

## MSPR will air Veteran's Day program

In 1917-1918, 4.5 million Americans served in World War I; of that number, only 14 remain. Morehead State Public Radio (MSPR) will offer a special program for Veteran's Day on Friday, Nov. 10, from 1-3 p.m.

The "WWI Living History Project" honors the sacrifices and contributions of America's last surviving WWI veterans. The producers have traveled the country in search of the men and women who made the world (in President Wilson's words) "safe for democracy." Twelve of these veterans, aged 105 to 115, share their reminiscences, humor and wit on a two-hour radio special, hosted by award-winning CBS anchor Walter Cronkite.

The program begins with an introduction to the events of 1914-1917. It explores the political circumstances that precipitated the outbreak of the war and the advances in communication, armaments and transportation which led to an acceleration of hostilities far beyond the known bounds of continental warfare in Europe. The war went quickly from the drawing-rooms of the European aristocracy to the trenches, where the armies of Europe became enmeshed in a conflict in which the prevailing military strategy was to relentlessly deplete the manpower of the opposing army.

The second hour of the program offers a more intimate portrait of the veterans themselves, their experiences and their attitudes toward the war some 90 years after the fact. The program concludes with an essay by Will Everett on insights gained from meeting America's oldest veterans. He shares their lessons for the contemporary age on longevity, history and the future, as well as his feelings on the death of interview subjects during the period of program production.

Morehead State Public Radio broadcasts 24 hours a day from the campus of Morehead State University. WMKY (90.3 FM) is the flagship station for the MSPR network, which includes WOCS in Booneville and a translator in Inez. MSPR serves more than 40 counties in Kentucky, Ohio and West Virginia. Additional information is available by calling MSPR at (606) 783-2001 or (800) 286-9659.

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## Conti named assistant news director at MSPR

Dan Conti, a broadcast journalist with more than 25 years experience, has been named assistant news director at Morehead State Public Radio.

A graduate of Miami (Ohio) University with a bachelor's degree in mass communications, he has worked in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky. Conti was an instructor of broadcast journalism at his alma mater for 12 years and also worked in public relations for the American Cancer Society.

Earlier this year, Conti released his first book, titled "POWs: Stories from America's Wars," which is a collection of remembrances from veterans of World War II, Korea and Vietnam.

As assistant news director, he serves as the daily host and producer of Mountain Edition, MSPR's daily half-hour regional news program which airs at 4:30 p.m. In addition, Conti assists in ascertaining community needs and develops public affairs programming that addresses those needs in the MSPR service region and supervises MSU students in the news department.

"We're very pleased to have Dan as an experienced journalist in our newsroom. He compliments MSPR's strong news presence in the region and is committed to serving the listeners by involving the students in our daily operation," said Paul Hitchcock, MSPR general manager.

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## STLP Regional Showcase to be held Nov. 8

Morehead State University will host the Student Technology Leadership Program's Regional Showcase on Wednesday, Nov. 8.

The showcase, sponsored by MSU's [College of Education](#) and [College of Science and Technology](#), will run from 10 a.m. until noon in the Crager Room of the Adron Doran University Center. Members of the community are invited to attend.

More than 600 students from 14 school districts will come to the campus to demonstrate instructional, entrepreneurial, training, technical support and community service projects. MSU students in STLP and University organizations will make technology presentations.

Additional information, or to register as a volunteer, is available from William Cole, instructional technology director in the College of Education, by calling (606) 783-9326 or sending a message to [w.cole@moreheadstate.edu](mailto:w.cole@moreheadstate.edu).

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## Sealmaster makes contribution to MSU

Representatives from Sealmaster Bearings recently met with Morehead State University officials to present the University with its annual contribution. Joining for the presentation were, from left, Tony Waltz, plant supervisor; Barbara Ender, MSU vice president for development; Bill Timmons, human resources manager; MSU President Wayne D. Andrews; Rick McQueen, production and inventory control manager; Randy Norwood, plant manager; and Everette Barber, quality control manager.

(MSU photo by Tim Holbrook)

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## Professor's work to be published

A collection of poems by a Morehead State University faculty member will be published as part of a booklet series.

"Assemblage Without Technique" by George Eklund, associate professor of English, will be presented in the Iron Belly Chapbook Series by One-Legged Cow Press. Authors in the Iron Belly series are selected based on their excellence, as well as their aesthetic, social or cultural significance, according to a publisher's report.

His poems for "Assemblage" were taken from a full-length manuscript of poetry, according to Eklund.

"In general, they're interested in the human condition - the human psyche, the human spirit," he said. "These poems explore what it means to be human in a public fashion and a private fashion." He says his works in this particular chapbook explore language as a form of expression.

Eklund, on MSU's faculty since 1989, teaches Writing I and Writing II, Introduction to Creative Writing, Poetry Writing and Advanced Poetry Writing. He has been published in a variety of well-known literary journals, including: "American Poetry Review," "Beloit Poetry Journal," "Coe Review" and "Crazyhorse."

A selection of his poems, "The Sorrow of the King," was previously published in a different chapbook series.

Eklund received his Master of Fine Arts degree from the Writers' Workshop at the University of Iowa, and a bachelor's degree from the University of Dubuque. He has been awarded the Al Smith Fellowship in Poetry by the Kentucky Arts Council.

"Assemblage Without Technique" will be available at bookstores, including University Bookstore and CoffeeTree Books in Morehead, on Nov. 6. Advance orders may be made through the publisher's Web site [www.oneleggedcowpress.org/ironbelly](http://www.oneleggedcowpress.org/ironbelly). An e-book version of the chapbook also will be offered for sale online at that Web site.

Additional information is available by calling Eklund at (606) 783-2398.

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## Students receive Army ROTC scholarships

Four Morehead State University cadets have each been awarded a four-year Army ROTC scholarship at Morehead State University.

According to Lt. Col. Bonnie A. Noyes, professor of military science, the scholarship will pay all tuition and fees. In addition, they will receive an allotment of \$800 for books and supplies plus a monthly subsistence allowance during the next four years.

Receiving scholarships are:

Cadet Danielle N. Crabill of **Clarksville, Ohio**, the daughter of Martin and Sharon Crabill; Cadet Derrick M. Duff of **Chavies**, the son of Peggy Vires; Cadet Jacob Lee Kegley of **Vanceburg**, the son of Sherman and Belinda Kegley; and Cadet Pete M. Negrón of **Shelbyville, Ind.**, the son of Gregory and Juana Maria Branson.

Morehead State University will provide room allowances each year as long as the academic standard is met. During the freshman year, MSU's dining facility (Aramark) will provide a meal card of \$1,486.

The freshmen cadets will be commissioned as second lieutenants in the United States Army upon graduation and completion of the ROTC program.

## Open House will be held Nov. 4

Morehead State University wants you to learn more about the quality educational opportunities available at MSU. An Open House is set for Saturday, Nov. 4, on the Morehead campus.

From 9 a.m. until noon, MSU representatives will be on hand to answer questions that students or their family members may have about the University. Faculty and staff will discuss academic programs, financial aid, housing and other aspects of college life.

"Our 'Open House' events are a great opportunity to get a taste of what Morehead State is all about," said Holly L. Pollock, assistant director of admissions. "We hope that the campus visit will convince students that our University is truly a wonderful place to live and learn."

The day's activities will begin with registration at the Adron Doran University Center. Campus tours will include stops at classroom buildings, residence halls, the athletics complex and other University facilities.

Morehead State University has been recognized as one of the top public universities in the South in 2005, 2006 and 2007 issues of "America's Best Colleges" by U.S. News & World Report.

U.S. News notes MSU offers 50 percent of classes with less than 20 students, which earned a third place ranking among top tier public universities on that key factor of student success. Only 3 percent of MSU classes have 50 or more students. The magazine shows 88 percent of MSU faculty members are full-time, a number surpassed by only four other listed public institutions.

To learn more about Open House and to complete an online registration card, visit [www.moreheadstate.edu/openhouse](http://www.moreheadstate.edu/openhouse). Additional information also is available by calling Enrollment Services at (606) 783-2000 or (800) 585-6781.

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## MSU students learn 'the importance of planning'

Morehead State University students pursuing a superintendent certification were treated to a forum from those in the field. A guest panel of practicing educators discussed a variety of topics including planning a school budget, remodeling/replacement of school facilities, organizing the work schedule and dealing with unexpected problems with students enrolled in a strategic planning class. Dr. Sam Wright, from left, MSU assistant professor of education, introduced David Baird, associate executive director of the Kentucky School Board Association; Kelley Crain, superintendent of Fleming County Schools; and Lara Fryman, superintendent of Bourbon County Schools. Baird and Crain are MSU graduates.

(MSU photo by Tim Holbrook)

## Boston Brass to perform at MSU

The Boston Brass is setting new standards in entertainment. From exciting classical arrangements to breathtaking vocal harmony, to burning jazz standards, they have achieved new levels in brass performance while treating audiences to a unique musical experience that captivates all ages.

Whether they are performing solo or with a symphony orchestra, the fun and emotion exhibited from the group is uniquely infectious and keeps audiences on their feet, demanding encore after encore.

The Morehead State University community will have an opportunity to experience the ensemble when the University hosts "A Day with the Boston Brass" on Friday, Jan. 26.

The group will present a Master Class at 1:50 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall within Baird Music Hall. It is free and open to the public.

An evening concert will be held in Button Auditorium, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Tickets, at \$5 each, may be purchased from the Kentucky Folk Art Center at (606) 783-2204; online through the MSU Bookstore at <http://www.bookstore.moreheadstate.edu/home.aspx> ; or from Gregory Wing, assistant professor of music, at (606) 783-2401.

The ensemble's lively repartee, touched with humor and personality, bridges the vast ocean of classical formality to delight audiences to an evening of boisterous fun, exciting knowledge and an enthusiastic love of music, deftly exhibited by five brash brass players. Boston Brass has transcended the traditional mores of brass ensemble literature and, with a host of original arrangements, has pioneered a new generation of music that sets out to achieve one simple goal: entertain at all costs with blistering precision.

Performing more than 100 concerts annually, the Boston Brass has dazzled audiences at concerts and jazz festivals around the world in such cities as Tokyo, Singapore, Taipei, Macau, New York, Seattle, Philadelphia, Detroit, Washington, D.C., and Los Angeles. They also have conducted master classes at some of the most prestigious colleges and universities in the country.

In 2005, the group made its debut appearances in the Far East, with stops in Taiwan, Singapore and Hong Kong.

Boston Brass has been featured on the CBS Morning Show, National Public Radio, The Great American Brass Band Festival and has recorded several albums. Their latest release on Loft Recordings label, titled "Out of This World," features heroic music for brass and organ.

The campus performance is sponsored by the MSU Arts and Humanities Council, Morehead State Public Radio, Don Wilson Music, MSU's Department of Music, and the Buckner and Sally S. Hinkle Endowment for the Humanities.

Additional information is available by calling (606) 783-2401.

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## Free course offered to high school students

High school seniors who want to get a head start on their college career may enroll in a class at Morehead State University in the spring. Students with a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.0 may take one college course tuition-free.

The process to enroll is simple. Complete the "High School Student Admissions/Registration Application" form and have it signed by your guidance counselor. Enrollment will begin Nov. 20.

Students may choose from 100 or 200 level courses on the class schedule. The special application and list of courses may be obtained from MSU's Office of Enrollment Services, 100 Admissions Center.

Applications can be found on admissions Web site

at [www.moreheadstate.edu/files/units/admissions/highschoolapplication.pdf](http://www.moreheadstate.edu/files/units/admissions/highschoolapplication.pdf) .

Classes will be offered at the Morehead, Mt. Sterling and West Liberty campuses. Admission and course enrollment will be available Nov. 20 - Jan. 12. Students are responsible for textbooks and course fees.

Textbooks for the classes are available from the University Bookstore, located in the Adron Doran University Center on the Morehead campus. Orders may be placed by calling

(888) STORE-05 or via the Internet at [www.bookstore.moreheadstate.edu](http://www.bookstore.moreheadstate.edu) . Purchases will be shipped to the address specified by the student.

Classes at MSU for the spring semester begin on Tuesday, Jan. 16, at all locations. The term ends May 11.

Additional information and application forms are available by calling Tina Stafford-Baldwin, MSU's regional campus coordinator, at (800) 585-6781, option #3; MSU at Mt. Sterling, (859) 498-0780 or (866) 870-0809; or MSU at West Liberty, (800) 648-5371 or (606) 743-1500.

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## Advising skills workshop held on campus

Research has shown that the relationship between a student and his or her adviser may make the difference between success and failure. An upcoming workshop at Morehead State University can help establish and maintain that relationship.

MSU's Office of Academic and Career Services and the Center for Teaching and Learning are sponsoring two sessions of the "Brown Bag" academic advising workshop, "Relationship Based Advising Skills: Doorway to Academic Success and Retention."

The session will be held Tuesday, Nov. 7, at 11:30 a.m. in room 312 of the Adron Doran University Center, and will be repeated on Thursday, Nov. 9, at 12:40 p.m. in 112 Rader Hall.

The workshop will be presented by Dr. Mike Hopper, director of academic and career services.

"A strong factor in the academic success and retention of students is the relationship developed with an adviser," he said. "The workshop will present information on tools and techniques for building relationships that make a difference, especially with millennial students."

There is no admission charge, and lunch will be provided to participants. Those interested in attending either session may register by calling the Center for Teaching and Learning at (606) 783-9363.

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## Dr. Reeves appointed to state board

Dr. Edward Reeves, professor of sociology and director for the Center for Educational Research and Leadership in Morehead State University's Institute for Regional Analysis and Public Policy, has been appointed by [Gov. Ernie Fletcher](#) for a four-year term as a member of the School Curriculum, Assessment and Accountability Council (SCAAC).

Dr. Reeves, one of two university professors on the council, was chosen because of his expertise in school assessment and accountability research. Another important criterion, as outlined in the appointment letter, is to appoint individuals who will serve "fairly and honestly and always act in the best interest of the Commonwealth."

"Participation in SCAAC is as close to direct involvement in the education policy arena as a university professor is likely to get. I'm very honored and pleased to serve on the Council. At its most recent meeting, which I attended, the Council considered recommendations on proposed changes to Kentucky's system of school accountability," Dr. Reeves said. "In the next few years, we will no doubt be dealing with the impacts at the state level that will result from Congress's retooling of the federal No Child Left Behind Act."

Dr. Reeves is no stranger to high-profile audiences. He was recently the subject of a Chronicle of Higher Education article highlighting his research findings on the importance of high school quality in relation to the completion of a college degree. He also is a frequent attendee and presenter at the Researcher's Roundtable, a consortium of educators from around the state, who meet at the Capitol and share research findings, often sharing the results and their insights with Kentucky Department of Education officials and state legislators who are in attendance.

Meeting at least four times a year, the Council has the mission of advising the Kentucky Board of Education and the Legislative Research Commission on issues "related to the development and communication of the academic expectations and core content for assessment, the development and implementation of the statewide assessment and accountability program, the distribution of rewards and imposition of sanctions, and assistance for schools to improve their performance."

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## Cheerleaders to host showcase Sunday, Jan. 7

Morehead State University's coed and all-girl cheerleading squads will host the MSU Cheerleading Showcase on Sunday, Jan. 7, beginning at 2 p.m. in the University's Academic-Athletic Center. Area high school, all star, and college teams also will perform. Both cheer squads will present their routines before heading off to compete in the College National Cheerleading Championships, Jan. 12 -14, in Orlando, Fla. The Universal Cheerleaders Association-sponsored competition will be held at Walt Disney's Wide World of Sports.

The coed and all-girl cheerleading squads placed first in the country in the qualifying round, which consisted of a cheer video, as well as 2-minute video that demonstrated the teams' stunts, pyramids, basket tosses and tumbling skills.

This is a return trip for both groups. In the 2006 competition, the coed squad won its fifth consecutive national title and 16th overall. The all-girl squad captured its last national title in 2005 and has five overall championships.

"Placing first in the qualifying round with both teams is a huge accomplishment for us. This is the third year in a row that both teams have achieved this; we set this as a one of our team goals at the beginning of the year," said Tony Nash, MSU spirit coordinator .

"Now that we have met one of our goals and taping for our ranking is over, we start to focus on another national championship. The competition continues to grow every year for us; so many teams try to knock us off the top. My squads understand that it is much more difficult to stay on top rather than get to the top. That is motivation for my teams to maintain their level of excellence. Our next goal will be to execute a perfect routine at nationals. We don't worry about what other teams do; we just concentrate on what we have to do to accomplish our goals."

Members of the coed squad heading to nationals this year are:

Joe Arkansas, **Charlotte, N.C.** , junior; Brian Babcock, **Sandpoint, Idaho** , senior; Lynn Baggese, **Sacramento, Calif.** , graduate student; Patrick Boyer, **Simi Valley, Calif.** , junior; Jennifer Brennan, **Louisville** senior; Leah Cann, **Independence** freshman; Clay Clark, **Stafford, Va.** , junior; David Clemmons, **Westland, Mich.** , graduate student;

Tony Crump, **San Marcos, Calif.** , sophomore; Molly DuChemin, **West Alexandria, Ohio** , junior; Emily Eversole, **Morehead** sophomore; Lauren Floyd, **Parker, Colo.** , freshman; Kurt Gardner, **Harvest, Ala.** , freshman; Brittany Kaczetow, **Centereach, N.Y.** , sophomore; Kayley Kraft, **San Antonio, Texas** , freshman; Laurel Long, **Chillicothe, Ohio** , senior; Kelly Owens, **Goshen** freshman;

O'Shea Parker, **Bowling Green** junior; Mo Rodriguez, **Escondido, Calif.** , junior; Kasie Sage, **Simi Valley, Calif.** , sophomore; David Schuch, **Mt. Pleasant, Mich.** , senior; and Kelsey Simpson, **Lexington** sophomore.

All-girl squad members heading to nationals this year are:

Marta Alvarez, **Culver City, Calif.** , sophomore; Brittany Brown, **Sharpsville, Pa.** , junior; Morgan Carroll, **Fitchburg, Wis.** , senior ; Stefani Cook, **Sacramento, Calif.** , freshman; Crystal Courtney, **Burke, Calif.** , sophomore ; Nicole DiSalvo, **Plainview, N.Y.** , freshman; Sara Folwell, **Flowery Branch, Ga.** , freshman ; Danielle Garone, **N. Massapequa, N.Y.** , sophomore ; Brittany Grimes, **Somerset** , junior ; Terresia High, **Cambridge, Ohio** , freshman ; Marika Jones, **East St. Louis, Ill.** , senior; Brandi Kratzer, **Mt. Sterling** junior; Amanda Lewis, **Olive Hill** junior; Chelsea Mauck, **Crestview Hills** freshman; Casey McCown, **Cynthiana** senior; Beth Millard, **Kennewick, Wash.** , sophomore; Nikki Miller, **Bonnyman** junior; Kristin Nason, **San Diego, Calif.** , sophomore ; Kirby Ogden, **Anderson, Ill.** , junior; Jennifer Orr, **Johnson City, Tenn.** , senior; Tabby Price, **Olive Hill** freshman; Leslie Pulley, **Post Falls, Idaho** , sophomore; Kristi Randel, **Orangevale, Calif.**, sophomore ; Lindsey Rapp, **Perkasie, Pa.** , sophomore; and Sara Wilson, **Grand Junction** , Colo. , freshman.

Ryan Alderman of Morehead is the trainer for both teams.

"We have a great tradition in competition. The MSU All-Girl Team has won the national title five times and the MSU Coed Team has won an unprecedented 16 national titles. Winning 21 national titles for one University is unheard of. No other college team in the country has accomplished that many national championships," said Nash. In addition to both teams placing first for taping, two individual groups placed in the 2007 UCA Collegiate National Partner Stunt Division. The students and their rankings are: Brian Babcock and Jennifer Brennan (6<sup>th</sup> place ranking); Tony Crump and Brittany Kaczetow (1<sup>st</sup> place ranking).

Nash is in his third year as the head cheerleading coach and spirit coordinator for the University's cheer squads.

Additional information is available by calling Nash at (606) 783-9495 or sending a message

to [t.nash@moreheadstate.edu](mailto:t.nash@moreheadstate.edu) .

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## Geography Awareness Week activities underway

Morehead State University will join the annual celebration of physical and human diversity during Geography Awareness Week (GAW), Nov. 12-18.

Geography can be divided into two main areas, physical and human. Physical geographers study natural patterns and processes like global warming, water resources and deforestation. Human geographers examine social and cultural patterns and processes such as migration, urbanization and tourism.

Geographers use a wide range of tools to portray and analyze information associated with a geographic location, including maps, geographic information systems, aircraft and satellite remote sensing, mathematical modeling and more.

GAW was established when former President Ronald Reagan signed legislation that established the week, to be held the third week of November. Each year, the National Geographic Society uses a different theme to illustrate the importance of geography in education and in everyday life. The theme for this year's national observation is "My Wonderful World," and several events are planned on campus to commemorate the event.

In celebration of GAW 2006, the Geography Club will present a screening and discussion of the film "Memoirs of a Geisha" at 7 p.m. on Monday, Nov. 13, in 103 Rader Hall. Popcorn will be provided.

On Tuesday, Nov. 14, Dr. Esther Long, visiting assistant professor of geography, will speak on "Adventures in Afghanistan: Bombs, Burqas and Civic Education" at 4:30 p.m. in 301 Rader.



Rounding out the week's main activities will be a presentation by Jessica McCarty, MSU alumnus, titled "Remotely Sensed Measurements of Cropland Burning and Related Greenhouse Gas and Air Quality Emissions." Her lecture will be held Nov. 16, at 4:30 p.m. in 301 Rader.

All the events are free and open to the public. Fun and educational activities for the whole family, as well as resources for teachers, may be found online by accessing [www.mywonderfulworld.org/gaw.html](http://www.mywonderfulworld.org/gaw.html). Additional information is available by calling Dr. Verdie A. Craig, assistant professor of geography, at (606) 783-5224.

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## Rowan County Christmas 2006

Helping those in need is a holiday custom virtually everywhere, including at Morehead State University. In that tradition, Rowan County Christmas board members invite the MSU community to join them in their efforts to bring holiday cheer to those less fortunate.

Rowan County Christmas was established in 1993 by social service agencies, churches, organizations, and businesses that were committed to making Christmas special for people in need. A non-profit corporation was formed, and a board of directors representing the various founding entities was named to oversee its operations.

Every year since then, board members, who serve rotating three-year terms, have raised funds, identified families and seniors in need, and distributed food vouchers and gifts to appropriately identified families and seniors. Approximately 500 families are served each year.

Typically, applicants who meet need criteria come to the Carl Perkins Center at a pre-assigned time on Dec. 15. All participants receive a food voucher for a Christmas dinner and those with dependant children pick out a toy and receive stocking stuffers for all children. Seniors pick out their own gifts. Volunteers monitor and stock tables from which gifts are selected to ensure that all participants, regardless of their scheduled time, have a variety of gifts to choose from.

The Rowan County Christmas Board has set goals that it strives for each year. The Board aspires to accomplish serving all needy families, eliminate duplication of services, enhance communication and cooperation among service providers and effectively and efficiently use community resources: funds and volunteers.

Last year, members of Morehead State's leadership civic engagement classes participated by placing small Christmas trees in the departmental offices to receive gifts and donations.

RCC always welcomes individual and group volunteers who would like to contribute a \$15 gift, any monetary donation or volunteer time during one of the days to this event. This year, set-up days are on Dec. 13-14 with the distribution day on Dec. 15

Individuals or groups that would be interested in volunteering during one day, half a day or all three days may contact: Dr. Bev McCormick, MSU assistant provost, at (606) 783-5156; Sam Mason, instructor of industrial technology, at (606) 783-9441; or Melanie Jarvis, (606) 780-8314. Electronic messages may be sent to [rowancountychristmas@gmail.com](mailto:rowancountychristmas@gmail.com)

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## 'Cooking with Style' cookbook now on sale

Whether it's a new recipe for the holiday season or a gift idea for someone special, a cookbook compiled by Morehead State University at Prestonsburg could fit the bill.

Arriving earlier than expected, "Cooking with Style" is now available at the MSU Prestonsburg and Morehead campuses. The cost is \$10.

From the traditional Appalachian dishes to the trendy salads and dips, the publication offers variety in everything from Aunt Beverly's Mexican Dip to Sugar Coated Pecans in its 238 pages. The 500 recipes are outlined in eight categories, including appetizers and beverages, soups and salads, vegetables and side dishes, main dishes, bread and rolls, desserts, cookies and candy, and this and that. It concludes with a list of pantry basics, herbs and spices, baking tips, measurement substitutions and an equivalency chart, not to mention the Helpful Hints that are located throughout the book.

The recipes were contributed by various individuals, such as MSU faculty, staff and students, county officials, area friends and supporters, and a host of others who wanted to offer assistance to the Prestonsburg regional campus.

Profits from the cookbooks will benefit the MSU Prestonsburg scholarship fund.

"It was wonderful to see students, staff, faculty and friends working together collaboratively in this creative endeavor to benefit area students," said Lula Bowling, director of MSU Prestonsburg.

Additional information or to purchase a cookbook is available from MSU at Prestonsburg, Bert Combs Drive, Building 6, or by calling (800) 648-5372 or (606) 886-2405; on the Morehead campus, 310 and 312 Allie Young Hall, or calling (800) 585-6781 option 3 or (606) 783-2605.

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## SBDC offers 10-week program in Pikeville

The Morehead State University Small Business Development Center along with BB&T Bank is offering a 10-week program on Business Start-Ups, beginning Tuesday, Nov. 14. The workshops will be held at the Big Sandy Community and Technical College, 120 S. Riverfill Drive in Pikeville, every other Tuesday evening from 5:30 until 8:30 pm.

Topics to be covered include Developing your business concept, Market research, Business Fundamentals and Budgets and financials.

There will be a one time charge of \$25 which will cover the cost of the comprehensive reference book, class handouts and dinner/refreshments.

For more information or to pre-register, you can call Mike Morley or Linda Casebolt at the East Kentucky Small Business Development Center at (606) 432-5848.

The program is funded in part through a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Small Business Administration. Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities will be made if requested at least two weeks in advance.

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## International Education Week features several events

Morehead State University's diversity and opportunities for global studies will be highlighted during International Education Week, Monday through Friday, Nov. 13-17.

The week will be filled with a cultural mix of films, music, contests, discussions and demonstrations, presented by MSU students from around the world, as well as various faculty, staff and others. There also will be informational sessions on learning about foreign study options available through the University.

A photography exhibit and photo contest will open the week's activities on Monday, Nov. 13. Pictures taken by students who have participated in study abroad programs will be on display in the lobby of the Adron Doran University Center from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. each day through Thursday, Nov. 16.

International students and American study abroad participants will present "Life Beyond Morehead," on Nov. 13. From 4-5:30 p.m. in room 301 of ADUC, the students will share information on China, Costa Rica, Germany, Holland, Mexico, Spain and Taiwan. Refreshments will be provided.

Following "Life Beyond Morehead," there will be a Shao-lin Do martial arts demonstration by the Shao-lin Do club of Lexington. The members will give a brief history of Chinese martial arts, and Taiji and Shao-lin Do demonstrations. It will be held from 7-9 p.m. in the Button Drill Room, and is free and open to the public.

Tuesday's schedule begins with the Study Abroad Fair, from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the lobby of ADUC. Everyone is invited to stop by and learn about various educational opportunities overseas. MSU is a member of several consortia and has student exchange agreements with foreign institutions of higher education.

While at the fair, attendees may pick up questions for use in a scavenger hunt that will run Monday through Thursday. Questions pickup also will be available at the "Life Beyond Morehead" event. Prizes will be given to the winners of the hunt as well as the photo exhibition.

"Parlez-vous le français?" If so, then you won't want to miss out on Tuesday evening's "Table Française" at the Fuzzy Duck coffee shop in downtown Morehead. Everyone is invited to have a cup of coffee (on a "buy your own" basis), and enjoy French conversation from 5-7 p.m.

Later that evening, Latin culture will again be highlighted at a film presentation, sponsored by the University's Spanish Club. It will be held at 7 p.m. in 2 Breckinridge Hall, and there is no admission charge.

Music will be highlighted at a 4 p.m. Thursday recital by Min-Hui Kuo, who will perform Chinese marimba selections in the Eagle Dining Room in ADUC. She will be accompanied by Nathan Nabb, assistant professor of music, who will play the saxophone. Their show will be followed by "Music From Around the World," a video featuring the music of many countries. Refreshments also will be provided at this event.

International Education Week continues on Thursday with the free lecture, "Pre-Columbian Art of Latin America," by Dr. Ryan Howard, MSU professor emeritus of art history. Dr. Howard's talk will be held from 4:15- 5:15 p.m. in room 111 of the Claypool-Young Art Building.

From 7-9 p.m. on Thursday, in 216 Breckinridge Hall, the French Club will present a film. The movie, as well as the musical events earlier that day, is free and open to the public.

Rounding out the week's celebration will be a free lecture given by Betty Cutts, chair of the Chinese Yangshuo Committee, with the Morehead Sister Cities, Inc. Cutts will speak on "World Peace Through Friendship" at 11:20 a.m. in 302 Breckinridge.

Additional information is available by calling Dr. Janet Gross, professor of nursing and interim director of the Office of International Education , at (606) 783-2096; or Weihong Sun, international admissions coordinator, at (606) 783-9431.

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## Speech team competes at Berea

Members of the Morehead State University Speech Team competed in the Berea College Speech Tournament, earlier this month.

MSU had six individuals go against students from 20 different schools from Kentucky, North Carolina, Michigan, Virginia and Tennessee.

Jordan Atkinson, **Stanville** sophomore, and Brett Steele, **Harold** sophomore, won fourth place in duo interpretation. The selection highlighted the relationship struggles between a deaf boy and his brother.

Tyler Elam, **Morehead** sophomore, and Sarah Perry, **Olive Hill** senior, received high marks in preliminary rounds of competition. It was the first collegiate tournament experience for novice members Julie Ratliff, **Greenup** freshman, and Will Murphy, **Williamstown** freshman.

The MSU Speech Team will host a high school competition on Dec. 9 on the campus. Next semester they will travel to Ocean City, Md., for the Central Forensic Association's Speech Tournament.

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## Aubry receives OVC Soccer Coach of the Year Award

Morehead State University soccer coach Erin Aubry earned the Brine Ohio Valley Conference Coach of the Year award after leading the Eagles to their best conference season in school history.

Eagle sophomore goalkeeper Leslie King of Park Hills, junior forward Rebekah Kendall of Sissonville, W.Va., and freshman midfielder Lindsey Stefanini of Aliquippa, Pa. also earned OVC honors with King earning the Defensive Player of the Year Honor.

Aubry was named OVC Coach of the Year after leading the Eagles to a 8-8-3 record overall and a 5-1-3 record in the conference. The award comes in Aubry's second year as Eagle head coach.

King was named OVC Defensive Player of the Year after setting a new school record for shutouts in a season with nine and saves in a game with 18. King posted six-straight shutouts at the end of the regular season and has not given up a goal in over 640 minutes of play. During the OVC slate, King only gave up four goals to conference opponents.

Kendall was named an All-OVC First-Team selection after leading the Eagles with eight goals this season. She finished the regular season ranked second in scoring in the conference. Kendall set a school record and tied a conference record with four goals in a match against Murray State this season. Kendall is currently tied for third place in all-time scoring at MSU, and is currently the career leader in shots and game winning goals.

Stefanini was named to the OVC All-Newcomer team after a successful first season. This season, she posted one goal and was a key member of the Eagle offense. She has played in 17 games this season despite suffering a mild concussion earlier this season.

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## Former professor receives citizen award

At 93-years-old most people would be slowing down a bit, but not former Morehead State University professor Nolan Fowler.

Fowler instructed history at MSU from 1943 until 1962 and according to his students during his tenure, touched many, many lives.

"Mr. Fowler was probably the most knowledgeable and greatest professor to ever teach at MSU," said Dr. Donald F. Flatt, professor emeritus of history at MSU. "He was the one that inspired me to become a history professor."

Fowler was honored during Homecoming when Dr. Flatt presented him the "Outstanding Kentucky Citizen Award."

Besides hard work in the classroom, Fowler started the Track and Field program at Morehead State. His teams were very successful, winning the school's first Ohio Valley Conference title, even though MSU didn't have a track.

He is a member the Morehead State University Athletic and Ohio Valley Conference Hall of Fames.

As a competitor, Fowler participated in 10 world champions and still holds 30 national and world records. He holds the title of the 1943 United States Junior Champion as a hammer thrower.

"My knees and hips are worn out due to the athletic competitions, but it was worth it. I had fun and traveled the world," said Fowler.

After leaving Morehead State, Fowler taught at Tennessee Tech University from 1963 until his retirement in 1979. Tech named its Constitution Day for Fowler, after his \$150,000 commitment to establish the celebration at TTU.

Fowler also donated his collection of epic literature to the University of Kentucky. He spent most of his life gathering the 1,500 editions of the epics.

He grew up in West Virginia and says he owes much of his education to the efficiency and atmosphere of a one-room school which he attended.

From his home in Cookeville, Tenn., Fowler is currently working on a book, "Biography of Famous Kentuckians."

11-10-06

## Alumnus honored for community service

To label Morehead State University graduate Wayne "Box" Miller would be hard to do. He's a sportscaster, a public speaker, a musician and an author.

Miller is always looking for new experiences and new ways to share them with the public. In his own words, "There is no expiration date on learning and doing."

He is a rare talent in this day and time. His versatility has earned him the name the Renaissance Man. Miller is a respected sportscaster armed with a degree in broadcasting from MSU, where he worked for WMKY (the campus radio station) and TV station.

He is teamed up with former Cincinnati Bengal Eric Thomas for the award winning "Prime Time Sports Show" that has aired from 5-7 p.m. weekdays on 1230 AM, The Buzz, for the past six years.

The media is where you can find him on Sundays as a biweekly co-host of "Sports Rock," a fast-paced sports magazine show on WLWT, Channel 5.

He also runs a successful consulting firm that specializes in minority marketing and public and community relations and counts Morehead State University among his valued clients.

In addition, he is an in-demand speaker in the tri-state area, bringing candid and mind-stirring messages geared to various age groups and social circles. His requests have been for commencements, Youth Empowerment and Men's Day for various religious and social organizations, to name a few.

This spring, Miller was honored for his community service at the annual Cincinnati Human Relations Commission dinner and awards ceremony.

"It was indeed a special honor when those within city government look at what you do as a positive way to move our city and its race relations forward," said Miller. "For me it was significant because I don't fit the prototypical honoree as it relates to these issues but my intent is there to make our city better."

In his spare time, he can be seen on the Morehead State campus with a group of high school students from his area, including a recent trip with students from Cincinnati's Robert A. Taft Information Technology High School.

"Education is and always will be one of the best tickets to a brighter future. Knowing someone tried to direct me away from college is frightening in retrospect, and I am committed to making sure as many kids as possible visit Morehead and realize college is a viable opportunity, using my story and background as exhibit A. If I can do it and you know my story, you can do it too," the former Eagle basketball player added.

Miller also is a published author. His first literary work, "*From the Soul of a Man*," is a book of poetry that represents an insightful ride through the author's mind and the thoughts love evokes. It presents a three-part journey from finding love, to sharing love, to losing love.

With so much on his schedule now, what does Miller see for the future?

"I will continue to experience more success," said Miller, "and leverage that success to be able to create significance in my family, community and the future; that future being our youth who need to know that success is parallel to the amount of belief you possess in yourself and your willingness to prepare for it. They are reminded daily of their faults, weekly of their surroundings and rarely about their potential. I want to help change that."

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## MSS will host potluck dinner

One of the first major holiday events of the season at Morehead State University is a potluck meal planned for Wednesday, Nov. 15.

MSU's Office of Multicultural Student Services will host its 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Thanksgiving Potluck Dinner from 5-8 p.m. at the Baptist Student Union, located at 342 University St.

Students, staff and faculty are invited to enjoy a traditional meal, complete with meat, stuffing, gravy, collard greens and corn pudding, provided by the MSS office. In the "potluck" tradition, everyone who comes to the dinner is asked to contribute a covered dish that will feed 30-40 guests.

Those who plan on attending should contact the MSS office, with details on the dish they are bringing.

Additional information about the event and on providing a dish is available by calling the office at (606) 783-2668.

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## Bluegrass and blues featured at ACL on Nov. 24

Bluegrass band Scott Tackett and Kentucky Sunrise, singer-songwriter Kate Campbell and blues man Mike DeBellefeuille will perform at the next edition of "Americana Crossroads Live."

Morehead State Public Radio (MSPR) and the Kentucky Center for Traditional Music will present the program on Friday, Nov. 24, at the Morehead Conference Center, located on First Street. Doors will open at 6:30 p.m. with the music to start at 7 p.m.

Based in Eastern Kentucky, Scott Tackett and Kentucky Sunrise have been performing since 2001. According to Tackett, the band's major musical influences are J.D. Crowe and the New South, Blueridge, Lonesome River Band, Doyle Lawson and Quicksilver.

The group's members are Tackett, guitar and lead vocals; Carl James, mandolin and tenor singer; Johnny Brown, lead guitar and baritone vocals; Jeremy Newman, bass; and Johnny Bellew, banjo and harmony vocals.

The daughter of a Baptist preacher, Campbell uses her songs to chronicle the societal changes below the Mason-Dixon Line. Born in New Orleans where her father was attending seminary school, she spent her formative years in northern Mississippi and Nashville, Tenn.

Campbell's greatest musical influence came from her mother, who sang and played blues and swing tunes on the piano. Her maternal grandfather was an amateur Bluegrass fiddle and banjo player. As a teenager, she was drawn to folk-rooted protest songs and became absorbed by the music of Peter, Paul and Mary and was later influenced by singer-songwriters including James Taylor, Dan Fogelberg and Kris Kristofferson.

After earning undergraduate degrees in music and history from Stamford University in Birmingham, Ala., Campbell continued her education at Auburn University, where she earned a master's degree in history.

DeBellefeuille is a blues guitarist from Morehead. He regularly performs with his brother Steve in the DeBellefeuille Brothers Band, which has been featured for the past three years at the annual Cave Run Rock'n Blues'n BBQ Festival. His influences include Jimi Hendrix, Stevie Ray Vaughan, Albert Collins and the Allman Brothers.

"Americana Crossroads Live" is supported by Toyota Motor Manufacturing of Kentucky, Morehead Conference Center and Morehead Tourism Commission. Community partners include the Kentucky Folk Art Center, Morehead State University's Caudill College of Humanities and Arts and Humanities Council, and Papa John's.

The series is now heard on 38 radio stations across the United States, Canada and in the Philippines.

Concessions and door prizes will be available. Admission is \$5 per person, or \$20 for a Family Pack of five. Children, 12 and under, are admitted free.

Additional information on "Americana Crossroads Live" is available on MSPR's Web site at [www.msuradio.com](http://www.msuradio.com) or by calling MSPR at (606) 783-2001 or (800) 286-9659.

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## Choral festival set for Nov. 13-14

Morehead State University's Department of Music will host the 47th Annual Choral Festival for high school singers on Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 13 and 14.

Two concerts during the festival are open to the public. The first will be at 7 p.m. on Monday, when the MSU choirs will perform at the Morehead First Baptist Church, at 123 E. Main St.

Under the direction of Dr. Greg Detweiler, associate professor of music, and Adam Luebke, lecturer, the choirs' concert will open with selections by the Chamber Singers. The program will continue with performances by the Women's Chorus, Men's Chorus, University Chorus and Concert Choir.

Also on the program will be solo vocal selections by Dr. Roma Prindle and Dr. Ricky Little, both associate professors of music. There is no admission charge for the Monday concert.

The festival continues on Tuesday with an evening concert by the High School Festival SSA and SATB choirs. These choirs include 400 singers from 32 high schools in Kentucky, West Virginia and Ohio. The groups will perform at 7 p.m. in Baird Music Hall on campus, under the guest direction of Dr. Meg Hulley Frazier (SSA choir), and Dr. Jerry Blackstone (SATB choir).

There is a \$3 admission charge for the high school concerts.

Additional information is available by calling the music department at (606) 783-2473.

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## Flu shot clinics have been cancelled

The Caudill Health Clinic flu shot vaccination clinics have been cancelled due to lack of vaccine. For additional information call the clinic at 783-2055.

Morehead State University's Caudill Health Clinic has established a schedule for providing free influenza vaccinations to students, faculty and staff and their spouses, and retirees.

The dates, locations and times the flu shots will be given are:

Wednesday, Nov. 15, 301 Adron Doran University Center, 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.;

Thursday, Nov. 16, 301 ADUC, 8:30 a.m.-noon;

Friday, Nov. 17, Rice Building, 2-4:30 p.m.;



Tuesday, Nov. 21, 301 ADUC, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.;

Tuesday, Nov. 28, 312 ADUC, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.;

Thursday, Nov. 30, 302 ADUC, 9 a.m.

To obtain a flu shot, individuals must present their MSU EagleCard ID at the time of the vaccination and will be required to wait 15 minutes following the injection.

Those considered high risk categories are encouraged to attend the first scheduled vaccination clinic. Priority will be given to:

- Person who are at least 65 years of age.
- Persons with chronic medical conditions.
- Women who are pregnant.
- Health-care personnel who provide direct patient care and household contacts and out-of-home caregivers of children less than six months of age.

To remain in the best of health, individuals are encouraged to exercise safety precautions by eating balanced meals, getting the proper amount of rest and washing their hands.

Additional information is available by calling the Caudill Health Clinic at 783-2055.

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## Holiday closings

Administrative offices will be closed and there will be no classes at Morehead State University during the Thanksgiving holiday, Wednesday through Friday, Nov. 22-24. Offices will reopen and classes will resume on Monday, Nov. 27, at 8 a.m.

The University Post Office will be open on Friday, Nov. 24, from 8 a.m.-noon to distribute mail to UPO boxes only.

The Camden-Carroll Library will be closed Wednesday through Saturday. The library will reopen Sunday, Nov. 26, on its regular fall schedule.

The Kentucky Folk Art Center will remain closed during the Thanksgiving break.

Any questions or concerns should be directed to the MSU Police Department at (606) 783-2035. They will distribute all calls to the appropriate units.

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## MSPR offers Thanksgiving programs

On Thanksgiving Day, Morehead State Public Radio will offer a bountiful feast for the ear, with a day of programming to complement the holiday season.

Morehead State University's radio station will broadcast the special programs beginning at 9 a.m. on Thursday morning, Nov. 23.

Leading off the features will be "A Cause to Give Thanks" with the Mormon Tabernacle Choir and Orchestra at Temple Square. Listeners are invited to tune in as the group members express their gratitude and thanksgiving through music.

Selections will include: "Now Thank We All Our God" from Cantata No. 79; "The Lord's Prayer;" "For the Beauty of the Earth;" "Prayer of Thanksgiving;" "Count Your Blessings Instead of Sheep;" "Thanks Be to God;" and "Come Ye Thankful People, Come."

The music holiday continues at noon with "America Sings!" hosted by National Public Radio's Lisa Simeone. Acclaimed American choral master, Phillip Brunelle, leads his own VocalEssence ensemble from Minnesota and members of 17 different Washington ensembles through a history of choral music in the USA. The music will include a variety of selections from colonial anthems of William Billings to the African-American choral tradition personified by Harry Burleigh, to barbershop quartets, to the works of Leonard Bernstein.

This featured concert from the 2006 Chorus America conference was recorded in the acoustics of Strathmore Hall, the newest addition to the Capitol area's cultural life.

From 7-8 p.m., traditional American pioneer music and stories will be highlighted in "The Arkansas Traveler: Music and Tales from Little House on the Prairie."

Few works in American literature document the musical life of the pioneer days as well as the Little House series by Laura Ingalls Wilder. This program features performances by "A Prairie Home Companion" regulars Riders in the Sky and other Nashville, Tenn., artists, and readings by actress Cherry Jones of selected stories from the books.

Additional information on special programs is available by visiting MSPR's Web site at [www.msuradio.com](http://www.msuradio.com) or calling the station at (606) 783-2001 or (800) 286-9659.

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## Annual arts and crafts fair to be held Dec. 2

The Kentucky Folk Art Center's annual Appalachian Holiday Arts & Crafts Fair will be held at the Laughlin Health Building on Saturday, Dec. 2, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

With more than 100 artists and craftspeople from Kentucky and other states, the Holiday Arts & Crafts Fair is the largest and most diverse event of its kind in the region. The fair offers visitors a wide and varied selection of regional arts and crafts, ranging from the traditional to the cutting edge, including many holiday decorations and gifts.

Admission to the fair is \$3 per person; children under 12 are admitted for free.

"There's something for everyone," said Tammy Stone, one of the event coordinators. "Visitors will find traditional crafts, holiday decorations, handmade furniture. It's the best opportunity in the region to find unique, handmade holiday gifts."

"This is certainly one of our most successful and well-attended events," said Matt Collinsworth, KFAC's director. "Last year, the holiday fair set another record for attendance, and the quality of arts and crafts offered continues to improve each year. It represents a wonderful opportunity for regional craftspeople and the area's holiday shoppers."

The Kentucky Folk Art Center is a cultural, educational and economic development service of Morehead State University.

Additional information is available from the Center's Web site at [www.kyfolkart.org](http://www.kyfolkart.org) , or by calling (606) 783-2204. KFAC, located at 102 West First Street in Morehead, is open Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sundays, 1-5 p.m.  
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## Alumnus Carl Rollins elected to legislature

Dr. Carl P. Rollins II of Midway has become the latest Morehead State University alumnus to be elected to the Kentucky General Assembly.

A 1970 graduate in business administration, Rollins was elected last week in the 56th House District, including Woodford County and parts of Fayette and Franklin counties. He is a Democrat.

Currently a member of Woodford Fiscal Court, he also is a former mayor and city councilman in Midway. He is succeeding Rep. Joe Barrows, who did not seek reelection.

Rep.-elect Rollins, who will take office Jan. 1, holds master's and doctoral degrees from the University of Kentucky.

He has served since 2001 as the vice president for state relations of the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation. Earlier, he was director of admissions for Midway College and director of community education for the Woodford County schools.

He is married to the former Brenda Renick, also an MSU alumnus. They have a daughter and two grandchildren.

Rollins joins 10 returning MSU alumni in the 2007 session of the General Assembly. They include Sens. Charlie Borders, Johnny Ray Turner and Walter Blevins, and Reps. Rocky Adkins, Carolyn Belcher, Hubert Collins, Mike Denham, Jimmy Higdon, John Will Stacy and Robin Webb.

Two other alumni legislators from the 2006 session, Rep. Adrian Arnold and Rep. Chuck Meade, are not returning. Arnold retired after 34 years and Meade was defeated in the May primary.

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## Inscape accepting student submissions

Inscape, Morehead State University's literary and visual art publication, is accepting student submissions in four categories for its next edition.

Contests are being held for best cover design, logo design, and art and writing for the interior of the publication.

Prizes are being offered in three art competitions, with a first place prize of \$100 for the selected cover design, and a first place prize of \$50 for the winning logo design. A \$100 award will be given for the best artwork submitted for the interior of the publication, with second, third and honorable mention prizes of \$75, \$50 and \$25, respectively, to be awarded.

Prizes of \$50 for first place and \$25 for honorable mention will be awarded in the writing categories of poetry, fiction and creative nonfiction.

Inscape is an annual MSU publication with a long history of cutting edge visual and literary art. Media and genres of work range from prose, poetry, short story, long narrative, nonfiction and creative essays to photography, printmaking, painting, design, drawing, digital art and sculpture.

The publication is coordinated by the departments of Art and English, Foreign Languages and Philosophy.

Additional information and the complete list of guidelines on the competitions are available on the Web at <http://www.moreheadstate.edu/inscape/>.

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## 'Feaste' features medieval entertainment

Hear ye, hear ye! Morehead State University's annual festival of medieval merriment and delectable dining will be held Thursday through Saturday, Nov. 30 - Dec. 2.

Ye Olde Madrigal Feaste, the University's official holiday party, will begin at 7 p.m. each night in the Crager Room of the Adron Doran University Center. Everyone is invited to experience an evening filled with song, specialty acts, drama, food and medieval pageantry.

Doors will open each night at 6:30 p.m., and the public is invited to enjoy pre-show music. Reservations for the main program are necessary and tickets must be purchased in advance.

The Feaste will begin with a stately processional of royalty, nobles, minstrels and a jester of the court, followed by brass fanfare and Renaissance madrigals. There will be many students and faculty, as well as MSU ensembles performing at the Feaste, including: the Chamber Singers, Concert Choir and University Chorus, all under the direction of Dr. Greg Detweiler, associate professor of music; and the Little Theatre Company, directed by Dr. Bob Willenbrink, chair of MSU's Department of Communication and Theatre.

Other University ensembles scheduled to perform at the Feaste, listed with their directors, are: the Flute Ensemble, Dr. Robert Pritchard, professor of music; the Brass Quintet and Trombone Quartet, Dr. Jeanie Lee, associate professor of music; the Trumpet Ensemble, Greg Wing, assistant professor of music; and the Recorder Consort, Nicholas Denham of Maysville, graduate assistant in music. Traditional songs of the season will cap off the musical events.

During the evening's revels, there will be character and roving specialty acts reminiscent of medieval times, such as knights, troubadours, serfs, footmen and even wenches and beggars. The event is intended to transport guests back through time to 16th-century Renaissance feasts held in the great halls of old England, celebrating the 12 days of Christmas. Candlelight and traditional decorations of that era will be used to enhance the medieval atmosphere. Guests are encouraged to wear period costumes, or if they prefer, appropriate attire for the occasion.

Tickets, on sale now, are \$30 per person, or \$28 each for groups of eight or more. Guests will be formally announced and seated at tables of eight, or family style for other size groups. Tickets may be purchased through the Department of Communication and Theatre office at 111 Breckinridge Hall. Proceeds from this annual fundraiser will support educational opportunities for students in the Caudill College of Humanities.

Additional information is available by calling the department at (606) 783-2134.

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## Professor among two ultrasound techs in state

Dr. Troy Wistuba, assistant professor of animal science in the Department of Agricultural and Human Sciences at Morehead State University, is one of only two certified ultrasound technicians in the state of Kentucky. He is one of only 107 certified technicians in the United States.

He was featured in the September issue of "Cow County News."

Dr. Wistuba travels continuously throughout the state with his mobile ultrasound equipment providing this highly technical service. Most beef producers' ultrasound their cattle to provide information to help them increase the carcass merit.

He has scanned more than 2,000 head of cattle and has worked with the Eastern Kentucky Heifer Development Program. As a direct result of the ultrasound scans he performed, the program determined that their heifers ranked higher than the national averages.

Additional information is available from Dr. Wistuba by calling (606) 783-2662 or by sending an electronic message to [t.wistuba@moreheadstate.edu](mailto:t.wistuba@moreheadstate.edu) .

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## KFAC exhibit 'Sticks and Stones' will close Feb. 17

The Kentucky Folk Art Center has announced the opening of a new exhibition. "Sticks & Stones" will be on display Nov. 30 through Feb. 17.

The opening reception will be held on Thursday, Nov. 30, from 6-8 p.m. Lexington folk duo Mother Jane will provide music at the opening. There will be no admission charge to attend the reception.

The exhibition will present more than 40 works, including paintings, sculptures, textiles and photographs. Both folk artists and fine artists from Kentucky were invited to submit works for the exhibition, and works from more than two dozen artists are included in the show.

"Walking sticks and stone carvings have long held a prominent place in Kentucky folk art," said Adrian Swain, KFAC's curator. "That was the genesis for this exhibition, but the concept expanded. We chose to invite submissions from both trained and self-taught artists. The artists interpreted the theme with varying degrees of literalness. In the end, we have an exhibition composed of some wonderful pieces that address the theme in diverse and surprising ways."

"This is one of the most diverse exhibitions we've offered," added KFAC Director Matt Collinsworth. "Visitors will see some fascinating works. For instance, there will be a major new work by self-taught stone carver Tim Lewis. Louisville artist Albertus Gorman has crafted a number of strange creatures from Styrofoam and other objects that he found along the banks of the Ohio River. Ron Gevedon has

produced two quite haunting paintings. It's really a quite wonderful show, and all the artists did some fine work."

Kentucky Folk Art Center is a cultural, educational and economic development service of Morehead State University. The Center is open Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday, 1 - 5p.m.

Additional information is available by calling [KFAC](#) at (606) 783-2204.

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## Annual tree lighting party offers fun, food and festivities

Morehead State University's Student Activities Council will ring in the winter holidays with its annual tree lighting party for children of the University's students, faculty and staff.

The party will be held on Thursday, Nov. 30, beginning at 4:30 p.m. in the Adron Doran University Center's first floor lobby.

The children are invited to enjoy an evening of fun, food and festivities, which includes photos with Santa, caroling, and reading of the traditional "The Night Before Christmas."

Various student organizations will be on hand with holiday-themed arts and crafts, such as ornaments and cards.

The lighting of the University's holiday tree is slated to begin at 6:45 p.m. at the tree across from ADUC on the Fields Hall lawn. Members of the community are invited to attend the ceremony.

In conjunction with the tree lighting party, the University Bookstore will hold a holiday open house from 4-7 p.m. Shoppers will enjoy free gift wrapping, drawings for storewide discounts of up to 50 percent and a free gift with every purchase, while supplies last.

Holiday music for the open house and the party will be provided by Leo Blair and Sandy Knipp.

Additional information is available by calling SAC at (606) 783-2071 or the University Bookstore at (606) 783-2081.

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## Cancer awareness activist will speak Nov. 29

A multi-talented artist who is a cancer survivor will be the featured speaker at a special event at Morehead State University.

Matuschka, a Pulitzer Prize-nominated photographer and cancer awareness activist will present "A Vision of Health and Creativity after a Deadly Diagnosis," on Wednesday, Nov. 29, on campus. Her multi-media presentation will be held at 4:30 p.m. in 2 Breckinridge Hall.

Matuschka was already well known as a photographer and model when she was diagnosed with breast cancer and underwent a total mastectomy in 1991. Her self-portraits, in which her surgical scars were prominently featured, caused a media stir and heightened the public's perception of breast cancer awareness and treatment.

One of Matuschka's portraits, 1993's "Beauty Out Of Damage," was nominated for a Pulitzer and was used by the New York Times Magazine on the cover story "You Can't Look Away Anymore - The Anguished Politics Of Breast Cancer."

She continued her efforts to bring cancer awareness to the forefront of global consciousness, and has fought for patients' rights for more than a decade. Matuschka's presentation is free and open to the public.

Her visit is sponsored by the University's Interdisciplinary Women's Studies Program, with support from the Caudill College of Humanities and the Buckner and Sally S. Hinkle Endowment for Humanities. Other co-sponsors are the Department of Art, the Institute for Regional Analysis and Public Policy and the Department of Nursing.

Additional information is available by calling Dr. Sylvia Henneberg, associate professor of English and director of the IWSP, at (606) 783-5288. For information on Matuschka, visit her Web site at [www.matuschka.net](http://www.matuschka.net) .  
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## Singers will present 'Hansel and Gretel' tonight

A familiar fairy tale set to music, and presented with holiday overtones and a pinch of Appalachian spice, will be performed on Tuesday, Dec. 5, at Morehead State University.

Engelbert Humperdinck's setting of "Hansel and Gretel" will be presented by MSU's [OperaWorks](#) at 8 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall within Baird Music Hall. Dr. Roma Prindle, associate professor of music, will direct the program, and Chia-Ling Hsieh, instructor of music, is the faculty accompanist. Several MSU students are involved in the production, as actors and/or singers. Alicia Zegelien, a **Mt. Sterling** junior, will play the role of Hansel, and Amy Trautwein, a **Louisa** junior, will portray Gretel. Clark Walker, a **Vinton, Ohio** , junior, will play the father, Peter, and Kristen Brown, **Richmond** sophomore, will be the mother, Gertrude.

Martina Wheeler, a **Louisa** graduate student, has been cast in the role of the evil witch.. Cassandra Manning, a **Maysville** sophomore, will play the Dew Fairy. Rounding out the main cast will be Melanie Everman, **Mt. Sterling** junior, as The Sandman.

The OperaWorks chorus includes several others from the campus: Heather Arrington, Cameron Painter and Mitch Copley, all of **Louisa** ; Kara Ferris of **Cincinnati** (45231); Aaron Cummins of **Louisville** ; Kyle Bentley of **Pikeville** ; Matt Leonard of **Winchester, Ohio** ; Dustin Stevens and John Secor, both of **Morehead** ; Manuel Castillo, of **Austin, Texas** ; and Will Murphy of **Hawesville** . The chorus also will feature singers from Morehead area churches.

There will be no admission charge for the performance. However, donations will be accepted, at the door and after the performance, to offset upcoming tour expenses.

OperaWorks will undertake its third international performance tour in 2008, which will showcase American song and opera in a 12-day trip to China.

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## SGA presented service and leadership awards

Two students and a faculty member recently were honored by Morehead State University's Student Government Association for service and leadership.

Dr. Stephen Herzog, associate professor of government, was presented with the Flying High Award for October. Dr. Herzog is active in researching civil procedure, contracts, copyright and computer law. He serves as the adviser of Alpha Lambda Pi, an academic club for legal professionals, and is coordinator for the paralegal studies program.

"Professor Herzog serves as a leader both in and out of the classroom," said SGA President Brian Gay,

Cincinnati graduate student. "He is very active outside of class, working with students and organizations to enrich the learning experience. He is widely respected by his students as both a friend and a distinguished educator."

Colin Malone, **Hebron** sophomore biology major, was given the Student of the Month Award. Malone, a member of Delta Tau Delta social fraternity, exemplifies student leadership, according to Gay. He has served as the treasurer of his fraternity, worked as a member of the student government congress, and is a member of the University's student discipline committee. Additionally, Malone has volunteered for the Big Brother/Big Sister program and assisted Morehead State students as a tutor.

The Senior of the Month Award was presented to Cynthia Fitzpatrick of **Prestonsburg**, a philosophy major. Fitzpatrick frequently has received statewide recognition for her accomplishments in the Residence Hall Association and the Phi Sigma Pi honors fraternity. She currently serves as the Residence Hall Association president and is active in promoting the University as a member of the statewide RHA.

Additional information is available by calling the SGA office at (606) 783-2298.

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## Alumnus named Doran Fellow

A seasoned school administrator has joined Morehead State University's faculty to assist with leadership initiatives in the College of Education.

Frank Welch has been named an Adron Doran Fellow and Special Assistant to the College of Education Dean. The principal of Belfry High School in Pike County from 1971-98, he served as that county's superintendent of schools from 1998 until earlier this year.

During his career, he also has been a high school teacher, assistant principal and principal. Welch has been recognized by state and national organizations and received numerous awards, including the principal of the year award from the Kentucky Association of Secondary School Principals and the National Association of Secondary School Principals. He also received Redbook Magazine's "Best of the State" Principal of Belfry in America's Best Schools Award in 1994.



After receiving an undergraduate degree from Pikeville College, Welch earned a master's degree in education from MSU, a rank I in educational administration and supervision from Eastern Kentucky University and completed postgraduate work at Syracuse University.

He was named to Morehead State's Alumni Hall of Fame in 1999.

"Welch will provide leadership in several specific areas, namely leadership support in identifying and planning P-12 partnerships with schools in MSU's service region, such as Leadership Academy development," said Dr. Cathy Gunn, college dean. "He also will attend College of Education leadership team meetings occasionally and will work directly with faculty in the Department of Professional Programs in Education."

Dr. Gunn described the leadership academy development as "an important step forward" for the college, and discussed related initiatives between MSU and the University of Sunderland in the United Kingdom.

"We are exploring a leadership academy concept that will enable area schools to 'grow their own' administrators, but will provide diverse opportunities through a collaboration with the University of Sunderland's educational administration program and through other summer experiences," she said.

"Frank brings a wealth of practice and understanding as a successful school leader to our college and we're looking forward to his leadership as we expand our instructional leadership programs in Eastern Kentucky." Welch is expected to serve in his new role at MSU until May 2007.

Additional information is available by calling the college at (606) 783-2040.

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## 'Learned Ladies' begins this week

Morehead State University theatre students will present six showings of Molière's "Learned Ladies."

Performances are slated for Nov. 28-30 and Dec. 1-2 at 7:30 p.m. in the Lucille Little Theatre within Breckinridge Hall. A matinee is set for Sunday, Dec. 3, at 2 p.m.

In this rollicking comedy, Molière offers a timeless satire of family rivalries and intellectual snobbery. The five women and seven men banter with each other in rich poetic dialogue.

Cast members include Summer Copley of Elkhorn City as the domineering mother, Philaminte; Darrick Trimble of Ashland, as her husband Chrysale; Kasi Orr of Butler, as daughter Armande; Christina Jeans of Falmouth, as daughter Henriette; and Joel Bentley of Campton, as Clitandre, and Zach March of Falmouth, as Vadius, Henriette's suitors.

Admission to the play is \$8 for adults, free to MSU students with a valid EagleCard ID and \$4 for non-MSU students and senior citizens.

Additional information on tickets or reservations is available by calling the Theatre Box Office at (606) 783-2170.

### **"LEARNED LADIES" CAST AND CREW**

Angela Bell, Louisville senior theatre major, is the stage manager. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bell, she is a member of MSU Players and Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary;

Joel Bentley, Campton freshman theatre major, as Clitandre. The son of Debbie Crose and O.J. Crose, he is a member of MSU Players and Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary;

Amanda Garyette Carter, Catlettsburg senior theatre education major, as Belise. Daughter of Gary and Nancy Carter, she is a member of Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary;

Jonathan Chanslor, Paris freshman theatre major, is the assistant stage manager. He is the son of Robert and Lori Chanslor;

Summer Copley, Elkhorn City graduate student majoring in theatre and communications, as Philaminte. The daughter of Roger and Sharon Copley, she is a member of MSU Players and a Theta Alpha Phi alum;

Lauren Dickerson, Hustonville senior theatre major, as Martine. Daughter of David and Marti Dickerson, she is member of MSU Players and Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary;

Carl Gibson, Elizabethtown sophomore Spanish major, as Ariste. Son of the Rev. Allen Gibson and Lori Gibson, he is a member of the MSU Players and MSU Jazz Ensemble;

Cal Harris, Cincinnati, Ohio, sophomore communications major, as Trissotin. The son of Sharon and Marc Harris, he is a member of MSU Players and Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary;

Tanna Hay, Isonville senior theatre major, is the assistant stage manager. The daughter of Mike and Kathy Hay, she is a member of MSU Players;

Joshua Hurley, Irvine senior video productions/theatre major, is the notary and lighting designer. Son of Joyce Hurley, he is a member of the Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary and Phi Beta Lambda;

Christina Jeans, Falmouth sophomore theatre major, as Henriette. The daughter of Randy and Debora Jeans, she is a member of MSU Players and Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary;

Zach March, Falmouth freshman theatre major, as Vadius. He is the son of Matt and Tina Shearer;

Kasi Orr, Butler sophomore theatre major, as Armande. Daughter of Rick and Lynn Orr, she is a member of MSU Players and a pledge of the Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary;

Stephanie Stringer, Goshen, Ohio, sophomore theatre major, is the assistant stage manager. The daughter of Karen and Darrell Stringer, she is a member of the Little Company, MSU Players and Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary;

Darrick Trimble, Ashland senior theatre major, as Chrysale. Son of Tracie Case and grandson of Patricia and Carl Hale, he is a member of MSU Players and Theta Alpha Phi theatre honorary.

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## MSU police telecommunicator graduates top of class

Morehead State University Police Telecommunicator Peter Lindsey graduated at the top of his class, earning the title of valedictorian.

The ceremony took place at the Department of Criminal Justice Training complex located on the Eastern Kentucky University's campus Friday, Nov. 17.

The 27 graduates, representing more than 20 emergency communications centers in Kentucky, began training Oct. 23. Training areas included basic telecommunications, the Criminal Justice Information System (LINK/NCIC), CPR, emergency medical dispatch, basic Spanish, family violence and crisis negotiation.

Lindsey has been with the Morehead State Police Department since May of this year.

Kentucky's House Bill 406 requires all full-time telecommunicators to complete a four-week training academy and attend annual professional development courses. The legislation ensures that telecommunicators across the state are uniformly trained and equally prepared to successfully perform their work.

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## Poinsettias for sale

Just in time for the holiday season, Morehead State University's Department of Agricultural & Human Sciences will be offering a variety of Poinsettias for sale, such as red, burgundy and jingle bells, which is red with pink flecks.

Sales will be held Monday through Friday, beginning Tuesday, Nov. 28, and running through Friday, Dec. 8, from noon until 5 p.m. Additionally, Poinsettias will be on sale Tuesday, Dec. 12, and Friday, Dec. 15, as the final days before the fall semester ends.

The cost of a 6-inch pot will be \$6 plus an additional \$1 for foil wrapping.

For your convenience, the Poinsettias will be for sale at the Campus Greenhouse, located next to Reed Hall on the campus. As demand has been heavy, you don't want to wait too long to make a purchase.

"We appreciate your continued support of our students and our programs," said Dr. Lane Cowser, chair of the department.

Additional information, or to place a large order, is available by calling the department at (606) 783-2662.

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## World renowned musician to hold percussion workshop

A world renowned cymbal, tambourine and triangle specialist will lead the Educational Orchestral Percussion Workshop at Morehead State University on Sunday, Dec. 3.

Neil Grover, who for more than 20 years has performed with the Boston Symphony and the Boston Pops, will host the workshop from 1 - 2:30 p.m. in Duncan Recital Hall within Baird Music Hall. It is free and open to the public. As the session will focus on the percussion accessory instruments, attendees are encouraged to bring along their tambourines.

The percussionist also has played with the Royal Ballet of England, Boston Musica Viva, American Ballet Theatre, Bolshoi Ballet and Boston Symphony Chamber Players. His movie credits include "Blown Away" and in a music video with the rock group Aerosmith.

In addition to the Boston Symphony and Boston Pops, he has recorded with the Philip Glass Ensemble, Empire Brass, and Music from Marlboro, on the Sony, RCA, Telarc, Nonesuch, Phillips and DGG labels. He recorded a special segment of percussion for the "Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom" movie.

An active percussion soloist, he has been heard at many music festivals including the Fromm Festivals at Tanglewood and Harvard, the Berkshire Music Center and for six consecutive summers, the prestigious Marlboro Festival.

He has had numerous articles published in leading music journals and is author of *Four Mallet Primer*, and co-author of *Triangle, Tambourine and Cymbal Technique*, both published by Merideth Music. As founder and president of Grover Pro Percussion, his innovative designs and manufacturing techniques have catapulted the standards of excellence in the percussion industry. Grover is a former adjunct professor of music at the Boston Conservatory and the University of Massachusetts. He has served on both the Board of Directors and Chairing the Sustaining Members Advisory Council of the Percussive Arts Society.

Additional information is available by calling Frank Oddis, MSU associate professor of music, at (606) 783-2487 or sending a message to [f.oddis@moreheadstate.edu](mailto:f.oddis@moreheadstate.edu).

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## MSU employees honored for service

Several Morehead State University employees have been honored for their milestone years of service. MSU President Wayne D. Andrews congratulated them at a special ceremony recently. Participating were, front row from left, Dr. Andrews, Luana Barker, 5; Pam Colyer, 10; Sue Russell, 5; Bill Redwine, 25; Shari Hays, 10; and Russ Adams, 5. Second row from left, are Ernestine Winfield, 15; Jill Ratliff, 5; Billie Horton, 10; Joel Pace, 10; Jane Fitzpatrick, 5; Denice Copher, 5; and Brenda Kissinger, 25. Back row from left, are Dayna Seelig, 15; Cynthia Faulkner, 5; Susan Maxey, 10; Sam Faulkner, 5; Richard Chatham, 5; Carla Rucker, 20; Lynne Fitzgerald, 20; Pam Moore, 20; Jane Tenyer, 10; and Tina McWain, 5.

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## Tuition forum will be held Dec. 6

Morehead State University students will have an opportunity to learn about University funding as it relates to tuition and fees at a special forum slated for Wednesday, Dec. 6.

The forum, scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. in the Riggle Room of the Adron Doran University Center, will include a presentation by Beth Patrick, vice president for planning, budgets and technology, which is expected to share financial information with students, making them aware of the funding needs of the University and the process by which tuition rates are set.

After the presentation, students will be permitted to submit comments and/or questions.

"The event organizers are trying to promote positive mediums of open communication between students and administrators," said Brian Gay, Student Government Association president. "They will not only detail MSU's resources and needs, but let the students know what they can do to impact the situation."

Additional information about the forum is available by calling the [Student Government Association](#) office at (606) 783-2298.

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## Stress and weight to be discussed

Morehead State University's Wellness Center staff is offering some early "gifts" to help the campus community enjoy a happier and healthier holiday season.

The center will sponsor three free classes, each filled with valuable information on fighting classic pre and post-holiday obstacles: stress, overeating and dealing with those extra winter pounds.

The first class, "Stress Management Workshop," will be held on Monday, Dec. 4. Dr. Teresa Hardman, associate professor of health, physical education and sport sciences, along with Josh McCurdy, health promotions graduate, will share the science of why we have stress, the different types of the condition and strategies on how to manage it. The workshop will begin at 6 p.m. in room 113 of the Wellness Center.

Looking forward to putting away a little more pumpkin pie than you should at Grandma's house this year? If so, you won't want to miss the second class in the series, "Healthy Holiday Eating," at 6 p.m. on

Tuesday, Dec. 5, also in 113 of the Wellness Center. Dr. John Warber, registered dietician, will offer tips on practicing healthier dining habits during a season filled with countless opportunities to overindulge.

If you find yourself barely squeezing into that little black party dress that fit just fine last year, or perhaps popping a button or two on your best dress shirt, then you may want to attend the third class in the series. In conjunction with the Wellness Center, St. Claire Regional Outpatient Center in Morehead will offer an informational session on its HMR Program for Weight Management. It will be held at the Wellness Center on Wednesday, Dec. 6, at 4:45 p.m. and again at 6 p.m.

With several diet options from which to choose, the program is considered ideal for anyone who wants to lose 10, to more than 200 pounds. The program provides intensive lifestyle education with specific "how to" tips to lose weight and improve health, and the support of a personal weight loss coach to help participants set and achieve goals.

It also offers the camaraderie of others going through the same struggles, and a state of the art maintenance program which focuses on three strategies critical for long-term weight management.

All three sessions are free and open to the public.

Additional information on the HMR program is available by calling (606) 783-6948, and details on any of the sessions are available by contacting the Wellness Center at (606) 783-2083.

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## Giving to others at the holiday season

Three Morehead State University units are combining their efforts to help the less fortunate during this holiday season.

Kentucky Center for Traditional Music, the Kentucky Folk Art Center and Morehead State Public Radio are coordinating a Holiday Toy and Food Drive.

Anyone who wishes to donate may drop off toys and/or food items at KFAC, located at 102 W. First St., or at KCTM's headquarters at 149 E. Main St., Morehead. The last day to make a contribution will be Tuesday, Dec. 12.

Food items will be donated to Christian Social Services, and the toys will go to Rowan County Christmas.

Additional information on the drive is available by calling KCTM at (606) 783-9001.

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## Senior citizens invited to party

Morehead State University's RSVP and the Rowan County Senior Citizens Center will host the Gateway Senior Citizen's and RSVP Christmas Party on Monday, Dec. 11, at 4 p.m. at the Carl Perkins Center.

All senior citizens in the five Gateway counties (Bath, Menifee, Montgomery, Morgan and Rowan) are invited to come together for a fun filled evening. Entertainment will be provided by local senior citizens along with a cake walk and numerous door prizes.

Refreshments and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

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## Employees honored for their years of service on Nov. 29

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Participating were, front row from left, Dr. Andrews, Tena Flannery, 5; Lyda McDaniel, 5; Bob Catron 35; David Peyton, 5; Vanessa Rice, 5; Meaghena Yasin, 20; and Barb Lewis, 25. Second row from left, are Barbara Ender, 5; Sarah Whitt, 5; Dan Collins, 5; David Peterson, 15; Kent Price, 5; Sean O'Keefe, 5; Teame Ghirmay, 5; Phillip James, 5; and Ethel Howard, 5.

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## Artist, cancer survivor speaks at MSU

Pulitzer Prize-nominated photographer Matuschka presented "A Vision of Health and Creativity after a Deadly Diagnosis" on Nov. 29 at Morehead State University. The cancer survivor and former model underwent a total mastectomy and uses images of her surgical scars to heighten the public's perception of breast cancer awareness and treatment. Her visit was sponsored by the University's Interdisciplinary Women's Studies Program, directed by Dr. Sylvia Henneberg, associate professor of English. Other support came from the Caudill College of Humanities, Buckner and Sally S. Hinkle Endowment for Humanities, MSU's Department of Art, the Institute for Regional Analysis and Public Policy and the Department of Nursing.

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