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**PARKING PROBLEMS.** The campus typically is "overparked" during the first two weeks of the fall semester. Faculty, staff, and students are encouraged to carpool or to ride the METS bus. Students in student housing are encouraged to walk or to ride the "campus shuttle vans," which will make continuous 15-minute round trips through the campus and student housing between 7:45 a.m. and 1:45 p.m. Monday through Friday, August 29-September 9.

The first METS "Eagle Express" leaves the downtown Sixth-and-Sycamore transfer site at 7:15 a.m. and arrives at USI at 7:55. The Eagle Express runs hourly through the last run at 4:15 p.m. The regular METS fare of 50 cents, plus 10 cents per transfer, is charged. Pickups are made along the Expressway/Indiana 62; suggested locations are Fulton and St. Joseph avenues and Red Bank and Boehne Camp roads.

**NAMES IN THE NEWS.** Dr. Robert E. Gehring, associate professor of psychology, presented a paper for the August 14 "Science Weekend" program of the American Psychological Association in Atlanta. "Recall With Pictorial Versus Verbal Time Compression" involved a comparison of accelerated simple lecturelike narration at 430 words per minute, in contrast to an equivalent series of enactments with an information content equivalent to 430 w.p.m. Rapid presentation theoretically minimized mental imagery and verbalization during study. Delayed pictorial recall after distraction was more than twice that of verbal recall and at a retention level of more than 30 sentences of information per study minute.

Dr. Charles F. Petranek, chairman of the Department of Sociology, spoke Tuesday, August 23, at a seminar at Medco Center, Mount Vernon, on "Understanding Grieving."

Dr. Munir Quddus, assistant professor of economics, is the senior author of a paper recently accepted for publication by the Journal of Macroeconomics. Co-authors of the paper, entitled "Money, Prices, and Causality: The Chinese Hyperinflation, 1945-49, Re-examined," are Dr. J. S. Butler of Vanderbilt University and Dr. Jin Tan Liu of National Cheng Chi University.

**NEW FACES.** Two new employees have joined the University staff -- Mrs. Rebecca L. Biever, senior secretary for the Personnel Office and Social Work Department, and Ms. Deborah K. Watson, graphic artist for Printing Services.

Mrs. Biever is a 1974 graduate of Cannelton High School who received an associate degree from USI in 1976. She previously was a secretary with Decora in Jasper. She and her husband, Steve, a florist at Ziedler's, live at 1912 W. Michigan Street; they have two children, Nicholas, 9, and Dustin, 7. She enjoys camping, reading, and visiting with friends.

Ms. Watson is a 1985 graduate of Harrison High School, Evansville, and received an associate degree from Colorado Institute of Art, Denver, in 1987. She previously was a composing associate with the Evansville Courier Company. She lives at 1759 Briarwood Court.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to **Mr. Ernest E. Nolan**, assistant professor of business, and his wife, **Nancy**, on the birth August 7 of a son, **Zachary Thomas**.

**CONFUSED?** Have you been dialing old numbers and getting new departments? We all have to begin thinking of our Schools, Departments, and other new units created by reorganization. A partial guide is attached to this issue of University Notes. More information will come in the form of the temporary telephone directory.

**USI LIBRARY SCHEDULE.** The USI Library will return to its regular academic year schedule on Monday, August 29. The full schedule can be found at the back of University Notes.

**HOUSEKEEPING AID SOUGHT.** **Dr. Donald S. Wolfe**, assistant professor of German, is seeking assistance from members of the University community for **Dr. Bodo Plachta**, an exchange teacher from the University of Osnabruck who will teach German at USI during the Fall Semester. A bachelor, Dr. Plachta will live at MASH and is not expected to arrive until late Sunday, August 28, leaving him no time to collect housekeeping items he will need in his apartment. Anyone who can loan bed linens, blankets, pots and pans, silverware, etc., for the duration of the semester is asked to contact Dr. Wolfe at extension 1738 or 473-9018.

**SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE.** Four scholarships still are available from the USI Secretaries and Associates Club for the 1988-89 academic year. Qualifying club members may get application forms from **Mrs. Joan Jost**, administrative assistant in Student Affairs.

**RECORDS SOUGHT.** Members of the Secretaries and Associates Club who have past club records are asked to send them to **Mrs. Gina R. Walker**, library assistant in Archives and Special Collections. She has agreed to be club archivist and will catalog the material received for easy retrieval. Questions may be directed to Mrs. Walker, extension 1986.

**NEW HARMONY THEATRE.** "The Wake of Jamey Foster," continues through August, presented at 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays and 2 p.m. Sundays in Murphy Auditorium. Tickets are available from the New Harmony Theatre ticket office, (812) 682-3115, or the USI School of Liberal Arts office, SC 255, extension 1735. General admission is \$8, students and senior citizens, \$7; there is a special rate of \$6 per person for groups of 20 or more. A special offer also is available to USI faculty and staff members, who can receive two free tickets with the purchase of two \$8 tickets.

**ICLU ANNUAL MEETING.** Indiana Supreme Court **Chief Justice Randall T. Shepard**, formerly of Evansville, will be the keynote speaker at the Indiana Civil Liberties Union annual meeting to be held Saturday, September 17, at the Indiana University School of Law, Indianapolis. Justice Shepard will speak at a 7 p.m. dinner meeting in the Indiana Sports Center, with a reception to follow in Canterbury Hotel. His address, "Civil Liberties Protections in the Indiana Constitution," will be the culmination of

a series of seminars during the day dealing with civil liberties issues in the work place -- sexual discrimination, the "hire and fire at will" doctrine, privacy, and drug testing. For information and tickets, contact **Dr. Walter Hopkins**, USI professor of sociology, extension 1723 or 479-5107.

**EVENTS.** A centerpiece attraction for Hoosier Celebration '88 will be the Indiana Statehouse Centennial Celebration on Saturday, September 3, in Indianapolis. There will be public tours of the restored Statehouse and a major festival on the surrounding grounds. The original decor was refurbished during the Goodrich Administration, 1917-21, with Victorian wall designs painted over in favor of a Neoclassical scheme. In the current restoration, some four acres of plaster walls and ceilings were stripped and repainted with original designs. Among other work, the stained glass dome in the rotunda has been cleaned and restored and will be illuminated by high-intensity lights and a reflective fabric structure; 40 original brass chandeliers were restored, 67 have been replicated; and four sets of monumental oak entrance doors -- each 4' by 13' and weighing 600 pounds -- were restored, four sets replicated.

"National Parks Day" will be observed Thursday, August 25, when visitors will have free admission to all fee-charging parks in the National Park System. The National Park Service is authorized to provide one free day annually and has selected the anniversary date of the service. Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial will mark the observance with the film, "Challenge of Yellowstone," designed to foster better understanding of national parks; it will be shown at 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

Other events of interest the next two weeks include:

**Angel Mounds State Historic Site** -- Ultra Light Aircraft Day, Saturday, August 27.

**Clifty Falls State Park** -- Cathy and Cathi, vocals in the folk idiom, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, August 27; admission.

**Corydon Capitol State Historic Site** -- band concerts on the Town Square, 7:30 p.m. each Friday. Vintage Building Replicas exhibit, August 13-26; miniature duplicates of southern Indiana buildings.

**Indiana State Fair** -- August 17-28. Saturday, August 27, will be USI Day and the Mid-America Singers will perform.

**Kentucky State Fair** -- August 18-26.

**Lincoln Boyhood National Memorial** -- Living Historic Farm depicting life on 1820s pioneer farm, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. daily; Pioneer Skills Weekend: "Learn to Card and Spin," 1:30-3:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, August 27-28. Visitor Center films: "Here I Grew Up," narrated by Everett Dirksen, on the hour daily. "Young Abe Lincoln," Indiana's historical outdoor drama, 8:15 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, Lincoln State Park.

**SPORTS.** The USI soccer team will play an exhibition game at 6 p.m. Friday, September 2, against USI soccer alumni. It will be the first opportunity for the public to see their new English-style uniforms. The team opens regular play at 2 p.m. Sunday, September 4, against Brescia College.

**WSWI PROGRAM SCHEDULE.** WSWI (AM 820) weekly features are "Newsweek on the Air," a Monday program of news analyses and interviews from the current magazine; "Special Assignment," in-depth look at the week's top stories by AP news, and "Head to Head," national issues program from Rutgers University, both aired on Fridays; Symphony Hall, 8-11 a.m.; Midday Report, 12-12:30 p.m.; and Afternoon Program of Rock (with hourly AP news updates), 12:30 p.m. to sign off. Saturday features are Symphony Hall, 9:30-10:30 a.m., Music from Oberlin, 10:30-11:30 a.m.; and Big Band Review with Joe Hulgus, 1-4 p.m. This week's programs include:

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25	MONDAY, AUGUST 29
*11:00 a.m. -- Common Ground: Dateline: United Nations	7:00 a.m. -- Next 200 Years: Continuation of U.S. Space Program
11:30 a.m. -- Science Journal: Rheumatic Diseases	11:00 a.m. -- Newsweek on the Air
FRIDAY, AUGUST 26	TUESDAY, AUGUST 30
*11:00 a.m. -- Special Assignment	*11:00 a.m. -- Asian Communique: Chinese Agri- culture Reform and Re-Reform
11:30 a.m. -- Head to Head: Why Presidents Succeed/Fail	11:30 a.m. -- Soundings: Nature and the Self
SATURDAY, AUGUST 27	WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31
11:00 a.m. -- Radio Theatre: Dr. Kildare, "Mix Up of People;" Challenge of Yukon, "Diamond Pin Grubstake;" Murder at Midnight, "The Dead Come Back"	11:00 a.m. -- 19th State: Benjamin Harrison News Conference, Part 2
	11:15 a.m. -- Cornell Forum: Africa Replacing Athens as European Cultural Fountainhead
	*11:30 a.m. -- Conversations from Wingspread: School and the Adolescent
SUNDAY, AUGUST 28	* Also aired at 7 a.m. and on Sunday
12:00 noon -- Broadway Bandwagon: Rodgers' & Hammerstein's "Carousel," Barbara Cook, 1988 studio production	

#### MARKETPLACE

##### For Sale

Contemporary, custom 3-4 bedroom -- 7166 Locust Tree Lane; .8 acre on quiet cul-de-sac just east of campus; 2 1/2 baths, master suite, great room w/cathedral ceiling, new neutral carpeting; 2 woodburning stoves, Anderson windows, zoned heating, A/C; 2 1/2-car garage; beautiful view off rear deck. \$115,000. Call Lew Otterson, Tucker/Huber Realtors, 473-0123 or 853-0199. Must tour to appreciate.

1977 Schulz mobile home -- 14' by 70'; 2-bedroom, CA, deck, all kitchen appliances included. Must be moved from present lot. Call extension 1702 or 464-8026 after 5 p.m.

1984 Oldsmobile -- white 88 brougham; 4-door; loaded; around 62,000 miles. \$6,900. Call 985-5178 after 5 p.m.

##### Free

To good home -- 6-month-old Shepherd/Beagle-mix puppy; found on North Side. Has great disposition, is good with children, and has had all its shots. Call extension 1902.

##### Wanted to Rent

Secure, enclosed storage space for boat, October through April. Need 12' by 24' area. Call extension 1829 or 479-9392 after 7 p.m.

**POSITIONS AVAILABLE.** The following positions are available as of August 23, 1988. The University of Southern Indiana is subject to the requirements of Executive Order 11246 and is an Affirmative Action Employer. Interested individuals should contact the Personnel Office, Administration Building, Room FWA 29, extension 1770.



**Intermediate Secretary****University Division and Academic Skills  
Development**

Position description: Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. Individual will be responsible for performing general secretarial duties, developing and maintaining student files, and answering inquiries on all aspects of University Division and Academic Skills Development. Position requires a high school diploma and two years of secretarial experience or a combination of education and experience, typing skills of 50-55 w.p.m., and knowledge of word-processing equipment; college background desired. Application deadline: August 24.

**Account Clerk II****Office of Business Affairs**

Position description: Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Responsibilities include working with National Direct Student Loans and University Student Loans; will prepare billing information and correspondence, compile borrower information, and perform various clerical functions. Minimum qualifications include a high school diploma and two to three years of office experience, preferably in accounting. Typing skills of 35-40 w.p.m. required. Business office machines and computer systems knowledge and experience desired. Application deadline: August 24.

**Intermediate Secretary****Alumni Affairs**

Position description: Full-time position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Responsibilities include data entry of information for Development and Alumni Affairs and file maintenance; will perform general secretarial and other clerical duties and assist with special events. Position requires a high school diploma, two to three years of office experience, typing of 55-60 w.p.m., and knowledge of word processing equipment; experience in data entry desired. Application Deadline: August 24.

**Secretary****Office of Admissions**

Position description: Full-time, nine-month position, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, early August through mid-May. Individual will perform general secretarial, clerical, and receptionist duties and will assist in preparing for special activities and events. Position requires a high school diploma, one to two years of general office experience, typing skills of 50-55 w.p.m., and excellent organizational and communications skills. Application deadline: August 24.

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**LIBRARY SERVICES****UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA**

August 29, 1988 - January 16, 1989

**REGULAR HOURS:**

MONDAY-THURSDAY	7:45 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.	<u>LEARNING RESOURCES CENTER</u> and
FRIDAY	7:45 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.	<u>SPECIAL COLLECTIONS/UNIVERSITY</u>
SATURDAY	11:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.	<u>ARCHIVES</u> observe shorter hours.
SUNDAY	2:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Specific hours are posted in each area.

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**EXCEPTIONS:**

September 4 .....	Sunday .....	CLOSED
September 5 .....	Monday (Labor Day) .....	CLOSED
November 23 .....	Wednesday (No Classes) .....	Close at 4:30 p.m.
November 24-27 .....	Thursday-Sunday (Thanksgiving) .....	CLOSED*
December 10 .....	Saturday (Finals Week) .....	9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
December 11-15 .....	Sunday-Thursday (Finals Week) .....	Close at MIDNIGHT
December 16 .....	Friday .....	Close at 4:30 p.m.
December 17, 18 .....	Saturday & Sunday .....	CLOSED
December 19-22 .....	Monday-Thursday .....	Close at 4:30 p.m.
December 24-31 .....	Christmas Holiday .....	CLOSED
January 1 .....	Sunday .....	CLOSED
January 2-5 .....	Monday-Thursday .....	Close at 4:30 p.m.
January 7, 8 .....	Saturday & Sunday .....	CLOSED
January 9-12 .....	Monday-Thursday .....	Close at 4:30 p.m.
January 14, 15 .....	Saturday & Sunday .....	CLOSED
January 16 .....	Begin Spring Semester Hours	

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\* If possible to have a SPECIAL OPENING, hours will be posted.