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Cutting back

MU's new budget plan calls for average 4 percent raises for faculty and staff members.

The University's revised budget for the 1990-91 academic year sets a goal of an average 4 percent salary increase for permanent faculty and staff members. The budget also calls for special increases in several areas, including scholarships, library acquisitions, agriculture, journalism and arts and science. In addition, departmental equipment and expenses budgets would be increased 1.64 percent.

"It's not where we had hoped to be," says Kee Groshong, vice chancellor of Administrative Services. "But it's an improvement over two years ago, when salary increases averaged 2.5 percent. The budget is reasonable, under the circumstances."

In this case, the principal circumstance is Gov. John Ashcroft's withholding of 4.5 percent of the University System's budget, giving the system about \$3.5 million less

than anticipated. Officials on the four campuses have been scrambling to revise their budgets in light of the new figures, and Groshong was part of a conference call July 3 in which the new budgets were discussed.

"We still will be able to fund special increases in several areas," Groshong says. "But generally, we're cutting the increases 17.8 percent from what we had originally planned in order to meet the new revenue figures. Exceptions are scholarships and dedicated fees, which are not being trimmed back."

Groshong says a decision by the general officers to delay \$1 million in planned improvements to engineering programs in Columbia, Rolla and Kansas City will help alleviate some of the budget woes. "Without that, our across-the-board cuts would have been greater," he adds.

The revised budget calls for MU to receive \$136.6 million from the UM System, a 2.5 percent increase over last year. Mizzou officials would combine that increase with non-state funds to create a 3.7 percent raise pool. That money would be distributed to deans and directors, who could reallocate funds or use other means to reach the 4 percent salary increase goal for continuing employees. Although the new fiscal year began July 1, raises do not take effect until Sept. 1.

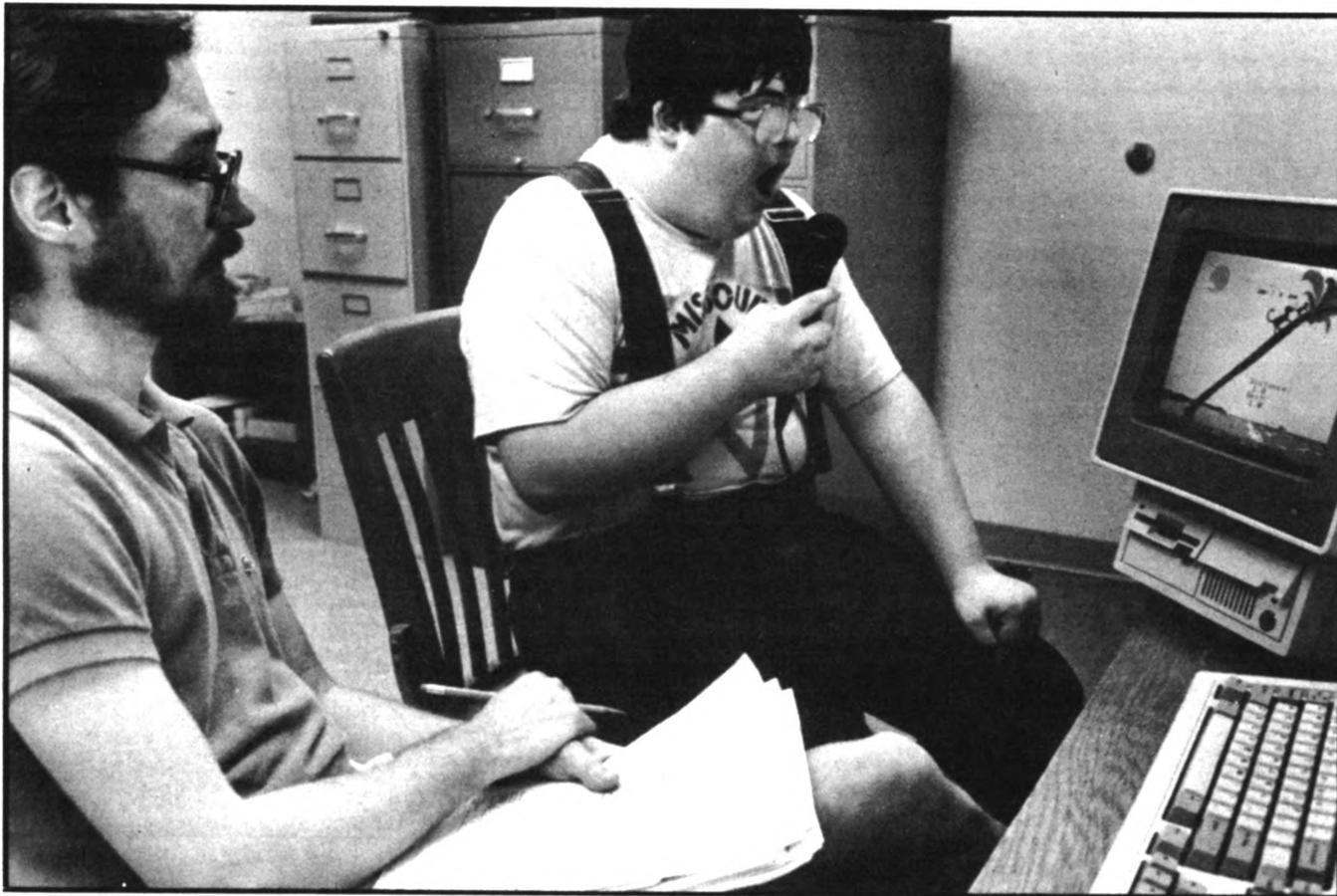
Officials stress that Board of Curators policy calls for

merit raises, not across-the-board raises, for University employees. Provost Lois DeFleur is going a step further. "I am urging deans to make a special effort to reward productive, long-term employees whose annual salary increases may not have kept pace with market levels," she says. "I will review salaries with each dean, and will especially note efforts to correct the effects of salary compression for valued long-term employees."

In the area of service and maintenance employees, plans call for a minimum 3 percent raise for Step 1 employees and 4 percent for Steps 2, 3 and 4 employees. University Hospital and Clinics also hopes to meet the 4 percent goal, says JoAnn Wait, senior information specialist.

While pay raises tend to draw the most attention in any budget, Groshong notes other elements of MU's revised plan. These are among the increases that would be funded: \$191,000 for the Food for the 21st Century program; \$47,750 for soybean research; \$255,249 for library acquisitions; \$921,793 for scholarship programs; \$82,200 for the School of Journalism's eminence program; \$164,400 for program improvements in the College of Arts and Science; and \$2 million in dedicated fees to boost computing, journalism, law, student recruiting and research incentive programs.

The Board of Curators' executive committee will discuss the revised plan during a conference call July 12.



Jon Pauley vocalizes sounds into a computer while graduate student Lech Wisniewski monitors his progress. The computer can discern subtle changes in speech.

Lending a hand

Young students with disabilities receive help from Mizzou's Department of Special Education.

For perhaps the first time since the old University lab school closed in 1978, school kids are clattering down the corridors of Townsend Hall again.

In a sunny, third-floor classroom, elementary students sit at kid-sized tables, going over their lessons with teachers. A shelf in one corner of the room is piled with colorful bookbags. Down the hall, taped to a drinking fountain, a hand-written notice spells out in careful block letters the clues for a scavenger hunt.

This summer, 32 students with disabilities from the Columbia Public School District are taking part in a special six-week program designed to help them retain the

skills they learned during the regular school year. It's a federally mandated program for children with severe disabilities who might otherwise regress over the long summer vacation.

The classes are taught by teachers from the school district, but those educators are outnumbered in the classroom by the nearly 20 doctoral and master's students from MU's Department of Special Education. The graduate students are getting hands-on experience in researching the most effective ways to teach youngsters with learning disabilities. In the process they're sharing some of the teaching load.

"The research all revolves around the

needs of the students," says Patrick Schloss, professor and chairman of special education. "We're exploring methods above and beyond just good teaching. The research asks 'How do teachers best teach? How do we do it best, how do we do it right?'"

Before the classes started this summer, the graduate students and teachers from the Columbia district went over each student's individual education plan. Then they designed research projects to evaluate effective teaching methods and at the same time provide students with the best learning experiences.

For example, doctoral student Lech Wisniewski is evaluating new applications of high-tech computer programs that help teach kids with speech disabilities. Another project is studying the best ways to teach special students the social skills they need to live independently. Still another graduate student is researching methods to help the siblings of students with disabilities interact effectively with their brothers or sisters.

The summer program is just one of the partnerships that have been forged between the College of Education and schools in the community. "With the University sitting right in our back yard, it's silly for Columbia's schools not to have a strong tie with the College of Education. The teachers they're training, I want to hire," says Lynn Barnett, director of special education for the Columbia Public School District.

"The bottom line is, we have an adult-to-student ratio in these classrooms that is simply incredible. Hopefully, what they're learning from the research here, we can transfer into our school system."

But the Columbia schools and the students in the program are not the only ones to benefit. "This is not a situation where only one party profits," says W.R. Miller, dean of education. "The big advantage to the University is the direct experience that graduate students and faculty will have with students with disabilities."

That direct experience, says Schloss, translates into more effective research and scholars who are better prepared in the field of special education. "These doctoral students are going to be very savvy come dissertation time," he says. "And the kids in the program this summer are just loving it."

Rob Hill photo

THOSE CORDS AREN'T HARMLESS

Tie up the cords to your window coverings, whether they're drapes, shades or blinds, to protect tots from strangling.

"They seem so harmless, but these cords have caused 69 known strangulations of children," says Bob Cusick, MU extension environmental design specialist. Some of the victims were in cribs placed near windows. Others were children playing with the cords.

The problem can be prevented by fastening the cord near the top of the window covering. Drape cords can be secured with a tie-down device.



HERE'S HOW YOU CAN HELP

Mizzou Fest, an annual event welcoming new students, needs your help.

Mizzou Fest '90 will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Aug. 26 on Lowry Mall, and faculty and staff are needed to help serve food and greet students. To volunteer for a 30-minute shift, contact Denise Schlake, director of New Student and Parent Programs, at 882-3621.



GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE

Summer is known for heat and humidity — and a shortage of blood at hospitals. In an effort to help the cause, Campus Facilities will have its semi-annual blood drive from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. July 18 in the lower east concourse at the Hearnes Center.

"The blood drive is timely," says Mary Hulse, administrative associate II in Campus Facilities. "During the summer months, hospitals require more blood than any other time of year."

Drop-ins are welcome, or you can schedule a time by calling Hulse at 882-0398.

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MINORITIES ARE NEEDED

Faculty Council questions Weldon Spring distribution

Faculty Council voted June 28 to send a letter to UM System officials, asking about allocations under the Weldon Spring research program.

Weldon Spring funds are distributed by the UM System to the four campuses for research projects. In recent years, more than \$1 million has been available annually. Gordon Kimber, professor of agronomy and chairman of Faculty Council, told the group that he is distressed at MU's share.

"We receive nearly half of the state appropriations to the system, and we do 65 percent of the research in the system," Kimber said. "Yet, we receive only 30 percent of the Weldon Spring money. This is not fair." He said he would write a letter to Richard Wallace, vice president of Academic Affairs, and ask about the distribution of the money.

Kimber also said he would write a letter to Provost Lois DeFleur regarding a new honors council. Richard Warder, professor of mechanical and aerospace engineering and vice chairman of Faculty Council, brought up the topic. He told the group that he understood the new council would oversee operations of the Honors College.

"My question is, why were we not consulted?" Warder asked. "This is a commit-

tee. We should have a role in matters like this." Kimber said he would write to DeFleur and ask.

Kimber also told the group that chairmen have been selected to direct two task forces examining a plan that would give the faculty more say in administrative affairs. Paul Blackwell, professor of computer science, has been selected to lead a group that will look at six points, including public debates on the initial appointments of MU administrators and annual, formal evaluations by faculty of administrators' and officers' performances. Keith Schrader, professor of mathematics, has been appointed to direct a group that will examine the concept of a "watchdog committee" to investigate the management of funds at the MU and UM System levels.

The plan was contained in a petition discussed at a general faculty meeting in April and subsequently turned over to Faculty Council.

Faculty Council will next meet at 3:40 p.m. July 26 in S110 Memorial Union. It will be Kimber's final session as chairman. He will be succeeded this fall by Allen Hahn, professor of veterinary medicine and surgery.

350 join new retirees group

More than 350 retired faculty and staff members have joined the new University of Missouri-Columbia Retirees Association, says C.V. Ross, professor emeritus of animal sciences and president of the group.

The association was formed this spring "to represent, promote and protect the interest of retirees, and to promote the welfare of the University," according to its bylaws. Dues are \$3 a year, and membership is open to all MU or UM System retirees or surviving spouses.

"We're pleased with the membership figure," Ross says. "We think it's great for a group just starting out. But we certainly hope to have more." He notes that approximately 2,000 MU retirees live in Boone County and the surrounding area.

A fall general membership meeting is planned Oct. 13 at the Hearnes Center fieldhouse. The group is conducting a survey to see what topics members consider most important, and also will write and distribute a newsletter.

Committee chairmen and chairwomen are: Luverne Walton, communications; Marc DeChazal, constitution/bylaws; Rex Dillow, finance; Arthur Rikli, membership; Robert Daniel, ombudsman; George Preckshot, program; and William Pfander, benefits. To join the association, call Rikli at 445-6480.

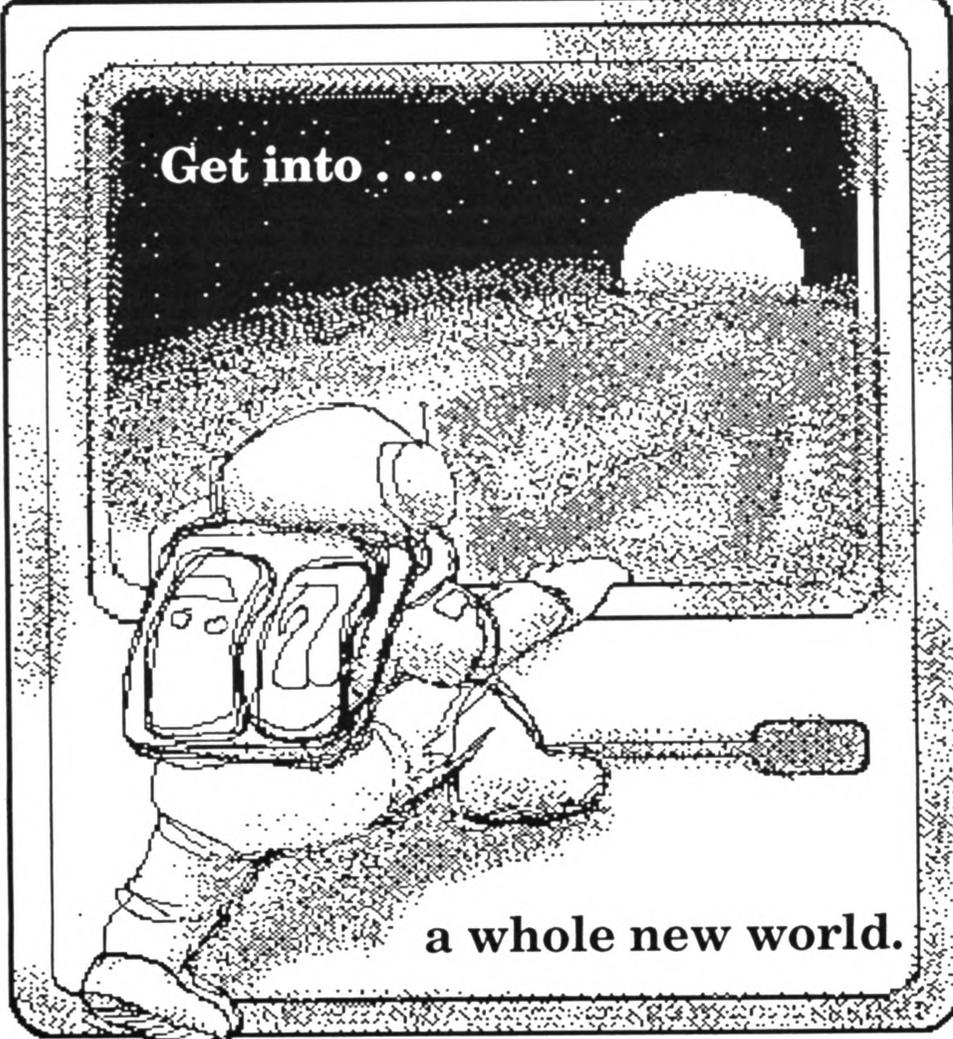
"We're new at this, but our committees are meeting regularly and we're making plans on a number of fronts," Ross says. "We have a lot of enthusiasm."

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OFFICE HAS NEW QUARTERS

The Office of Sponsored Program Administration, known to many as the grants office, invites employees to stop by its new quarters at 310 Jesse Hall.

The office will benefit from being in one location; it formerly was in two, at 305 Jesse and 504 Lewis Hall. The main phone number, 882-7560, remains the same.



YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

Premier athletic events don't just happen; they require volunteers to insure that things run smoothly.

That's especially true of the Show Me State Games, scheduled July 25 through 29 in and around Columbia. "There will be 23 sports this year, and we need volunteers to serve as timers, scorekeepers and ticket-takers," says Sara Parker, information specialist. All volunteers will receive a special T-shirt.

Volunteers are asked to attend an orientation meeting at 6 p.m. July 17 at the MU Alumni Center. For information on how you can help, call 882-2101.

RECEPTION SET FOR PROVOST

A reception will be held July 24 for Provost Lois DeFleur, who will become president of the State University of New York at Binghamton in August.

The reception will be at 4 p.m. in N201-202 Memorial Union. Refreshments will be served.



TELEPHONE CLASSES OFFERED

If you and your colleagues are confused by the various features on your office telephones, the Office of Telecommunications can help.

The office now offers classes on the use of single-line telephones and business sets, and Voice Mail procedures are reviewed as well. Classes are limited to 10 people, and instruction is in the Telecommunications Building. To arrange a time, call Crystal Robinson at 882-5800.

Temporary lot will replace old A&P building

Within days, the wrecker's ball is scheduled to level the old A&P building on Ninth Street, across from Walter Williams Hall. The building, used as a library annex in recent years, is deteriorating and no longer effective as a warehouse for books.

The lot on which the building sits will become a temporary parking lot for visitors this fall, says Kee Groshong, vice chancellor for Administrative Services. While such a move will help the University, it wasn't planned that way.

"We're not tearing down the building just to have another parking lot," Groshong says. "But it's true that it will help us during a tough parking period on campus."

The University began renting the vacant building several years ago to store some of Ellis Library's lesser-used collections. "But the roof developed leaks that have gotten worse every year," Groshong says. "It's no longer safe to keep books there, and it's not worth fixing. We bought the building because we want the land."

The books have been moved to the old

Van Dyke's furniture building on Business Loop 70 East, where they will be stored until a new addition is built at Ellis Library. That may be several years away. "In the meantime, we need a building with heat, air conditioning and a good roof," Groshong says. "Van Dyke's should be fine."

A temporary lot on the A&P site should help MU deal with a parking crunch brought on by construction of an alumni center and garage southwest of Jesse Hall. Faculty, staff and visitors are being displaced from their parking spots for the next 18 months or so as lots are closed to make way for the construction. "Any extra parking we can get during this time will be helpful," Groshong says.

The temporary lot will add about 10 parking spaces for visitors, says Jim Joy, director of Parking and Transportation Services. A lot directly north holds about 40 visitor cars. Other visitor lots are on Hitt Street, north of Rollins Street; east of Memorial Union; and on the top level of the University Avenue garage.

"Departments planning events should make parking arrangements for their visitors in advance," Joy says. "We realize there will be some inconvenience, but visitors should be informed that this is a temporary situation and that the millions of dollars of construction projects are of major importance to this campus."

Detours near Jesse on the horizon

Drivers be advised: Portions of Conley and Maryland avenues will be torn up for underground utility work during the next few months.

The current schedule calls for closing Conley between Maryland and Sixth Street — the section in front of Townsend Hall — from July 9 through Aug. 8. The portion of Maryland between Conley and Turner avenues is scheduled to be closed from Sept. 1 through Oct. 31.

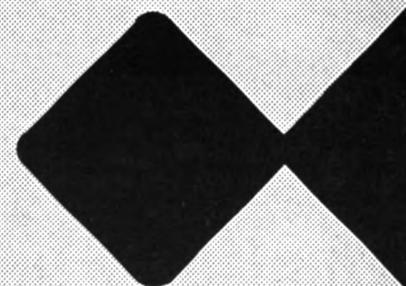
The work, which consists of replacing old utility lines, is not directly related to construction of the new alumni center and a

parking garage in that area, says Don Guckert, director of construction for Campus Facilities. But the impending construction makes it necessary to replace the lines now. "This utility project would be much more difficult if we waited to do it," Guckert adds.

Construction of the garage, in the area bounded by Sanford Street and Conley, Maryland and Turner avenues, is scheduled to begin this week. Construction of the alumni center, in the block directly east, is scheduled to begin later this month. Both projects are expected to be complete in late 1991.

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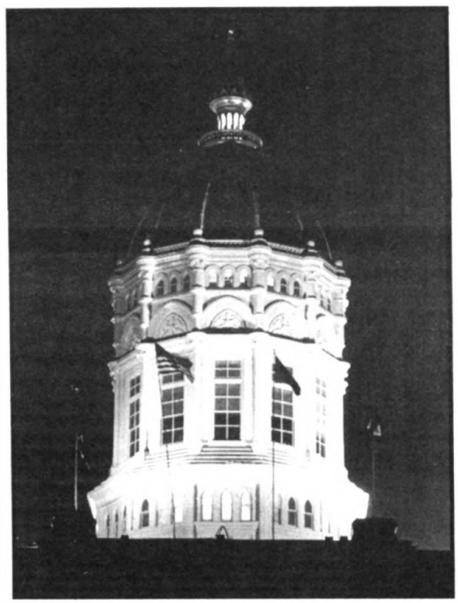
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Jesse Hall dome may be pretty from the outside, but the interior is not safe to visit.



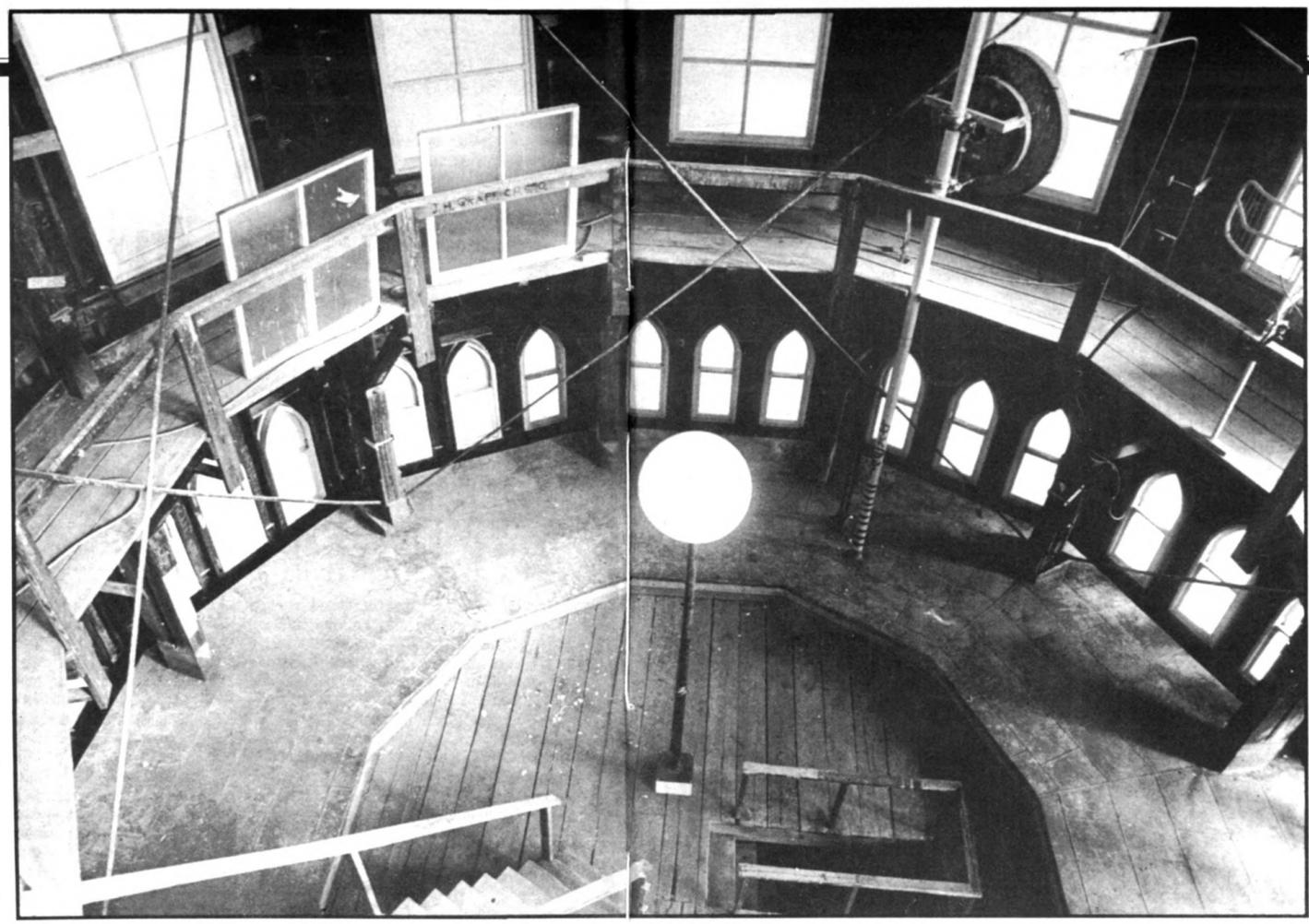
When the Jesse Hall dome was lit for the first time in October 1987 to kick off the University's Sesquicentennial Celebration, it cast a new light on the structure's use as a University symbol. Towering 102 feet above Jesse's roof, the dome is a guiding light for faculty, staff, students, alumni and visitors headed to the center of campus and Francis Quadrangle.

But what does the interior of the Jesse dome have to offer the sons and daughters of Ol' Mizzou?

For most, not a lot.

The dark, wood-and-brick interior does give a visitor to the dome a true sense of the age of the 94-year-old building. But for the most part, the multi-leveled structure is empty.

KBIA-FM radio and KOMU-TV have installed microwave antennae and equipment, and several dried-up paint cans — perhaps from the annual QEBH honorary society initiation ceremonies in the dome — are scattered throughout the interior.



Above, visitors to the Jesse Hall dome might be surprised at the bareness of the interior. Left, the dome's woodwork is carved with inscriptions, some of which appear to be more than 80 years old. Far left, the dome is now bathed nightly in white light, except on special occasions when it is illuminated in gold.

The names of former students belonging to QEBH, and perhaps the names of some non-members who found their way to the dome, are carved in the wood and painted on the walls, adding to the sense of history. Some of the names even date to the turn of the century.

And anyone who thought the view from Jesse dome would make a great photograph should reconsider; all the windows are translucent. The "beautiful view from Jesse dome" does not exist.

"You can't see out," says Roger Karwoski,

assistant manager of KBIA-FM. "It's just meant to be a decorative facade."

But not just anyone can get permission to go inside the dome anyway. And once a person has seen the ominous ladders which lead to the trap door entrance in the ceiling of Jesse Hall, the lack of permission to make the climb doesn't always seem such a loss.

"I've never been up there myself," says Pat Higgins, one of only a handful of people on campus who have a key to unlock the trap door.

Campus Facilities, University Police, and Business Services — where Higgins serves as manager for business/fiscal operations — are the only departments with keys to the dome.

Higgins says that although it passes inspections for structural safety, the interior — with its ladders, stairs, trap doors and balconies — is not a safe place for the public to visit.

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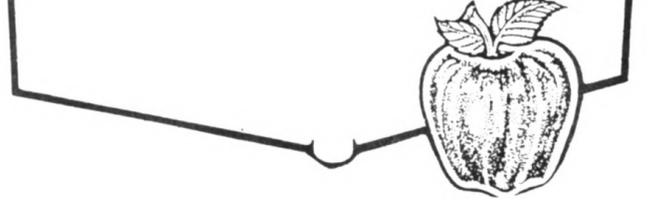
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Q&A

Q. I heard that University employees are eligible to shop at SAM'S, the new wholesale outlet store going up just north of Broadway and Highway 63. Is this true? Will it cost us anything?

A. Kee Groshong, vice chancellor of Administrative Services, says he has received a number of calls about this. SAM'S Wholesale Club, scheduled to open July 10, is a membership-only, cash-and-carry warehouse offering a variety of brand-name merchandise. Free membership is offered to employ-

ees of colleges and universities. So yes, MU faculty, staff and retirees are eligible to join. For more information, stop by the store or call 449-1534.

Q. I have some questions regarding the new recruiting video announced in the May 1 Mizzou Weekly. Was this project put out on bid? How much did the production cost? Why was the program produced on film rather than on video tape, which can be reused?

I think the ratio of shooting to finished product (10,000 feet to 400 feet, more than 20-to-1) seems exorbitant and self-indulgent. There are experienced, professional film and video producers already on the University payroll who certainly would be able to deliver well-crafted, high-quality pieces at a much lower cost.

A. "MU," the University's new recruitment film and video, was put out on bid as required by University purchasing procedures. The project was awarded to the low bidder, Blue Sky Communications Inc., and cost \$39,785. University Relations chose to bid the project to outside production companies for several reasons, says Chris Koukola, assistant vice chancellor for University Relations.

One reason was because film, which can be transferred to video tape, was the primary medium needed. University Relations needed a full-service firm with a record of excellent customer service, which could deal with concept development, scripting, shooting, editing and at the same time meet a specific timetable. Broadcast quality footage was essential because it was to be used later for

commercials.

Film, rather than video tape, was the required medium because "MU" will be used heavily by Alumni Relations. Film is more effective when Alumni Relations staff show the production to large groups of people when they travel the state and nation. In those situations, video equipment is rarely available. The University did not ask the producer to shoot more film footage than is normally required for such a production. Instead, Koukola says, the producer made the decision to shoot extra footage to assure the best possible final product. That decision was made only after the bid process was completed.

"MU" is used by Admissions and by colleges and schools at Mizzou in their recruitment programs. The production, funded by MU's recruitment task force, is shown at MU Alumni Association chapter meetings throughout the state, the nation and the world.



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CHILDREN'S SUMMER SERIES: "Hey, Dude!" a discussion of the real Donatello, Leonardo, Michelangelo and Raphael, will be presented for children ages 5-8 at 9 a.m. July 11 in Pickard Hall. Discussion will continue July 18. "A Pet for Pet," a discussion of ancient mummification, will be presented for children ages 9-12 at 10:30 a.m. in Pickard Hall. Discussion will continue July 18. To enroll, call 882-3591.

BLOOD DRIVE: Campus Facilities will have a blood drive from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. July 18 on the lower east concourse at the Hearnes Center. To schedule an appointment, call Mary Hulse at 882-0398.

CHILDREN'S BOOK SALE: Event begins July 23 and runs through July 28 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Brady Commons Mall.

10 Tuesday

NUCLEAR FREEZE: State representatives Chris Kelly and Ken Jacob will sponsor a public meeting on TRUMP-S at 7 p.m. in Memorial Union Aud. Nuclear experts from the TRUMP-S Coalition will speak.

WOMEN'S CENTER: A "Women of Color Roundtable" will be at 7:30 p.m. in 229 Brady Commons.

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "The Boys Next Door" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. An off-Broadway success, this funny and touching play focuses on four men with disabilities who live in a communal residence. Cost: \$4.50 faculty, staff and retirees, \$4 students. Season tickets available at a discount. Call 882-7857.

11 Wednesday

RECREATION/INTRAMURALS: Entries close for men's 3-on-3 basketball tournament and for softball double-elimination tournament. Sign up in 106 Rothwell or call 882-2066.

PHYSIOLOGY SEMINAR: Graduate student Ren-Sheng Zhang will present "Does Na-Ca Exchange in Vascular Smooth Muscle Play a Role in Hypertension?" at 8:40 a.m. in M437 Medical Science Bldg.

CHILDREN'S SUMMER SERIES: See Highlights.

MOLECULAR BIOLOGY SEMINAR: Wade Welshons, assistant professor of veterinary biomedical sciences, will speak on "Steady-State Changes in Phosphoinositides Associated with Proliferation of Estrogen-Dependent MCF-7 Cells," and Mark Kirk, assistant professor of biological sciences, will present "Peptidergic Motor Neurons and Motor Control of Feeding Behavior in the Sea Slug," beginning at noon in 115 Tucker Hall.

WOMEN'S CENTER: Edith Mitchell, associate professor of medicine, will present "Preventive Health Care for Women" at noon in 229 Brady Commons.

MIDDAY GALLERY EVENTS: Christine M. Wallace of the Museum of Art and Archaeology will speak on "Musical Images" at 12:15 p.m. in 106 Pickard.

PROVOST: Provost Lois DeFleur will have open office hours for faculty, staff and students from 3-5 p.m. in 114 Jesse Hall.

ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY FILM SERIES: Akira Kurosawa's "Rashomon" will be shown at 7 p.m. in 106 Pickard.

Afterward, Morteza Sajadian, director of the Museum of Art and Archaeology, will lead a discussion on "A Prismatic Description of a Single Event."

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "The Boys Next Door" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 10 entry.

MSA/GPC FILM: "Chinatown," rated R, will be shown at 8 p.m. in Ellis Aud.

12 Thursday

CHILDREN'S SUMMER SERIES: See Highlights.

STAFF COUNCIL: Group will meet at 1:15 p.m. in S204 Memorial Union.

HEALTH INFORMATION CENTER: Donald J. Snedeker, manager of Missouri Stairway Lift Corp., will speak on "How to Deal with Your Equipment Supplier" at 7 p.m. at the center in Columbia Mall.

WOMEN'S CENTER: The film "Lianna" will be shown at 7:30 p.m. in 229 Brady Commons.

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Big River" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. The play, adapted from Mark Twain's The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn, won seven Tony Awards in 1985, including Best Musical. Cost: \$5.50 faculty, staff and retirees, \$5 students. Season tickets available at a discount. Call 882-7857.

13 Friday

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Steel Magnolias" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. This award-winning comedy-drama deals with the hopes and dreams of the workers and customers at a beauty salon in the South. Cost: \$4.50 faculty, staff and retirees, \$4 students. Season tickets available at a discount. Call 882-7857.

MSA/GPC FILM: "The Last Starfighter," rated PG, will be shown at 9 p.m. at University Village, south of Providence and Stewart roads.

LAWS OBSERVATORY: The observatory, on top of the Physics Building, will be open for public viewing of the skies from 9-11 p.m.

14 Saturday

FIELD DAY: Tomato and Home Garden Days, sponsored by MU and the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station, will be from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Horticulture Center in New Franklin, Mo. Call 882-7695.

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Steel Magnolias" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 13 entry.

MSA/GPC FILM: "The Last Starfighter," rated PG, will be shown at 9 p.m. at University Terrace, Hospital and Monk drives.

15 Sunday

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Big River" will be presented at 2 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 12 entry.

16 Monday

WOMEN'S CENTER: Coordinator Laura Hacquard will present "Retail Therapy: Buying Our Way Out of Sorrow" at noon in 229 Brady Commons.

17 Tuesday

WOMEN'S CENTER: The video "Before Stonewall," a decade-by-decade history of lesbian and gay rights, will be shown at noon in 229 Brady Commons. A lesbian roundtable will be at 7:30 p.m. on the issues presented in the video.

HEALTH INFORMATION CENTER: Blood glucose screenings will be from 1-6 p.m. at the center in Columbia Mall. Eat a well-balanced meal two hours before the test. A diabetes nurse specialist will be available for consultation from 4-6 p.m. On July 17, 19 and 24, smoking cessation classes will be offered by pulmonary clinical nurse Linda Evans from 7-9 p.m. Call 882-6491 to register.

SHOW-ME STATE GAMES: An orientation meeting for volunteers will be at 6 p.m. at the MU Alumni Center.

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "The Boys Next Door" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 10 entry.

18 Wednesday

ORIENTATION: An orientation session for new employees will be from 9-11:30 a.m. in 146 Heinkel Bldg.

BLOOD DRIVE: See Highlights.

MOLECULAR BIOLOGY SEMINAR: Sandra Petersen, assistant professor of anatomy and neurobiology, will present "Steroid Hormone Modulation of Neuronal Activity and Neuropeptide Gene Expression," and Stephen Halenda, assistant professor of pharmacology, will present "The Role of Phospholipase D in Cellular Signal Transduction," beginning at noon in 115 Tucker Hall.

MIDDAY GALLERY EVENTS: Carole Stonner, a recent MU art graduate, will speak on "Observation Versus Preconception: An Attempt to Reveal Nature's Complexity," at 12:15 p.m. in 106 Pickard.

ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY FILM SERIES: Peter Greenaway's "The Draughtsman's Contract" will be shown at 7 p.m. in 106 Pickard. Afterward, Patricia Crown, associate professor of art history, will lead a discussion on "Riddles of History and Art History."

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Steel Magnolias" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 13 entry.

MSA/GPC FILM: "The Grapes of Wrath," not rated, will be shown at 8 p.m. in Ellis Aud.

19 Thursday

WOMEN'S CENTER: Carolyn Cook, research associate, will present "Global Home Economics" at noon in 229 Brady Commons. The film "My Brilliant Career" will be shown at 7:30 p.m. at the center.

GPC MEETING: The Graduate Professional Council general assembly will meet at 3 p.m. in N208 Memorial Union.

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Big River" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 12 entry.

20 Friday

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Steel Magnolias" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 13 entry.

MSA/GPC FILM: "Sixteen Candles," rated PG, will be shown at 9 p.m. at University Village, south of Providence and Stewart roads.

LAWS OBSERVATORY: The observatory, on top of the Physics Building, will be open for public viewing of the skies from 9-11 p.m.

21 Saturday

FIELD DAY: Sweet Corn Day, sponsored by MU and the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station, will be from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Powell Gardens in Lone Jack, Mo. Call 882-7695.

WOMEN'S CENTER: "Body and Soul," a workshop, will be held from 10 a.m.-noon in 229 Brady Commons. Call 882-6621.

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "The Boys Next Door" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 10 entry.

MSA/GPC FILM: "Sixteen Candles," rated PG, will be shown at 9 p.m. at University Terrace, Hospital and Monk drives.

22 Sunday

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Steel Magnolias" will be presented at 2 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 13 entry.

A&S STAFF PICNIC: A picnic for staff in the College of Arts and Science will be from 3-8 p.m. at Albert Oakland Park.

23 Monday

NURSING WORKSHOP: "Interviewing Families About Organ and Tissue Donation: A Professional Approach" will be held today and July 24 at the Ramada Inn, 1100 Vandiver Drive. Call 882-0215.

CHILDREN'S BOOK SALE: See Highlights.

WOMEN'S CENTER: Shelley Ossana, therapist and intern with the MU Counseling Center, will present "Women and Anger" at noon in 229 Brady Commons.

24 Tuesday

MU PROFESSIONAL SUMMER THEATER: "Big River" will be presented at 8 p.m. in Rhynsburger Theater. See July 12 entry.

EXHIBITS

BRADY COMMONS GALLERY: Bonnie Black will present fibers through July 19. Gallery located on the second floor of Brady Commons. Hours: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Display sponsored by the Craft Studio.

JESSE HALL: Second-floor display cases feature a Museum of Art and Archaeology exhibit, "Art from the Ancient Civilizations of Peru," through August. Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

MEMORIAL UNION: South wing display case features "Mizzou Student Life, 1930s" through August. Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

MUSEUM OF ART AND ARCHAEOLOGY: Modern works from the permanent collection will be on display through Sept. 30; "Views and Vistas: Landscapes from the 15th to the 19th Centuries" will be on display through Sept. 30. Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday and noon-5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

CULTURAL HERITAGE CENTER: The center will have an exhibit on Missouri fiddling in the display cases at Jesse Hall through August. Exhibit will focus on the center's Grammy-nominated album, "Now That's a Good Tune." Hours: 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

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PEOPLE

James L. Beckett, director of Environmental Health and Safety, has been given an award for second place in the Campus Safety Association's newsletter contest. The department's newsletter, "Environmental Health and Safety Notes," also won the award of excellence from the CSA.

Eva Benedict, duplication, has been selected Printing Services' employee of the month for June.

James Betz, window/wall washer in Building Services, celebrated 20 years with the University in May.

Yves E. Colon, city editor of the Columbia Missourian, has been selected interim director of the School of Journalism's Multicultural Management Program. Colon, who also teaches journalism, has been at MU since August 1989.

Charles L. Cramer has been named associate dean and director of resident instruction in the College of Agriculture. Cramer, former chairman of the Department of Agricultural Economics, has been on the University faculty since 1960.

Monroe Crites, custodian in Building Services, celebrated five years with the University in May.

Michael A. Diamond, associate professor of public administration, presented "Psychoanalytic Bases of Conflict in Organizations: Theory and Intervention," at the annual meetings of the International Society for the Psychoanalytic Study of Organizations in May in Montreal, Quebec.

Rod Gelatt, professor of broadcast journalism, has been selected the 1990-91 O.O. McIntyre Distinguished Professor of Journalism. Gelatt, who has been with KOMU-TV since 1963, is former news director and public affairs director for the station. He now moderates KOMU's Missouri Forum program.

Mike Hoeflerlin, director of placement, alumni and public affairs at the School of Journalism, spoke to alumni and friends of the school at a Society of Professional Journalists-Sigma Delta Chi meeting in June at the Poynter Institute for Media Studies in St. Petersburg, Fla. Earlier he had meetings with alumni in Dallas and Houston.

KOMU-TV's NewsCenter 8 has won five Heart of America awards from the Kansas City Press Club. Reporter **Lynise Weeks** won first place for general news reporting for her stories on the Supreme Court's abortion ruling. Sports Director **Brian Neuner** received a second-place award in sports reporting for a series on water skiing. Anchor **Brian Curtis** received a second-place public service project award for a series on dyslexia, and reporter **Pat Maher** received a third-place sports award for his video report



Trent Kendall stars as Jim and Kim Brown is Alice in the MU Professional Summer Theater production of "Big River." The play is being done in repertory with "Steel Magnolias" and "The Boys Next Door" through Aug. 4 at Rhynsburger Theater. See the Calendar on Page 7 for listings of times and ticket prices.

Rob Hill photo

of the MU-KU basketball game. Reporter **Tom Lyden** was awarded third place for his spot news reporting of the arrests of abortion protesters in Columbia. KOMU-TV competed with similar-sized stations in western Missouri and eastern Kansas for the awards.

Two members of the geological sciences faculty have received Missouri Best awards from state Treasurer Wendell Bailey for their contributions to education and the study of geology. They are **Walter D. Keller**, professor emeritus, and **David W. Houseknecht**, associate professor.

Kevin Key, custodian in Building Services, celebrated five years with the University in May.

Herman Klippel, groundskeeper in Campus Facilities, celebrated 10 years with the University in May.

Paula McNeill, manuscript specialist at the Western Historical Manuscript Collection and the State Historical Society of Missouri Manuscripts, presented two papers on George Caleb Bingham and the University of Missouri at two conferences in April: the National Art Education Association meeting in Kansas City and the 32nd Missouri Conference on History in Springfield. McNeill also is a doctoral candidate in art education.

Carole Myscofski, assistant professor of religious studies and women studies, received

a Fulbright Scholarship for a semester's study in Brazil, beginning this fall. She also received a National Endowment for the Humanities summer stipend for her work on "Women and Religion in Colonial Brazil, 1500-1650." Her article, "Ritual Trance and Afro-Brazilian Religion," will be published in Social History and Issues in Consciousness.

Clyde "Joe" Myers, building trades specialist/carpenter, was selected as Residential Life's employee of the month for April.

James Reynard, water control operator I at the University power plant, was selected Campus Facilities' employee of the month for May. Reynard has been employed at MU since 1964.

Ed Schlotzhauer, building trades specialist, was selected as Residential Life's employee of the month for June.

Lisa Schmidt, a primary nurse and program manager at the Rusk Rehabilitation Center, has received the 1990 excellence in nursing award from University Hospital and Clinics. Schmidt began at the hospital as a nursing assistant in 1986.

Sandra Scott, assistant professor of journalism, attended the law conference at the National School Board Association convention in April in New Orleans.

Steve Spaur, manager of campus snack

bars, has received the Employer of the Year award from the Missouri Rehabilitation Counseling Association. Spaur was nominated by Advent Enterprises Inc. for hiring people with a wide range of disabilities.

Charles Warner, associate professor of journalism, presented a negotiating seminar to members of the Kansas City Radio Broadcasters Association in April.

June Willis, library assistant II in serials acquisitions, has been selected University Libraries' outstanding staff member of the year. Willis, who has been with University Libraries for 35 years, received her award in April.

Larry Wilson, landscape architect in Campus Facilities, celebrated five years with the University in May.

FOR THE
RECORD

SUMMER HOURS: Environmental Health and Safety, in the Research Park Development Building, is observing summer hours of 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday through Aug. 17. Regular hours will resume Aug. 20.

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