

the Update

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This Week's Events

Monday August 15

Five-day workweek begins

Wednesday August 17

WFMA...
Arts for All Workshop 9 a.m. WFMA

Facilities Services...
Retirement Reception
for Buddy Linton 3-4:30 p.m. Dillard 189

Thursday August 18

WFMA...
Arts for All Workshop 9 a.m. WFMA

Saturday August 20

WFMA...
Live at the Lake: Wichita Theater 6 p.m. WFMA

Athletics...
Exhibition Game: Men's Soccer at SMU 7 p.m. Dallas, Texas

Around Campus

Retirement Reception: Buddy Linton

A retirement reception honoring Buddy Linton will be from 3-4:30 p.m. Wednesday, August 17, in Dillard 189. Come and celebrate his service to MSU. For more information, call ext. 4228.

Arts for All Workshop

The Wichita Falls Museum of Art at MSU will host two workshops for the Arts for All public art mural project from 9 a.m. - noon Wednesday, August 17, and Thursday, August 18. The project involves the celebration of Wichita Falls, the creation of artworks, and community collaboration in the construction of a public mural in downtown. Chicago artist Anne Farley Gaines will lead the project. For more information, contact the museum at ext. 8900.

Live at the Lake: Wichita Theater

The Wichita Falls Museum of Art at MSU's Live at the Lake summer concert series will feature Wichita Theater from 6-8:30 p.m. Saturday, August 20, at the Priddy

Pavilion at Sikes Lake. Admission is free. Bring blankets or lawn chairs. A food truck will be on site. For more information, call the museum at ext. 8900.

Mark Your Calendar

Opening Meeting

The annual Opening Meeting will be at 9 a.m. Monday, August 22, in Akin Auditorium. Faculty and staff employed since September 1, 2015, will be introduced and are asked to sit in the reserved section at the front of the auditorium. Refreshments will be available in the Hardin Foyer following the meeting.

MSU Mustangs Roundup 2016

Sunday, August 21

- Welcome to Roundup
Pep Rally: 2 p.m.
- Mustangs Roundup Picnic:
Food, friends, and fun on the
Jesse W. Rogers Promenade
- Meet Your Peer Counselor
- Color Craze Party: 8 p.m.

Monday, August 22

- Scavenger Hunt
- MSU History & Traditions:
Games and competitions
to test your MSU Spirit!

Tuesday, August 23

- Party at the Quad: 5 p.m.
- Men's Soccer vs. Oklahoma
Wesleyan (*scrimmage*): 7 p.m.

Wednesday, August 24

- Roundup Olympics
- MSU - The Game Show
- Icebreakers & Ice Cream

Thursday, August 25

- Theater Production:
After Last Night
- Outdoor Movie

Friday, August 26

- Academic Success Day
- Comedian Finesse Mitchell:
8 p.m.

Tenth Annual Welcome Back Dinner

Everson Walls will be the guest speaker at the annual Welcome Back Dinner on Sunday, August 28. The silent auction and social will begin at 5:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 6 p.m. and the program at 6:45 p.m. Walls, who graduated from Berkner High School in Richardson, Texas, joined the Dallas Cowboys in 1981, where he

developed into one of the most feared cornerbacks in the NFL. The undrafted free agent from Grambling State broke the single-season record with 11 interceptions during his rookie season.

After nine seasons with the Cowboys, Walls continued his career with the New York Giants, where he was the leading pass defender with six interceptions on the Giants' Super Bowl Team. He finished out his career with the Cleveland Browns and retired in 1993. During his 12 seasons in the NFL, Walls was a four-time Pro Bowl selection, a two-time Second-Team All-Pro selection, First-Team All-Pro selection, and the only three-time season leader in interceptions. Walls is ranked at No. 10 on the all-time career interceptions list.

Today, Walls serves as a TV personality and commentator for various national sports talk shows and is involved in real estate development. He lives in Dallas and believes that giving back to the community that supported him is important, as he donates his time to various charitable organizations and events.

Individual tickets are \$75 and \$350 for a table of six. For more information, contact the Department of Athletics at ext. 4779.

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Academic Wall Calendars Available at Print Shop

The University Print Shop is offering an academic wall calendar for \$2.60 each. The 12-month calendar (September 2016-August 2017) measures 8 ½ x 11 inches when closed and 11 x 17 inches when opened, is stapled and has a hanging eyelet. To order your calendars, email either angie.lewis@mwsu.edu or lisa.butler@mwsu.edu. Be sure to include the quantity, office extension, and account number.

Fiscal Year End Close

The Purchasing and Accounting Departments need all requisitions, purchase orders, and invoices that are on hand or currently in process. Fiscal year 2015-16 invoices will be paid through September 15, after which time, only fiscal year 2016-17 invoices will be processed through accounts payable.

Please clearly indicate the date of receipt of merchandise or the date services were performed on each invoice. Merchandise received on campus prior to September 1 will be included as an expense to your fiscal year 2015-16 budget.

If merchandise was purchased for use in the next fiscal year, such as consumable supplies purchased in advance, please let us know and we will classify this as a prepaid expense and charge it to your next year's

budget. This only applies to non-specific, returnable merchandise, not items specifically stamped or printed for the university. Encumbrances from the current fiscal year 2015-16 budget should be real vendor encumbrances and not any form of an internal budget reserve.

Dating invoices effective September 1 for the next fiscal year is NOT an option.

Interdepartmental transfers that relate to the 2015-16 fiscal year need to be in the Business Office as soon as possible, and no later than September 5.

All cash/checks on hand at August 31 should be deposited at the Business Office before the close of business that day. (Not including petty cash.) Please do not hold any deposits until August 31, but instead forward them to the Business Office as soon as possible.

Purchasing Cards

On September 2, a Fiscal Year End P-Card Transaction Log will be e-mailed to all cardholders, who have had charges posting from August 4 to August 31. If a cardholder did not have charges posted from August 4 to August 31, no transaction log will be required.

End of the fiscal year procedures for cardholders:

- When processing procurement card purchases, the posting date will be used to determine what fiscal year a charge will be posted.
- The Purchasing Department and Citibank cannot determine when a charge will be posted to your Procurement Card Statement.
- Please keep in mind when making purchases during the month of August; the earlier you make your P-Card purchases in August, the more likely the charges will be posted to your P-Card statement in August. These charges will be posted in FY16.
- Charges posted to your P-Card statement on or after, September 1 will appear in the next fiscal year.
- The log must be received by close of business September 6, to ensure all uploads to Banner are completed by September 8.

Welcome

Anthony "Tony" Vidmar

Vice President, University Advancement & Public Affairs

Jessica Hulett

Secretary, Mass Communication/Theatre

Patricia Lindley

Custodian, Facilities Services

James Hayes
Custodian, Facilities Services

Sean Guffey
Locksmith

Sidney Jackson
Admissions Evaluator

Terri Farabee
BSN Nurse Educator

Dylan Dudley
Assistant Coach, Men's Basketball

Jobs

An EEO/ADAAA Compliance Employer

Human Resources Assistant III (Benefits Assistant)
Department: Human Resources
Starting Date: September 1
Starting Salary: \$2,814.33 monthly, plus benefits

Groundskeeper
Department: Facilities Services
Starting Date: As soon as possible
Starting Salary: \$1,715.33 monthly, plus benefits

Interim Head Coach, Softball
Department: Athletics
Starting Date: September 1
Starting Salary: \$4,457.16 monthly, plus benefits

Program Coordinator
Department: Intensive English Language Institute
Starting Date: September 1
Starting Salary: \$3,333.33 monthly, plus benefits

Secretary
Department: West College of Education
Starting Date: As soon as possible
Starting Salary: \$1,907.33 monthly, plus benefits

Admissions Evaluator
Department: Admissions
Starting Date: As soon as possible
Starting Salary: \$1,976 monthly, plus benefits

In the Spotlight

Keith Williamson, MSU Medical Director and Medical Director of the Hotter'N Hell Hundred, contributed to two posters presented at the American College of Sports Medicine, and subsequently reproduced in the May 2016 issue of *Medicine & Science in Sports & Medicine*. They were "Effect of Caffeine on Recovery from an Endurance

Cycling Event: 269 Board #106 June 1, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM," and "Renal Responses to Endurance Cycling in the Heat: 2176 Board #328 June 2, 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM."

Kristina Darnell, graduate of MSU's BSRS program, and **Gary Morrison**, Associate Professor of Radiologic Sciences, published a peer-reviewed article titled "Minimizing the long-term effects of ionizing radiation in pediatric computed tomography examinations" in *Radiologic Technology*, 87(5), 495-501. This article was selected as the basis of a press release by the journal's parent organization, the American Society of Radiologic Technology, resulting in subsequent external interviews.

Dittika Gupta and **Suzanne Lindt** presented at the Conference for Advancement of Mathematics Teaching, 2017 on "Math's not Hard When it's Fun!" in July. The workshop was about exposing math teachers to ways of teaching different math concepts in a fun hands-on way. This presentation was an extension of the middle and elementary summer math camps conducted by them every summer at MSU.

Roberto Fuertes-Manjón, Professor of Spanish, recently presented the paper, "Complementariedad de lenguajes y enfoques sobre la dictadura argentina en cine y literatura," at the 19th Congreso Internacional de la Asociación Internacional de Hispanistas (AIH) in Madrid, Spain.