Upcoming Events
- October 14 - Crookston Artist Series
  Marcoux Corner, Crookston HS
  Auditorium (10 FREE tickets at Dowell Info Desk)
- October 15 - Fall Convocation 10 a.m. Kiehle Auditorium
- October 15 - Mr. UMC 8 p.m. Kiehle Auditorium
- October 15 - Soccer vs MN St. U Moorhead 3:30 p.m.
- October 16 - Volleyball vs U of M Duluth 7 p.m.
- October 17 - Inauguration of Chancellor Burton 2:30 p.m. Kiehle Auditorium
- October 17 - Family Weekend
- October 18 - Football vs U of M Duluth 1:30 p.m.
- October 18 - Volleyball vs Wayne State 7 p.m.
- October 18 - “Sounds of Simon” 7 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.
- October 20 - Magnificent Monday
  Ability Speaker Judy Siegle “Living Without Limits” Paralympian Noon and 1 p.m.
  Brown A & B “Ten Strategies for Overcoming Obstacles in Your Life”
- October 22 - C.J. Johnson 8 p.m. Kiehle Auditorium sponsored by SPACE

W.O.W. Event
Wednesday, October 15
Mr. UMC
8 p.m. Kiehle
Sponsored by UMC Cheer Team

UMC Cheer Team Searches for Mr. UMC October 15
The UMC Cheer Team will sponsor the annual Mr. UMC contest on Wednesday, October 15, at 8 p.m. in Kiehle Auditorium. Several of UMC’s best young men will take part. Contestants are: Paul Wilson, Kyle Rollness, Ben Perkins, Lionel James, Brandon Sykora, Jeremy Meyer, Wesley Hanson, Jay Visger, Cory Palm and Brandon Wolf. Contestants will compete in five categories: Opening Number, Talent Show, Beachwear, Eveningwear, Question/Answer. Admission is $1.00 for UMC Students and $3.00 for the general public at the door; all proceeds go to the UMC Spirit Fund.

Fall Convocation Set for October 15
UMC will hold its Fall Semester Convocation on Wednesday, October 15, at 10 a.m. in Kiehle Auditorium. Kyle Rollness, Crookston Student Association President, will serve as master of ceremonies. Chancellor Burton will be the featured speaker. All students, faculty, staff, and community members are invited to attend. As policy, classes are excused for the hour-long Convocation. As part of the program, the UMC Choir will perform a set of musical selections under the direction of George French, Associate Professor of Music. Members of the Chancellor’s 4.0 Club from Spring Semester 2003 will be recognized, and varsity athletics team captains will provide updates on their accomplishments this season.

Inauguration of Chancellor Burton and Bergland Laboratory Dedication Set for October 17
Ceremonies for the inauguration of Velmer S. Burton, Jr., as UMC’s third chancellor are scheduled for Friday, October 17, at 2:30 p.m. in Kiehle Auditorium. A reception will follow. All faculty, staff, students, alumni and the general public are invited.
Earlier that day, a luncheon by invitation will be held at Noon in Sahlstrom Conference Center’s Brown Dining Room. The luncheon will be attended by Chancellor Burton, his invited guests, members of the University of Minnesota Board of Regents, other University officials, and invited guests of Regent Emeritus Robert Bergland.
Following the luncheon, the campus will honor Robert Bergland when the controlled environmental science building is officially dedicated as the Bergland Laboratory at 1:15 p.m. The campus community is also invited to attend this ceremony.

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If a battle of governors were to take place - who would win between California Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger and former Minnesota Governor Jesse Ventura?

“Jesse would win for sure because Arnold is just a pretty boy for the movies - Jesse is tough.”

“Jesse Ventura because he used to wrestle.”

Question of the Week

Mark Your Calendar! October 17 & 18, is Family Weekend. UMC would like to invite your family to spend the weekend with you. If you think that your family members would be interested in this event please have them contact Rae French at 1-800-232-6466 ext. 8339 or e-mail her at rhowe@mail.crk.umn.edu. Check out the Family Weekend Web Site at http://webhome.crk.umn.edu/~rhowe/Family%20Weekend/.

Blood Drive

THANKS! A very sincere thank you to all of those who were so willing to donate blood on October 6th. UMC had their most successful blood drive ever with a total of 56 units collected, 27 people were first time donors! We also had 21 walk-in’s which is terrific! A special thank you to SAAC, Ambassadors, and the Athletic Dept. for their support of this blood drive. Be ready to roll up your sleeves on Feb. 9th, 2004, UMC’s next blood drive.

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Hispanic Heritage Month Activity

Diversity Services with the collaboration of Student Activities & Service Learning, and the Multicultural/International Programs is bringing the group The Minnecanos to the UMC campus:

In Commemoration of Hispanic Heritage Month
October 16, 5:00 p.m.
Brown Dining Room
Play: “The Minnecanos”
Mixed Blood Performance

This Play is about Mexican American culture and history.
The songs in “Minnecanos” are based largely on Mexican traditions, particularly the traditions of the “corridor.”
The literal translation of the word is “song”.

Thank you to Jeff Knudtson, Brock Anundson, Ben Perkins & Jay Tupa, and Steph Roland for their thoughts on the Question of the Week.
Rae French, interim director of First Year Experience, is looking for students to help out during Family Weekend, Oct. 17-18. On Friday, she’s looking for student volunteers to assist at the registration table from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. On Saturday, she’s looking for help at the registration table from 8 a.m. to noon, and also for help with directing families to various demonstrations (You can drive a golf cart!), also from 8 a.m. until noon. Rae suggests that if a club or clubs are interested in helping, that they divide the days into two-hour shifts so no one is stuck working too long. Contact Rae at rhowe@umcrookston.edu or x8339 if you want to help.

Clubs: This does count as a community service project!

New from CSA

New Printer Coming Soon to the Eagle’s Nest
The CSA has been hard at work this fall responding to many student concerns. One concern that has been brought to our attention lately is the inconvenience of printing from Eagles Nest. Upon hearing this concern the CSA took action and looked into the option of getting a printer in Eagles Nest. I have good news, the proposal was approved and a new printer will be arriving shortly. You can thank Senator Carrie Koplin for getting the job done.

If you ever have any concerns or suggestions for anything around campus, let us know online http://www.crk.umn.edu/CSA/Concerns/index.htm.

Blue Light Emergency Poles
The Security Service Office on campus has recently purchased two blue light emergency poles and plans on installing them yet this fall. If you are unfamiliar with these poles, they are usually quite abundant on larger campuses and they act as an emergency station where someone can quickly call 911 if they feel in danger. Once the person presses the emergency button the entire pole lights up and a small siren sounds. One of these poles is going to be located by the UTOC parking lot and the other was originally planned to be placed out in the mall. The CSA was concerned about the effectiveness of this location; we felt that there was little traffic through the mall at night and that the call boxes by the dorms already acted as emergency stations. We also felt that the majority of students traveled between residence halls and parking lots during late night hours, and of these locations we felt that Lot E had the worst lighting and was the most dangerous. However, we wanted your opinion and so we took a survey of the student body. Out of 60 people surveyed, 28 thought it should be located by Lot E, 20 said Lot D by the sports center, another 6 said by Brink and Skyberg, and only 5 people thought it should stay where originally planned. The CSA has heard your response and is working hard at pushing to have this pole relocated, we thank your for your response.

Twenty-Second Annual Red River Valley Arts & Crafts Show sponsored by UMC SIFE
The Twenty-Second Annual Red River Valley Arts & Crafts Show sponsored by the UMC SIFE Club will be held on Saturday, October 25 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the Crookston Armory.

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**Brain Teasers**

This week’s winner is Zachary Vogel. He knew the puzzle to the left below meant “Right Between the I’s” Zachary can pick up his free movie pass in Dowell 119. Can you guess this week’s puzzle? If you think you know the answer send an e-mail to melonir. A winner will be chosen from the correct answers. The winner will receive a free ticket to the Grand Theatre in Crookston. Email your answer to Meloni prior to noon on Thursday, October 16th. The winner’s name will appear in the October 20th Eagle’s Eye.

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**Fire Safety Presentation**

On Wednesday, October 22 at Noon in Brown Dining Room A & B the Crookston Fire Department will be on campus to present a Fire Safety Workshop. Please plan on attending this informative and potentially life saving workshop.

**Student Health**

Student Health: Dr. Kanten will not be on campus Wednesday, October 15th. Student Health will closed Oct. 15th, and 16th. Please contact the Altru, Crookston clinic at 281-9100 with any medical problems. Sorry for the inconvenience.

**Online Rideshare**

Reminder Students: UMC’s Online Rideshare website is online and ready to go. If you’re heading to Grand Forks, Fargo, the Twin Cities or as far as Florida, you can post your need for a ride (or your willingness to offer someone else a ride) at [http://www.crk.umn.edu/student/RideShare/index.htm](http://www.crk.umn.edu/student/RideShare/index.htm). If you’d like to hear more about the Online Rideshare website works, contact Mike Christopherson in Dowell 112 (x8526, email chris828). Check it out!

**Health and Counseling Corner**

Experts agree that developing a wellness lifestyle can do a lot to prevent depression and to maintain wellness. A few of the suggestions offered by the DMDA (Depressive and Manic-Depressive Association) include: share talking and listening time with a friend, allow yourself regular daily exposure to light, do exercises that help you to relax, focus and reduce stress, participate in fun, affirming and creative activities, avoid alcohol, and improve your diet by avoiding heavily salted foods, sugar and too much caffeine. If you have questions or concerns with regard to depression, or if you need help to begin a wellness lifestyle, visit with a campus counselor, student health nurse, or a program adviser from Student Support Services. We are here to help you be your best!

**Classifieds**

FREE - Dowell Info Desk has 10 FREE tickets available to UMC Students for the upcoming Crookston Artist Series Concert by Marcoux Corner. The concert will be Tuesday, October 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the Crookston HS Auditorium. Stop by the Dowell Info Desk for your free ticket. Remember there are only 10 so get yours early.

Need a Ride - During the academic year the Tri-Valley Bus (T.H.E. Bus) provides service to and from campus M-F at 8 a.m. and 12 noon, and on on MWF again at 2:30 p.m. Students can schedule a ride by calling (218) 281-5832.

If you would like to include an ad in the classified section of the Eagle’s Eye email your request to melonir or drop your ad off in Dowell Hall 119. Ads will be included in the Eagle’s Eye FREE of Charge. Ads will be included on a first come first served basis. Ads will run for two weeks if space allows. We reserve the right to reject any ads.

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