Comedy Sportz to Perform
Tuesday, August 24, 2010

ComedySportz is light-hearted insanity that appeals to people from every walk of life. We provide clean, positive entertainment that is guaranteed to please even the toughest crowd. If you have a pulse, it's highly likely that you'll laugh until it hurts. If you don't have a pulse, seek medical attention immediately.

Tuesday, August 24, 2010
8:30 p.m.
Kiehle Auditorium
FREE to UMC Students with U-card

Grand Movie Night - August 25, 2010

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Wednesday, August 25, 2010
Grand Theatre - Downtown Crookston
“Ramona and Beezus”
7 p.m.
“Charlie St. Cloud”
7:15 p.m.

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Sponsored by:
Cooperative Campus Ministry
and
UMC Student Health
Volunteer Opportunities

Home Delivered Meals: Service Organizations in Crookston take turns delivering Home Delivered Meals. UMC is scheduled to deliver meals September 6 – 10. Meals need to be picked up at RiverView Hospital at 11:30 a.m. The deliveries usually take about 30 minutes. You can expect to be back at UMC by 12:15 p.m. If you aren’t all that familiar with Crookston, don’t worry! You are provided with a map and very specific directions. Grab a friend to help navigate! The Home Delivered Meals program allows the elderly more independence by allowing them to stay in their homes longer. This program can’t run without volunteers like you! The recipients are extremely grateful for this service. Currently, we need four drivers each day. If you are able to help out, just let Lisa Loegering, loege005@umn.edu, know what day(s) work best for you!

Face Painting: The Care and Share will be hosting an open house Thursday, August 26. They are looking for a couple of creative people to do some face painting! Please contact Genna Maxwell at the Care and Share at 281-2644 if you are interested.

Habitat for Humanity: Learn some handy household skills while helping out a wonderful family! House #13 is currently under construction. There are opportunities most Saturdays for students to assist with the build from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. I will send out notices for specific dates as we know the schedule, but if you are interested in being on the "Habitat Volunteer List," please let Lisa Loegering know.

UMC’s Women’s Soccer Team Volunteers at Crookston Humane Society

The University of Minnesota, Crookston Women’s Soccer team volunteered at the Crookston Humane Society on the afternoon of Wednesday, August 18.

The Golden Eagle players and coaches helped bathe and walk the dogs as well as clean the cats’ cages. The cats and dogs loved the attention as much as the U of M, Crookston Women’s Soccer program enjoyed giving it.

“This was a great way for us to give back to the community,” says Golden Eagle Head Women’s Soccer Coach Richard Jones. “We look forward to volunteering at the shelter throughout the year.”

Megan Flynn (So, D, Chanhassen, Minn.) poses with a dog she just bathed and walked.
Upcoming Events

- **August 24** - Comedy Sportz, 8:30 p.m., Kiehle Auditorium
- **August 25** - Grand Movie Night, 7 & 7:15 p.m., Sponsored by Campus Ministry and Student Health
- **August 26** - Retail Merchant Association Welcome Back Picnic, 5 - 7 p.m., Brown Dining
- **August 27** - Inflatable Games, 3 - 7 p.m., Campus Mall
- **August 28** - Res Life BBQ, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- **August 29** - Shopping Trip to Grand Forks, 1 p.m.
- **September 1** - Student Health Welcome Back (Free Popcorn), 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Northern Lights Lounge
- **September 1** - What’s on Wednesday (WOW) Campus Energy Challenge, 8 p.m.
- **September 2** - Football vs Mayville State, 6 p.m.
- **September 4** - Grand Movie Night, 9 p.m.
- **September 5** - Open Swim, 4 - 6 p.m., Community Pool
- **September 6** - Labor Day, No Classes, Offices Closed
- **September 7** - Soccer vs Bemidji State, 4 p.m.
- **September 8** - Club Fair, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., Northern Lights Lounge
- **September 8** - WOW Movie Night on the Mall
- **September 9** - CSA Full Board Meeting, Dowell 225, Noon- 2 p.m.
- **September 8** - Club Fair, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., Northern Lights Lounge
- **September 13** - Homecoming Nominations, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., Northern Lights Lounge
- **September 13** - Study Abroad Fair, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., Northern Lights Lounge
- **September 13** - Kick off for “21 Days to Success”

Notes From Student Health

**Welcome New and Returning Students!** Student Health is located at 145F in the Sargeant Student Center in the doorway next to the big screen TV. It is staffed by a Registered Nurse, Stacey Grunewald, who is on campus Monday through Friday, 8:30 am to 4:00 p.m. There is no charge to visit the nurse and there are various over the counter medications available free of charge. You are welcomed to stop by anytime during office hours, however, it is helpful to make an appointment by calling 281-8512 or emailing Stacey at sgrunewa@umn.edu. There is also a family physician, Dr. Kanten, who is on campus most Wednesdays from 3:30 to 4:30 and there is no charge to be seen by him. You must make an appointment to see the doctor by calling Stacey, 281-8512. Again, Welcome and have a Safe and Healthy Semester!!

**Urgent Care in Crookston:** There is an Urgent Care Facility located within RiverView Hospital in Crookston that is open from 7:00 am to 8:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 9:00 am to 1:00 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The cost is similar to a regular office visit and there is no need to make an appointment.

**Local Clinics in Crookston:** There are two local clinics located in Crookston to help you with your health care needs. RiverView Health is located within the RiverView Hospital at 323 S. Minnesota Street. You can call 281-9595 for an appointment. Altru, Crookston is the other local clinic and is located adjacent to RiverView Hospital at 400 S. Minnesota Street and there appointment number is 281-9100.

**Polk County Public Health:** PCPH is located at 721 S. Minnesota Street and is a facility that can assist you with your family planning needs, such as – birth control pills, pregnancy testing, STD screening, pap smears, etc. They charge based on a sliding fee scale which means you pay based on your income. It is a very affordable option. You can make an appointment to see the Family Planning Nurse by calling 281-3385.

Can You Help - Fill the Bus?

The Crookston Rotary Club is hoping to repeat – or even surpass – the success of last year’s inaugural “Fill the Bus” campaign for the upcoming school year.

From now until the first day of school for students, September 9, 2010 new school supplies – anything kids can use in school such as backpacks, pencil cases, notebooks, lunch boxes, writing instruments, folders, calculators, paper and erasers, to name a few – are being accepted to help our children in the elementary schools. Following the collection period, the supplies will be proportionately distributed to all elementary schools, including parochial, in Crookston. They will then be made available for children who, for one reason or another, need them.

There are several drop off locations around town- otherwise please drop them off at Polk County Public Health or email Sarah at sreese@pcphealth.org to have the items picked up. Thanks a million!
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 Melonir prior to noon on Thursday, August 26, 2010. The winner’s name will appear in the August 30, 2010 Eagle’s Eye.

For a thirteenth consecutive year, the University of Minnesota, Crookston has been recognized as one of the top four public regional colleges in the Midwest in its category for the 2011 edition of Best Colleges by U.S. News Media Group. The exclusive rankings, which include rankings of more than 1,400 schools nationwide, are available today at www.usnews.com/colleges, and will also be published in the September issue of U.S. News & World Report, available on Tuesday, August 31.

"It's always gratifying to have our efforts recognized by organizations such as U.S. News & World Report. It affirms a level of quality in what we do as we strive to offer our students an exceptional educational experience," says Dr. Charles H. Casey, chancellor at the U of M, Crookston. "Our strong commitment to students shines through, and I believe there is no question that the greatest contributing factors in the quality of our programs lie in our talented, caring faculty and staff and the distinctive atmosphere focused on experimental learning found on our campus."

"It's also rewarding to start the academic year knowing an eager incoming class of students has selected the University of Minnesota, Crookston as their college of choice," adds Casey. "As we draw more students from across the U.S. as well as from all over the world and bring them together here, we all gain a better understanding of diverse viewpoints and cultures. That certainly adds value to the educational experience."

The University of Minnesota, Crookston's category in the U.S. News rankings, Best Regional Colleges, is comprised of 319 public and private institutions that focus on undergraduate education and offer a range of degree programs but grant fewer than 50 percent of their degrees in the liberal arts.

The Humane Society of Polk County Thrift Store located at 720 East Robert Street, Crookston, MN will be having a Huge Sale with 50% off most items. The sale runs through Friday, August 27. If you need items for your dorm room you will want to check out this sale!

* 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.

The Eagle’s Eye is published by the Student Center weekly September through May. Copy deadline is noon on Thursday of each week. Please send items for the Eagle’s Eye electronically to Meloni Rasmussen, Principal Office & Administrative Specialist, at melonir@umn.edu, or drop the copy off at the Student Center Info Desk. Disability accommodations will be provided upon request for all events. The University of Minnesota is an equal opportunity educator and employer. The University of Minnesota is committed to the policy that all persons shall have equal access to its programs, facilities, and employment without regard to race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, disability, public assistance status, veteran status, or sexual orientation. We reserve the right not to publish any article submitted question that is deemed inappropriate and/or is in violation of University policy, State or Federal law. All content must establish and nurture an environment that actively acknowledges and values diversity and is free from racism, sexism and other forms of prejudice, intolerance or harassment, for men and women, faculty, staff and students from varying racial, religious and ethnic backgrounds and of varying sexual orientations, as well as people with disabilities.