



NEWS RELEASE

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USI Schedule

November 1996

November 3-10 -

National Chemistry Week observance; see separate item

Monday-Friday, November 4-15

Pre-registration for spring semester

Tuesday, November 5

Fall films - *Putney Swope* (1969) Director: Robert Downey; cast: Arnold Johnson, Pepi Hermine, Ruth Hermine, Antonio Fargas, Mel Brooks. A dated, but funny story of blacks taking over an all-white Madison Avenue ad agency and instituting considerable changes.

(The movies are shown at 1:30 and 6 p.m. in Forum I; they are free and open to public. For information, call the School of Liberal Arts, 812/464-1735.)

Dr. Marie Hankins, chair of the USI Chemistry Department, will conduct chemical demonstrations -- exploding balloons, flaming bubbles, elephant toothpaste, the banana hammer, disappearing peanuts, burning water, and more -- at 1:30 p.m. and oversee hands-on activity at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, November 3, at Washington Square Mall, Evansville, launching the local observance of National Chemistry Week, November 3-10.

The Indiana/Kentucky Border Section, American Chemical Society (ACS) is the primary sponsor of the week's activities, aimed at enhancing public awareness of the contributions of chemistry in our everyday lives and in the nation's economy.

The Indiana/Kentucky Border Section will be assisted in the observance by the USI and University of Evansville student

Thursday, November 7

Executive-in-Residence - Peter Dolan, president of Mead Johnson Nutritional Group, will be the fall Executive-in-Residence for the School of Business. In addition to various meetings during the day with students and faculty, Dolan will speak at 9 and 10:30 a.m. in Mitchell Auditorium and 12 noon in UC350 in three programs that are open to the public. Most of the programs will deal with international and global business. There is a \$10 lunch fee. Friday, November 1, is the deadline to make reservations by calling 812/464-1962.

(For information, call Nancy F. Biral, coordinator of external relations, 812/464-1801.)

Thursday, November 7

USI Board of Trustees - The USI Board of Trustees November meeting will include committee meetings at 9 a.m. in the Wright Administration Building (WA100); a hardhat tour of the University Center, 10 a.m.-noon; and the Board meeting at 1:30 p.m. in McDonald Apartments Rec Room.

(For information, call Kathy W. Funke, director of News and Information Services, 812/465-7050.)

Thursday, November 7

Talent Show - The Communications Arts Club will sponsor a talent show from 8 to 11 p.m. in Mitchell Auditorium. The com-

National Chemistry Week

ACS chapters, local high school teachers and science students, Washington Square Mall, and the Evansville Museum of Arts and Science.

Participants will visit more than 50 fourth-grade classes throughout the week, to demonstrate for nearly 1,400 young students the importance of chemistry and chemicals in their lives. Also throughout the week, WSWI, the USI radio station, will air a "Name that Element" contest several times each day; the first caller correctly identifying each element will win a Noble Romans Pan One pizza.

Dr. Hankins will conduct special chemical demonstrations for USI students and

the public from 1 to 2 p.m. Monday, November 4, in Mitchell Auditorium at USI.

The ACS satellite teleconference, "Teaching Chemistry, 1996," will air from 5-7 p.m. Monday, November 4, in Wright Administration Building (FA170). (This is an academic presentation; if interested, contact Dr. Hankins, 812/464-1716, to see if openings are still available.)

Dr. Hankins will conclude the week's activities with a final round of chemical demonstrations at 1:30 p.m. and hands-on activity at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, November 10, at the Evansville Museum of Arts and Science.

A schedule of school visits is available. For information on the week's program, contact Dr. Hankins, 812/464-1716.

petition is open to the entire USI community. Three top prizes will be awarded from the \$2 entry fee requested of the talent Show admission will be a non-perishable food item to be donated to a food bank.

(For information, call Dr. Helen R. Sands, club faculty advisor, 812/464-1741.)

Friday, November 8

School of Science Alumni-in-Residence - Dr. Ellen Funkhouser, 1980 USI mathematics graduate and an assistant professor of epidemiology at the University of Alabama-Birmingham, will be the School of Science and Engineering Technology Alumni-in-Residence, in a program associated with Career Week. She will speak at 2 p.m. in Forum II on "Adventures in Epidemiology."

(For information, call Alumni Affairs, 812/464-1924.)

Saturday, November 9

Southern Hospitality Day - The third of five fall Southern Hospitality Days will begin at 9 a.m. in Mitchell Auditorium, to allow Tri-State high school students and their families and friends to get acquainted with USI. Other fall hospitality days will be held on Saturdays, November 23 and December 7. Students are invited to join the USI Admission staff for information sessions on academic programs, financial assistance, campus activities and tours, free lunch, and more. Reservations are required. Call the Admission Office, 812/464-1765 or 800/467-1965, for reservations or information.

(For information, call the USI Admission Office, 812/464-1765.)

Saturday, November 9

Chili supper - The annual Alumni Affairs chili supper will begin at 6:30 p.m. in PAC200, sandwiched between basketball exhibition games. The women will play Slavyanka of Russia at 5:30 p.m. and the men will play Transblok-Dinamo of Russia at 7:30 p.m.

(For information, call Alumni Affairs, 812/464-1924.)

Monday, November 11

Diversity Connection Forum - The November Diversity Connection Forum will be

USI Theatre
3001 Igleheart Avenue

Charles Dickens' A Christmas Carol

New, exciting adaption by David Feldshuh and David Ball, guaranteed to get the entire family into the Christmas spirit
Directed by Elliot Wasserman

8 p.m. Thursday-Friday-Saturday, November 21-22-23, December 5-6-7
2 p.m. Sundays, November 24, December 8

Call 812/465-1668 for information, tickets

held at 11:45 a.m. in the University Conference Center (UC352) (still waiting for information)

Tuesday, November 12

Student Academic Assessment Day
- no classes

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Eagle Math pep rally - The third and final Eagle Math Mania pep rally will bring more than 1,200 students from Cedar Hall, Cynthia Heights, Daniel Wertz, Highland, Lincoln, Tekoppel, and West Terrace schools to campus. (The first rally October 7 drew more than 900 students from Caze, Dexter, Fairlawn, Hebron, and Stockwell schools, and the second on October 22, over 1,000 students from Culver, Delaware, Howard Roosa, Lodge, Scott, and Vogel schools.) Eagle Math is an incentive program to encourage young students to practice and improve their math skills. USI student athletes and their coaches, led by USI basketball Coaches Bruce Pearl and Chancellor Dugan, will greet the kids at 9 a.m. in USI Physical Activities Center.

(For information, call Kathy W. Funke, News and Information Services director, 812/465-7050.)

Tuesday, November 12

Diversity Training Workshop - Steve Birdine, Indiana University Diversity Program coordinator, will conduct a Diversity

Training Workshop from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Mitchell Auditorium, sponsored by the USI Multicultural Center. Registration is limited to 50, and open primarily to student club and organization membership.

(For information, call Emily Winters-Brown, Student Life program advisor, 812/465-7188.)

Wednesday, November 13

APB programming - Nadine Strossen, national general counsel since 1986 for the American Civil Liberties Union and the first woman to serve as ACLU president, will speak at a special Activities Programming Board event at 7 p.m. in Mitchell Auditorium. Her topic will be "Defending Free Speech and Pornography." Strossen, widely praised for her lucid speaking style, has a passion for the Bill of Rights and a knack for getting that document's finer points across in an easily understandable manner. She is the author of numerous books and articles, including *Defending Pornography: Free Speech, Sex, and the Fight for Women's Rights*, which was named a Notable Book of 1995 by the New York Times Book Review.

(For information, call Debra L. Foster, director of Student Life development programs, 812/465-7066.)

Friday, November 15

APB programming - The Graffiti Tribe a capella musical group will perform at 8 p.m. in Mitchell Auditorium. The program is free and open to the public.

(For information, call Debra L. Foster, director of Student Life development programs, 812/465-7066.)

Friday-Monday, November 15-18

For the third year, the Black Student Union is preparing to deliver Thanksgiving baskets to those in need at the holiday. The baskets will be prepared Friday-Monday, November 15-18, in the University Center (UC113F). Anyone interested in contributing non-perishable items or money, or who knows a family in need of a basket, should call the Multicultural Center, 812/465-7188.)

(For information, call Emily Winters-Brown, Student Life program advisor, 812/465-7188.)

Saturday, November 16

Communal Studies Center lecture - Dr. Robert Clouse of the Indiana State University History Department, will speak on "Millennial Motivations for Communal Groups" at 10 a.m. in Thrall's Opera House, New Harmony, in the continuing lecture series.

(Call Dr. Donald E. Pitzer, center director, 812/474-1727, for information.)

Saturday, November 16

New Harmony Gallery - An opening reception will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Gallery for Hua Lee of New York, who creates paintings using traditional Chinese brush and ink technique, and Eugenia Woolman of Evansville, who creates intricate collages and collagraphs. Their work will be on display through December 21.

(For information, call Scott F. Knauer, Gallery acting director, 812/682-3156.)

Tuesday, November 19

Fall films - *New Jack City* (1991) Director: Mario Van Peebles; cast: Wesley Snipes, Ice T, Van Peebles, Judd Nelson, Vanessa Williams. A gritty thriller about the battle against crack in Harlem where a drug lord (Snipes) is chased by unconventional narcs.

(This film will be shown today at 6 p.m. ONLY in Forum I; the afternoon showing will be at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, November 21. The movies are free, open to the public; call the School of Liberal Arts, 812/464-1765, for information.)

Wednesday, November 20

Prayer tour - Kappa Chi, a coed Christian fraternity affiliated with Evansville Campus Ministries, will sponsor a prayer tour

of Evansville agencies and hospitals. Faculty and students are invited to join them at 7 p.m. at the USI Campus Ministry office, Wright Building in O'Daniel Apartments, to begin the tour.

(For information, call Mary Ann Joyce, 812/867-1655.)

Thursday, November 21

Visiting Writers Series - Poet Stephen Frech, a Ph.D. candidate at the University of Cincinnati, will read from his new book of poetry at 8 p.m. in the UC Dining Room (UC309A) in the new series co-sponsored by the Visiting Writers Series, which has replaced the Liberal Arts Forum, and the new University Student Writers Union. The University community and the public are invited. Frech's work has appeared in the *Georgia Review* and elsewhere.

(For information, call Matthew R. Graham, associate professor of English, 812/464-1953.)

Thursday, November 21

APB movie - *The Nutty Professor* will be shown at 9 p.m. in Forum I. The public is invited; there is a \$1 admission fee.

Friday, November 22

Teacher Education Alumni-in-Residence - Cathlin Gray '85, principal at Cedar Hall Elementary School, will speak at 11 a.m. the Health Professions Center (rm. 1008), in an Alumni-in-Residence program co-sponsored by the School of Education and Human Service and the Office of Alumni and Volunteer Services.

(For information, call Dr. Charles L. Price, chair, Teacher Education Department, 812/464-1939.)

Saturday, November 23

Southern Hospitality Day - The fourth of five fall Southern Hospitality Days will begin at 9 a.m. in Mitchell Auditorium, to allow Tri-State high school students and their families and friends to get acquainted with USI. The final fall hospitality day will be held on Saturday, December 7. Students are invited to join the USI Admission staff for information sessions on academic programs, financial assistance, campus activities and tours, free lunch, and more. Reservations are required. Call the Admission Office, 812/464-1765 or 800/467-1965, for reservations or information.

(For information, call the USI Admission Office, 812/464-1765.)

Tuesday, November 26

Fall films - *The King of Hearts* (1966, French) Director: Philippe de Broca; cast: Alan Bates, Genieve Bujold. During World War I, Scotsman Bates walks into a French town that has been abandoned by everyone but those in an insane asylum.

(This film will be shown at 6 p.m. ONLY in Forum I, with no afternoon showing schedule. The movies are free, open to the public; call the School of Liberal Arts, 812/464-1765, for information.)

**Wednesday-Sunday,
November 27-December 1
Thanksgiving recess - no classes**

**Thursday-Sunday,
November 28-December 1
Thanksgiving holiday -
University closed**