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Gottfried Named New Coach

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Sports Information
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Joe Gottfried, head coach at Ashland (Oh.) College the last five years, has been named to succeed Paul Lambert as the head basketball coach in the 65-year history of the sport at SIU.

SIU athletic director Gale Sayers who made the announcement May 11 at a 30-minute news conference at the Student Center, said Gottfried would assume his duties about June 1.

Gottfried, 38, compiled an 83-45 record (64.8 percent wins) in his tenure at Ashland, his alma mater. Under his guidance, the independent Eagles won their way to the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Division III regional finals the last three years.

In 1976 and 1977, they lost to Wittenberg in the Great Lakes Regional finals, 61-49 and 69-67. Wittenberg went on to win the NCAA Division III championships each year, winning the title in 1977. Last year, Ashland was sent to the West Regional, losing in the finals, 69-68, to Humboldt State.

"After interviewing all the finalists, I felt Joe had the best credentials to keep up the basketball tradition at SIU," Sayers said, who had the final decision in the selection process. "He has produced some very fine teams at Ashland has shown himself to be a very versatile and knowledgeable coach."

The Crestline, Ohio native inherits a 1977-78 Saluki team that had no seniors, but posted a 17-10 record and placed second in the Missouri Valley Conference.

"I'm very excited about this opportunity," Gottfried said. "I look on it as a tremendous opportunity, professionally, because I consider Southern Illinois to be one of the finest basketball positions in the country. I'm really looking forward to working with Gale Sayers and his staff."

Other Candidates

More than 60 persons applied for the SIU head coach position. Four were interviewed on campus following a screening session by the full Intercollegiate Athletic Committee after a five-man subcommittee had reduced the field.

The four candidates who were interviewed included: George Iubelt, a 19-year SIU assistant basketball coach under Paul Lambert, Jack Hartman and Harry Gallatin; Sam Miranda, a Collinsville, Ill., native who ended 13 years as a Kansas assistant this year to become a travel agent in Lawrence, Kan.; Don Dyer, head coach at Henderson State College at Arkadelphia, Ark., the past 15 years who compiled a 316-129 record there; and Gottfried.

First Order of Business

Gottfried said his first order of business as the new Saluki coach will be to get organized in several areas, not necessarily in this order:

- Getting his family located
- Meeting the Saluki players individually
- Evaluating the program in terms of returning talent
- Evaluating any potential recruits still available.

Among his plans are to fill one of the assistant coach positions with his current assistant coach, Bob Spivery. Also, Gottfried plans to talk to the current Saluki assistant Iubelt who also was interviewed for the head spot, about the open position, before he fills the vacancy, preferably by June 13.

The 6-5 Spivery played high school basketball in Phoenix City, Ala., under the same coach as two current Salukis, Gary Wilson and Jac Clatt.

He gears his basketball tactics to his personnel, but Gottfried said, "I like to run with the ball."

"We look for players who like to make those 15- to 18-footers and who tend to be aggressive," he said.

During the press conference, Gottfried stressed the importance of the alumni role in recruiting.

"I encourage alumni to be actively involved in recruiting," he said. "And when alumni make recommendations, we will take note and check on their recommendations, responding directly by return mail."

Gottfried's Background

The blond, bespectacled Gottfried was an all-state football player at Crestline High School in the late 1950's and earned a football scholarship to Kent State University. After one year, he transferred to Ashland to play basketball. He started three years for the Eagles, winning a trip to the NAIA, his junior year in 1962.

He received his bachelor's degree from Ashland in 1963 and began his coaching career at Bloomville (Oh.) High School in 1964.

In the six years at the school, his basketball teams compiled a 91-42 record, won three league titles, three sectional titles and one district championship and had one regional runnerup in Class A. He was named Ohio Class A coach-of-the-year in 1969, his last season there.

He coached one year at Sandusky (Oh.) Perkins High School, then jumped to Class AA Lima (Oh.) Central Catholic. In one year there (1970-71) he fashioned a 20-4 team and won a regional berth. The 20-win season and the regional were firsts for the school.

That performance earned him 1971 Class AAAAA coach-of-the-year honors, and later that year, sealed his induction into the Ohio Basketball Hall of Fame.

After one year at Perkins, he became an assistant coach at Ashland. In his two years before becoming head coach, he compiled a 25-9 slate with the junior varsity.

Gottfried and his wife, Mary, have two children.

Ex-Congressman Wins Service Award

Former U.S. Congressman Kenneth J. Gray, who represented 22 Southern Illinois counties for 20 years, recently was selected as the winner of the 1976 Service to Southern Illinois Award presented May 7 by the Jackson County Alumni Club.

One of 155 people who were, Keith Sanders, '81, M.S. ’82, president of the Alumni Association, representing the Jackson County Alumni Club, presented the award.

Gray, who retired from the House of Representatives at the end of 1974 was known for efforts that produced dollars and jobs in his downstate district. By his own count, more than $4 billion in federal public works money was channeled into Southern Illinois during his 10 years in Washington.

A West Frankfort native, Gray now operates a consulting firm in Lake Park, Fla. Recently, he served as broker for a group of Southern Illinois landowners who sold coal mining rights to the Tennessee Valley Authority.

In 1969, SIU presented Gray the SIU Distinguished Service Award. He was cited for contributions to the economic and social growth of the area, his influence as a member of the House Public Works Committee, his support for a National Visitors Center in Washington, D.C. and his support and assistance in the Development of SIU.

In 1975, he received the Citizen of the Year Award from Southern Illinois Inc.

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Researchers Try Pap Test for Males

Two SIU physiologists are conducting limited clinical tests of a male version of the Pap test used for the past 30 years to detect the early stages of cervical cancer in women. The researchers think the new procedure, when confirmed by large scale tests, could eliminate many deaths from late diagnosis of prostate cancer, probably the second deadliest cancer among men. Lung cancer is first.

Margaret Couture, a Ph.D. student in the Dept. of Physiology is working with Matthew Freudent, chairman of the department, to develop this new approach.

"We hope to be able to pick up signs of cancer in the prostate and maybe in the bladder when it's just getting started," she said.

The test is quick and would allow screening for early stages of prostate and bladder cancer as often as once or twice a year for men in the age groups most susceptible to the disease, Ms. Couture said.

The test involves taking a sample of seminal fluid and putting through the same sort of microscopic analysis given female vaginal smears for the Pap test.

"Once a year, possibly every six months, a man could send in a sample," Ms. Couture said. "It could be a lifesaver."

She thinks the test could be more accurate than the now-standard urinalysis tests used to detect prostate and bladder cancer. That and surgical biopsies are now the only procedures, when confirmed by large scale tests, could eliminate many deaths from late diagnosis of prostate cancer.

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Two Southern Illinois University hospitals with urology clinics have agreed to provide semen samples from a wider range of volunteer subjects. The Couture-Freudent team will launch a full-scale test. Dr. Adrari Palagari, a urologist in SIU's School of Medicine, is assisting in the expanded team effort.

Law School Appropriation Passes House, Senate Committees

An appropriation bill which will provide $7.9 million in state funds to build a new Law School for SIU recently was unanimously passed by both the state House and Senate appropriations committees.

The American Bar Association (ABA) has threatened to revoke the Law School's provisional accreditation if construction of a new building is not begun soon. Currently, the Law School is housed in two remedied dormitories on SIU Greek Row. Hiram Lesar, dean of the Law School, said he hopes the bill will be passed by both the House and Senate and signed by Gov. James Thompson by the end of the summer.

The ABA is expected to make an accreditation visit in August and Lesar is hopeful that they will extend the provisional accreditation which expires in February, 1979.

Law School students earlier this spring organized a letter-writing campaign aimed at Northern and Central Illinois legislators to inform them of the school's needs.

SIU Payroll Goes Back to Hometowns

Exactly 14,460 SIU employees earned more than $70,800,000 from the University last year, and a lot of it went back into hometown economies throughout Southern and midstate Illinois.

According to a zip-coded computer print-out prepared by SIU's Information Processing Center, the University's 1977 payroll amounted to exactly $70,819,500.60. That covers employees in all categories, including student workers, the largest single group by numbers.

Most of the student paychecks helped undergraduates pay school and living expenses in the Carbondale area. But the payroll breakdown shows that communities in the southernmost 28 counties and the Springfield area (site of SIU's School of Medicine clinical campus) received substantial spinoffs.

Nearly one-half of SIU's employees live in Jackson County. Their paychecks accounted for $45,618,310 in 1977 gross earnings from the University. Carbondale residents (5,722) earned just over $37 million.

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Shepherd Receives ACE Fellowship

An SIU zoology professor has been selected by the American Council on Education to receive an ACE fellowship in academic administration for the 1978-79 academic year.

Benjamin A. Shepherd, associate professor in SIU's department of zoology, is one of 40 ACE fellows selected from a field of 200 nationwide nominees. The program, begun in 1964, is designed to prepare qualified persons for careers in higher education administration.

A native of Woodville, Miss., he came to SIU in 1969 as an instructor, was promoted to assistant professor in 1970 and associate professor in 1973.

In 1973, Shepherd served as the assistant dean of the SIU Graduate School and has served as acting chairman of zoology. Currently, he is assistant chairman.
Campus Golf Course Shelved

Plans for a privately built golf course on SIU’s campus have been shelved, but developer Richard J. Heath of Evansville, Ind., said May 8 he still plans to build the “Saluki National” course on the Carbondale area.

SIU President Warren W. Brandt and Heath announced that the negotiations had been terminated on the proposed 18-hole golf course. They cited “unique requirements” stated by SIU in negotiating agreements beyond ordinary business practices” as part of the problem.

Heath said costs of acquiring a privately owned piece of land within the 250-acre campus lot were far beyond his expectations. He had planned to build a lodge and condominium complex on the seven-acre chunk.

Under the proposed agreement first announced last December, Heath and his partner in Evansville’s Oak Meadow County Club, Maxine Zwermann, would have had the course on land leased from the University. After 40 years, the entire development would have reverted to SIU.

The lodge and condominium would have been theirs alone.

Heath and Brandt said that the tandem, state-private arrangement presented complex problems and Heath said the confined (300 by 1,000 feet) of private land limited his development plans.

“We still plan to build the Saluki National and we still plan to offer the same benefits to the University,” Heath said. “We want to be a part of the community.”

Heath said he is negotiating on “four or five” land sites in the area and hopes to purchase property and start work in 60 days.

SIU golf teams will get free use of the course for practice and matches and SIU classes will be given a 50 percent discount on green fees, he said. Student, faculty and staff members will get 20 percent discounts.

Also, Heath said one fourth of all green fees at the new course will be donated to the SIU Foundation as a charitable gesture. And he indicated the Foundation would be the main beneficiary of a PGA tourney he hopes to promote at the course.

Heath and Zwermann have announced plans for a PGA tournament Sept. 29-Oct. 1 at Oak Meadow which will be staged as a benefit for the Bobby Watson Scholarship Fund at the University of Evansville.

The Saluki National tournament would be patterned after the Watson Memorial event, a $150,000 professional affair.

Depending on how Heath’s plans go for the new course, SIU may still seek an outside developer to build a course on campus, Brandt said. “The desirability of the projects remains,” he said.

“The University has been super with us,” Heath said, “and the relationship we have built with SIU will continue.”

Graduation Held May 13

The Alumni Association held its annual Commencement Reception for all graduates, parents, faculty and friends in the ballrooms of the Student Center.

The class of 1978 included: 3,139 bachelor’s degrees, 639 master’s degrees, 94 doctorates, 73 law degrees, 389 associate degrees.

Another 57 School of Medicine students, 10 more than last year, all from Illinois, are scheduled to receive M.D. degrees at 3 p.m. June 4 in ceremonies at the Holiday Inn East (President’s Ballroom) in Springfield.

Murphy Selected Title IX Rep

Jack Murphy ’54, M.S. ’57, Ph.D. ’71, president-elect of the SIU Alumni Association, has been selected as the alumni representative on the University’s Athletic Program Evaluation Committee.

SIU’s Affirmative Action Office is responsible for coordinating the evaluation of the University’s compliance with Title IX regulations relating to Intercollegiate Athletics.

The committee was established recently to review the current status of the Intercollegiate Athletic programs.
Rehab Gets New Master's Program

SIU's Rehabilitation Institute has received a $18,371 grant from the federal Rehabilitation Services Administration to train job development and placement specialists to work with the disabled.

The new master's degree program will begin next fall. Under the program, participants will be eligible for traineeships, which will pay tuition and fees and some living expenses. A. Andrew McDonald, assistant professor in the Institute, said, "Job placement of the disabled continues to be one of the biggest problems facing state vocational rehabilitation agencies," McDonald said. "The vast majority of persons working in the vocational rehabilitation have had little or no training in job development or placement."

No such programs exist in this immediate geographic area, McDonald said, although there are similar programs at Drake and Michigan State. Additional funds ($89,000) have been applied for and McDonald hopes to receive verification in the near future. Interested persons should contact McDonald at 618-536-7704.

Stone Named J-School Head

Vernon A. Stone, a professor of journalism at the Univ. of Georgia at Athens, Ga., since 1974, recently was named director of the SIU School of Journalism.

His appointment which is subject to the SIU Board of Trustees approval is effective June 15.

Stone, 48, replaces Joseph Webb, assistant professor who has been serving as acting director. Webb replaced George Brown who returned to full-time teaching last August.

Stone taught at the Univ. of Wisconsin at Madison from 1965 to 1974. He received his Ph.D. degree there in 1966.

Prior to that, he was a TV news coordinator for WHAS in Louisville, Ky., where he also worked as a reporter from 1953 to 1956. He is co-author of the book, "Television New Film Techniques," published in 1974.

Stone received his bachelor's degree from Western Kentucky Univ. in 1961 and a master's from the Univ. of Iowa in 1963.

Three SIU Teachers Win AMOCO Awards

Three SIU professors received $1,000 Amoco Foundation Teaching Awards during the University's commencement exercises May 13 at the Arena.

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Bachelor's Degree Set for Coal Miners

Central Illinois coal miners will get a chance to dig into a bachelor's degree in mining technology without quitting their jobs or leaving home to do it.

The SIU Board of Trustees approved a two-year "Capstone" mining technology program for miners near Farmersville in northern Montgomery County.

CETA Grant Awarded

The Illinois Governor's Office on Manpower and Human Development has awarded SIU a $125,000 grant to train a group of Southern Illinoisans to work with infants and to assess the need for child care services in the area.

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Scholarships

Scholarships totaling more than $32,000 have been presented to students in almost every department and college at SIU by the SIU Foundation since Jan. 1. An additional $5,000 will be awarded before the end of the spring semester, Joseph Goodman, Foundation director, said.

A total of $37,760 represents a variety of awards established by philanthropists, alumni, the University and the Foundation to recognize scholastic achievement or financial need. Eighty-nine students will have received monetary awards by May 12, he added.

A breakdown shows: five senior art students as winners in the annual Rickert-Ziebold scholarship dividing $20,000; a home economics doctoral director, said. Joseph Goodman, Foundation the end of the spring semester, an additional $5,000 will be awarded before and college at SIU by the SIIJ and $100 each.

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Lawrence Gets Honorary Degree

An honorary doctor of music degree for Marjorie Lawrence, internationally known soprano and former opera star, was presented during SIU’s spring commencement exercises May 13.

The degree was approved by the SIU Board of Trustees April 13. Miss Lawrence, who served on the SIU faculty from 1969 through 1973, established the Marjorie Lawrence Opera Theater at SIU. She also conducted a series of summer workshops for promising singers at her Hot Springs, Ark. ranch, where she now makes her home.

The former Metropolitan Opera star, whose career included appearances at the White House, Buckingham Palace and in World War II tours was cited by the degree committee and SIU President Warren W. Brandt for her "outstanding ability to inspire students to accomplishments similar to her own."

Lee Roy Brandon Honored

Lee Roy Brandon (Second from right) was honored by the Williamson County Alumni Club for his contributions and service to the Club, SIU and Southern Illinois. Over 100 persons were on hand April 15, to honor him, including (I-r) Jack Murphy, president-elect of the Alumni Association. Stan Narusis, president of the Williamson County Alumni Club. Mrs. Jeanette C. Brandon, Brandon, and Warren W. Brandt, president of SIU-C.
Tracksters Win Fourth Title

SIU won its fourth straight Missouri Valley Conference track championship May 22, outdistancing runner-up West Texas 182 to 125.

The Salukis were led by double-winner sprinter Mike Kee, who swept the 100- and 200-meter dashes for the third consecutive year. The junior from Boston won the 100 in 10.35 and the 200 in 21.24.

Wichita State placed third with 109 points; followed by Indiana State with 65; New Mexico State with 46, Drake with 44, Bradley with 14 and Tulsa with 2.

Three of the four meet records were set by Salukis in preliminaries. They were: Bob Roggy with a 274-7 points; followed by Indiana State with 273-11; Missouri Valley Conference track and field champion Bob Roggy with a 274-7 points; followed by Indiana State with 273-11; Missouri Valley Conference track and field champion.

Bob Roggy

Conference championships May 19-20 at Peoria, a meet which the Salukis have won twice consecutively, SIU has qualified 13 performers for the NCAA Championships June 1-3 at Eugene, Ore. That figure is representative of the Salukis’ accomplishments thus far.

Not only has SIU done well team wise, beating Illinois 109%-52% and winning the Illinois Intercollegiates by a record score of 211 points, but individually several Salukis have set the pace both internationally and on the American scene.

Roggy, a senior from Holmdel, N.J., has been the most impressive as twice this spring, Roggy has come up with the top javelin throw in the world for 1978.

His last world leading performance came at the prestigious Kansas Relays, where he threw the javelin 209-7. The throw was 17 feet farther than his previous best of 272-3 which came at the Florida Relays a month earlier.

Another Saluki had the best long jump in the nation for 1978, at least for a while. Junior Rick Rock of Toronto, Canada, broke his own SIU school record as he jumped 28-8 in a triennial meet with Western Kentucky and Murray State.

At the time, the jump was the top effort recorded in the United States in 1978.

In addition, senior Lorraway of Watson, Australia, had the second longest triple jump in the nation at the time when he went 53-8 in a loss at Indiana. The dual setback to Indiana was the first for a Hartzog team in either a dual or triangular in five seasons.

Celebrity Golf Tournament Set

Six Southern Illinois University athletic stars have made commitments to attend the First Saluki Celebrity Golf Tournament June 26 at the Jackson County Country Club.

Included in the group are Carver Shannon, former All-American and Los Angeles Ram Star; Larry Kristoff, Olympic wrestler and George Woods, former world-record holder in the shot put and the only Saluki ever to win an Olympic medal.

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For further information, contact the SIU Athletic Department at (618) 444-531.

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Accepts Auburn Coaching Job

Paul Lambert Resigns

Paul Lambert, SIU head basketball coach for the past eight years, resigned April 7 to take a similar position at Auburn University in Alabama.

Four-year assistant coach Herman Williams accepted a similar job with Lambert at Auburn.

"Auburn is a real personal challenge, because the school belongs to the long-established Southeastern Conference," Lambert said.

While at Southern, Lambert accomplished something none of his predecessors had done — guiding the Salukis into the NCAA Division I tournament.

It was the 1976-77 Saluki team who compiled a 22-6 record and earned the Missouri Valley Conference title that played in the NCAA Journey.

This year's team finished with a 17-10 slate, placed second in the MVC standings, but lost in the first round of the MVC tourney to Drake.

During his term at Southern, he compiled a 126-83 record, upping his career total to 227-159.

The 43-year-old graduate of the University of Michigan also has coached the Oklahoma State, the Big Eight Conference title May 22 in a wild 10-8 decision over Wichita State in the final two games.

The Salukis' championship final, leaving the championship outright, but the other six teams in the double elimination tourney and the consensus winners.

Coach Brechtelsbauer had mixed emotions about the rain-shortened tournament. The women gymnastics team compiled a 229 home win against over the .350 mark.

Junior Simond has been a hardluck pitcher of the season to play in the Women's Softball College World Series May 25-28 in Omaha, Neb.

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Women's Softball Team Wins State, Regional

By winning the AIAW Midwest Regional championship May 13, the Saluki Women's softball team qualified as one of the 16 best teams in the country to play in the Women's Softball College World Series May 25-28 in Omaha, Neb.

Third-seeded, the Salukis faced Stephen F. Austin University first round action at 7:45 p.m. at Dill Field, Benson Park in Omaha. Southwestern Missouri was first-seeded and Northern Colorado University was second-seeded.

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"Ellen was an inspiration at the nationals to all of us," Coach Herb Vogel said.

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Alumni Calendar

June 2 — Peoria Area Alumni Club meeting. A buffet at Heritage House, 8209 N. Mt. Hawley Dr., Peoria, Ill.: beginning at 6:30 p.m. Cost: $6. Contact: Jim Hartford, 1410 Wheeler Lane, Canton, Ill. 61201 or call 309-647-6004 (home).

June 4 — Graduation, SIU School of Medicine, Holiday Inn East (President’s Ballroom) Springfield, Ill.

June 5 — Peoria Area telefund June 6 — Washington, D.C. telefund June 10 — Military graduation, Naval Regional Medical Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

June 12 Summer semester begins.

June 17 — Chicago Area Alumni picnic. 1 p.m. Bemis Woods. Bring your own food and table service for a potluck.

June 23 — Military graduation, McCord AFB, Tacoma, Wash.


July 22 — Home Economics Constituency Society Board of Governors meeting. All alumni are invited. 10:30 a.m., Student Center.

July 27 — Engineering and Technology Constituency Society picnic. Contact Larry Young at 618-985-6701 for details.


Aug. 18 — Annual Alumni watermelon fest for new students, 4:30 p.m., Student Center.

Aug. 21 — Fall semester begins.

Aug. 21 — Military graduation, Pope AFB, Fayetteville, N.C.

Aug. 24 — Military graduation, Cherry Point and Camp Lejeune, Jacksonville, N.C.

Aug. 31 — Military graduation, Charleston AFB, Charleston, S.C.

Sept. 1, 2, 3 — The Black Alumni Association of Chicago is planning a reunion in Carbondale over Labor Day weekend, Sept. 1-3. Splash party, workshops, campus tours, picnic. July 1 Day at DuQuoin State Fair, dinner and dances. Complete details may be obtained by contacting Lynn Avery, Reunion chairperson in Chicago at (312) 549-3019 (work) or (312) 328-3545 (home), or the Alumni Office (618) 453-2408.


Achievement Deadline Set for June 30

Nominations for Alumni Achievement awards should be sent to the SIU Alumni Office no later than June 30.

Awards are presented in two categories: (1) for outstanding professional achievement; (2) for outstanding service to the University and or the SIU Alumni Association.

Any graduate or former student is eligible except those who are members of the University faculty or Board of Trustees while on active service and the current president of the Alumni Association.

It is important to submit complete biographical sketches with nominations to assure proper considerations of both individual. Final selection is made by a committee of the Alumni Association.

SIU Day at DuQuoin, Sept. 3

Because of the popularity of last year's SIU Day at the DuQuoin State Fair, a similar day is being planned for Sunday, Sept. 3.

An estimated 3,000 SIU alumni, faculty, staff, students and their families took advantage of SIU related activities at last year’s Fair.

By using your SIU Alumni membership card or student, faculty-staff card you and members of your immediate family will be admitted free of charge to certain events throughout the day.

Among these events include: free admission to the afternoon Grand Circuit harness racing, special admissions to the midway rides and the Mega-Bald auction and midway throughout the day plus an SIU exhibits area and the popular multi-screened show presented by the SIU University Exhibits.

Kris Kristofferson and his wife, Rita Coolidge, will be the featured entertainment at 8:30 p.m. Tickets cost $10 and $12 and may be purchased by writing to the DuQuoin State Fair, DuQuoin, III.

Free buses will run on the half hour from the SIU Student Center.

Five Board Terms Expire

The terms of five Alumni Board of Directors expire this year.

They are: the Rev. Jack Adams '53 of St. Louis, Mo.; Fred Meyer '40 of Olympia Fields, Ill.; Bill O'Brien '53 of Carbondale; Keith Sanders '61, M.S. '62 of Carbondale; and Dr. Albert Shafter '48, M.S. '49 of Harrisburg, Ill.

Dr. Shafter has served the limit of two consecutive, four-year terms and is ineligible for re-election at this time. He was the Association's president in 1974-75.

Currently, Sanders is president of the association; Adams and O'Brien are vice presidents and Meyer is a member of the executive committee.

Alumni are invited to submit board nominations to the alumni board nominations committee, by addressing them at the Alumni Office, Faner Hall, SIU, Carbondale, Ill. 62901.

Any graduate or former student is eligible for consideration. Not more than two members of the Board of Directors may be from the same graduating class.

This year's nominations committee is chaired by Jack Murphy '54, M.S. '57, Ph.D. '71, president-elect of the Association. Committee members include: Patrick Mudd '55, M.S. '59 and Roger Gray '64.

The committee will meet in late July to prepare the slate for presentation to the Legislative Council at Homecoming Oct. 28.

The current board is listed on Page Two.

Insurance Program

Well Received

The new group term life insurance program has been well received by the SIU alumni as an opportunity to provide themselves and their families with additional insurance coverage at very attractive rates.

The limited charter enrollment with a $10,000 guaranteed acceptance provision will end June 30 for all persons under 45 years of age.

This specially designed plan represents our continuing effort to provide tangible means of service to all SIU graduates and former students.

The Association is pleased to add this to a long list of services to alumni.

Alumni on the move

40's

Samuel Walter Davis '41 is retired and living in Los Angeles, Ca.

Kathleen Isom Larimer '43 represented SIU at the inauguration of Cleveland Leon Dennard as the eighth president of Atlanta Univ. March 3. She is with the Dept. of Education, Division of Early Childhood and Special Education for the State of Georgia. She lives in Marietta, Ga.

Olla W. Stratton '47, M.S. '49, currently the superintendent of the Highland Community School District in Highland, Ill., has been elected president-elect of the American Association of School Administrators, a national organization. It is the largest association of school administrators in the country.

Ora M. Snider '48 has retired as administrative manager of the Southern Illinois Power Cooperative. After graduating from SIU, Snider spent 17 years teaching agriculture in Illinois Schools. He joined the Egyptian Electric Cooperative soon thereafter and became manager of the M.J.M. Electric Cooperative from 1960 to 1963. He became SIPCO’s first director of information and public relations in 1963. He and his wife moved from Marion, Ill., to Green Valley, Ariz.

50's

Douglas Garber ex '51 is an engineer with Douglas Aircraft Co. He lives in Palmdale, Cal.
answers them with his left-handed typing skill. Jan says that instead of feeling sorry for himself, George has redesigned the home that they now live in to suit his new needs. An article was written about him facing his handicaps in the Augusta, Ga. Chronicle-Herald. You can write him at 202, Box 94, Louisville, Ga. 30243.

1958

Robert G. Kraatz has been promoted to Director of Manufacturing for McCormick/All Portions Food Service of McCormick and Company, Inc. Kraatz, who joined All Portions in 1973, was most recently Vice President of Operations for the company, and was based in San Fernando, Calif. He is now based at Hunt Valley, Md., and is responsible for all manufacturing activities of All Portions at Hunt Valley, Indianapolis, San Fernando, and Atlanta and Food Service at Hunt Valley and South Bend, Ind. He and his wife now live in Milton, N.H. Kraatz, formerly was president of the Los Angeles Alumni Club.

60's

Herbert Rominger '60 has been named vice president in charge of marketing development by William E. Oates, president of the O A Research Center, Inc., in Morristown, N.J. Frank Stobart '68, M.S., is the program director of the Chemistry unit at Lutheran Medical Center in St. Louis. He lives in Webster Groves, Mo., with his wife, Marie Ernest '61 and their two children. Wilbert W. Wetzler is the center manager and promotion director at the Northland Shopping Center. He lives with his wife and their five children in Columbus, Ill.

1961

Mark Anthony Ph.D. is a biologist, chief of water quality, for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. He and his wife, Mary Lou Wright '56, and their two children live in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Ronald Joseph Davis is a case worker for the Jackson County Dept. of Public Aid. He recently married Rosalie Schnaare 71. They live in Murphysboro, Ill. Billie Louise Lee M.S. is an assistant professor of psychology at Jackson State Univ. She lives in Jackson, Miss.

Gene E. Flore is a self-employed TV producer. He lives in Topeka, Kan.

Howard L. Hoed '55 is the state's attorney in Jackson County. He and his wife, Kathleen Miles Hood '62, live with their three children in Carbondale.

Larry J. Land is the vice president for marketing for the Computer Group, a data system company in Madison, N.H. He recently was married to Patty Brewster, a psychologist. In his free time, he rides his motorcycle and races Porches and Jaguars. He and his wife and her two children live in Northboro, Mass.

Jerry D. Meyer M.A. '64, is an associate professor in the art department at Northern Illinois Univ. He and his wife, Miriam Wysong Meyer '62, M.A. '64, live in Dekalb, Ill., with their two children.

1963

Donald D. Funkhouser, after 15 years in the computer-banking field, recently launched his own company, Symbolics, Inc. The company specializes in consulting and software applications in the computer industry. The company is based in Dallas, Texas, where he and his family live.

Edward J. Amby Ph.D. recently retired as dean of the graduate division at Montana State College in Bozeman, Mont. He and his wife, Elizabeth Bergmiller '61, M.S. '64, have recently moved from Monticello, Ill. to St. Charles, Mo.

Jerry L. Kinney V.TA is a salesman for Ryker Dental Dept., Inc. He, his wife and his family live in Indianapolis, Ind. Rodger E. Rodgers of Homewood, Ill., was among 47 men selected worldwide as Master Salesman of 1977 by the Monsanto Co. He is a Monsanto agricultural products salesman for the crop's chemical division, working out of the Decatur, Ill., district office. The award is the company's highest recognition of top performance in its sales organization.

James Daniel Snyder MBA '71, recently was promoted to division manager of manufacturing and distribution for the Hardware division of True Temper. He is responsible for all physical distribution and plant operations of the division's four plants covering 1000 employees. He and his wife live in Madison, Ohio.

1965

Robert Eric Bielesta is a salesman for Kenney Manufacturing Co., covering a three-state area. He lives in Highland Home, Ala.

John A. Holtz, Jr. has joined the fluid control division, petroleum equipment group of FMC Corp. as a market planning manager for Houston, Tex. He has a bachelor's in math from SIU, a masters in statistics from the Univ. of Iowa and a MBA from the Univ. of South Carolina, S.C. FMC Corp is a major producer of machinery and chemical products for industry and agriculture. Capt. Rodney P. Kelly '66, M.S. '68 is a pilot in the United States Air Force. He and his wife, Mary Ann Missavage '65, live in San Antonio, Tex.

Barbara Rau Longacre was recently married to Jay K. Longacre. She is the director of community relations at Brady Psychiatric Hospital in Colorado Springs, Colo., where she lives. Her husband is a long distance adventure steak and holds a world record for running up and back of Mauna Loa in Hawaii. In May he will attempt to set a world record running 12 miles from Kauai (capital of Hawaii) to Kala Patar (mountain next to Mt. Everest). He plans to do this in 30 to 40 hours running at altitudes as high as 18,000 feet.

Melvin G. Lynn is the purchase manager and the safety director at Diagraph-Bradley Industries, Inc. He lives in Marion, Ill.

1966

Harry A. Penn is the director of the music program at Florida High School in Tallahassee, Fla. He has been there since 1969. Prior to that he was the instrumental music director for students in the fourth grade through high school at the Melvin-Sibley Consolidated School in Ford County, Ill. Perry, his wife, Linda J. Curwright, and their son and daughter live in Tallahassee.

John A. Rodman MBA '69 recently accepted a position as coordinator of sponsored projects for the Univ. of Texas at Dallas. He will be responsible for promoting research. Prior to this, he was the director of the Office of Research and Projects in the graduate school at SIU-E.

1967

David F. Chapman M.S. '72 is the general manager of Richland Electric Corp., in Richland Center, Wis., where he lives.

Gerald S. Cross M.S. recently was married to Claire R. Nannen in Mittenwald, Germany. Currently, he is an associate professor of environmental studies at Oregon State. Also, he is an associate with L. Gale Abels and Associates, Architects and a design consultant for Lovett Ski Corp. He lives in Boulder, Colo.

Donald L. Knepp M.S. '68 is a commodity trader for Lincoln Staley Commodities. He and his wife, Yvone G. Culp '69, and their son live in Barrington, Ill.

Patricia Kowal M.A., Ph.D. '69, is an instructor at Creighton Univ. She lives in Council Bluffs, Ia., with her two children.

Michael Siebel M.S. '70 is an elementary school counselor in the Parkway School District in suburban St. Louis. He received his Ph.D. from St. Louis Univ. in May, 1977.

Charles E. Tracy is a plant superintendent at Josten's Inc. He and his wife, Esther Tracy '66, and their two children live in Princeton, Ill.

1968

John M. Callahan is an associate professor of drama at Texas Eastern Univ. He has written a book called, "Morning Becomes Electra." His wife, Patricia Pisel Callahan, is a business education teacher at T.K. Gorman H.S. They live with their daughter in Tyler, Texas.

1969

Haines of Milton, Conn., is the author of five children's books. (Photo by Bernie Weithorn).

Richard J. Evertz M.S. '69 is the head swimming coach and aquatic director at Reavis High School. He and his wife, Barbara K. Schneider '57, live in Westmont, Ill. with their three children.

John C. Follas, Jr. is a sales representative for the General Electric - Medical System. He and his wife and two sons live in Melrose, Mass.

Marcia Ellen McGuire Allen currently is on campus finishing up her Ph.D. in educational studies. She recently was the winner of the Letitia Walsh scholarship award. She and her husband, David, and their daughter live in Carbondale.

Douglas Robert Elder is an aircraft mechanic, technical instructor at Eastern Airlines in Miami, Fla. He lives in Pembroke Pines, Fla.

Steven Levinson is the area manager for Steak and Ale Restaurants in Kansas City, Springfield, Mo., Wichita and Topeka, Kan. He lives in Shawnee, Kan. Ronald J. Husteed M.S. '71 is teaching at the Univ. of Wisconsin at Whitewater, Wis.

Gary A. Raylor is employed as an internal auditor with Crocker National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal. He currently is studying for a MBA at the Golden Gate Univ. in Los Angeles. He lives in Canoga Park, Cal.

John M. Killion currently is the president and trust officer of the First National Bank and Trust of Clinton, Ill., where he and his wife, Mary Patricia, and their son, David live.

Michael Kosteczek is an assistant cashier, collection supervisor and loan officer at the First Bank of Oak Park, Ill. He lives in Chicago.

Andrew T. Kukic has been named to the BF Goodrich Winners Circle Honor society for 1978 because of his outstanding sales achievement last year. Kukic, who is a sales representative in the BF Goodrich Chemical division's Detroit office, joined the company in 1968 as a sales trainee. He is a native of Monroeville, Penn. He and his wife and two children live in East Lansing, Mich.

Patricia K. Orsburn is the intake coordinator at the Cairo-Egyptian Adult Center. She lives in Tamms, Ill.
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Stevens

Virginia Eilngree Unger is a flight instructor for Arizona Frontier Aviation. She and her husband Thomas '72, live in Tuscon, Ariz.

1974

Gerald Arthur Boos is a math teacher in the Hiawatha School District in Kirkland, III. He and his wife, Jerilyn Rydzon '72, live in Genoa, Ill. with their two sons.

William E. Deahl, Jr., Ph.D., assistant professor of speech and drama at Midland Lutheran College in Fremont, Neb., has been ordained an elder of the United Methodist Church.

Robert C. Davis MBA has been named executive staff analyst in the office of Dennis F. Long, vice-president and general manager, beer division, Anheuser-Busch, Inc. Prior to joining Anheuser-Busch, Davis was a plant industrial engineer for Phelps Dodge Corp. and Olin Corp. He joined Anheuser-Busch in 1974 and has held the position of section manager, packing and shipping in the corporate industrial engineering department.

The National Association of Student Personnel Administrators (NASPA) Conference in Kansas City during April brought together six generations of SIU student activities directors. Picture from left to right are John L. Baier Ph.D. '74, director at SIU from 1960 until 1975, new dean of students at Texas Tech Univ. in Lubbock, Tex.; Anthony (Tony) Giannelli '66 MSED, Ph.D. '74, director from 1967 until 1969, new dean of students at Gallaudet College in Washington, D.C.; Elizabeth (Betty) Greenleaf, director from 1952 until 1957, new professor of education and chairman of the Dept. of Student Personnel Administration in Bloomington; Nancy Hunter Harrington '70, M.S. '72, Ph.D. '74, current SIU director, and Sharon Hooker Justice '65, M.S. '66, Ph.D. '75, former director from 1974 until 1975, now assistant dean of students at the Univ. of Texas at Austin; Not pictured but attending was Lyle Gohn, director from 1966 until 1967 who is the dean of students at a Montana State University in Bozeman, Mont.

Robert A. Dyer teaches agriculture at Joppa High School. Recently, he was appointed to the Massac County Senior Citizen Planning Board which oversees the operation of the county's new senior citizen community center. He and his wife live in Metropolis, Ill.

Charles Neil Henderson is an engineer--editor for Midwest Electric in Springfield, Ill., where he lives with his wife and daughter.

Steven Kwiatkowski is working as a park employee for the Jefferson County Parks and Open Space. His wife, Linda Durka Kwiatowski '72, is a therapeutic dietician at the Rocky Mountain Hospital in Denver, Colo. They have lived in Colorado for two years and currently reside in Littleton.

Marc Alan Vuletich is a general foreman for Blaw Knox Foundry in E. Chicago, Ind. His wife, Dianne '71 live in S. Holland, Ill.

Rouhlac

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Larry D. Jones recently was hired as an editorial writer for the SIU School of Agriculture. Previously, Jones was a reporter for the Mt. Vernon (III.) Register-News. Prior to that, he was a reporter for 19 months with the Centralia (III.) Evening and Sunday Sentinel.

Donald W. Laraway, Jr. has received a letter of appreciation from the Republic of Korea Navy for his part in the rescue of four Korean Navy crew members downed in the Sea of Korea. He is a helicopter pilot stationed at Onan A.B, Korea.

Nancy Lowery is a registered dietitian at Mt. Carmel Medical Center. She and her husband, Philip '74, who is an accountant, live in Columbus, Ohio.

Robert J. Samay, a KC-135 Stratotanker co-pilot, is assigned at Altus, AFB, Okla.

Susan Scharrighausen Gallagher is a physical therapy assistant at the Elgin Mental Health Center. She lives with her husband, Frank, in St. Charles, Ill.

Bruce A. Dinkhelker is a highway engineer with the State of Illinois, Dept. of Transportation. He and his wife, Diann L. Sierzck, '76, live in Elgin, Ill.

Elvin Lee Gronewold STC '74 is a computer programmer for Quincy compressor division of Colt Industries in Quincy, Ill. He lives in Urbana, Ill.


David R. Leggans is a law student at the Univ. of Ill. in Champaign, Ill.

Kenneth W. Markgraf is an engineer for Martin K. Ely Construction Co. in Nebraska City, Neb.

Donald R. Morgan recently opened his own accounting business in Murphysboro, Ill. He is a certified public accountant.

Allen J. Oehlert J.D. is a legislative draftsman for the Legislative Reference Bureau. He and his wife and son live in Springfield, Ill.

Donald E. Truesdale Jr. is a salesmen for New York Life Insurance. He and his wife live in Homer, Ill.

Barbara A. Weiss is an interior designer for Jaffe Lighting in Deperes, Mo. and Interior Directions in Belleville, III.

Robert V. Daniels is employed as a teacher and coordinator of physical education in the Pitts Grove Township School District in Elimer, N.J. He lives in Newark, N.J.

Sergeant Kenneth G. Fisher is a personnel system manager stationed at Anderson AFB, Colorado.

Bonnie Blazer Gamble is a reporter for the Southeast Missourian in Cape Girardeau, Mo.

Steve Bruce Hahn is a reporter for the State Journal-Register in Springfield, Ill.

He and his wife, Susan Kay Simonds Hahn ex '79, live in Calhoun, Ill.

James A. Hawthor is a technical writer for John Deere In Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Michael B. Hilderbrand is a dispatcher for the Aurora Fire Department.

Michael C. Hillstrom is an accountant executive for WHBM - a CBS AM radio station.

He lives in LaGrange, Ill.


Craig M. Lounon is an engineer with WLS-TV in Chicago. He lives in Northbrook, Ill.

Nathaniel Mitchell is a dental laboratory instructor for Trident technical College.

He lives in McClellanville, S.C.

Second Lieutenant Sheila A. Monroe recently was awarded the Basic Missleman Badge at Grand Forks AFB, N.D. She is a missile maintenance officer with his unit.

Lynn S. Hendry Zielinski is an accountant with Ernst and Ernst in St. Louis, Mo. She married Dave R. Zielinski '77 Nov. 19, 1977 in Elgin, Ill.

Marriages


Cheryl J. Glenn to Edward E. Bean '77, June 4, 1977 in Mt. Vernon, Ill. They now live in Maryland Heights, Mo.

Cheryl Jeanne Peter '76 to Bement, Ill., to Samuel Reese Binch of Champaign, Ill., March 11, 1977 in Bement.

Ellen Bonnell Whaley '77 to Robert Lee Boyne May 29, '77 in Marion, Ill. They now live in Kansas City, Mo.

Jill Lynn Presson '77 STC of Marion, Ill., to Robert Joseph Demjan '77 STC of Centralia, Ill., Feb. 3, 1978 in Marion, Ill. They now make their home in Centralia, Ill.

Mary Jane Norris '76 of Fairfield, Ill., to Benjamin Don Giles '76 of West Frankfort, Ill., Oct. 9, 1977 in Fairfay. They now live in Murphysboro, Ill.

Debra Ruth Sawyer of Springfield, Mo., to Peter John Gordon MBA '78 of Sydney, Australia, Jan. 13, 1978 in Carbondale, Ill. They now live in Carbondale.


Meredith Jean Sell of Melbourne Beach, Fla., to John Wayne McGuire of Marion, Dec. 30, 1977 in Marion, they now live in Murphysboro, Ill.

Karen L. Goessman '74 of Zeigler, Ill., to Don Odor '70, May 28, 1977. They now live in Herrin, Ill.

Carrie Diane Davison '77 of Johnston City, Ill., to Bill Puckett of Harrisburg, Ill., July 29, 1977 in Johnston City. They now live in Harrisburg.

Births

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Beuer '71 of Jacksonville, Ill., their first son, third child, Matthew Robert, born Jan. 18, 1978.

To Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bradley '77 (Marylyn Patton Bradley M.S. '77) of Carbondale, N.C., a son, Etrean Patton, born Aug. 28, 1977.

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brookman (Marjory Kaye Brookman '75) of Cornia, Ill., their first child, a daughter, Loretta Larsee, born Dec. 15, 1977.

To Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Hummel '89 of Carbondale, Ill., a daughter, Tiffany L. Hummel, born Nov. 12, 1977.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. Dan Martin '75 (Kathryn "Kitty" Morris '71) of Minn. , their first son, a daughter, Gabrielle A. Martin, born Nov. 11, 1977.

To Mr. and Mrs. James M. McAlevey '67 of Pinckneyville, Ill., their second son, Timothy Andrew, born Dec. 8, 1977.

To Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Mees '62, M.S. '63 (Jean Carlos Wilson '84) a son, Jonathan Paul Mees, born Feb. 24, 1977.

Deaths

1918

Oliver K. "O.K." Loomis ex '77, owner and operator of the O.K. Loomis Fruit Farm near Anna, Ill., died Jan. 17, 1978, at the Union County Hospital in Anna. A teacher for over 40 years, he taught agriculture for 35 years at the Anna-Jonesboro Community High School. He is

Outstanding Alumnus — Don Knepp (left) of Barrington, Ill., a broker for Lincoln-Staley Commodities on the Chicago Mercantile Stock Exchange, receives the Outstanding Alumnus Award at the annual All-Agriculture Banquet sponsored by the SIU School of Agriculture Student Advisory Council. Knepp received a bachelor's degree in agriculture economics in 1966 and a master's degree in 1968. He is a native of Paxion. Ill. Making the presentation is Gilbert Korening, dean of the School of Agriculture. (SIU School of Agriculture photo)

1946

Ruth Templeman Cable of Fairfield, Ill., died Sept. 8, 1976.

Bertha J. Hayden, '74, of Mounds, Ill., died Jan. 18, 1978 in Mounds. She was a retired school teacher. She is survived by her husband, Claude, a son and a sister and three grandchildren.

Edward Jack Larimer died Oct. 10, 1970. He is survived by his wife, the former Kathleen Isom '43.

Opal Murrah ex of Johnston City, Ill., died Feb. 1, 1978, in her home. She was a retired grade school teacher and taught for many years in Johnston City. Survivors include a sister, and a brother.

1949


1956

Gerald Tribune Parks VTI died Feb. 10, 1977, in Marion, Ill.

1957


1958

Ruby Gambill Baker, B1, of Benton, Ill., died Feb. 11, 1978 in Franklin Hospital in Benton. She was a retired school teacher who last taught in the Panama Canal Zone. Survivors include a daughter, a sister and three grandchildren.

1960

Betsy Tackett Anglim formerly of Cahokia, Ill., died of an extended illness Dec. 19, 1977. She taught physical education at various schools, mainly in the West. When she died, she was teaching on a Sioux Indian Reservation at Porcupine, S.D.

Ethel Evon Scott of East St. Louis, Ill., died Sept. 8, 1975, in East St. Louis.

1961


1964

Clyde O. Gibbs, 67, of Mt. Vernon, Ill., died Jan. 7, 1978, in Mt. Vernon. Mr. Gibbs was a retired school teacher who had taught over 30 years. Survivors include seven brothers and one sister.

1972

Steven M. Gearhart, 28, of Manhattan, Ill., died Jan. 19, 1978, as a result of injuries sustained in a traffic accident. He was employed as a correctional officer at the Stateville Prison in Joliet. Survivors include his parents and two sisters.