CSB Announces $3.5 Million Gift for Dining and Conference Center

Prepared by Mike Killeen, assistant director of media relations, Communication and Marketing Services

CSB formally broke ground on Aug. 29, on a 51,000-square-foot state-of-the-art dining and conference center to be named for the donors, Ben and Dorothy Gorecki of Milaca.

The couple's $3.5 million gift for the project is the largest single gift in the college's history. It is their second multi-million dollar gift to CSB. In 2002, they contributed a leadership gift to expand and renovate the BAC.

"The Goreckis came to know the college when their granddaughter was a student," said Mary-Ann Baenninger, CSB president. "They are remarkable people who are committed to sharing their good fortune to help others."

Funding for the new dining and conference center is one of two building projects included in CSB's $80 million capital campaign, Our Place in the World. The other was support for the enhancements to the BAC. To date, the college has raised $55 million toward its campaign goal.

The new two-story, $12 million building will replace the nearly 100-year-old CSB cafeteria and kitchen now located in the basement of the Main Building. The new project was necessitated by a 2004 agreement with the Sisters of the Order of Saint Benedict that the area be returned to the Sisters in 2007. The intimacy of the current dining hall will be maintained in the new center’s 7,600 square-foot main dining area. The building is expected to open in June 2007.

"Our students need and deserve a new dining center," Baenninger said. "Although the current dining center has been modernized and refurbished several times, it is basically the same resource that students used in 1913, at the founding of the college."

The first floor of the facility will feature a 3,600-square-foot lobby where coffee, sandwiches and soup will be available nearly 24-hours a day. The lobby will feature wireless internet connections and a large fireplace. It also will serve as a depot for the buses that run between CSB and SJU.

Upstairs, the building will feature a 7,400-square-foot banquet hall that can be divided into three smaller rooms for conferences and other events. Also equipped for high-speed internet and other smart technology, it will be among the largest public meeting facilities in the St. Cloud area. In the summer of 2008, 700 educators who are members of the Council on Undergraduate Research will use the facility for their national conference.

The Gorecki Dining and Conference Center is located in the heart of the CSB campus, adjacent to the Clemens Library and between the West Apartments and the BAC.
CSB and SJU Ranked among Top Liberal Arts Colleges in Two New Surveys

Prepared by Michael Hemmesch, director of media relations, Communication and Marketing Services

CSB/SJU was ranked among the top 100 liberal arts colleges in the United States in two rankings just released by national publications.

Both U.S. News & World Report and Washington Monthly rank the colleges among the nation’s top liberal arts institutions.

Since 1994, no other college in the country has moved further or faster in the U.S. News national liberal arts rankings than CSB, which has moved from the fourth quartile to the top 100. The magazine ranks 213 liberal arts colleges and the national liberal arts category includes the nation’s most prestigious and selective liberal arts colleges.

With a combined enrollment of 3,913, CSB and SJU have the largest enrollment of any college in the national liberal arts category.

SJU was the highest rated Catholic liberal arts college in the country in the Washington Monthly poll.

CSB/SJU and the College of the Holy Cross were again the highest rated Catholic liberal arts colleges in the nation, according to both rankings.

The second annual Washington Monthly College Rankings rates institutions on three primary criteria: how well it performs as an engine of social change (“ideally helping the poor to get rich rather than the very rich to get very, very rich”), how well it fosters scientific and humanistic research and how well it promotes an ethic of service to country.

The Washington Monthly poll can be seen online at The Washington Monthly College Rankings.

The U.S. News rankings take into account the academic reputation of the school, admissions selectivity, retention and graduation rates, class size, financial resources and alumni giving, among other factors.

The U.S. News poll can be seen online at America’s Best Colleges 2007.

CSB/SJU Sets Record Enrollment

Prepared by Michael Hemmesch, director of media relations, Communication and Marketing Services

CSB and SJU, ranked nationally among the top liberal arts colleges, together enrolled 3,913 undergraduate students this fall. This marks the first time total combined undergraduate enrollment has exceeded 3,900 students. CSB’s enrollment is 2,027, its third highest ever, while SJU has an enrollment of 1,886. With a combined enrollment of 3,913, CSB and SJU have the largest enrollment of any national liberal arts college.

New student enrollment totaled 506 at SJU and 540 at CSB for a combined class of 1,046.

The academic profile of the new class is nearly identical to last year’s entering class but is more diverse geographically, racially and ethnically. In total, American students of color and international students make up more than 10 percent of the new entering class this fall, the highest percentage ever at CSB/SJU.

“We enrolled a tremendously talented class this fall. They expect a great educational experience at CSB/SJU and we expect they will go on to lead lives of meaning and purpose within their communities after graduating from the colleges,” said Michael Thorp, CSB/SJU associate vice president and dean of admission and financial aid.

Overall retention of returning students from spring 2006 to fall 2006 rose by one percentage point at SJU and by three percentage points at CSB. In total, overall spring-to-fall retention (the carryover from spring 10th day to fall 10th day, excluding graduating seniors) totaled 75 percent at CSB and SJU. Year-to-year retention rates at CSB/SJU are among the highest in the country.

Both institutions exceeded their new student, diversity and retention goals.

CSB and SJU are two of the three highest rated Catholic liberal arts colleges in the nation and the top rated Catholic liberal arts colleges in the Midwest.

Wallis to Speak on Heritage Day

Best-selling author Jim Wallis will deliver a keynote address on Heritage Day, Sept. 27, on the SJU campus. Heritage Day has been designated as an occasion for CSB and SJU to celebrate their Benedictine values and history. This year’s theme is Community and the Common Good.

Wallis, a theologian, preacher, speaker, activist, and international commentator on ethics and public life, will speak on his latest book, God’s Politics: Why the Right Gets It Wrong and the Left Doesn’t Get It (HarperCollins, 2005), which was
on The New York Times bestseller list for four months. He will speak at 10 a.m. in the Abbey Church.

The schedule for the day is as follows:
8-9:30 a.m., coffee, rolls, and heritage display, Great Hall
9:40-10 a.m., ecumenical prayer service, Abbey Church
10 a.m.-12, keynote address: Jim Wallis
12-1 p.m., lunch
1-2 p.m., faculty-led discussion sessions
2:30-3:30 p.m., faculty-led discussion sessions
3:45-4:30 p.m., Eucharist, Abbey Church, Fr. Jerome Tupa

Saint John's Abbey and University Announce Heritage Edition of The Saint John's Bible

The Saint John's Abbey and University have announced the launch of the Heritage Edition, the long-awaited full-size reproduction of The Saint John's Bible. Available for subscriptions in pre-publication, the Heritage Edition will be available in the same seven volumes as the original and will include a special eighth volume of commentary. Limited to 360 numbered sets and signed by Donald Jackson, the artistic director of The Saint John's Bible, the Heritage Edition will be the only full-size reproduction of The Saint John's Bible published by Saint John's Abbey and University. Proceeds from the sale of the Heritage Edition will fund the continuing preservation of ancient Christian texts around the world, a permanent home for The Saint John's Bible, and study and teaching about manuscripts, the Bible, and the interaction of art and religion throughout the ages.

Students Toured South China for May-Term Study
Submitted by Joseph Rogers, CSB/SJU coordinator of Asian studies

Eleven CSB/SJU students and one student from St. Vincent College joined Joe Rogers, CSB/SJU coordinator of Asian studies, last May and June, for a month-long study tour of Hong Kong, Macau, and China’s Guangdong Province. The theme of the program was economic development and social change. The participants witnessed a society in transition from a state-controlled/state-planned economy to one driven by market forces, as well as the amazing social changes that have occurred in China as a result.

In Hong Kong, participants visited with many CSB/SJU alumnae/i and current students who provided invaluable insight into contemporary Chinese culture as well as access to factories and other commercial facilities. The group also toured the Pearl River Delta area, including Shenzhen, Guangzhou and Zhongshan, to observe one of China’s most outward-looking and prosperous regions. After a relaxing holiday on Hainan Island, the group visited Zhanjiang Normal University in Southeast China, a site of many recent students who provided invaluable insight into contemporary Chinese culture as well as access to factories and other commercial facilities. The group also toured the Pearl River Delta area, including Shenzhen, Guangzhou and Zhongshan, to observe one of China’s most outward-looking and prosperous regions. After a relaxing holiday on Hainan Island, the group visited Zhanjiang Normal University in Southeast China.

There, students took classes in Chinese language, culture, history and art. Each also experienced a weekend home-stay with a Chinese family.

CSB/SJU Grads to Teach English in Asia
Submitted by Joseph Rogers, CSB/SJU coordinator of Asian studies

As in years’ past, the CSB/SJU Asian Studies Learning Community helps graduates find teaching opportunities in Japan and China, with close to 20 recent graduates crossing the Pacific to teach English.

Daniel Dooher and Jason Stoffel will teach in Japan through the Japan Exchange and Teaching (JET) Program. Jon Walburg, another member of the CSB/SJU community who spent the last two years apprenticed to SJU artist-in-residence Richard Bresnahan, will also teach in Japan through the JET Program.

Daniel Lauer (SJU ’05), who began teaching through the JET Program last year, will again teach through JET this year in Nagano Prefecture. Beth Potvin (CSB ’04) and Chad Reker (SJU ’05) will teach at the prestigious Shogaku High School in Okinawa, Japan. There, they will join Aaron Toussaint (SJU ’05), now teaching in his second year. Off to Bunkyo Gakuin University, our closest partner and home for our Japan study abroad program, are Katherine Aubrecht (CSB ’06) and Magda Ruzickova (CSB ’06). From the Czech Republic, Magda will be the first international student graduate to teach at one of our partner schools in Japan.

CSB/SJU has nine recent graduates on their way to Southwest University (SWU) in Chongqing, the site of our China study abroad program. Cheval Morrison (SJU ’05) will join eight representatives of the class of ’06 at SWU, including Kyle Balder, Phil Benusa, Matt Bonham, Megan Fillipi, Jessica Hovey, Ben Oelhafen, Michael Scharenbroich and Kristina Sherman. Karla Forrest (CSB ’05) will join four members of the class of ’06 in teaching English at Xiamen University in Southeast China, including Adam Bauerly, Joshua Hewitt, Matt Reubendale, and JJ Seggelke. Nicole Naumann (CSB ’06) will teach through Maryknoll's China Service Project at Zhanjiang Normal University (ZNU), the host of three previous CSB/SJU May Term study programs. Nicole will join a long list of CSB/SJU alumni who have taught English at ZNU over the past 10 years.
Book Signings Announced for Home Football Saturdays

The SJU Bookstore is hosting author appearances before every home football game this fall in the campus bookstore in Sexton Commons. All book signings will take place from 11:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

On Sept 30, for Homecoming, the Rev. Michael J. Kennedy, Renee Rongen, William McNamara and the Rev. Hilary Thimmesh will sign their books in the bookstore.

Kennedy wrote Musings from Michael: An Inside-Out Look at Gospels and Life and attended SJU. He left during his senior year for the St. Paul Seminary and was ordained a priest in 1967.

Rongen will sign copies of her book Grandy's Quilt: A Gift for All Seasons. A 1983 CSB graduate, Rongen is a professional motivational/inspirational speaker.

McNamara wrote The Player's Tale, a book about his memories of attending SJU and playing football for John Gagliardi and the Johnnies. McNamara is a 1973 SJU graduate.

Thimmesh will sign copies of Saint John's at 150: A Portrait of This Place Called Collegeville.

On Oct 14, for Family Weekend, the Rev. Jerome Tupa and Thimmesh will sign their books.

Tupa wrote and illustrated The Road to Rome: A Modern Pilgrimage, a series of more than 50 paintings and watercolors that retrace the steps of pilgrims on their way to Rome to pay tribute to the Apostles Peter and Paul.


On Nov 11, the Rev. Kilian McDonnell and McNamara will be in the SJU bookstore.

McDonnell will sign copies of his poetry books Swift, Lord, You Are Not and his new book Yahweh’s Other Shoe.

The Record Wins National Award

Prepared by Tara Fasciana '07, student writer, Communication and Marketing Services

The weekly student newspaper, The Record, was awarded an honorable mention for best of show for a weekly paper on Aug. 6, during the Associated Collegiate Press’ national conference in Washington, D.C.

The University of Nevada, Reno; Rice University; and the University of South Dakota received the top three awards in the four-year college weekly or less frequently published newspaper category. The Record received the only honorable mention.

Each newspaper at the conference was judged by journalists from The Washington Post.

This is not The Record’s first distinction this year.

The Minnesota Newspaper Association awarded The Record first place for general excellence this past spring, plus nine other awards, in the 2004-2005 College Better Newspaper Contest, said Dana Drazenovich, The Record staff advisor for the last four years.

“I think the fact that The Record wins awards can be attributed to CSB/SJU’s strong liberal arts education, supportive administrations and communication department, positive environment and core group of inspired, talented, dedicated students willing to commit themselves to putting out a quality newspaper — week after week, year after year,” she said.

CSB/SJU Theater Professor Appears in New York City Play

Prepared by Mike Killeen, assistant director of media relations, Communication and Marketing Services

Adam Houghton is practicing what he teaches.

Houghton, a CSB/SJU assistant professor of theater, is appearing in the New York City debut of “The Burial at Thebes,” an adaptation by Irish poet Seamus Heaney of Sophocles’ tragedy “Antigone.” The play is produced by the Handcart Ensemble.

“I teach acting, and, for me, it is very important to do what I teach,” said Houghton, who portrays Creon in the production, which runs on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays from Sept. 7-23 at Theatre 315, New York City. “I ask my students to take risks in class — getting up in front of others to do something at which they could fail — and it helps my teaching to take those same risks.

“I have greater understanding of my students’ positions as actors and they have greater trust in me as a teacher,” Houghton said. “The work here in New York City has already improved how I teach.”

Houghton said it has not been difficult going from the director’s chair at CSB/SJU to taking direction as an actor.

“Taking this role, I knew I could trust the show’s director (J. Scott Reynolds), and I knew he valued my collaboration,” Houghton said. “There have been times when Scott chose to handle things differently than I would if I was directing the show, but that allows me to learn new ways of working. It also allows me to assess my work as a director at CSB/SJU against the standard of a New York City professional director.”

Houghton, in his fourth year at CSB/SJU, has been able to perform in productions of different types each year — in a department production, a one-man
CD Honors Mother Benedicta

A music CD, “The Riepp Suite,” in honor of Mother Benedicta Riepp, OSB (1825-1862) is on sale at the CSB/SJU Bookstores. Mother Benedicta was the Bavarian founder of Benedictine women’s monasticism in the United States. Mother Benedicta began the first monastic houses in this country and today 48 communities count her as their foundress. The CD is a 10-year journey through Mother Benedicta’s work in the United States, her struggles, and her ultimate victory. Its production was supported by the Benedictine Heritage Committee and a Lilly Endowment grant.

Joan Wingert, a 1991 graduate of Saint John’s School of Theology, wrote and performed the music score; Jill Zasadny, a first-year symposium instructor, wrote the lyrics.

The CD release will be followed in the spring by a play on the CSB campus, and finally a book, Soe the Wind, Riepp: the Whirlwind.

Faculty/Staff News

Leigh W. Dillard, assistant professor of dance, theater department, served on the prestigious 2006 McKnight Choreographers Fellowship panel. From June 2005 through May 2006, she viewed works of over 65 Minnesota choreographers in live performance and on video; the panel selected three for McKnight Artist Fellowships of $25,000 per choreographer. Since 1981, the McKnight Fellowships have provided recognition and financial support for mid-career choreographers and dancers. Also serving on the panel were Diane Aldis, Perpich Center for Arts Education; Marcela Lorca, Guthrie Theater; Uri Sand, TU Dance; and Tere O’Connor, New York choreographer and teacher.

Sanford Moskowitz, assistant professor of management, recently presented two papers, “Advanced Resources, Global Entrepreneurship and Regional Competitive Advantage” and “The Role of the European Union in the Internationalization of SMEs within Western and Eastern Europe: Lithuania vs. Moldova,” at the Academy of World Business, Marketing and Development Conference in Paris.

Following Moskowitz’s presentation, he was admitted as an Associate Fellow to the Academy of World Business.

Moskowitz and CSB senior management major Roxanne Rabe were recently accepted to present their paper, “Ethical Convergence, Globalization, and the Multinational Corporation: Bridging the Cultural Divide Within MNEs and International Joint Ventures,” at the International Conference on Corporate Social Responsibility at Humboldt University in Berlin.

Julie Reitmeier was recently promoted to the position of assistant director of annual giving at CSB. Reitmeier has been an integral part of the Annual Giving staff for the past five years.

Thorpe Running, professor emeritus, has recently agreed to serve on the editorial committee of the Argentinean journal, Palabra y Persona, which has high-level contributors, and deals with topics in literature, politics and philosophy.

Aaron Raverty, OSB, editor at Liturgical Press, participated in a China study tour June 1-21 with 13 other international invitees – priests, brothers, sisters, a seminarian and a student – arranged by Baulu Kuan, OSB of Saint Benedict’s Monastery.

Besides visiting a range of towns and cities in mainland China to become acquainted with this nation’s rich historical and archeological sites, universities, libraries, and museums, the group also toured Buddhist temples, a Muslim mosque, urban and rural Catholic parishes, cathedrals and basilicas, religious men’s and women’s communities, and seminaries, and met with two Chinese bishops to discuss the Catholic Church in China.

The American Benedictine Academy (ABA) elected Raverty to a two-year term on its Board of Directors at its convention in Lisle, Ill., Aug. 10-13.
Saint John’s University recently received its fourth award from the Hearst Foundations, San Francisco, to underwrite an endowment for Hearst Scholars at the University. The $100,000 award increased the Hearst Endowment to $300,000. This year’s Scholars are seniors Jaime Compean III, El Paso, Texas; Dustin Mercado, White Bear Lake; and Ryan Palacio, Eagan.

Rick Saucier, assistant professor of management, presented “Identifying a Target Market for The Saint John’s Bible Collector’s Edition” at the Society for Case Research 28th Annual Summer Case Writers’ Workshop in Fort Wayne, Ind., on July 7. The case was co-authored by Jane Kathman, professor of management.

Richard Bohr, professor of history and director of Asian studies, conducted a two-week workshop at Saint Paul Academy on East Asian studies for 14 Twin Cities middle and high school teachers. The workshop was intended to provide the curricular and bibliographic resources to help participants integrate China, Korea, and Japan into existing and new courses in a variety of disciplines. The workshop participants will spend the next year developing new syllabi on East Asia, which they will share with one another next summer.

CSB student Melissa Rosenthal and SJU student Bruce Walkley each have been named a 2006 Undergraduate Fellow by The Fund for Theological Education (FTE). They are among 70 talented students from across the country who have been awarded a fellowship as part of the Fund’s efforts to encourage gifted young people to explore ministry as a vocation.

Saint John’s Pottery Studio was awarded a grant of $20,000 from the McGlynn Family Foundation to continue to underwrite the costs of studio apprentices. Dan McGlynn ’76 and the McGlynn family have been underwriting the Pottery Studio program since 2003. Studio apprentices aid master potter and artist-in-residence Richard Bresnahan in the day-to-day tasks at the Pottery. Andy Juelich ’06 was recently appointed one of the two McGlynn Apprentices. He joins Ben Suga, a recent graduate of the University of Nebraska. Both will serve two-year terms.

In the Media

Diane Veale Jones, professor of nutrition, quoted Sept. 5, in St. Cloud Times article, “Forget the 15, focus on health.”


CSB featured Aug. 30, in St. Cloud Times article, “St. Ben’s, St. John’s students to get new services, facilities.”

MaryAnn Baenninger, CSB president, interviewed for Aug. 24, WJON-AM stories, “CSB posts record enrollment” and “St. Ben’s, St. John’s students to get new services, facilities.”

The Saint John’s Bible featured Aug. 24, in St. Cloud Times article, “For $115,000, a heritage Bible could be yours.”

Richard Bohr, professor of history and director of Asian Studies, mentioned in Aug. 23, St. Paul Pioneer Press article, “Class on U.S.-China relations.”
Norma Dickau, retired academic librarian, mentioned in Aug. 23, Crookston Times article, “Library to host Spanish Language Outreach program Thursday.”

David Davis, SJU alumnum, mentioned in Aug. 22, Pasadena Star-News article, “City of Hope names nursing director.”

Don Forbes, bookstore director, and Cindy Dirkes, textbook manager, quoted in Aug. 21, St. Cloud Times article, “Textbooks: An unavoidable cost of education.”

CSB featured in Aug. 20, Philanthropy News Digest article, “Lilly Endowment Awards $500,000 to Develop Women Church Leaders.”

John Hasselberg, associate professor and chair of management, quoted in Aug. 18, Minneapolis/St. Paul Business Journal article, “Area plugs into education resources.”

Terence R. Pladson, M.D., CSB Board of Trustee member, featured in Aug. 18, Minneapolis/St. Paul Business Journal article, “Movers & Shakers.”

Anna Thompson, executive director of Fine Arts Programming, interviewed for Aug. 18, WJON-AM story, “St. Ben’s Arts Center is getting a makeover.”


Online links to news stories are available at http://www.csbsju.edu/news/

The Welcome Mat

We welcome the following to the CSB/SJU community:
Bill Vos, Campus Ministry
Angela Hummel, Campus Ministry
Kathryn Botsford, Theater
Evan Creed, Psychology
Sarah Dickens, Residential Life
Christina Cariveau, Residential Life
Jessie Sandovol, Residential Life
Pat Michaud, Athletics
Lindsey Geyer, Counseling
Elizabeth Buhl, Counseling and Health Promotion
Nathan Eric Hampton, Assistant Soccer Coach
John Lloyd, President’s Office
Benjamin Storkamp, Food Service
Jennifer Joffee, Art
Emily Esch, Philosophy
Julie Davis, History
Brendan LaRocque, History
Jean Lavigne, Environmental Science
Alison Guenther-Pal, MCL
Tonya Schmidt, Accounting
Philip Kramer, Education
Brian Armstrong, Philosophy
Jessica Harkins, English
Bastiaan Vanacker, Communication
Rhonda Armstrong, FYS
Rena Sespene-Hinz, Social Work
Jean Sperl, Nursing
Mark Glen, Nutrition
Neal Allen, Political Science
Derrick Lindstrom, Communication
Joseph Buonanno, Psychology
Elizabeth Hope, Sociology
Christian Morris, Theology
Robert Gazich, Management
Christina Hennessy, MCL
S. Ephrem Hollerman, Theology
Dave Zoeller, Management
Shelly Gemza, Upward Bound
Lindsay Geyer, Counseling and Health

Michael Ziomko, HMML
Craig Lindberg, Life Safety
Jeremy Ploof, Institutional Advancement
Peter Amann, Institutional Advancement
Craig Bruner, HMML
Gwendolyn Schimek, Student Activities
Margaret Arnold, Institutional Advancement
Richard Crawford, Fine Arts
Susan Sink, Liturgical Press
Matthew Harkins, English
Laura Bengtson, Liturgical Press
Melissa Holm, Arboretum
Cheri Supalla, Dining Service
Steven Devereaux, Arboretum
Michael Connolly, Campus Life
Erin Lonergan, HMML

Farewell to Friends
Shelly Giswold, Bookstore
Mary Johnson, Student Accounts
Julie Murphy, Athletics
Richard Erpelding, Custodial Services
Kendra Vessey, Business Office

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Events Calendar
FALL 2006

Aug. 28-Oct. 15
Visual Arts Exhibits
Andrea Shaker, CSB/SJU professor of art, “Waiting in Exile”
CSB Gorecki Gallery
Bethany Kalk, “Doubtful Advantage”
CSB Gallery Lounge

Sept. 20
Values and the Election: What are family values?
Professor Janet Hope
Public Policy Learning Community & Controversial Conversations
Panel Debate, 2006 Elections
CSB HCC Alumnae Hall, 7 p.m.

Sept. 22-23
Actors’ Gang Theater presents George Orwell’s 1984
SJU Stephen B. Humphrey Theater
8 p.m. Sept. 22, and 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Sept. 23

Sept. 27
Heritage Day (No Classes)
Community and the Common Good
With keynote address by Author Jim Wallis
Abbey Church

Sept. 28
Preston Garrison, “A World View of Men’s Mental Health”
7 p.m. Pellegrene Auditorium
Men’s Lives

Oct. 2-3
Company of Angels: The Story of Charlotte Salomon
CSB Gorecki Theater, 8 p.m.

Oct. 5/6
FREE DAYS

Oct. 8
Fr. Bill Graham Lecture: Discovering our vocation as Catholics

Oct. 9
2006 Clemens Dinner and Lecture. Vernon W. Ruttan, Regents’ Professor Emeritus in the departments of economics and applied economics at the University of Minnesota.

Oct. 11-15, 17-21
Dames at Sea: A Musical Comedy
CSB Colman Theater, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 16
Values and the Election: Is a budget a moral document?
Professor Dan Finn
Public Policy Learning Community & Controversial Conversations
Panel Debate, 2006 Elections
SJU Quad 264, 7 p.m.

Oct. 19-20
Judith Yaphe (National Defense University) Visit
Public Lecture: Oct. 19, Alumnae Hall, HCC
Global Awareness, Renaissance Residency Program

Oct. 20-22
Midwest Society for Women in Philosophy
SCSU (CSB/SJU department of philosophy co-hosting with SCSU)

Oct. 24-25
Norah Vincent campus visit
Presentation on her book, “Self-made Man: One Woman’s Journey to Manhood and Back Again”
CSB, Alumnae Hall, Haehn Campus Center, Oct 24, 7:30
Women’s Lives, Men’s Lives

Nov. 1
Values and the Election: What values should shape America’s role in the world?
Professor Kay Wolsborn
Public Policy Learning Community & Controversial Conversations
Panel Debate, 2006 Elections
SJU Alumni Lounge, 7 p.m.

Nov. 9
Koch Chair Lecture: Peter Phan (Georgetown University)
“A Different World: Catholic Models from Asia”

Nov. 14-17
Charles Simic Residency
Critical Thinking, LAI, Logos

Nov. 15
Raymond Baker (Center for International Policy), “Capitalism’s Achilles Heel: Dirty Money and How to Renew the Free Market System”
CSB Alumnae Hall, HCC, 7 pm
Global Awareness

Nov. 16
Charles Simic Reading
SJU Pellegrene Auditorium, 7:30

Nov. 22 – 26 THANKSGIVING BREAK

Dec. 14 LAST DAY FALL CLASSES