Comedian Amy Anderson will perform Wednesday, March 2 in Kiehle Auditorium at 8 p.m. She may not be Swedish, as her name implies, but she is Minnesotan through and through. Comedienne, Amy Anderson, was born in Korea and raised by Scandinavians in Excelsior, MN-now that's good humor. Amy's high energy and unique style of comedy has been featured at a wide variety of clubs, college events and theaters for over five years and has made her one of the most sought after, young talents in comedy. Amy's extensive background in sketch comedy, theater and music shine through in her strong presence on stage. So get ready for some genuine laughter... the girl's real funny.

International Dinner Series Begins
Monday, March 7

The International Dinner Series will begin Monday, March 7 with dinner at 6 p.m. and a program to follow at 7 p.m. Reservations are required to attend the dinner. The meal costs $8 per person. The 7 p.m. program is free to everybody. For reservations to any of the dinners please call 8538, 8540 or 8508.

Monday, March 7 - “France From F to E” will be presented by Fabien Pommier and Romain Thomas

Monday, March 21 - “Japan Land of Rich Traditions” will be presented by Chiemi Okamoto, Kaori Sudo, Yumiko Wakabayashi, Shunsuke Miyake and Takashi Nakamura.

Monday, March 28 - “Brazil More Than Soccer, A Rising Star” Danilo Cerqueira, Vladimir Moura, Cleverson Iramina and Mariana Martins

The Internaton Dinner will be held on Saturday, April 9 at 6 p.m. The cost will be $10.
Question of the Week

“For every $1 a man earns how much does a women earn?”

Christian Nelson
“A little more than half that dollar.”

Steve Hagen
“Probably not as much as they should.”

Tim Frits
“About 2/3, but not as much.”

A woman earns $.76 to every $1 earned by a man. To illustrate this point a “Gender Bake Sale” will be held Wednesday, March 2 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., in SCC Lobby. Prices of the baked goods will vary based on the Gender of the purchaser. Proceeds from the “Gender Bake Sale” will go to Crookston United Way.

Correction
In last week’s issue of the Eagle’s Eye the question of the week was “Who invented peanut butter?” The answer we had was George Washington Carver. This answer was incorrect; although Carver invented over 300 uses for peanuts, he was not credited with the invention of peanut butter. An unknown St. Louis physician invented peanut butter in 1890 to provide his patients with an easy-to-digest, high protein food. Thank you to Mike for bringing this to our attention.

HOSPITALITY ASSOCIATION PIZZA SALE
WHEN: TUESDAYS
TIME: 6PM-9:30PM
WHERE: CALL AND MAKE YOUR ORDERS 281-8199
YES WE DO DELIVER TO DORMS ON CAMPUS
ENJOY A GOURMET PIZZA FOR JUST A LITTLE PRICE!!!
  LARGE PIZZAS $8.50
  MEDIUM PIZZAS $6.75
$.75 FOR ADDITIONAL TOPPINGS
Or get a SUPREME for only $11.50!
Chaperones for BASHED Annual Youth Retreat: This annual youth retreat invites 100+ teens from Polk County to attend a weekend of learning leadership skills, communication skills, conflict resolution, team building and information on risky teen behaviors. We are looking for chaperones for this three day, two night event. We would prefer chaperones that enjoy dealing with active teens. Chaperones will be assigned to a group during the day time - they will accompany their group to learning sessions to attend to participation and any behavior problems. Chaperones will be assigned to a cabin with 6-8 teens for sleeping hours. Chaperones must be willing to deal with positive and negative behaviors of the teens, as well as correct any negative or inappropriate behaviors. Bus transportation to the event will be provided. For more information, contact D’Anne Johnson at 218-281-3385 or djohnson@pcphealth.org.

Childcare: Five or 6 childcare providers needed Tuesday, April 5, from 6:45 to 8:00 p.m. at the Crookston Family Service Center. (The Head Start building, formerly Carmen School). Activities are already planned, you just need to show up!

Help with Kids’ Activities: Assist with activities at the “Big Wheels Farm Festival,” Tuesday, April 26, from 5:45 to 7:30 p.m. at the Crookston Family Service Center. (The Head Start building, formerly Carmen School). Activities are already planned, you just need to show up!

Distribute Flyers: Post approximately 50 flyers for “Month of the Young Child” activities around town. Flyers will be ready to be distributed in early March.

FLU Season

Although we have experienced a milder flu season than normal this year, the influenza virus is still among us and can still cause health problems. Please refer to the following link from the Center for Disease Control on recommendations regarding influenza. Also, you are encouraged to stop by Student Health, 106 Robertson, 8512, with any health concerns you have. Thank you. http://www.cdc.gov/flu/pdf/keyfacts.pdf

UMC Student Center- Construction Update 2/21/05

Construction of the new Student Center is in the final stages and is proceeding towards a successful completion. Framing and electrical mechanical rough in have been completed and drywall is finishing up. Finishes such as acoustical ceilings, woodwork, cabinetry, and final painting are underway. Ceramic tile and bathroom fixtures are being installed along with final electrical and mechanical fixtures. The mechanical and electrical systems are being completed and testing and startup of these systems will take place in the upcoming weeks. Flooring and specialty items will be installed over the next month followed by final cleaning and furniture installation. Although some exterior work will be completed this summer, the building should be ready to occupy by the first of June.—Shane Roers, Roers Construction

T.H.E. Bus Transportation

T.H.E. Bus (Tri-Valley Bus) drops off students at 8 a.m., 10:40 a.m., and again at noon on a daily basis. Drop-off locations are the Early Childhood Development Center and the Library. The cost is $1 per way, but you can buy a ticket which is $10 and is good for 11 rides. They are willing to pick up and drop off students on a regular basis or on an occasional basis, but they do need to be contacted in advance (at least 24 hours). They also will drive people to Grand Forks Monday and Thursdays, and also will take people to Bemidji, Thief River Falls, and Fargo, and go to Detroit Lakes once a month. There is a round trip cost as follows:

- Grand Forks – $5.00
- Bemidji – $11.00
- Thief River Falls – $6.50
- Fargo – $10.50
- Detroit Lakes – $11.00

They operate from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Hours on Wednesday are from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. The dispatch office is open from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.. Please call the dispatch office at 281-0700 for rides. For questions, concerns, or comments, call 281-3432.

Vocation Retreat

Mount Saint Benedict Monastery, Crookston, is offering a vocation retreat for adult women aged 18-50 on March 5-6. Women deciding a new direction in life may be interested in this opportunity. The retreat will explore each person’s gifts and a variety of possibilities for women - marriage, the single life and religious life with an emphasis on religious values. Participants will be encouraged to spend quiet time praying, alone and with others. Retreat leaders will facilitate individual and group discussion in a non-threatening environment. For pre-registration, contact Sister Anne DeMers, 218-281-3441 orademers@msb.net by March 1.
Brain Teasers

Aaron Schmit is the winner. Aaron knew that the puzzle below on the left meant “Side Splitting Laughter.” He can pick up his free movie pass at the Dowell Info Desk. Can you guess this week's puzzle (below on the right)? 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, March 3. The winner’s name will appear in the March 7 Eagle’s Eye.

Great Conversations “Design of Everyday Life”

The Great Conversations series continues Wednesday, March 9 with the presentation “Design of Everyday Life.” The presentation will take place via satellite downlink in Dowell 220 at 7:30 p.m.

Two leading thinkers discuss how curiosity and research can unravel the extraordinary stories behind ordinary objects.

Wendy Pradt Lougee is University Librarian and McKnight Presidential Professor at the University of Minnesota. Prior to accepting this position in 2002, she served as Associate Director of the University of Michigan Library system. Well known for her pioneering contributions to the design and development of digital libraries and electronic publishing, she has been recognized by the Association of College and Research Libraries with the Hugh Atkinson Award and as a Computerworld Honors Program Laureate for technology innovation. A native Midwesterner, Lougee holds graduate degrees from the Universities of Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Henry Petroski is the author of numerous fascinating books tracing the history of ordinary objects including The Book on the Bookcase; The Pencil: A History of Design and Circumstance; The Evolution of Useful Things and Engineers of Dreams; Great Bridge Builders and The Spanning of America; Invention by Design: How Engineers Get from Thought to Thing. He also wrote and hosted the BBC documentary “To Engineer Is Human” which was broadcast on PBS. He serves as a professor of Civil Engineering and History at Duke University. His work has been recognized in his field with the Ralph Coats Roe Medal from the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the Civil Engineering History and Heritage Award from the American Society of Civil Engineers. He is also the recipient of three honorary degrees and the Alumni Centennial Award from Manhattan College where he received his bachelor’s degree and an Alumni Award for Distinguished Service from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign where he received his PhD.

Classified Ads

For Rent - One bedroom apartment located in Prairie View Apartments in Fisher, MN. Utilities are furnished. The apartment is located in a secured building, is on one level and has a large storage room. A spacious community room for entertaining large groups is available within the building. Any age may apply. Call 218 637-2431 or write: Housing Authority, P.O. Box 128, Mentor, MN 56736. Equal Opportunity Housing

For Sale - roll up box cover, brand new! Fits 1993 to 1996 shortbox F-150. Also Looking for 18ft or longer boat, Call 218-988-2031

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 to students, faculty and staff. Off-campus ads will be charged at $5 per classified ad per week. 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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