Upcoming Events
March is Women’s History Month

♦ March 21 - International Dinner, Japan, 6 p.m., dinner; 7 p.m., program
♦ March 22 - Workshop “Resume & Mock Interviews,” 7 p.m., Kiehle 116
♦ March 23 - Neo Print/Wacky Candy, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., SCC Lobby
♦ March 23 - Grand Movie Night
♦ March 24 - Floating Holiday, Offices Closed, No Classes
♦ March 25 - International Dinner, Brazil, 6 p.m., dinner; 7 p.m., program
♦ March 25 - Neo Print/Wacky Candy, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., SCC Lobby
♦ March 25 - Grand Movie Night
♦ March 25 - Self-Defense Class, 7-9 p.m., Lysaker
♦ March 26 - Spring Convocation, 10 a.m., Kiehle Auditorium
♦ March 27 - Speaker: Minnijean Brown - Trickey of the Little Rock Nine, 8 p.m., Kiehle Auditorium
♦ March 28 - Self-Defense Class, 7-9 p.m., Lysaker
♦ March 28 - Full CSA Board Meeting
♦ March 28 - Grand Movie Night
♦ March 29 - Student vs Staff Slowpitch Softball Game, 2 p.m., Baseball Field
♦ March 29 - Intellectual Dinner, Japan, 6 p.m., dinner; 7 p.m., program
♦ March 29 - Neo Print/Wacky Candy, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., SCC Lobby
♦ March 29 - Grand Movie Night
♦ March 29 - Self-Defense Class, 7-9 p.m., Lysaker
♦ March 30 - Spring Convocation, 10 a.m., Kiehle Auditorium
♦ March 30 - Speaker: Minnijean Brown - Trickey of the Little Rock Nine, 8 p.m., Kiehle Auditorium
♦ March 31 - Self-Defense Class, 7-9 p.m., Lysaker Gymnasium
♦ April 1 - Evening Escape Women’s Retreat, 6 - 10 p.m., Nicholas Collections
♦ April 1 - Grand Movie Night
♦ April 2 - Student vs Staff Slowpitch Softball Game, 2 p.m., Baseball Field
♦ April 4 through 8 - “Focus on Living - Aids Exhibit”
♦ April 4 - Magnificent Monday - Healthy Relationships, Noon, Brown Dining

W.O.W. Event

Grand Movie Night
March 23, 2005
7 p.m. & 7:15 p.m.
Grand Theatre - Downtown Crookston

Egg Hunt Thursday, March 24

Dowell Info Desk will sponsor an Egg Hunt on Thursday, March 24. Eggs will be hidden in Eagles Nest and Dowell Hall. Find the Grand Prize Egg and turn in at the Dowell Info Desk for a special prize.
Question of the Week will return on Monday, March 28.

Crookston Student Associations (CSA) News

Upcoming CSA events:
- Spring Convocation March 30 at 10 a.m., in Kiehle Auditorium (All classes will be excused)
- Commuter Student Week will be March 28 to April 1
- Advisor Week will be April 4 through 8
- Campus Showdown April 20 - Staff vs. Student
  - Students are looking for the “Threepeat.”

Elections Are Coming Up! Sign Up Now! Applications are at the Dowell Info Desk - Due By March 30. Campaigning April 4 - 10. Make Sure You Vote on April 11.

CSA Senator Patrick Dreher

Anticipating graduation?

Nervous about the next steps? Excited yet feeling a bit unsure about the big world out there? Join us for a group discussion at Counseling and Career Services. The group discussion will be led by you and facilitated by counseling intern Catherine Haynes. Choose from Monday, April 11, at 11 a.m.; Thursday, April 14, at 1 p.m.; Monday, April 18, at 1 p.m.; and/or Thursday, April 21, at 11 a.m. Come to one meeting or come to all. Please contact the Counseling and Career Services (218-281-8585 or 218-281-8586) or Catherine Haynes (hayne001@mail.crk.umn.edu) if interested.

Make Every Day Count

Students, you still have seven important weeks (35 class days) of spring semester beginning March 21. Make them matter. Look ahead on your course syllabi and plan for remaining papers, projects, readings and exams. Set target dates to complete portions of larger projects. Think of the points you still have the opportunity to earn! Consider a tutor or study partner. There is still time, and real effort consistently applied can make a world of difference to the outcome. If you want to do better, but seem to encounter the same old obstacles again and again, visit with someone in Owen 270. There are SSS program advisers, counselors, and staff with math, science, composition and technology expertise available to you. If what you are doing isn’t working, change your approach.

HOSPITALITY ASSOCIATION PIZZA SALE
WHEN: TUESDAYS
TIME: 6 PM-9:30 PM
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!

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Improve your leadership skills and earn an additional income while you train close to home and family. With over 120 careers to choose from, the Army Reserve is your chance to make a difference in your life and in the future of your country. Find out more at GOARMYRESERVE.COM or call 1-800-USA-ARMY.

Where: Visit the Grand Forks Recruiting Station at 2550 S. Columbia Road
When: MON - FRI 9 am - 6 pm or call for an appointment
Who: Speak with Sgt. Helgeson at 701-772-2171 to learn more

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**Chaperones for BASHED Annual Youth Retreat:** This annual youth retreat invites 100+ teens from Polk County to attend a weekend of learning leadership 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 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 Carman School). Activities are already planned, you just need to show up!

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**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!

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**International Dinner Series Continues March 21**

The International Dinner Series continues Monday, March 21, with “Japan Land of Rich Traditions,” presented by UMC students Chiemi Okamoto, Kaori Sudo, Yumiko Wakabayashi, Shunsuke Miyake, and Takashi Nakamura. Each evening in the series will begin at 6 p.m. with an ethnic dinner, followed at 7 p.m. by a program focusing on the culture and traditions of the respective country. The dinner is served in Brown Dining Room of UMC’s Sahlstrom Conference Center and is by reservation only. Cost is $8 per person. Please make reservations for the dinner series by calling Angelika Huglen at 218-281-8450, Brent Melsa 218-281-8538, or Mario Prada 218-281-8508. The next dinner series evening: **Monday, March 28** “Brazil More than Soccer, A Rising Star” Presented by Danilo Cerqueira, Vladimir Moura, Cleerson Iramina, and Mariana Martins. The series will culminate with the annual International Dinner, set for Saturday, April 9, at 6 p.m.

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**Counseling and Career Services News**

The workshop “Resume and Mock Interviews” will be offered by Counseling and Career Services on Tuesday, March 22 in Kiehle 116 at 7 p.m. Valleyfair will be on campus Wednesday, March 30. They will have an Informational Booth set up in SCC Lobby from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. They will be conducting interviews from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. in Kiehle 105.

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**Faculty Seminar Series Continues April 7**

The UMC Faculty Seminar Series will continue Thursday, April 7, with “The Changing Demographic and Economic Environment: Implications for Higher Education in Minnesota,” presented by Tom Stinson. The seminar will begin at 1:30 p.m. in Youngquist Auditorium, Northwest Research and Outreach Center, UMC Campus. All students, faculty, staff and interested members of the community are invited to attend. Thomas F. Stinson is a professor in the Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics at the University of Minnesota. Since 1987, he has also served as Minnesota’s State Economist; his duties include preparing the state’s revenue forecast. A native of Washington state, Stinson received a bachelor’s degree in political science from Washington State University and a Ph.D. in economics from the University of Minnesota. He is a past president of the Minnesota Economic Association and is currently a member of the economic advisory boards of both major Twin Cities daily newspapers. He worked as an economist for the U.S. Department of Agriculture before assuming his current position.

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**Self-Defense Course Offered for Faculty, Staff and Students FOR WOMEN ONLY!**

UMC is sponsoring a self-defense course in conjunction with the University of North Dakota. This is a 4-hour self-defense session from 6-10 p.m., on March 29 and March 31. For more information please go to [http://www.und.edu/dept/womenctr/impactintro.htm](http://www.und.edu/dept/womenctr/impactintro.htm). You can also click on the video to see how serious UND and the IMPACT-U program is in promoting personal safety for women. THIS IS A SERIOUS SELF-DEFENSE taught by experts. All the instructors are certified by the Bay Area Model Mugging Corporation of San Francisco, CA. If you are interested in attending please send an email to Chris Przemieniecki at cprzem@umn.edu with your preferred date. The event will be held in Lysaker Gym. The class is limited to the first 18 people per class so please contact me ASAP if you know for sure you can attend.
Brain Teasers

Nick Starcevic is the winner. Nick knew that the puzzle below on the left meant “Space Invaders.” 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 24. The winner’s name will appear in the March 28 Eagle’s Eye.

National Women’s History Month

The 2005 Women’s History Month theme, “Women Change America,” honors and recognizes the role of American women in transforming culture, history and politics as leaders, writers, scientists, educators, politicians, artists, historians, and informed citizens. “Women Change America” also celebrates the myriad ways in which the spirit, courage, and contributions of American women have added to the vitality, richness, and diversity of American life.

March events on the UMC campus include:

**PANEL: “Women Change the World”**
Tuesday, March 22 - Noon to 1 p.m., 206 Dowell Hall
Panel Participants: Aida Martinez, Director of Multi-Ethnic Students – University of Minnesota, Morris
Cheryl Saunders, Director of University Learning Center – University of North Dakota
Donna Brow, Assistant Director of the American Indian Student Services – University of North Dakota
Gretchen Daneke Graf, Pastor of First Presbyterian Church – Grand Forks, ND
Soo-Yin Lim-Thompson, Assistant Professor of Early Childhood Education – University of Minnesota, Crookston

**COURSE: Women’s Self Defense**
Tuesday, March 29 and Thursday, March 31 - 6 to 10 p.m., Lysaker Gymnasium

For more information please go to <http://www.und.edu/dept/womenctr/impactintro.htm>. Please send Chris Przemieniecki an email with your preferred date if you are interested in attending. Only open to UMC women faculty, staff, and students.

**SPEAKER: Minnijean Brown Trickey**
Wednesday, March 30
8 p.m., Kiehle Auditorium

Minnijean Brown Trickey is known today as one of the nine that made history September 25, 1957 in Little Rock, Arkansas. She has since been a crusader for civil rights and worked as Deputy Assistant Secretary under the Clinton Administration. Today she is a writer and a social worker and lives in Ontario, Canada.

Classified Ads

**Roommate Wanted** - Looking for roommate for the 2005-2006 school year. House is located in Crookston. Please contact mckeO268@mail.crk.umn.edu for more information.

**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

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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