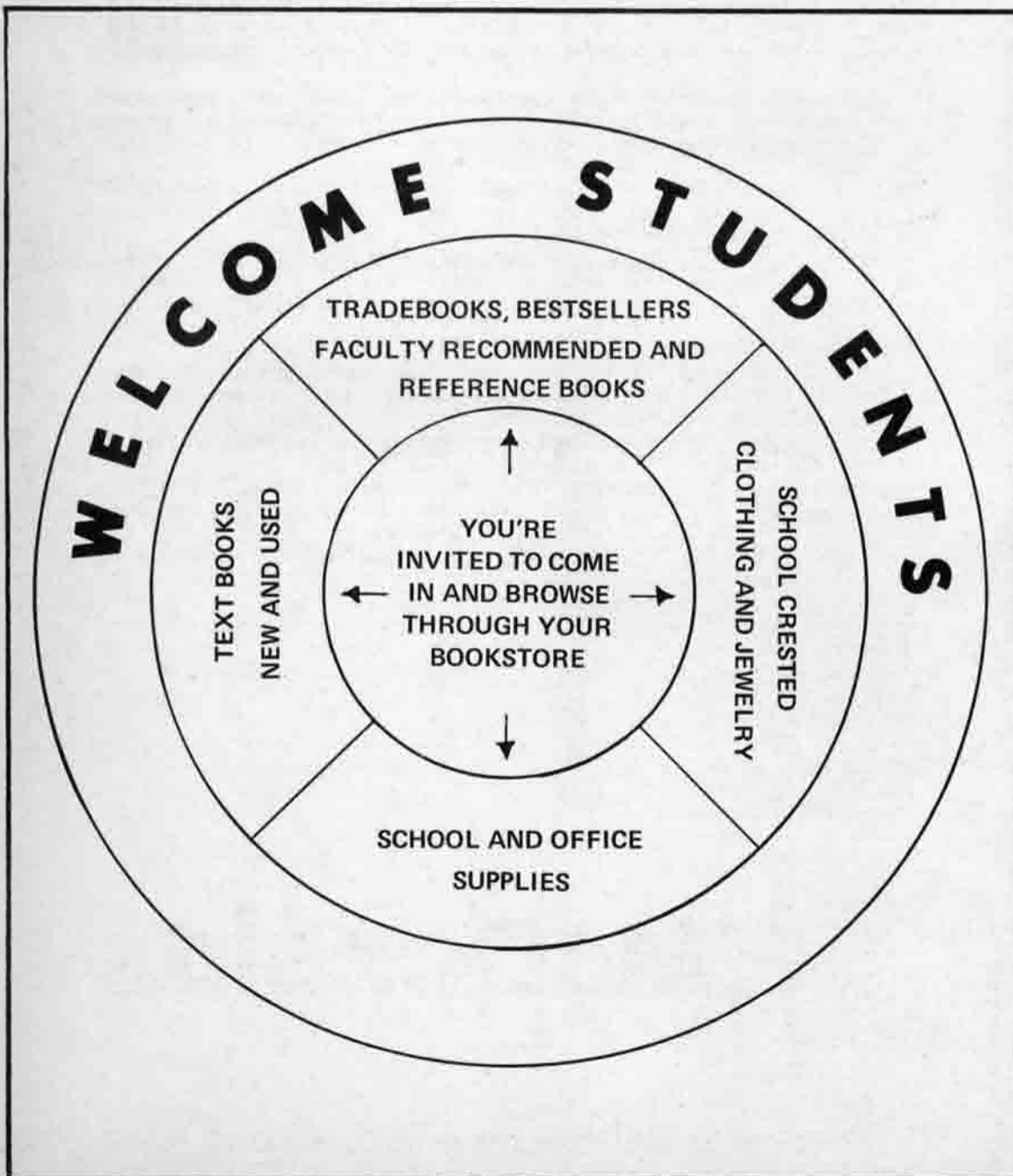
school, and will take on other assignments the chancellor gives him," he said.

Dr. Driscoll pointed out that the newly-appointed dean of the Graduate School, Dr. Robert S. Sullivant, would not assume his duties until February 1. Dr. Sullivant will be spending most of the semester in the Soviet Union, completing some research.

# 'Freedom Poets'

*The Hungarian Review* and the Modern Languages Department of Saint Louis University will sponsor a special program of international poetry under the title, "Freedom Poets" for the anniversary of the Hungarian revolt. The program will be held Thursday, October 23, at 7:30 p.m. in the Knights Room, Plus XII Library.

Poets who wish to participate by reading their works should send two copies before October 1 to Dr. Anne-Marie Hamburg, Saint Louis University, 221 N. Grand.



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# Involve Students, Departing Dean Says

by Richard Dagger

Dr. Harold Eickhoff, who resigned as UMSL's Dean of Student Affairs this summer, told a Current reporter July 29 that the objective of his office had been to increase student involvement in the University, thus providing a base for student participation in University decision-making.

Eickhoff said that two years ago the Office of Student Affairs formulated three objectives: involving students in UMSL at all levels, maintaining a campus environment favorable to this involvement, and creating long-term identity and loyalty to UMSL among students.

"The successful attainment of these objectives will speed the University to greatness," Eickhoff stated. He also indicated that considerable progress has been made toward the "successful attainment of these objectives."

Eickhoff, new executive assistant to the president of Old Dominion University, credited the Central Council with providing a vehicle for student involvement. "A solid representative student government is fundamental," he said, "and we're closer now than we've ever been . . . For the first time we have a student government representing people, not a population. There is a concrete constituency through the organizations that student government must answer to."

The Central Council, and the attempt to increase student involvement, has been based on student organizations. In this area, Eickhoff said the aim of the Student Affairs office was to build stability into the organizations so that they might serve as "building blocks for involvement." To accomplish this aim, the Student Affairs office devised a group recognition procedure, after five years of trial and error, which "requires each group to state its purpose and to report on how this goal is being fulfilled."

Maintaining a campus environ-

ment favorable to increasing student involvement, Eickhoff said, is comprised in great part of "helping students to feel that the University cares about them." This involves maintaining a lost and found service and helping students who have lost registration packets.

Eickhoff pointed to the success of the Alumni Association as an indication of the success of the program to increase student identity with UMSL. Thirty-five per cent of the 1969 graduating class either enrolled or expressed an intention to enroll in the Alumni Association, a figure which Eickhoff said was significantly higher than the national average for state universities.

The primary problem, Eickhoff noted, is the "lack of student involvement in the decision-making process." "The potential for disruption is just as great on this campus as on any other," Eickhoff said. "We have to demonstrate to students that the University can make responses to what's wrong . . . What's wrong? The lack of student involvement in decision-making process."

Eickhoff advocated student representation on the University Senate, stating that "students will add

a dimension to University government. . . and I suspect it will make students more thoughtful."

Eickhoff joined Dr. James L. Bugg Jr., former Chancellor of UMSL, at Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Virginia August 1. He will serve as executive assistant to the president, a position he termed "a rather significant advancement."

## David Ganz

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the Student Activities office. "Dean Davenport deals solely with the organizations and Stephanie Kreis deals with programming the activities," he said. "At the rate of growth on this campus, both Dr. Davenport and Miss Kreis are overtaxed. The need for another person in the Student Affairs office is essential. The budget will support the hiring of an additional person and this will be done as soon as possible."



Chief Nelson directs motorist to parking lot during Orientation week. Alleviation of the parking problem is not expected until December, when two garages are scheduled for completion. photo by Ken Ealy

## Greek Council Elects New Officers

The Inter-Greek Council, an organization composed of representatives of all the fraternities and sororities on campus, has elected new officers for the coming year. They are Larry Smith, Sigma Tau Gamma, president; Ed Farrell,

Sigma Pi, vice-president; Tammy Layton, Delta Zeta, secretary; Jerry Palumbo, Pi Kappa Alpha, treasurer; and Joann Prokopchuk, Alpha Xi Delta, member-at-large.

# Open Letter To UMSL Students

## From Bob Brockhaus, Owner of Another Place

Dear Friends,

This past summer, I was quite surprised to discover that there was no discount coupon book exclusively for UMSL students. There was one book which contained coupons from businesses located primarily in Columbia, Mo. and near Washington University. It appeared to me that UMSL students were deserving of their own discount coupon book. Not one which required driving over 250 miles to use many of the coupons.

I felt that many businesses in the area would be happy to do business (even at discounted prices) with UMSL students. You would benefit by major price reductions and the convenience of being able to make many purchases during a free hour in your busy schedule.

To be a worthwhile value, for a commuter university with almost no lunch facilities, it needed to have many restaurant and auto service discounts. Other stores, shops, etc. would round out an excellent book.

Hence, "Serendipity" (meaning a pleasant, unexpected happening) was created. I contacted enough aggressive businesses to make it a reality. Many more showed interest in future editions if enough students bought and used the initial issue. (this is the gospel)

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Dr. Harold Eickhoff

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## Rapid Reading Course Offered

A non-credit course in rapid and effective reading for adults, college students, and high school juniors and seniors will be offered by the School of Education and the Extension Division. Classes will meet at two different time periods Monday evenings, September 22 through November 24.

Each section will meet for two hours each week, Section I beginning at 5:30 p.m. and Section II at 7:45 p.m. Classes for both sections will be held at Normandy Junior High School, 7855 Natural Bridge Road.

The course will employ scientifically designed visual aids, frequent testing and individual instruction to help students increase their reading speed and comprehension.

The fee for the course is \$31.00. For additional information, contact the Extension Division at 453-5961.



Gail Ann Smith receives a check covering incidental fees for the Fall Semester from Alumni Association president Jack Sieber. The scholarship is the first awarded by the group.

## Freshman Receives Grant

Freshman Gail Ann Smith was

the recipient of the first scholarship awarded by the Alumni Association. The scholarship, which pays for incidentals fees, is renewable for seven subsequent semesters.

Miss Smith is a graduate of Rite-nour High School, where she graduated in the upper 10% of her class. She was a member of Future Teachers of America, the drama club, and Junior Achievement, and was also a Candy Stripper at Jewish Hospital and a Junior Red Cross volunteer at St. Vincent's hospital.

## Sullivant Heads Grad School

Dr. Robert S. Sullivant has been named dean of the Graduate School at UMSL. The Board of Curators announced the appointment at its June 27 meeting in Columbia.

Dr. Sullivant has been Professor and chairman of the Department of Political Science since joining the faculty in September of 1965. He will not take on his new duties until Feb. 1 because he is on leave of absence this semester, completing research in the Soviet Union.

A specialist on the Russian Communist Party, Dr. Sullivant received his Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago. He recently completed a semester at Harvard's Russian Research Center, studying intra-party communications in the Communist party of the Soviet Union.

Author of the book "Soviet Politics and the Ukraine, 1917-1957," he has written numerous articles and reviews for scholarly publications. He received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of California at Los Angeles. A member of

Phi Beta Kappa, he has done post-doctoral work at Moscow State University.

Prior to coming to UMSL he taught at DePauw University, the University of Chicago, Georgetown University and the University of South Dakota.

## Assistant Deans Named Sept. 12

Two faculty members have been promoted to assistant dean. Appointed assistant dean of the College of Arts and Sciences was David L. Allen, and Dr. Donald H. Driemeier was named assistant dean of the School of Business Administration. Dr. Glen R. Driscoll, UMSL acting chancellor, announced the appointments Friday, September 12.

Allen has been a member of the faculty since 1963, first as an instructor in the Department of English and later as an assistant professor. A native of Cincinnati, Ohio, he received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Missouri-Columbia.

Dr. Driemeier, a faculty member since 1965, received his bachelor of arts degree in economics from DePauw University and his master's and doctoral degrees in business administration from Washington University.

## Graduate Students

There will be a meeting of graduate students September 24 for the purpose of forming a Graduate Student Association at UMSL. Students actually registered in one of the graduate programs should contact Mary Fly at 839-3242 for information concerning the time and meeting place.

## Players' Auditions

Auditions for the University Players' first production of the 1969-70 season, Antonio Buero Vallejo's *In the Burning Darkness*, will be Friday, September 19 at 11:00 p.m. in room 406, Clark Hall and Sunday, September 21 at 1:00 p.m. in room 105 Benton Hall.

Dr. Marion P. Holt, associate professor of Spanish and chairman of the Department of Modern Languages, will direct the October production of his original translation of Buero's play. *In the Burning Darkness* deals with the lives of various inmates of an institution for the blind whose optimistic outlook on their way of life is nearly destroyed by a new inmate who is unable to accept his blindness.

The Players' season will continue with the November presentation of the Thompson, Baer and Fuller musical comedy *Once Upon a Mattress*. This is based upon the fairy tale of "The Princess and the Pea."



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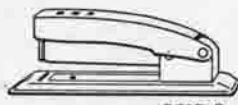
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# Hendin's Headlines

by Marty Hendin, Sports Editor

Welcome to UMSL, the home of the NAIA District 16 basketball champions. We hope to add more titles to that as our sports teams try to improve on last year's combined record of 56-46-2.

In this first column of the school year, I hope you'll bear with me as I publicly thank the many departments and individuals who worked hard all summer on last Thursday's rally.

First, of course, a big thank-you to Downtown St. Louis Inc. for all their help. Also, thanks to Marty Bronson, Congressman Symington, Neal McFarland, Gordon Hopper, Acting-Chancellor Driscoll and our other speakers.

I'd also like to thank Dean of Student Affairs Dave Ganz and his secretary Mrs. Bernice Miner, Assistant Dean Robert Davenport and his secretaries Mrs. Veronica O'Gorman and Susie Baker, Director of Student Activities Stephanie Kreis, Bob Smith and the Office of Public Information, Chuck Smith and the Athletic Department and Chief James Nelson and the campus security police.

The rally could not have taken place without the tremendous job done by my co-chairman Mike

Olds and the following hard-working Steamers members: Linda Boyer, Bev Brickey, Vic Cadice, Denny Caldwell, Mike Checkett, Ed Farrell, Bob Feigenbaum, Pat Freeman, Neil Friedman, Barb Fritz, Sandy Gaston, Sherry Gaston, Jim Guffey, Bill Hlker, Carol Jakle, Rich Kannapell, John Koenig, Tammie Layton, Lynn Lee, Patty Maher, Donna McKabney, Diana Pizzo, Jan Power, Joann Prokopchuk, Bernie Schonlau, Rick Sharp, Linda Siesener, Nan Smith, LaRoyce Stevens and Judie Weinschenker.

On the subject of the Steamers, the first meeting of the school year will be Monday, September 29 at 7 p.m. in room 208 of the Administration Building. No post cards will be sent. Official Steamers notices will be found in this column.

In closing this first column, I'd like to wish good luck to our inter-collegiate sports teams and their coaches: cross-country Larry Berres; soccer Don Dallas; basketball Chuck Smith and Arnold Copeland; golf Larry Berres; tennis Carl Brummett; and baseball Arnold Copeland.

## Harriers Face Expanded Schedule

In the words of UMSL Cross Country Coach Larry Berres, "We'll find out if we can run with the big boys." Accordingly, Berres has added several "big boys" such as Marquette and UICC to this year's cross country schedule, making it the toughest schedule in UMSL's three years of cross country.

### Three Return

Only three runners return from last year's 8-5 harrier team but these include last year's leading runner Bob Hudson and 1967' leading runner Kerry Robinson, along with Dennis Joiner. Berres has high hopes for freshmen Charles Lister of Okawville, Illinois, Frank Neal from Roosevelt High School, and John Loyet from Augustinian Academy.

In addition to competing in the Greenville and Culver-Stockton In-

vitationals, the Rivermen will defend their championship in the University of Chicago Invitational (last year's Urban Alliance meet) against such teams as Wayne State, UICC, UWM, Grand Valley State of Michigan, University of Detroit and University of Chicago. UMSL will also run in the NAIA District 16 meet on November 15. The winner of that meet will compete in the NAIA National Championships November 27 in Oklahoma City.

### Run at Blackburn

The 1969 cross country season will get underway September 23 as the Rivermen run at Blackburn. The first home meet will be September 26 against Greenville. Home meets will start at 4 p.m. on the east part of the campus. The runners will run more than four miles over UMSL's golf course hills.



Bette Burlis, Miss Downtown St. Louis, holds the picture of UMSL's Rivermen mascot that was presented to her at the pep rally by Bob Hudson (center) and Kerry Robinson, members of the UMSL cross country team who ran to the riverfront from campus.

photo by M.J. Olds

## Meetings

There will be a meeting for all undergraduate men interested in trying out for varsity basketball Friday September 26 at 4:00 p.m. in Room 208 of the Administration Building.

All undergraduate male students who are interested in trying out for varsity tennis should come to a meeting Friday October 3 at 4:00 p.m. in Room 208 of the Administration Building.

The UMSL cheerleaders will hold a meeting for all girls interested in cheerleading Monday September 22 at 3:30 in the cafeteria annex. Clinics will be held September 23 (2:30, 105 Benton), September 25, September 29, and October 1 (3:30, 313 Benton, all three). Tryouts to fill five spots on the varsity squad will take place Thursday October 2 at 4:30 at Normandy Junior High.

## IM News

UMSL's Intramural Director Larry Berres and Student Assistant Vic Cadice have come up with a full schedule of early fall intramural events. These include men's flag football on Monday and Wednesday, women's volleyball on Monday and Wednesday, and co-ed volleyball on Tuesday and Thursday. This schedule will allow men to participate in both football and volleyball and women to participate in both women's and co-ed volleyball. This also leaves Friday free for make-up and championship games.

The sign-up deadline for football and volleyball is Monday, September 22 at noon on the athletic department, room 17 of the blue metal office building.

Another event now planned is the first annual UMSL Open Golf Tournament set for Friday, October 10, at the St. Charles Golf Club, St. Charles, Missouri. All students and staff are invited to participate. The starting times are 12:00 noon- 2:30 p.m. and there is an entry fee of \$2.00.

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