Upcoming Events

♦ September 29 - 21 Days of Success Celebration (Res Life)
♦ September 30 - College 101 - Avoid Plagiarism and Academic Dishonesty - 9 a.m., Bede Ballroom
♦ September 30 - Plains Art Museum Tour 1 p.m., Fargo
♦ October 1 - "Decision 2008", 7 p.m., Kiehle Auditorium, Concerts & Lectures
♦ October 1 - Alpha Lambda Delta Spaghetti Supper, 5 p.m., American Legion
♦ October 3 - Grand Movie Night, 7 & 7:15 p.m.
♦ October 4 - Insight Radio Broadcast, 8:30 a.m., KROX 1260 am
♦ October 4 - Soccer vs St. Cloud University, 1 p.m.
♦ October 5 - Soccer vs Concordia University - St. Paul, 1 p.m.
♦ October 6 - Music on Mondays, "Far Beyond Frail", 11:30 a.m., Northern Lights Lounge (S.P.A.C.E.)
♦ October 6 - CSA full board meeting, 7 p.m., Dowell 225
♦ October 7 - Passport Drive, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Northern Lights Lounge
♦ October 7 - The 7 Habits of Highly Effective College Students Workshop, 7 p.m., Dowell 220
♦ October 8 - College 101- Forming Effective Study Groups, Noon, Kiehle
♦ October 8 - UMC Alumni Association Board Annual Meeting, 5:30 p.m., Kiehle 116
♦ October 10 - In Service- No Classes
♦ October 10 - Volleyball vs Wayne State, 7 p.m.

Homecoming Royalty 2008

Congratulations to UMC’s 2008 Homecoming Royalty! This Year’s Royal Court:
King Corey Detloff, Prince Tim Unke, Princess Britney Novak.

Decision 2008 with MTV’s Robin October 1

This election is going to be the most highly contested in decades and it’s the youth of our country that will be the deciding factor for years to come. The “Decision 2008 Campus Tour” is a non-partisan program that promotes the importance of voting and letting your voice be heard. Robin, a former cast member of MTV’s “The Real World” will be in Kiehle Auditorium on Wednesday, October 1 at 7 p.m., encouraging students to vote in her “Decision 2008” presentation. Autographs and photo opportunities will follow the presentation. Sponsored by UMC’s Concerts and Lectures.

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**Discount Chester Fritz Tickets Available to UMC Students**

UMC’s Concerts and Lectures is again making tickets available to UMC Students for performances at the Chester Fritz Auditorium at a discount price (one-third off). Some of the performances scheduled for this year include: “Stomp”, October 7 & 8; “Hairspray”, December 6; “Annie”, February 15; and “Footloose”, April 16. For a complete listing of performances go to: http://www.cfa.und.edu/. Tickets can be purchased through Meloni in 236 Student Center for one-third off the ticket price. Limit one discount ticket per student. Others may be purchased at full price.

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**UMC Job Fair Around The Corner**

UMC’s 7th Annual Winter Job & Internship Fair is just around the corner. The Job Fair is scheduled for Wednesday, February 9, 2009 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Bede Ballroom. With the planning under way, we (the planning committee) would like to know if there are any companies that you would like to see attend. If you have a company in mind please let Brittny Johnson at joh01939@umn.edu or Meloni Rasmussen at melonir@umn.edu know. We would need to know the company’s information (phone number, address, contact person, etc...). The Job Fair is a cooperative effort between UMC’s Career and Counseling Department and Student’s in Free Enterprise (SIFE).

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**Career and Counseling Corner**

* Check out the on-line résumé posting service GoldPASS at http://www.umcrockston.edu/ccs/career/GoldPass.htm. Our staff is here to help you with your job or internship search.

* The UND Career Fair is happening Wednesday, October 1, 2008 at the Hyslop Sports Center in Grand Forks from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Go to www.career.und.edu for more info.

* Stop by 236 Student Center to schedule an appointment with a Career and Counseling Department staff person. They will be able to offer you tips and pointers on your résumé and assist you with your job and/or internship search.

* NDSU Agricultural Career Fair is happening Tuesday, October 14, 2008 from 3 to 7 p.m. at the NDSU Memorial Ballroom.

* U of M Government Job and Internship Fair will be held Friday, October 24, 2008 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., at Coffman Memorial Union on the University of Minnesota - Minneapolis Campus.

* UMC Job and Internship Fair is happening Wednesday February 4, 2009 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in Bede Ballroom.

* UMC students looking for help with resumes writing, interviewing techniques and Graduate School plan can find free online tutorials on the Career and Counseling Services web page. http://www.umcrockston.edu/ccs/

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Volunteer Opportunities
Submitted by Lisa Loegering

Be Aware—Walk for Families—Turn Off the Violence—Monday, October 6, 3:30 – 4:30 p.m. Meet in the parking lot of the Presbyterian Church, 510 N. Broadway, to show your support for education and awareness concerning violence in television, video and computer games, and other media that affect children.

CSA Gardens—Assistance is needed to harvest vegetables at CSA garden. Times are flexible. For more information contact Mike Klawitter or Matthew Erickson at 281-3441.

Practice Mass Dispensing Site—Three volunteers are needed Thursday, October 23 to assist with a practice emergency mass dispensing event at Lysaker Gymnasium from 3 – 6 p.m. Two people are needed to assist with parking and one to direct individuals inside. Pizza provided afterwards. To sign up, contact Linda Hanson, Polk County Public Health, 281-3385.

Humane Society—Need some exercise? Share a walk with a very appreciative dog! The Polk County Humane Society, 720 East Robert Street, is in need of dog walkers and other volunteers! Please contact Mary Solberg at 281-7225.

Humane Society Thrift Store—This new thrift store is a fundraiser for the Humane Society. Help is needed to sort items and in sales. Contact Betty Chapman at 281-3781 or 281-7225 for more information.

Habitat Women's Build—Red River Valley Habitat for Humanity is holding a “Women Build” beginning Saturday, October 24 and continuing each Saturday until the house is completed. Lowe’s is sponsoring holding clinics in September for anyone interested in the build. For more information and to sign up, please see Lisa Loegering, 247 Student Center.

College 101
Submitted Article
Avoid Plagiarism and Academic Dishonesty
Want to site a source and aren’t sure how? Plagiarism can happen even when you thought you were being honest. Avoid pitfalls in using sources incorrectly. Learn how to be sure your papers and academic work are honest and meeting university policy on academic dishonesty. Dr. Shou-Ching Chao, Director of the Writing Session, will moderate this very important workshop.

Tuesday, September 30
9:00 a.m.
Bede Ballroom

Tutors available From AAC/SSS 270 Owen Hall
Submitted Article
The Academic Assistance Center / Student Support Services (AAC/SSS) offers a service campus wide to students whether first entering the institution or Juniors and Seniors. We understand that everyone could use a helping hand from time to time with their course work. For those who request it, we offer Academic Tutors, made up of students recommended by your instructors, to help out with your courses. Many of our Academic Tutors have also taken advantage of this service in the past, just like you, so they understand what it is like to need a little “helping hand” in certain classes. Come visit us at 270 Owen (Second floor of the One Stop) to see what we have to offer and/or pick up a request for assistance card at the front desk to get the help you need and make a few new friends along the way.

Publication Information
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Get Your Passport!

Submitted Article

Tuesday, October 7, 10:00 a.m. -2:00 p.m.  Northern Lights Lounge

If you are planning on going to Canada, Mexico, Bermuda, Caribbean by land or sea you will need a passport or a Passport Card by June 2009.

- Renewing passports is available
- Passports will be processed here at UMC; it’s EASY!
- The passport or passport card will last you 10 years
- Pictures will be taken on the spot: Checks payable to UMC.
  - $5.00 for UMC students and kids under 16 who can show ID.
  - $10.00 for everyone faculty, staff, and public

Passport and Passport Card
- Passport: Booklet valid for travel by air, sea or land.
- Passport Card: Not for travel by Air. Valid for land & sea crossing between the U.S. and Canada, Mexico, Bermuda and the Caribbean only.

Requirements
- Certified Copy of Birth Certificate
  - If you were born in Minnesota you can obtain a copy of the certificate from the Crookston Court House. If you have questions feel free to contact them at 218-281-3464
- $25.00 Check made payable to the Polk County Recorder (Cash not accepted)
- $75.00 Check made payable to the US Department of State (Cash not accepted).

Sophomore Emily Callier enjoys the oxygen Bar as part of Home coming Mardi Gras Maddness
One in eight women will be diagnosed with breast cancer...the other seven women will know her.

On October 18th the Golden Eagle Volleyball program will host NSIC opponent MSU-Moorhead at 7:00 pm in Lysaker Gymnasium. October is Breast Cancer Awareness month, and we have selected this match to participate in Dig for the Cure. Dig for the Cure is a breast cancer fundraising and awareness effort that originated with collegiate volleyball in 2003. If you’re curious about Dig for the Cure, you can learn more about the program here: http://web.mac.com/lisamarston/digfortheecure/Home.html.

The volleyball team and staff will be soliciting pledges throughout the rest of September and into October. There are two ways that you can pledge your support:

1. You can pledge a flat rate amount. $25.00 is the recommended pledge, but any dollar amount is welcome!

2. You can pledge per dig that the Golden Eagles tally during our match with MSU-Moorhead. We are currently averaging about 13 digs per game, so if you pledged $1.00 per dig and we were consistent in our defensive performance, a 3-game match would equal $39.00, a 4-game match $52.00, and a 5-game match $65.00.

100% of the proceeds raised by the volleyball team during this community service project will be donated to the Susan G. Komen for the Cure’s Minnesota affiliates. If you would prefer to pledge your support by email, please email me with your pledge amount and I will take care of everything else. We will also accept donations at the gate on the night of the match.

Please support the UMC Volleyball program in this very important community service project! We hope that you will attend the match on October 18th to cheer on the Golden Eagles, and feel free to wear something pink to show your support for breast cancer awareness. We have a lot of great things planned for this match, and we’re working hard to make it a wonderful family event!

Family Planning Services
Submitted Article

Family Planning Services are available through Polk County Public Health at a reduced cost. Services include: birth control pills, Depo shots, pregnancy testing, education and counseling, well-women exams, PAP smears, breast exams and testing for sexually transmitted infections. PCPH is located at 721 S. Minnesota Street, Crookston. Call 281-3385 for an appointment. All services are strictly confidential. Pregnancy testing is also available free of charge at UMC Student Health, 145F, Student Center.

Black Student Association
Submitted Article

Want to get involved with diversity awareness event planning? Want to be a part of campus unifying programs? Want to meet new friends? Then join the Black Student Association!!

Black Student Association would like to invite you to attend the weekly meetings that are held every Sunday at 3:15 p.m., in Centennial Conference room. Everyone of all genders and ethnicity are more than welcome!! Come join us!!

Get “Caught” studying in the Residence Halls from now to October 5th and win big prizes!

Residential Life Staff will be on the lookout to give “Study Bucks” for students studying. Each Study Buck is an entry in a raffle for: $500.00, $400.00, $300.00, $200.00 and $100.00 off your spring semester housing as well as other great UMC gifts. Turn in your tickets to the Centennial Front Desk.
Brain Teasers

Last week’s winner is Austin Czichotzki who knew the puzzle below (left) meant “Try to understand.” Austin can pick up his free movie pass from Meloni in 236 Student Center. 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, October 2, 2008. The winner’s name will appear in the October 6, 2008 Eagle’s Eye.

Classified Ads

Help Wanted – Crookston Public Schools needs After School Care Aide at Washington Elementary School. $11.10 an hr. Send letter of application, application form (www.crookston.k12.mn.us), and resume to: Denice Oliver, Principal, Washington Elementary School, 724 University Ave., Crookston, MN 56716.

UMC MASCOT WANTED - Do you have school spirit? Are you energetic? Need for some extra $$$? UMC is looking for students to be Regal the Eagle, UMC’s Mascot. As UMC’s Mascot you will appear at sporting events, special events and more. Multiple Students are needed. Please contact Peter Phaiah (phaiah@umn.edu) if you are interested. Go Golden Eagles!!!

Help Wanted - Mount St. Benedict. Dietary Preparation for two 8 hour shifts every other weekend. A dishwasher/housekeeper is needed for 15 hrs a week M-F 4-7 p.m. The Positions may be combined into 20 hr/wk position. Contact Sister Leora @ 281-3441 ext 54 or pick up app at reception.

Tutors Needed - The Academic Assistance Center/ Student Support Services (AAC/SSS) is looking for academic tutors in all subjects with high demand for ecology, botany, horticulture, soils, chemistry, microbiology, hospitality, and any Nat R tutors. If you received an A or a B in any course and are interested in tutoring, stop by 270 Owen Hall. $7.00 per hour/ Flexible schedule. Interested parties please stop by AAC/SSS to pick up the appropriate forms.

FOR RENT: A one-bedroom apartment will soon be available at Prairie View Apartments in Fisher, MN. This smoke-free multi-family single-story complex features: security doors, laundry facilities, spacious common area, off-street parking with plug-ins available and all utilities included with affordable rent. Call 218-637-2431 for an application or see our website at www.nwmnhra.org.

Customer Service Rep: part-time position open for the detailed oriented person with great communication, computer and organizational skills. Do you want to take the time to service and market clients with flexible work schedule for a few years? Send resume to P.O. Box 672, Crookston, MN 56716.

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 236 Student Center. Ads will be included in the Eagle’s Eye FREE of charge to students, faculty and staff. Off campus ads will be charged $5 per ad. 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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