IMPORTANT DATES

September 29 – Graduate Thesis Mini-workshop in Turner 104A

October 1 – Nominations of students to serve as Marshals for Fall Commencement due CAST office.

October 8 – Deadline for University Outstanding Researcher and Research Initiative Awards

October 8 - Deadline for submissions for next NewsCAST.

October 22 – Deadline for CAST Outstanding Researcher Award

October 29 - Deadline for submitting URG proposals to the CAST Research Office

Criminal Justice Sciences

Dr. Bev Smith has learned that her article, “Women's Work-Trifles? The Skill and Insights of Playwright Susan Gaspell,” has been reprinted in Vol. 10 of Drama Criticism, (1999).


Health, Physical Education and Recreation

Dr. Gary D. Kinchin, (HPER), published “Making physical education meaningful for high school students” in the Journal of Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance, 70(5). Dr. Kinchin also presented a paper “Don Juan's Story: A high skilled students’ experiences with sport education” at the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance National Conference in Boston, MA. Dr. Kinchin was also an invited speaker at the Research and Graduate School at Southampton University, England where he presented “Facilitating gender equity in physical education: Making the case for sport education.”

The Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation would like to welcome six new faculty members.

Dr. Alan Lacy is the new Professor and Chairperson for the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation. Dr. Lacy comes to ISU
with an Ed.D. in Sport Pedagogy/Exercise Science from Arizona State University.

**Dr. Anthony Amorose** is the new Assistant Professor in Social Psychology of Sport and Physical Activity. He comes to ISU with a Ph.D. from the University of Virginia (Charlottesville).

**Beth Carpenter** is the new Lecturer and Coordinator of Student Teachers in Teacher Education. Beth comes to ISU with a M.S. from Eastern Illinois University.

**Sandra Klitzing** is the new Assistant Professor in Recreation. She comes to ISU with a M.S. in Leisure Studies, Therapeutic Recreation from the University of Illinois.

**Kristen Lagally** is the new Assistant Professor in Exercise Physiology. Kristen comes to ISU with a M.S. in Exercise Physiology from the University of Pittsburgh.

**Dr. Sandra Rehling** is the new part-time Supervisor of Student Teachers in Teacher Education. Sandra comes to ISU with a Ph.D. in Curriculum and Instruction, Specializing in Physical Education from Arizona State University.

**Jeffrey Seegmiller** is the new lecturer in Athletic Training. Jeff comes to ISU with a M.S. in Athletic Training, Biomechanics from Illinois State University.

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**Health Sciences**

**Paul Ronczkowski, Drs. Chris Janicak, Teresa Bellingar, Chris Monteressi and Gary Erisman** attended the September 14, 1999 meeting of the American Society of Safety Engineers, Central Illinois Chapter. Mr. David Cathey from the Kendall Safety Group spoke on Phase I and II environmental assessments.

**Jane Turley** attended the Illinois Foundation for Quality Health Care Regional Meeting in Springfield on Sept. 8.

**Drs. Bette Keyser and James Broadbear** co-authored an article recently published in the *Electronic Journal of Health Education* titled "The paradigm shift toward teaching for thinking: Perspectives, barriers, solutions and accountability."

The Health Sciences Alumni Organization won the Club of the Year Award for 1998/99. The ISU Alumni Association and Alumni Services give an award each year for the Alumni Chapter of the year and the Alumni Club of the year. The Health Sciences Organization has won this award 3 of the last 4 years. The award was presented at the ISU Alumni Leader’s Conference held at ISU on September 18 & 19, 1999. An award of $100.00 was also added to the Alumni Organization budget.

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**Industrial Technology**

**Dr. Richard Boser** accompanied three Construction Management students to the Building Officials and Code Administrators International Annual Conference in St. Louis on September 13 and 14. Student expenses were partially paid by educational grants from the Illinois Protective Officials Conference and State Farm Fire Insurance Company.

**Drs. Paul Bajere, Richard Boser, and Hank Campbell** accompanied 12 Construction Management students on a field trip to Del Webb's Sun City development in Huntley, Illinois on September 16. Students participated in four breakout tours that featured (a) model homes and marketing, (b) construction administration, (c) field procedures, and (d) land development. The Residential Construction Employers Council of the Chicago area sponsored the field trip.

**Hank Campbell** has been appointed to another three-year term as a member of the Board of Directors for the Occupational Development Center (ODC) in Normal. At their board meeting and Annual Awards Dinner held Thursday, September 16, at the Radisson Hotel in Bloomington, he was elected to serve as Secretary-Treasurer of the Board for 1999-2000. ODC is a
United Way agency that advocates for and provides employment for citizens with disabilities.

**Dr. Rodney L. Custer** is serving as a member of a national committee on technological literacy at the National Academy of Engineering in Washington, DC. This diverse committee, comprised of engineers, educators, a former astronaut, and policy makers, is charged with exploring the need for technological literacy in the education of all students K-12. A major policy report will be issued by the Academy within the next 2 years.

**Dr. Ken Stier** was selected to serve on the National Association of Industrial Technology (NAIT) Accreditation Visiting Team, which reviews Industrial Technology Programs across the nation for initial accreditation and re-accreditation. The visiting team's responsibilities include:

a. Reviewing the institution's self-study report.

b. Conducting at least a two-day, on-site visit to the institution.

c. Preparing a written report for the Board of Accreditation.

d. Having a team member present at the annual Board of Accreditation meeting.

**Dr. Ken Stier** attended a NAIT Accreditation Training Workshop sponsored by the Society of Manufacturing Engineers at the St. Louis Marriott West on September 16th and 17th.

Military Science students will attend a two-day field training exercise (FTX) at Marseilles National Guard training area on 25 and 26 September. This is a student planned and executed leadership exercise that familiarizes new students with the Military Science Leadership program and challenges more senior students as they practice recently acquired skills. The Peoria National Guard will transport students via Chinook helicopters to the training area Saturday morning. Students will focus on day and night land navigational skills, troop-leading procedures, and team building exercises. The Military Science faculty and staff will accompany the students and supervise all activities.

Military Science senior cadets will conduct an opening ceremony for the new rappel tower, located north of the Redbird Stadium, on Thursday, September 30 at 7:45 a.m. **Dean Rossman** will present opening remarks and will lead the first rappellers. Immediately following the ceremony, all Military Science cadets will experience rappelling from the 40-foot tower.