New social science building nears completion

BY REID KAIKAWA

Hidden behind Youngchild, Briggs Hall, the new social sciences and mathematics building, will be open in time for the beginning of classes. Currently housing the anthropology, mathematics, and psychology departments, the building cost upwards of $7.7 million and will be completed by the end of the school year.

"It'll be the Stealth Building," laughed Professor of Psychology Peter Glick, "because it went up without people knowing about it!"

The anthropology and psychology departments, occupying the third floor, have updated versions of the facilities formerly located in Youngchild and Briggs. There are about half a dozen psychology observation rooms. These include a large developmental psychology lab resembling a day-care center and a sound-attenuated observation room. Almost all of the classrooms are equipped with motorized projection screens.

The fourth floor houses the mathematics department and the computer science, mathematics, and statistics computer labs.

One of the goals the departments shared was to draw students to the new building. Large seminar rooms which will serve as classrooms during the day will also be furnished with chairs and desks in which students can study or use the facilities at the end of the school day. A smaller computer worksta-

tion will also be installed on the third floor near the faculty offices.

While the classrooms will be functional in time for classes to start on Wednesday, the building is not yet complete. "There's done, and then there's done," Glick commented on the ongoing work on the building. Several classrooms, corridors, furniture, and chalkboards, and work is still being done on both the interior and exterior.

The first and second floors have not been completed. In the future the economics and government departments will be housed in the second floor; plans have not yet been made for the first floor.

A new greenhouse is being built next to Briggs Hall, and it will be large enough to walk to along the river. President Rik Warch commented that with the new open area, what was "formerly our backyard" is now an active part of the campus.

The Board of Trustees chose to name the new social sciences and mathematics building after Lucia Briggs, who served as the second president of Milwaukee-Downer College for thirty years. Milwaukee-Downer College and Lawrence College merged in 1964 to form the present Lawrence University.

Briggs was also the first woman president of Association of American Colleges and was granted an honorary degree from Lawrence College in 1926. During her tenure as president of Milwaukee-Downer College, its endowment more than quadrupled and several new buildings were erected. She retired in 1961, the centennial year of the college.

U.S. News & World Report ranks Lawrence 40th among national liberal arts colleges

BY NEAL REMER

U.S. News & World Report's annual guide to American colleges put Lawrence in a tie for 40th best national liberal arts college. Last year, the same guide placed Lawrence in the second tier of national liberal arts colleges, an alphabetical listing of the schools ranked 41 through 80. Tied with Lawrence for number 40 were Centre College, Ky. and Whitman College, Wash.

The 1998 edition of "America's Best Colleges," released in early September, also includes the "best values" in the nation. Lawrence merited a 13th in the "best values"-discounts section, which includes average student financial aid awards in the formula used to determine rankings. Lawrence placed 3rd in the same category in last year's issue.

Annual guidebooks such as U.S. News & World Report's, aimed at prospective college students and their parents, have turned into a huge industry. U.S. News & World Report has been doing its guide for a decade, but recently even Time Magazine has gotten into the act.

Steve Syverson is Lawrence dean of admissions and former ethics chairman of the National Association of College Admission Counselors. Several years ago Syverson spent a year on the advising board to U.S. News & World Report's college guide efforts. "They [U.S. News & World Report] do good research—better than most guidebooks," he said.

Despite the positive results Lawrence achieved in the rankings, Dean Syverson was quick to point out flaws in ranking systems.

"The guidebooks, he said, "want some sort of magic best college," and are "encouraging people to think about college in misleading ways." Different caliber students have specifically different requirements, which generate ranking systems that do not fully address.

At present, guidebooks receive their information from the admissions continued U.S. NEWS page 2

Lawrence students involved in extensive long-distance telephone fraud on campus

BY NEAL REMER

Lawrence students and others made over ten thousand dollars of illegal long-distance calls from public accessible campus phones this summer.

At the end of spring term, Ameritech, Lawrence's telephone service provider, made changes to the phone system, requiring reprograming. According to Bill Hodges, vice president for business affairs, "as they [Ameritech] were revising the phone system, they neglected to put a certain code on campus phones."

Students quickly discovered the mistake and word spread rapidly that long-distance phone calls could be made from public on-campus phones.

Ameritech could not be reached for comment.

Michael Corbett, director of computer services, first started noticing an increase in traffic on the third floor of the Seeley G. Mudd Library. "There's not a lot of traffic up on third floor unless there's an exam going on," Corbett noted that in all the building, "every-one [was] using the phone. A majority of the people using the phone were speaking foreign languages."

After a few days, Corbett called the telecommunications office. "The telecommunications checked the phones, but found nothing wrong. Corbett, however, continued to notice the stream of people at the telephones on what appeared to be international phone calls. He assumed, however, that the telecommunications office had checked the phones thoroughly and was correct in its judgment.

Still uncertain about the people at the phones, Corbett experimented with the phones himself. He "dialed information for Michigan, which is a known scam number—call 906 and dialed right through. I had nothing to ask; just wanted to see if I could." Again Corbett called Linda Barkin, head of telecommunications, to report the situation. Barkin came to the third floor of the library and, after seeing that the phones dialed out, according to Corbett, "was kind of flabbergast-ed."

continued SCAM page 3
feels it should provide a place for members of the group to socialize with other members of BOS. The BOS wing will receive a newly remodeled kitchen, which should help in social endeavors.

BOS Co-President Paula Gadmundson said that "the new place will have videos, books, maybe a computer, something accessible to students or the black community in general."

Gadmundson said that their wing is "mostly likely to be used for meetings," but also hopes to have "coffeehouse-style talks with members of faculty and administration on issues pertinent to African-Americans."

Joe Tenias, former president of BOSAIL, busy this week moving the DFC/BGLASS library to the new locations, said BGLASS and DFC are building a resource room with tables which will be on the Campus Wide Information System (CWS).

BOS wants to use its space as a resource center for students interested in issues pertinent to African-Americans.

The student, postcards requesting information on the university, almost any correspondence sent to the university by potential students, may be used as a sign of interest and counted as an application.

Syrerson commented that if Lawrence accepted students who sent SAT/ACT scores to Lawrence but never sent an application, the university would have to increase the number of applicants it accepted, accounted for as an application.

Syrerson mentioned marketing practices at the University of Wisconsin at Oshkosh, where the university rented a billboard to advertise its ranking in a guidebook. Carroll College, he said, in past years advertised its ranking in U.S. News & World Report as being #1-2-3 in the Midwest region, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the national liberal arts college category, not in the n
Lawrence welcomes new violin faculty

BY ZACH VICTOR

Allison Guest Edberg and Georgina Demetrias have replaced Anne Shih, former professor of violin, who has taken a position at a music school in Germany. Edberg, who has past years worked with many Lawrence conservatory faculty, returns for a two-year appointment as visiting assistant professor of music. Demetrias will join the conservatory for a one-year appointment as visiting associate professor of music. The new professors bring impressive achievements and credentials to the conservatory's distinguished faculty. Edberg has held positions at Florida State University, DePauw University, the Interlochen Music Festival, Ohio State University, and Lawrence. Demetrias' career exists both in and outside of his native Greece: he is the artistic director of the Porto-Karras International Masterclasses and the founder of the New Hellenic String Quartet. He has also been a scholar with many European orchestras and is a frequent recitalist in Europe, North America, and Australia.

Edberg has studied at the University of Michigan and at the Peabody Institute of Music with Camilla Wicks, Eliot Chapo, and the renowned Dorothy Delay. Demetrias was a student of the noted Greek violin pedagogue, Stelios Kafantaris. Robert Dodson, dean of the conservatory, commented on the new appointments. "Though Professor Shih will be missed, we are delighted to welcome our new colleagues."

The new faculty members bring an international phone call. Barkin asked Corbett, whom he had seen on the line a bit, Corbett, though, did not know many of the people he had seen. He did recall that when he dialed the telephone, where Barkin and Corbett on the phone. The student had poked his head out of a door of the busy. "I had a Tullius."

Hodgkiss said that the business office noticed the phone calls from "both the director of students using public phones" and the bill. Hodgkiss declined to say how large the American bill was, but did say that the figure $11,000 was "close."

The problem, he said, was discovered at the end of June, and by July 1, the public phones were discovered so they could be correctly programmed. The responsibility for long distance charge falls on the caller, while the university. Ameritech explained to Hodgkiss that this situation was similar to using a public pay phone. Even if the phone lets a caller dial right through without the requisite 30 cents, the caller is still responsible for paying. "Everybody assumes these [on-campus public phones] are not off-campus phones.... Technically the people that have used the phones are still responsible," said Hodgkiss.

The large bill was charged to Lawrence's account, but to Hodgkiss' relief, Ameritech has assumed responsibility for the collection of the bill. It was "a mistake by the telephone company," he said. "We will cooperate, but it's their responsibility."
Art Association and NAEA

By Ben Telghem

So you made it through four years of underfunded, understaffed, and overall inadequate art programs to finally get to a place where you can really get involved. You spent plenty of time poring over the course catalog to register for art classes, but there's plenty of good stuff besides that. Here's a few tips on how to make the most of Lawrence's arts community.

First off, there's more to Wisten than just classes. The galleries have some really great exhibitions in the past, and this year's schedule looks excellent (see article, this issue). The best time to visit the shows is during the opening reception. This is a great chance to talk to the artists and curators involved in the show and ask them whatever might be on your mind; in my experience, they are always really happy to talk shop.

It's also a great time to meet other students and even talk to some of the faculty—you'll find that they aren't nearly so dry as they are in lecture. Of course, there's food, too, and a college student must never turn down an offer of free food.

Two student groups on campus also provide great opportunities for art students. Art Association is one of Lawrence's oldest student groups and has a great tradition of art programs and events on campus. Last year, Art Association organized two student art shows in the Coffeeshop, talks by visiting and area artists, and trips to area museums. Weekly meetings gave students a chance to plan discussions, activities and art-related topics, and talk to professors about any questions and concerns.

A highlight last year was a weekend trip to Minneapolis to visit art museums and see renowned performance artist Laurie Anderson in concert. The annual Art Auction, where student artists and Art Association split the proceeds of a silent auction on student art, was a resounding success and boosted many fine works for sale. Art Association functions and meetings are always a blast, so keep an eye out for meeting times and activities.

The other student group is the Lawrence chapter of the National Art Educators Association. The NAEA chapter was formed last year and plans to make its first full year a busy one. Activities will focus on studies of art education for students and community outreach programs.

NAEA already has plans to organize and run art classes at the Fox Cities Children's Museum in the Avenue Mall and hopes to get involved with other community educational institutions. NAEA shows great promise as a rewarding opportunity for art students interested in education.

Fraternities

By Bob Beck

Freshman males. Among many of the organizations you will encounter among your first days at Lawrence is the Greek system. Represented by the Interfraternity Council (IPC), the individual fraternities, consisting of Beta Theta Pi, Delta Tau Delta, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Kappa Tau, and Sigma Phi Epsilon, will be making themselves visible to you on campus. Every day as you make your way toward Downer Commons you will pass the fraternity quad. This is the housing for the Greeks on campus. Each fraternity has its own building in which the members live and eat. With personal cooks the fraternity members eat all of their meals in their houses.

While providing many of the social functions on campus, fraternities also play an important part in the Lawrence community, with members on the LUCC executive board, Lambda Sigma, and other organizations on campus.

BGLASS

By Joe Tennis

Bisexual Gay Lesbian and Straight Society is Lawrence's student organization dedicated to promoting education and awareness on gay, lesbian and bisexual issues. Gays, lesbians, and bisexuals, as well as straight allies, program speaking, movie showings and other activities throughout the year.

Every spring the group hosts a conference geared toward a selected theme. Last year's theme was "Queers in the Academy." LU professors contributed their expert perspectives to the fields of Gay and Lesbian Studies, Queer theory and the like. Campus climate for professors and students was also discussed.

BGLASS also participates in the Midwest Bisexual Lesbian Gay and Transgender College Conference every year. This year the conference will be at the University of Illinois at Chicago. They are expecting a record 1100 registrants. The BGLASS heritage are the Ball and Latino BGLASS, and a Multi-Media Presentation.

Meeting times are still in flux but it is expected that BGLASS is moving into a new Resource Room located at 207 Meade St. It is estimated that the BGLASS will have a table in the Resource Room where you can pick up a copy of the new schedule and we will have posters with the times and location.

Any questions about the organization can be directed to J.P. Mohan at x7529. Any questions about the Resource Room in general can be directed to Joe Tennis at x7840.

Academic Profile

Average GPA

Thu Year 1.9

Sat Year 1.9

Valueadded

20

10

20

30

40

GPA

4 3 2 1

Average ACT

Composite (middle 50% of class)

ACT 1120-1190

1120-1200

1200-1290

1200 1280

Sinfonia

By Reid Kaweja

Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, the nation's largest professional music fraternity, has a chapter at Lawrence University that is committed to developing an awareness of American music in the community.

Sinfonia presents an annual American Music Recital, exclusively featuring the works of American composers, and actively promotes music in the community as well, reaching outside of the university. In the past, the chapter has commissioned works, including a piece to be premiered this coming year.

Sinfonia is active in managing and staging Celebrate's Greek Week starting Monday, Sept. 29 and running the whole week. Look for a schedule of events on your residence halls.

Tropos

Do you enjoy writing? Reading? Listening? Art? Publishing? Get to know Tropos, Lawrence's student literary publication and organization, established 1967. We organize poetry readings, jazz and percussion readings, weekly writing groups, and occasional workshops, in addition to publishing the annual literary issue. In so, send email to tropos@lawrence.edu and visit our table at the activities fair.

Katie Davis, Jenny McDonald, and Zach Victor, Co-Editors.

Friday, September 19

Student organizations welcome new students
CAMPUS ORGANIZATIONS
to campus and introduce themselves

Lambda Sigma

By Jennie McConaghy

On behalf of the thirty sophomores of Lambda Sigma, I would like to welcome you to Lawrence. As we are a group comprised entirely of sophomores, we vividly recall the excitement, apprehension, and slight chaos which occur during the first day of New Student Week.

Lambda Sigma members will be present at many New Student Week events, both behind the scenes and visibly as well. We look forward to the opportunity to help you get acquainted with Lawrence, current students, and Lambda Sigma.

The purpose of Lambda Sigma is to promote the leadership and scholarship of sophomore students, the opportunity to engage in service to the Lawrence and Appleton communities, and the fellowship of its members. Each year, Lambda Sigma consists of an entirely new group of unique individuals.

not only are we heavily involved in Lambda Sigma service, social, and fundraising activities, but we also get to take part in other campus groups and compete on athletic teams. On top of that, we love to have fun!

So please plan to join us at our second annual Homecoming float on Oct. 4, which proved to be very popular last year, or stop by our booth at Oktoberfest on Sept. 27. We are glad to see many new faces on campus and look forward to meeting the personalities behind them. Welcome!

In this issue, we have included several movies in "Girl's Town" and going to Madison on Oct. 20 to see Ani DiFranco in concert. We have many other ideas and we encourage suggestions from all group members. Our first meeting will be Wednesday, Oct. 1 at 8 p.m. in the house. We are very excited to have the use of a house as our new meeting place. The house is blue and it is located behind Draham (across the street from Donovens) at 287 Midwest. The house is currently getting a nice new paint job and carpet. It will be able to meet in a room with a nice, cozy fireplace.

BGLASS will also be meeting in this area and all of the residence room materials are in the process of moving to this new space. Resource room materials include books, magazines, and videos relating to feminist and gay/bisexual issues. Come find our table at the Activities Fair on Tuesday, Sept. 23 from 7:30-9 p.m. in the Union. Ask us any questions and sign up for the DFC phone tree. Also, look for signs around campus and all your new DFC meetings. We would love to see you there.

Zines at Lawrence

By Zach Victor

Zine?! Not quite a magazine, as the name suggests. These oftentimes radical and satirical booklets spring up overnight and disappear faster than a beer at a frat party. Are you interested in quick and dirty grass-roots-get-the-point-across publishing? Make a zine with your friends. We have outlines. Lawrence has recently seen satire, humor, and political commentary in the Bunglehole and the Utter (which isn't going to be around long); what do you want your fellow Lawrenceans to be reading next? For more info, email to Zach Victor at victor@lawrence.edu or stop by Trever Hall and ask with a friendly face.

Zach Victor, Subverter of Nefarious Hierarchies.

CLASSIFIEDS

Live in position available to qualified, kind-hearted student. Free room and board in exchange for pitching over sleeping troubler. Sunday-Thursday nights beginning at 9:00P.M. Position to begin October 1st.

Positions included: furnished room, all house privileges, Commonwealth Club membership, and a room to call your own.

Located near the intersection of Mason St. and Oklahoma St. on Valley Transit Bus Line. [link: http://zstock.uy !665-0212 for interview.

FR EE T-SHIRT

Credit Card fundraisers for fraternity, sororities & groups. Any campus organization can raise up to $1,000 by leaving a whopping $5,000 VISA application. Call 1-800-632-0528 ext. 65. Qualified calls receive FREE T-SHIRT.

$5 for College!

College Assistance is available (if you qualify) by joining the Wisconsin Army National Guard. Call for details! 1-800-GO-GUARD

Editor's note:

This should not be construed as a complete catalog of student organizations on campus.

To find out more about these and other student groups, visit the Activities Fair and Ice Cream Social on Tuesday, Sept. 23, at 7:30 p.m. in the Riverview Lounge, Memorial Union.

LUCC presents changes on campus

By LUCC CABINET

[Lawrence University Community Council (LUCC) governs most non-academic matters. Since 1968, students and faculty have successfully worked together on social and other non-curricular issues. The council's structure reflects the community. It has a president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, and several storage, publicity, and finance representatives.]

- 1996-97 course catalog!

As a result of community concerns and LUCC action, we are proud to present some changes at Lawrence that will make our campus a better place to live, work, and play.

New parking policy

Welcome back returning students and new students. As the 1997-1998 academic year begins, we here at LUCC would like to help make your stay as enjoyable as possible.

Beautiful Appleton is a little less Worrisome.

One problem we would like to solve is that of parking. As was the case third term, LUCC has made an agreement with the city of Appleton. For $50 a term, students at LU may reserve one parking spot on the top two floors of the parking ramp located behind Youkers department store.

These spots are ideal for students who don't use their car very often and want a safe place to park. For more information, send an email to torz@lawrence.edu or stop by the CABINET, the weekly LUCC meeting.

Parking at the YMCA

This fall, students will be able to use the parking structure at the YMCA behind Colman Hall. Beginning the day after the parking lottery, students who have registered their cars with the university can purchase a parking spot on the top level of this structure for $55.13 for the term. To take advantage of this great deal, register your car and take your proof of registration to the front desk during YMCA hours.

New home for student organizations

LUCC, the dean of students office, and the Multicultural Affairs Committee have worked together over the summer to provide additional meeting space for organizations devoted to cultural diversity and multicultural issues on campus.

The house located next to Draham has been allocated to Lawrence organizations, who previously had inadequate meeting space located in several areas of the campus, or no formal space at all.

New home for commuters

Beginning this year, the former DFC and BGLASS room in the panhandle wing of Colman Hall will be designated lounge for those members of the Lawrence Community who commute to school each day. According to the resolution passed unanimously by LUCC last year, this room will eventually be equipped with desks, computer terminals, and cooking appliances that would be beneficial to the commuting students.

LUCC presents changes on campus

By LUCC CABINET

[Lawrence University Community Council (LUCC) governs most non-academic matters. Since 1968, students and faculty have successfully worked together on social and other non-curricular issues. The council's structure reflects the community. It has a president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, and several storage, publicity, and finance representatives.]

- 1996-97 course catalog!

As a result of community concerns and LUCC action, we are proud to present some changes at Lawrence that will make our campus a better place to live, work, and play.

New parking policy

Welcome back returning students and new students. As the 1997-1998 academic year begins, we here at LUCC would like to help make your stay as enjoyable as possible.

Beautiful Appleton is a little less Worrisome.

One problem we would like to solve is that of parking. As was the case third term, LUCC has made an agreement with the city of Appleton. For $50 a term, students at LU may reserve one parking spot on the top two floors of the parking ramp located behind Youkers department store.

These spots are ideal for students who don't use their car very often and want a safe place to park. For more information, send an email to torz@lawrence.edu or stop by the CABINET, the weekly LUCC meeting.

Parking at the YMCA

This fall, students will be able to use the parking structure at the YMCA behind Colman Hall. Beginning the day after the parking lottery, students who have registered their cars with the university can purchase a parking spot on the top level of this structure for $55.13 for the term. To take advantage of this great deal, register your car and take your proof of registration to the front desk during YMCA hours.

New home for student organizations

LUCC, the dean of students office, and the Multicultural Affairs Committee have worked together over the summer to provide additional meeting space for organizations devoted to cultural diversity and multicultural issues on campus.

The house located next to Draham has been allocated to Lawrence organizations, who previously had inadequate meeting space located in several areas of the campus, or no formal space at all.

New home for commuters

Beginning this year, the former DFC and BGLASS room in the panhandle wing of Colman Hall will be designated lounge for those members of the Lawrence Community who commute to school each day. According to the resolution passed unanimously by LUCC last year, this room will eventually be equipped with desks, computer terminals, and cooking appliances that would be beneficial to the commuting students.

LUCC presents changes on campus

By LUCC CABINET

[Lawrence University Community Council (LUCC) governs most non-academic matters. Since 1968, students and faculty have successfully worked together on social and other non-curricular issues. The council's structure reflects the community. It has a president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, and several storage, publicity, and finance representatives.]

- 1996-97 course catalog!

As a result of community concerns and LUCC action, we are proud to present some changes at Lawrence that will make our campus a better place to live, work, and play.

New parking policy

Welcome back returning students and new students. As the 1997-1998 academic year begins, we here at LUCC would like to help make your stay as enjoyable as possible.

Beautiful Appleton is a little less Worrisome.

One problem we would like to solve is that of parking. As was the case third term, LUCC has made an agreement with the city of Appleton. For $50 a term, students at LU may reserve one parking spot on the top two floors of the parking ramp located behind Youkers department store.

These spots are ideal for students who don't use their car very often and want a safe place to park. For more information, send an email to torz@lawrence.edu or stop by the CABINET, the weekly LUCC meeting.

Parking at the YMCA

This fall, students will be able to use the parking structure at the YMCA behind Colman Hall. Beginning the day after the parking lottery, students who have registered their cars with the university can purchase a parking spot on the top level of this structure for $55.13 for the term. To take advantage of this great deal, register your car and take your proof of registration to the front desk during YMCA hours.

New home for student organizations

LUCC, the dean of students office, and the Multicultural Affairs Committee have worked together over the summer to provide additional meeting space for organizations devoted to cultural diversity and multicultural issues on campus.

The house located next to Draham has been allocated to Lawrence organizations, who previously had inadequate meeting space located in several areas of the campus, or no formal space at all.

New home for commuters

Beginning this year, the former DFC and BGLASS room in the panhandle wing of Colman Hall will be designated lounge for those members of the Lawrence Community who commute to school each day. According to the resolution passed unanimously by LUCC last year, this room will eventually be equipped with desks, computer terminals, and cooking appliances that would be beneficial to the commuting students.
Lawrence conservatory to perform Mahler 2

Author: Chad Freeburg

Plans are underway for Lawrence's performance of Gustav Mahler's Symphony No. 2. The performance is scheduled for April 18, but preparations for the large-scale work have already begun. Bridget-Michaela Reischl, assistant professor of music and orchestra director, will direct the five movement work.

Richard Bjella, director of choirs and choir master for the symphony, said that the event would be a greater undertaking than any previous concert at Lawrence.

The orchestration calls for three flutes, three oboes, two clarinets, three bassoons, 10 horns (four affagato), eight to 10 trombones, three trumpets (four to six affagato), four trombones, a tuba, seven timpani (with three players on four sets of timpani), two triangles, a side drum, a glockenspiel, two harps and an organ.

Lawrence will have to exhaust its resources just to meet the orchestration. The symphony's choral element, in the fifth movement, requires at least 200 members. Bjella said that several choirs outside of the Lawrence community, including unnamed colleges, have expressed an interest in performing alongside the Lawrence concert choir. The White Heron Chorale, which appeared in last year's Verdi Requiem, will again perform with the school's concert choir.

Quotations: "97-98 Wriston Exhibitions by Ben Tilghman

By far the oddest looking building on the Lawrence Campus is the Wriston Art Center. Next to the relatively reserved facades of Main Hall, Youngblood Hall, and the Seeley G. Mudd, Wriston looks like something that might have dropped out of Oz. Nadine Wasserman, curator of the Wriston Art Center Galleries, seems to have taken this whimsy to heart in planning the 1997-98 exhibition season.

Three of this year's six exhibitions examine the role of humor and parody in art. "10,000 Lincoln Cheese Logs: Something Different From Minnesota, Illinois, and Wisconsin," "Indian Humor," and "Marketplace of Ideas: Culture Jamming in the Visual Arts" all focus on the ways in which humorous art reflects and comments upon the culture in which it was created. "10,000 Lincoln Cheese Logs: Something Different From Minnesota, Illinois, and Wisconsin" will be the first show on display this year. The exhibition brings together four humorous artists from each state. All of the artists use a variety of styles and mediums to present commentary on contemporary art and culture which is often irreverent and subversive.

The artists are also interested in demolishing distinctions between "high" and "low" art, following the traditions of Dadaism, Surrealism, and Pop Art. Wasserman said of the show: "By playing with your emotions and expectations, these works first make you laugh and then make you think.

The exhibition opens with a reception on Friday, Sept. 26, from 7 to 9 p.m. and will be on display through Nov. 2. Nov. 15 will see the opening of "Indian Humor," and "Marketplace of Ideas: Culture Jamming in the Visual Arts" will close Nov. 26. A reception will be held every Friday evening from 5 to 8 p.m.

"From carmina burana to carmina burana" by David Raizis features the work of 15th-century medieval songs tied to dance. The concert will end with the O Fortuna chorus from Carl Orff's Carmina Burana.

The concert will be performed by the Lawrence Concert Choir and the Verdi, performed last year, is choir intensive with less emphasis on the orchestra. The Mahler should challenge both the orchestra and choir.

Annually, the Lawrence Concert Choir and Chamber will perform "With a Poet's Eye," which will feature Spanish and Irish poetry arranged by Samuel Barber, Ennio Paganelli Rautavaara, and Dominic Argento.

The final concert, called "From carmina burana to carmina burana," investigates the position of 15th-century medieval songs tied to dance. The concert will end with the O Fortuna chorus from Carl Orff's Carmina Burana.

At presse time, the final decision on who will perform the choral portion had not been made.

The extremes of range and dynamics in the symphony will provide the ensemble's greatest challenge. Bjella pointed to the extreme low B-flat below low C range in the basses and the extreme highs in tenor and soprano as particularly difficult elements. The dynamics vary from pianissimo to fortissimo and will test the control and flexibility of every singer and instrumentalist.

Professional vocalists will perform the soprano and alto solos. Reischl, who will choose the soloists, could not be reached for comment.

In deciding which major work was to be performed this year, Bjella and Reischl discussed several possibilities. The two directors concerned themselves with opportunities for growth of the instrumentalists and vocalists. It was of course, important for the directors that their final choice was a piece they were willing and eager to dedicate a lot of time and work to.

Bjella felt that after Beethoven's Ninth Symphony and Verdi's Requiem, Mahler's Second was the most sensible selection. Beethoven's Ninth, performed two years ago, uses extensive orchestra and little choir; the Verdi, performed last year, is choir intensive with less emphasis on the orchestra. The Mahler should challenge both the orchestra and choir.

The Lawrence choirs will have a busy schedule this year. Along with the Mahler, this year's program includes a concert entitled "Hats Off to Wisconsin," featuring a work by Alan Gimbel, associate professor of music in theory, composition, and music history.

"A Baroque Christmas" features Bach's "Magnificat." Student soloists will perform in this concert.

The annual Viching Koral Festival celebrates its 15th concert in February. In March, the Lawrence Concert Choir and Chamber will perform "With a Poet's Eye," which will feature Spanish and Irish poetry arranged by Samuel Barber, Ennio Paganelli Rautavaara, and Dominic Argento.

The final concert, called "From carmina burana to carmina burana," investigates the position of 15th-century medieval songs tied to dance. The concert will end with the O Fortuna chorus from Carl Orff's Carmina Burana.
Summer physics research

By Eric Moore

Since the school year takes up only nine months of the year, an important part of a student's career in college is deciding what to do with the summers. For many people this turns out to be a job in their hometown, where others decide to seek out more exotic locales. I had the opportunity to spend this past summer in neither my hometown, nor anywhere exotic, but right here on the Lawrence campus. I was one of the many students who remained on campus in part because of the many student researchers working with faculty on scientific endeavors.

I spent the majority of my summer working with Professor David Cook of the physics department. The focus of our work was the use of computers and computational procedures for solving complex problems in physics. Specifically, I studied a numerical technique called finite element analysis and applied it to problems dealing with vibrating systems.

Throughout the course of the summer, I constructed a variety of computer models to demonstrate how irregularly shaped objects vibrate. Not only did this yield many interesting insights into the natural vibrations of objects, but the methods employed in solving these problems can also be used to solve problems in such widely ranging areas as fluid dynamics and electromagnetism.

In addition to learning all about my own area of focus, I also had the chance to find out about the research going on in the other departments at the weekly talks given by summer researchers. Nearly every Thursday throughout the course of the summer people would bring their lunches to room 161 in Youngchild to hear two or three student researchers give a talk about their summer activities. This was a great way to keep up on science at Lawrence.

While many students may be eager to get away from campus come the end of third term, there are a lot of opportunities for research positions right here at Lawrence. It is definitely a worthwhile experience, and spending the summer working in your major field is a great way to keep close to the material that will inevitably come in classes the following year.

TCF gives you move than just pennies...

- No minimum balance required
- No per-check charges
- FREE transactions at TCF Bank's ATMs
- First 10 checks FREE

If you open your checking account now you'll also get $10 in pocket change.

TCF NATIONAL BANK

Wisconsin

Appleton Downtown
320 E. College Ave. 749-7200

West College
2835 W. College Ave. 749-7240

Menasha
1500 Appleton Ave. 725-0900

Deposit FDIC insured to $100,000. "No annual fee. No per transaction fee for Visa Check Card. TCF Check Card can also be used as an ATM card. Normal transaction fees apply when used as an ATM card or for Economy Checking accounts. Ask about the TCF Check Card at any TCF Bank Branch." "$50 minimum opening balance required.
**Viking football begins season 1-1**

BY JOSH HOBSON

While most Lawrence students were still at home watching Comedy Central, the football team has been practicing hard to prepare for this season. Preseason camp started Aug. 20, and Head Coach Rick Coles said it was the strongest gathering in years. He said that offensively the team is much improved, especially the line. "The team's focus is improved and there is a much greater intent for success."

Helping to strive toward this success is senior running back Brad Olson, who is 195 yards away from breaking Scott Reppert's school and state record of 4,442 rushing yards set 15 years ago.

"He most likely will break the record at home on the 27th against Knox," said Coles. Olson has led the nation for rushing yards in a season for division II schools and led all divisions with an average of 195.6 yards per game in 1995.

The season is already two games old. The first was a game at the Banta Bowl, where the Vikings lost to non-division Carleton College 24-19. Although it was a loss, Coles said the team played much better against Carleton this time than in years past. For his performance in this game, junior defensive back Robb Kreil was named Midwest Conference Player of the Week.

The second game was away at Concordia of Illinois. Lawrence pulled out a 41-39 overtime victory. Coles said about the game: "We didn't play well the first quarter and a half. We got ourselves into a hole early down 14-0. ... We never had the lead until overtime." The Vikings battled back throughout the game, overcoming deficit after deficit. Finally, the strong-willed Vikes, on an 80-yard drive, took the lead. Offensive guard Joel Bogenarchutz was awarded Midwest Conference Player of the Week for that game. Two weeks, two players of the week. If you do the math, that's not bad.

**Women's volleyball rebuilds**

BY JOSH HOBSON

The women's volleyball team is off to a good start. The team took a heavy blow in the off-season, losing four starters to graduation. Despite this, the team is playing well.

"Though they are younger and have less floor experience than last year's team, they are more athletic," Coach Kim Tatro, busy as ever, complimented.

In their two tournaments, the Vikings have fared well, going 1-3 in the first tourney at Edgewood College; and taking third by going 2-2 at the MSOE Invitational.

Both teams have received great support.

Helping to strive toward this success is senior outside hitter Gretchen Gerrish and junior outside hitter Janae Magnussen won all-tournament recognition. Gerrish, in addition to sharing captainship of the team with junior setter Leah Andersen, was named Midwest Conference Player of the Week.

This team shows a lot of promise. The loss of four of the six starters is far from the end of the world. As Tatro put it, "The team will do better with more experience."

---

**Costa Rica: Study Paradise this Spring**

The Lawrence University Department of Government in conjunction with Duke University offers a field-oriented semester abroad program in tropical ecology and Latin American culture. Students earn 16 credit hours in biology, environmental science, and Spanish language & culture.

Credits may be transferred from Duke University.

- hands-on biology
- cultural immersion
- field trips
- independent projects
- remote field sites
- research
- exotic wildlife

For brochure and application materials, contact:
Organizations for Tropical Studies, 101 West 11th Street, Suite 400
Chicago, IL 60605, 312-642-4590; Fax: 312-642-4595
E-mail: pot@ots.duke.edu

Visit our beautiful showroom. We have a huge selection of quality handmade rugs from Persia, Turkey, China, etc.

You will get the best value in the Midwest

Now is the right time for a quality investment... at a great price!

Cleaning • Repair • Free Pickup & Delivery

119 College Ave., Appleton (Across from Herbkers)

(414)30-8008

---

**Cross country off and running**

BY BRENT TAMAMOTO AND FAYE GILBERT

The men's and women's cross country teams are off to a great running starts after just two meets. A combination of extreme dedication and improved summer conditioning have helped to produce two extremely talented groups of runners.

The women have already gathered two trophies by placing second at the Tom Berry Invitational behind defending conference champion Carroll by just two points. A week later they improved on that performance by winning the MSOE Invitational.

Both teams have received tremendous boosts from an influx of new talent, with freshmen comprising more than half of both teams. The women's team is paced by senior distance runner Cathy Kempen, with Faye Gilbert, Jen Torotoria, Julia Liebich, Christine Jones, Kathy Roll, Nichole Cook, Vanessa Curtis, Jenny Kornowski, Annie Duke, Amber Petitt, and Becky Doyle adding high powered support.

On the men's side, freshman Peter Levi leads the team with top ten finishes in both of the first two meets of the season for the second of which he were training shoes! Backing him up are the sparse but scrappy crowd of Jim Moran, Brent Tamamoto, Zach Walker, and Matt Sturrey. Thanks goes out to John Enters for his brief stint with the team, as well as to the man known only as Erno, who had a great interval mile workout last Tuesday.

Rumors regarding the addition of other male runners (i.e. Michael Donnelly, Aron Alexander, T.J. Ow, Jesse Gilbert, and Josh Cross) have been floating around; however, these rumors have yet to be confirmed and at this point should be treated as strict speculation.

Captains Jim Moran and Chris Jones have been doing a great job, and the team is gelling together well.

Both teams took full advantage of a week of training at Björkunden full of swimming in Lake Michigan, deck workouts, biking, and trail runs. The food was delicious.

In the next week, the teams travel to UW Parkside for a race of 200 runners from divisions I, II, and III. The standard starting gun will be replaced for this race by a cannon.

There will be a home meet on Oct. 18 at Plamann Park.