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# LYNN ANDERSON HEADLINES FIRST EMU HALFTIME SHOW

Grammy Award winning country-western star Lynn Anderson will be the featured halftime performer when Eastern kicks off its football season Sept. 3 against Marshall University.

Anderson's appearance on campus will culminate a day-long series of events designated "Community and Labor Day" here.

A full day of activities is planned for the Rynearson Stadium area. The first event scheduled is a three-kilometer fun run which will begin at 2:30 p.m. at Rynearson Stadium and wind through campus. An intrasquad baseball game is scheduled on the baseball diamond at 3 p.m. and music by Paul Webb and the Young Country Band also will begin at 3 p.m. A soccer exhibition is scheduled for 5 p.m. on the soccer field north of the stadium.

Throughout the afternoon and up until kickoff, food tents featuring barbecued chicken and ribs (the College Fund Group), bratwurst (Wiard's Orchard) and soft drinks (Boys and Girls Club of Ypsilanti) will be serving. Pretzels, popcorn and ice cream also will be available. In addition, families are welcome to bring their own picnics, and picnic tables will be available.

Among the special features for children will be a visit by Chuck E. Cheese and friends about 6 p.m.

Pre-game activities will include a salute to organized labor at 7:15 p.m. and the singing of the national anthem by Bob Taylor, the singing plumber from Ann Arbor and disc jockey at radio station WJR in Detroit.

Kickoff of the 1983 football season for the Hurons under new head coach Jim Harkema will come at 7:30 p.m. The Hurons will reveal for the first time their new look "air option" offense.

Halftime will be an extravaganza with entertainment by Lynn Anderson. Known primarily for her Grammy Award winning hit "I Never Promised You a Rose Garden" in 1971, other hits include "Cry," "Top of the World," "Even Cowgirls Get the Blues," and "Rocky Top" which was recently declared the official state song of Tennessee.

Anderson has 16 gold records to her credit worldwide and includes among her many awards Country Music Association's Best Female Artist; National Academy of Recording Arts and Science's Best Female Vocalist, Country; Country Music Association's Top Female Singer; Academy of Country Music's up and coming artist and Top Female Vocalist.

Anderson has hosted her own prime time special on CBS, appeared on many variety shows and specials and has acted in two made-for-television movies, including "Country Gold" in 1982.

Admission for all of the activities scheduled for Eastern Michigan's salute to labor and the community is \$6 for reserved football tickets, \$3 for general admission and \$2 for students high school age and under.

For information, call the Athletic Department at 7-0351.

# DIRECTORS OF ADMISSIONS, HOUSING LEAVE UNIVERSITY

Donald J. Kajcienski, director of Admissions and Thomas Sullivan, director of Housing and Food Services, are leaving the University to accept positions at other colleges.

Kajcienski will be associate dean of Admissions, Records and Research at California State College at San Bernardino.

Sullivan has accepted the associate provost position at Wayne County Community College.

# TIAA-CREF READIES MERGED-GENDER ANNUITY TABLES FOLLOWING SUPREME COURT RULING

As a result of the U.S. Supreme Court's recent decision, Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association-College Retirement Equities Fund (TIAA-CREF) is moving as quickly as possible to obtain approvals for adoption of merged-gender mortality tables for use in determining annuity benefits resulting from future premiums paid to TIAA-CREF annuities.

A recent news release from TIAA-CREF summarized the supreme court decision and referred to two related cases which were sent back to lower courts for resolution.

In commenting on the supreme court decision, TIAA-CREF chairman Tom Edwards said, "It is my judgement that this long-awaited opinion by the nation's highest court will require adoption of merged-gender (unisex) mortality tables for use in determining benefits resulting from future contributions to TIAA-CREF annuities."

Edwards emphasized that the decision, described by the Court as "prospective only," will not affect benefits now being paid, or any future benefits resulting from premiums paid prior to the effective date to be determined by the lower court.

According to Edwards, TIAA-CREF will take whatever steps necessary to bring TIAA-CREF annuities into compliance as of the court-approved date. Also, TIAA-CREF will keep participating institutions and participants up-to-date on further developments.

## RESEARCH

# Disease-Related Grant Programs

The Office of Research Development has received several program and research announcements that are related to specific diseases. Although the RIM file has not provided the names of any individuals with interests in these areas, the announcements are being publicized to insure that no one is inadvertently overlooked.

American Diabetes Association

- Research and Development Award
- Feasibility Grant Program

#### Arthritis Foundation

- Postdoctoral Fellowships
- Arthritis Investigator Awards

- Traineeships
- Research Grants

American Cancer Society

- Research
- Clinical Investigation Grants

Persons interested in any of these programs should contact M. Antoinette Schiesler at 7-3090 for guidelines and application materials.

# PROVOST'S FACULTY LUNCHEON, NEW FACULTY ORIENTATION SCHEDULED

Provost and Vice President for Academic Affairs Dr. Ronald W. Collins will host a Provost's Faculty Luncheon Tuesday, Sept. 6 from noon to 2 p.m. in the Ballroom of McKenny Union.

Collins will discuss the state of the Academic Affairs division in a Provost's address following the luncheon.

New Faculty Orientation will begin immediately following the Provost's address in the Alumni Lounge in McKerny Union.

The Emeritus Faculty will sponsor a program which will include representatives from all University divisions. Also, members of the Emeritus Faculty will meet with new faculty members to answer questions and provide a sense of history and attachment to EMU. For more information, call the Provost office at 7-3200.

## CENTER OF EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

The intersession hours for the University Library and Media Services Center are as follows: Monday, Aug. 29 to Friday, Sept. 2 -8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 3 to Monday, Sept. 5 (Labor Day) - CLOSED Tuesday, Sept. 6 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 7 - 7:45 a.m. - midnight. The Instructional Support Center will b

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Focus EMU will resume weekly publication with the Sept. 6 issue and will be distribute every Tuesday during the fall and winter semesters. The deadline for copy is 5 p.m. Tuesday's for the next week's issue.

The Office of Information Services publishes Focus EMU for faculty and staff at Eastern Michigan University.

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## OPENINGS

The Personnel Office announces the following vacancies:

Clerical/Secretarial (Minimum Bi-weekly Rate) CS-03 - \$392.04 - Account Clerk -Accounting. CS-04 - \$427.34 - Library Assistant II - Center of Educational Resources (Two positions). CS-04 - \$427.34 - Supervising Clerk -University Bookstore. CS-04 - \$427.34 - Secretary II -Office of Academic Affairs. CS-05 - \$474.34 - Library Assistant III - Center of Educational Resources. REPOSTING: (Originally posted May 31, 1983) CS-03 - \$392.04 - Library Assistant I (50 percent FTE) - Center of Educational Resources. CS-04 - \$427.34 - Library Assistant II - Center of Educational Resources. Final date for the acceptance of internal applications for the above positions is Sept. 7, 1983. Administrative/Professional/Technical (Minimum Bi-weekly Range) PT-06 - \$559.70 - \$794.78 -Accountant I - Accounting. Deadline date: Oct. 14, 1983. PT-07 - \$643.68 - \$926.90 -Accountant II - Accounting. Deadline date: Oct. 14, 1983. PT-07 - \$643.68 - \$926.90 -Coordinator, Recreation/Intramurals -Dept. of Recreation/Intramurals. Deadline date: Sept. 30, 1983. PT-07 - \$643.68 - \$926.90 - User Consultant - University Computing. Deadline date: Sept. 7, 1983. AP-10 - \$945.26 - \$1,417.92 -Assistant Controller - Accounting. Deadline date: Oct. 14, 1983. AP-12 - \$1,206.98 - \$1,858.75 -Director of Admissions - Admissions.

Deadline date: Oct. 31, 1983.

Internal applicants for the above Clerical/Secretarial and Administrative/Professional/Technical positions should submit a Promotional Openings Application form to the department in which the vacancy exists.

Faculty Department of Nursing Education. The Department of Nursing Educa-Fion is accepting applications to en

hance the applicant pool for a temporary 'lecturer position to teach a two (2) credit hour course in pathophysiology Winter Semester 1984. Requires a Master's degree or equivalent. Experience in teaching pathophysiology at the University level is preferred.

Department of Physics and Astronomy.

The Department is accepting applications for part-time lecturers to enhance the applicant pool for future temporary assignments. Preference will be given to applicants who have completed the Ph.D in appropriate area of study, but advanced Ph.D candidates or individual with a Master's degree and appropriate experience will be considered.

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# KURETH ATTENDS NUCLEAR POWER CONFERENCE

Dr. Elwood J.C. Kureth, head of the Geography, Geology and Physics and Astronomy departments was one of just 50 individuals invited to attend a one week course during August on breeder reactors at the Argonne National Laboratory located in Idaho Falls, Idaho.

Subject matter concerned the present United States breeder reactor program and associated issues. Speakers included representatives from several American universities as well as experts from Argonne West, public utility companies, and European industries.

While the basic thrust of the course dealt with such topics as the Role of Nuclear Power in the World Energy Supply, Nuclear Waste Disposal and Aspects of Breeder Safety, the nuclear position of the United States today was evaluated. Concerns relating to the slow development of nuclear technology and its commercial application compared to European nations, Japan and Taiwan were thoroughly discussed.

Also, the course involved a one day visit to the site of the Experimental Breeder Reactor II, a reactor that has been functioning flawlessly for nineteen years. The inspection of facilities included a tour of the Zero Powered Plutonium Reactor and the Hot Fuel Examination Facility. Officials of the Argonne National Laboratory have indicated that this site represents one of the most advanced in the nation for the development of liquid-metal cooled fast breeder reactors.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS, Aug. 30 - Sept. 5

Tuesday, Aug. 30 The AFSCME Local 1666 Executive Board will meet, Gallery I, McKenny Union, 7 p.m.

The Bargaining and Grievance Committee of UAW Local 1975 will meet, Gallery I, McKenny Union,12:30 p.m.

The Ypsilanti Cable Commission will meet, Oxford Room, McKenny Union, 4 p.m.

#### Thursday, Sept. 1

Latino Advisory Council meets today and Friday, Sept. 2, Gallery II, McKenny Union, 9 a.m.

Faculty Seminar and Luncheon -College of Education faculty, Alumni Lounge, Ballroom, McKenny Union, 9 a.m.

Nursing faculty workshop, Gallery I, McKenny Union, 8:30 a.m.

Mercy School of Nursing meets through Sept. 16, Tower Room and Alumni Lounge, McKenny Union, 9 a.m.

### Friday, Sept. 2

Phi Eta Psi will hold a convention today and Saturday, Sept. 3, Alumni Lounge, McKenny Union, 9 a.m.

Student Leaders/Advisory Committee Luncheon, Cambridge Room, McKenny Union, 11 a.m.

Women's volleyball team will play in a tournament today and Saturday, Sept. 3 - Pittsburgh, PA.

Hurons meet Marshall in the 1983 season opener, part of a full day of activities celebrating "Community and Labor Day," Rynearson Stadium area, game time, 7:30 p.m. Activities begin at 2:30 p.m. with a 3-kilometer Fun Run through campus. The highlight of the day will be a halftime show featuring country-western star Lynn Anderson and a pre-game salute to organized labor.

## Monday, Sept. 5

LABOR DAY HOLIDAY - All University offices will be closed.

#### WEMU HIGHLIGHTS

#### Tuesday, Aug. 30

1 a.m. - Jazz Scope After Hours with host George Klein.

12:30 p.m. - Let's Hear It - A news magazine service for the visually handicapped.

## Tuesday, Aug. 30 (Continued)

7:30 p.m. - The Lord of the Rings - "The Houses of Healing."

10 p.m. - Jazz at the Institute - A Don Redman Tribute.

## Wednesday, Aug. 31

l a.m. - Jazz Scope After Hours with host Bret Julyk.

12:30 p.m. - Focus - Public Affairs and world issues.

7 p.m. - Chautaugua Lecture Series -John Houseman begins with anecdotes and reflects on historical events.

11 p.m. - Montreux '82 Special - Sir Roland Hannah and Pepper Adams go solo and then as a duo helping you relive 3 great moments at M/D '82.

## Thursday, Sept. 1

l a.m. - Jazz Scope After Hours with host Bret Julyk.

12:30 p.m. - Common Ground.

7 p.m. - Unified Space Command -SPECIAL - a discussion concerning the possibility of forming a world space police force.

## WEMU News and Information

- 6 9 a.m. Morning Edition WEMU host Jeffrey Hoag presents three full hours of local news, sports, features of special interest, weather and much more combined wi the expertise of the National Public Radio Morning Edition team
- 12 noon -
  - 12:30 p.m. The Noon Magazine WEMU host Steve Palma brings a 30-minute news break to your busy day.
- 5 5:20p.m. News with Karen Pitton News, sports, weather, stock reports.
- 9 9:10p.m. News with Karen Pitton A last look at what's happening in Washtenaw County and the world.
- And . . Every Day
- 8 9 p.m. All Things Considered NPR's award-winning news program with Susan Stamberg and Noah Adams.

## NOTICE

Beginning this fall, Focus EMU will feature a new column with personal information about faculty and staff. Please share any births, deaths, engagements, weddings, vacations, etc. with other members of the University community. Send your notices to "Campus Chatter," Focus EMU Editor, Office of Information Services, 330 Snow Health Center. Deadline is Tuesdays at 5 p.m. for the next week's issue.