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HEALTH INSURANCE INFORMATION. September is open enrollment month for obtaining group health insurance through either Blue Cross/Blue Shield or Maxicare Health Maintenance Organization. If you are not participating in either plan, if you need to add eligible dependents, or if you are interested in changing your type of coverage, stop by the Personnel Office, FWA 29, for enrollment and rate information.

Representatives from Maxicare and Blue Cross/Blue Shield will be on campus September 8 and 9. Staff meetings have been scheduled for:

Monday, September 8 -- Maxicare

11 a.m. -- UC 353
1 p.m. -- UC 353

Tuesday, September 9 -- Blue Cross/Blue Shield

10 a.m. -- UC 353
11 a.m. -- UC 353
1 p.m. -- UC 353
2 p.m. -- UC 353

Current members and prospective members are encouraged to attend one of the group health insurance presentations.

Open enrollment will be the only opportunity during the 1986-87 contract year to enroll in one of the University-sponsored plans or to transfer your membership to a different plan. Staff members who wish to take advantage of the open enrollment period should contact the Personnel Office, extension 1770. Completion of enrollment papers and arrangements for payroll deduction for October 1, 1986 coverage should be made by September 16. After that date, cash payments will be accepted until the end of September for October 1, 1986 coverage.

COMPUTER TRAINING GRANT APPROVED. The Indiana Consortium for Computer and High Technology Education has approved a \$44,500 grant for the USI Computer Literacy Center which will allow the center to continue making its training services available to teachers in the 11-county Region VIII in southwest Indiana. **Dr. Charles L. Price**, director of the center and USI associate

professor of science education, said funds no longer are available for training stipends for the teachers so the USI program was altered to take sessions to the teachers. The grant will allow: 1) continuation of monthly computer coordinator meetings, each month held at a different school in the region; 2) training sessions at the University; and 3) on-site training at various schools in the region. The grant includes \$5,000 for materials and software and the 1,000 programs the center now has will be expanded. Dr. Price said the programs will be available for public use at the USI Computer Literacy Center, which is open weekdays from 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 4:30 p.m. Interested persons may call (812) 464-1954 for details; a list of programs will be made available.

NAMES IN THE NEWS. Dr. Sandra Singer, former USI associate professor of psychology who now is director of the Evansville Graduate Studies Center, is co-author of the book, The Heredity of Behavior Disorders in Adults and Children, which was published in August by Plenum Press of New York City. Dr. Singer said the book is expected to be used as a text for graduate courses in human genetics and psychology in medical schools, and she will provide a copy for the USI Library. Other co-authors are Dr. Steven Vandenberg, professor emeritus at the University of Colorado, Boulder, and Dr. David Pauls, assistant professor in the Department of Human Genetics at Yale University Medical School.

VARSITY CLUB OUTING SLATED. The USI Varsity Club is holding its annual Fall Outing on Thursday, September 18, for members and their guests. There will be a raffle for a surprise grand prize, plus other door prizes. The membership committee will be available to answer questions and provide applications for prospective members. Persons interested in joining the Varsity Club and who wish to attend the outing should contact the Athletic Department, extension 1846. Reservations at \$12.50 per person must be made in advance; no tickets will be sold at the door. The reservation deadline is Friday, September 12.

SILHOUTTE CUTTING. Mrs. Helen Laughon and her daughter, Ms. Nel Laughon, of Silhouettes by Cheswick at Richmond, Virginia, will do silhouette cuttings from 3 to 7 p.m. Monday, September 8, at the New Harmony Gallery of Contemporary Art, and 12 noon to 5 p.m. Tuesday, September 9 and 12 noon to 7 p.m. Wednesday, September 10 at the Evansville Museum of Arts and Science. The program is co-sponsored by Historic New Harmony, Inc. and the Workingman's Institute at New Harmony and the Museum, where the Laughons also will present a slide lecture at 7 p.m. Tuesday. Admission to the lecture is \$4 for Museum members, \$5 for non-members. The silhouette cuttings are \$15 for two head cuts, \$20 for full figures; special cuttings can be arranged from old silhouettes and pictures and framing can be arranged at the New Harmony Gallery.

NEWMAN GROUP PLANS SUNDAE FEST. The Catholic Newman Group, a student support organization, will sponsor a free "make your own Sundae" ice cream fest, starting at 4 p.m. today (September 3) in MASH unit 8080-A. All persons interested in helping to build the Newman Group at USI are invited.

SPANISH CLUB PLANS SOCIAL HOUR. The USI Spanish Club will present Cafe Espanol from 2 to 3 p.m. Tuesdays, beginning September 9, at the University Center. Special speakers, topics, and volunteers are sought to share experiences abroad and professional knowledge with Spanish students. The speaker for the first program will be **Sr. Mary Victor** of St. Agnes, who will discuss her work in Guatemala. If you have suggestions or want to volunteer, contact **Dr. Pamela Finnegan-Smith**, assistant professor of Spanish, extension 1742.

HUMANITIES FORUM. The first Humanities Forum program of the 1986-87 academic year will feature poetry and fiction readings by **Ms. Angela Jackson** of Chicago, a free-lance poetess and author. The program will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, September 16, in UC 352-353.

NONCREDIT FEE WAIVER EXTENDED TO FITNESS/WEELLNESS COURSES. The full waiver of fees for employees enrolled in job-related noncredit courses has been extended to include fitness/wellness programs. Fall activities for which the waiver applies are:

USI aerobics -- morning and evening sections scheduled on campus; evening sections at Newburgh, Mt. Vernon, and Evansville's East Side.

Aquanastics, adult swimming, synchronized swimming.

Body shaping for women.

Wells Fargo fitness trail.

A broad range of supervisory/management development, computer usage, professional skills development, and other courses are available for the waiver. For a full listing of sections and times, consult the Fall Noncredit Series Schedule. Waiver forms are available in Continuing Education, Personnel, and division offices. For additional information, call the Office of Continuing Education, extension 1863.

MESSAGE FROM THE AFFIRMATIVE ACTION OFFICE. The Affirmative Action Plan for the University of Southern Indiana outlines the University's commitment to the principles of nondiscrimination and its assurance of compliance with national, state, and local civil rights legislation and enactment.

The University of Southern Indiana reaffirms its present policy of nondiscrimination and equal employment opportunity with respect to recruitment, hiring, training, promotion, and treatment of persons in all organizations, services, and programs under the legal control of the Trustees of the University of Southern Indiana which shall be maintained on a nondiscriminatory basis in regard to race, sex, religion, handicap, age, or national origin at all times.

Included in the plan are guidelines for disabled veterans, veterans of the Vietnam era, and handicapped persons. Also outlined are the guidelines on sexual harassment, acting appointments, and the procedures to follow in filling open positions.

The University of Southern Indiana will continue to take positive actions to ensure against discrimination directed to all persons. All members of the faculty and staff are expected to give full support to the University's commitment to equal opportunity and affirmative action.

Copies of the plan are available in the Personnel Office.

FACULTY/STAFF CHRISTIAN DISCUSSION GROUP. The Faculty/Staff Christian Discussion Group will hold its first meeting at 12 noon Monday, September 8 in UC 308. **Father Anthony Kissel**, director of Campus Ministry, will discuss a recent Gallup Poll on the direction of religion in the last 50 years and in the foreseeable future. All interested persons are invited to join the discussion group.

PHOTOGRAPH APPOINTMENTS. Faculty and staff members who did not get their photographs taken last week for the needs of the USI yearbook, Transitions, and the Office of University Relations may call McDonald Photography, (812) 424-9958, for an appointment. The firm is located at 5303 Mesker Park Drive, eight miles north of Diamond Avenue. There is no fee unless you want to buy your own photographs. Annual photographs are not necessary although there is a periodic need for updated publicity photographs by University Relations.

HUMANITIES FILM SERIES. "Stagecoach" (1939, 97 minutes) Director: John Ford; cast: John Wayne, Claire Trevor, Thomas Mitchell, John Carradine, Andy Devine, Donald Meek, Louise Platt, George Bancroft, and Churchill. Passengers in the stagecoach represent a cross section of western types. The film will be shown at 2 and 6 p.m. Tuesday, September 9 in Forum I; it is free and open to the public.

SPORTS THIS WEEK. **Cross Country** -- USI Classic, Saturday, September 6 on the USI campus.

Golf -- USI in Butler Invitational, 10 a.m. Thursday, September 4 at Coffin Golf Course, Indianapolis; USI at the University of Indianapolis, 9 a.m. Monday, September 8 at Club of Prestwick, Indianapolis.

Soccer -- USI at University of Missouri-Rolla, 7 p.m. Friday, September 5; USI at Lindenwood College, 2 p.m. Sunday, September 7; Kentucky Wesleyan at USI, 3 p.m. Wednesday, September 10.

Volleyball -- USI at Murray State, 7 p.m. Thursday, September 4; USI at Oakland City, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 10.

Women's Tennis -- Bellarmine at USI, 3 p.m. Friday, September 5; USI at Northern Kentucky, 12 noon Saturday, September 6; University of Evansville at USI, 3 p.m. Tuesday, September 9.

UNIVERSITY CENTER DINING. American Food Management provides hot lunches daily in the UC Dining Room, where hours of 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. are being maintained this year. The daily menus (WW is waistwatcher) include:

<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>
Enchilada w/Re- fried Beans, Spanish Rice Baked Chicken Beef Stew W/Biscuit	Ham & Beans Roast Beef Clam Chowder	Beef Stroganoff Turkey & Dressing Lasagna W/Garlic Bread	Stuffed Green Pepper Chicken & Dumplings Mushroom Steak	Chicken Chop Suey w/Rice Swiss Steak Steamed Ribs & Sauerkraut

WSWI PROGRAM SCHEDULE. The daily schedule for WSWI at 820 on the AM dial includes: the Mid-Day Report, 12-12:30 p.m.; Afternoon Program of Rock (with hourly news updates from AP), 12:30-8 p.m.; Afternoon Report, 4-4:15 p.m. The weekend schedule includes: Saturday -- Music from Oberlin, 9-10 a.m.; Morning Classics, 10-11:30 a.m. Daily programs this week will be:

<p>THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4</p> <p>11 a.m. -- <u>Common Ground</u>: Star Wars Debate 11:30 a.m. -- <u>Dialogue</u> on Norwegian Politics: Peace, Gender, and Changing Alignments</p> <p>FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5</p> <p>11 a.m. -- <u>Asian Communique</u>: American in China -- One Woman's Adventure 11:30 a.m. -- <u>Cornell Forum</u>: Advances in Organ Transplants</p> <p>SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6</p> <p>11:30 a.m. -- <u>Radio Theatre</u>: A Date with Judy; Mr. President; Mysterious Tra- veler, "Behind the Locked Door"</p> <p>SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7</p> <p>12 noon -- <u>Broadway Bandwagon</u>: "Brigadoon," with original Broadway cast</p>	<p>MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8</p> <p>11 a.m. -- <u>Focus</u> on the Amazon 11:30 a.m. -- <u>Science Journal</u>: Human Education</p> <p>TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9</p> <p>11 a.m. -- <u>Prime Time</u>: Doctor Who Makes House Calls; Making a Marriage Last; Advice on Preventing Strokes 11:30 a.m. -- <u>Soundings</u>: Historic Origin of the Trouble in Northern Ireland</p> <p>WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10</p> <p>11 a.m. -- <u>The 19th State</u>: The Circle, Part I 11:15 a.m. -- <u>Dimensions in Science</u>: The Unretired Chemist 11:30 a.m. -- <u>Conversations from Wingspread</u>: Testing in Today's Schools</p>
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MARKETPLACE

For Sale

Open House -- 2-4 p.m. Sunday, September 7 at 709 E. Lincoln, Mt. Vernon; 3-bedroom brick, large living/dining room combination, eat-in kitchen, full basement with large family room, fourth bedroom or office, bath/shower, laundry, workshop area; 1-car carport w/storage; deep lot; reasonable taxes. \$53,000. Call extension 1776 or 838-3000 for information.

12 x 60 mobile home -- West Side park location; 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, C/A, stove, refrigerator, hookups for washer, dryer. \$7,000. Call 424-1424.

Two-story traditional French Normandy -- 1509 Southeast Boulevard; built in 1937, recently modernized, excellent condition; three large bedrooms, fourth room can be nursery or sewing room, 2 1/2 baths, living room, dining room, custom kitchen w/breakfast nook, family room in basement, wrap-around L-shaped screened porch. \$109,000. By owner through December; call Dennis and Margaret Haire, 428-2200 or 476-0707.

Sears X-cargo (car top carrier) -- Large size; used once. \$60. Call 423-7101.

"Inventory Clearance" sale -- rebuilt gasoline engines; various makes, sizes, and styles. \$10 per horsepower. Call for details, extension 1892 or 985-5201.

10-speed bike -- needs brakes. \$50. Call 476-8201 or 476-7749.

1968 Cadillac Seville -- good running condition; best offer accepted. Call 985-3624 after 6 p.m.

Love seat and chair -- brown tones; excellent condition. \$120 for both. Call 985-3624 after 6 p.m.

Miscellaneous -- "Tall Fashions," ladies sizes 12-18; Sunbeam hand mixer; Double-Mac electric cooker/griddle; 19-inch B/W TV and TV cart; racquetball and tennis rackets; motorcycle helmet; fluorescent desk lamp; 8-track tape deck. All reasonable. Call 985-3127.

Yard Sale

Come one! Come all! Four-family yard sale, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, September 13 (if rain, postponed to September 20). Little bit of this, little bit of that -- clothes (all sizes), household, and miscellaneous. Come to 112 Herndon Drive, across the street from Garvin Park -- Bargain Backyard of the North Side!!

POSITIONS AVAILABLE. The following positions are available as of September 2, 1986. 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.

FACULTY/ADMINISTRATIVE

DEPARTMENT

Assistant Professor of Social WorkSocial Science

Job description: Tenure-track position available beginning in January, 1987. Individual with Ph.D. and M.S.W. or M.S.W. with two years' post-master practice experience preferred; should have an orientation towards teaching in an undergraduate generalist program. B.S.W. degree program recently was approved and CSWE accreditation currently being sought; experience related to the accreditation process desired. Submit letter of application, vita, and the names of three professional references by October 31, 1986 to: Dr. Daniel A. Miller, Chairman of the Division of Social Science, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

Assistant Professor of EconomicsSocial Science

Job description: Tenure-track position available beginning August 17, 1987. Individual will teach undergraduate courses in principles, statistics, and labor economics. Completed Ph.D. and teaching experience in economics required. Submit letter of application, vita, and the names of three professional references by January 15, 1987 to: Dr. Daniel A. Miller, Chairman of the Division of Social Science, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

Assistant Professor/Instructor of PsychologySocial Science

Job description: Temporary, non-tenure track position available from January 1987 through May 1988 for a developmental psychologist. Individual with Ph.D. preferred; ABD will be considered. Will teach developmental courses and should be able to teach at least three of the following courses: clinical psychology, learning, general psychology, health psychology, history, and systems. Candidates should submit letter of application, vita, and the names of three professional references by October 31, 1986 to: Dr. Daniel A. Miller, Chairman of the Division of Social Science, University of Southern Indiana, 8600 University Boulevard, Evansville, IN 47712.

CLERICAL/SUPPORT

DEPARTMENT

Administrative SecretaryUniversity Relations

Job description: Full-time position, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday as administrative secretary to the vice president for University Relations. Will perform secretarial duties for University Relations and the USI Board of Trustees; primary duties include assisting in the preparation of materials for the Board; will maintain information on the microcomputer, assist with the organization of special events, and perform receptionist duties. Individual must have three- to five-years' secretarial experience or an equivalent combination of education and experience, with typing skills of 60-65 w.p.m. The ability to take and transcribe shorthand and experience in working with word-processing equipment preferred; must have proven organizational skills.

Educational Tour Guide AssistantHistoric New Harmony

Job description: Full-time, temporary position available, Monday through Friday with some weekend assignments through October. Individual will provide assistance to the interpreters/tour guides, prepare information to be presented at the historical sites, conduct training sessions for interpreters, and assist in coordinating special programs; some clerical work required. Individual should have a high school diploma and excellent communication skills.