



# NEWS RELEASE

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## **SGA Oksoberfest slated at USI**

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The public is invited to the 1997 Oksoberfest -- "partying without alcohol" -- to be held from noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, October 19, in the McDonald West section of campus housing at the University of Southern Indiana. The program is co-sponsored by USI's Student Government Association and Mulberry Center and will launch SGA's National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness and Red Ribbon observances on campus.

There will be free food in McDonald rec room. Mulberry Center will provided free entertainment -- the Extinguisher cartoon character for children and the Mulberry Players in a skit on drunken driving. Other entertainment will include 103GBF and WSWI radio personalities and the annual dunking booth.

There also will be 3-on-3 volleyball, 3-on-3 basketball, and euchre tournaments, starting at 1:15 p.m. Tournament registration will begin at 11 a.m.; entry fees are \$3 per person, \$6 per team. There will be tournament prizes and door prizes. All proceeds will go to Safe Ride, a program to encourage students to avoid drinking and driving at USI, and Mulberry Center alcohol awareness and treatment programs.

For information, contact Nancy Dauby, SGA Oksoberfest chair, 812/468-2190.

The SGA National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week (October 20-24) events will include:

**Monday, 11 a.m.-1 p.m.:** red ribbons and mocktails (non-alcoholic drinks) available at the University Center

**Tuesday, 7 p.m.:** Mulberry Players present drunken driving skit in Carter Hall (D)

**Wednesday, 11 a.m.:** police presentation on library lawn; **2 p.m.:** slide show in the Health Professions Center (HP1008)

**Thursday, 3 p.m.:** housing banners judged; **9 p.m.:** pizza party for winning building

For information, contact Brandi Schwartz, SGA Alcohol Awareness chair, 812/464-1873.