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EIU Calendar of Events April and May 2002

LET THE GAMES BEGIN!

GREEK WEEK 2002

April 5 through 13, 2002

Note: The public is welcome to all events as spectators. No admission charge unless otherwise noted. For details, see <http://www.eiu.edu/%7Egreekwk/>.

- Friday, April 5: Election Voting**, noon to 4 p.m., Library Quad; **Bingo**, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Library Quad.
- Saturday, April 6: Airband/Coronation**, 7 p.m., Lantz Arena. Admission: \$8, floor seats; \$5, balcony.
- Sunday, April 7: Greek Sing**, 1 p.m., Lantz Arena. Admission: \$8, floor seats; \$5, balcony.
- Monday, April 8: Tugs** (little men competition, followed by women and big men), 4 p.m., Campus Pond.
- Tuesday, April 9: Collegiate Bowl** (first round), 6 to 11 p.m., Coleman Auditorium; **Pyramids**, 4 p.m., Campus Pond; **Canoe Races**, immediately following pyramids, Campus Pond.
- Wednesday, April 10: Unity Event Bowling and Billiards**, 9 p.m., University Union Bowling Alley; **Tugs** (little men competition, followed by big men), 4 p.m., Campus Pond.
- Thursday, April 11: Fun Day at Jefferson School**, 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.; **Obstacle Course**, 4 p.m., Campus Pond.
- Friday, April 12: Tugs** (little men competition, followed by women and big men), 3 p.m., Campus Pond.
- Saturday, April 13: Tugs Finals**, 2 p.m., Campus Pond.

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Eastern Illinois University emphasizes distinguished teaching in the liberal arts, sciences and selected professions. A traditional, residential state university of recognized quality, Eastern enrolls more than 10,000 students in undergraduate and graduate programs. The university, located in Charleston, also serves the region through a variety of non-credit and off-site degree programs, as well as cultural and recreational opportunities. Eastern's pursuit of excellence attracts well-qualified students of an increasingly diverse population and a teaching faculty active in research and public service who utilize the latest technology.

General Events

April

- 2 **"In Hitler's Shadow,"** lecture, 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 2, University Ballroom, University Union. Presented by Yaron Svoray, a son of holocaust survivors, who went undercover as a neo-nazi to uncover the Nazi, anti-Semitism movement still taking place today in Europe. Admission: \$3; free for EIU students with PantherCard ID.
- 3 **American Red Cross Blood Drive,** 1 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 3, University Ballroom, University Union. Refreshments/free t-shirts provided to all donors. Sponsors: Lambda Pi Eta, Alpha Epsilon Delta and Alpha Phi Omega.
- 3 **"Understanding the Holocaust,"** lecture, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 3, Lumpkin Hall, room 1031. Presented by Dan McMillan, EIU Department of History. Free admission; open to the public.
- 3 **"Hold on to Your Wallets, Hang on to Your Hats!"** 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 3, Roberson Auditorium, Lumpkin Hall, room 2030. Presented by C. S. "Bud" Kulesza Jr., executive-in-residence at EIU's Lumpkin College of Business and Applied Sciences. This talk will address the impact of the Enron scandal and other changes in the marketplace on business and the accounting profession in particular. Free admission; open to the public.
- 3 **"Diversity,"** 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 3, Effingham Room, University Union. "Have you ever wondered what it would be like to walk in another person's shoes? Come learn about diversity and its impact on your life." An EIU Counseling Center-sponsored workshop. Free admission; open to the public.
- 9 **State of the University Address,** presented by Interim President Louis V. Hencken, 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 9, University Ballroom, University Union. Free admission; open to the public.
- 20 **EIU Open House.** EIU hosts a series of open house programs for prospective students and their families. Students have an opportunity to meet with faculty and/or student service personnel. Campus tours, as well as residence hall tours, are given throughout the day, with lunch available in the residence halls. ***The open house programs start at 9 a.m. in the Martin Luther King Jr. University Union.*** No reservations are necessary and parking is available in any student or staff lot.
- 24 **"Can You Come Over To Play?"** 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 24, Effingham Room, University Union. "What is your stress level right now? Come to this workshop to relax and have some fun." An EIU Counseling Center-sponsored workshop. Free admission; open to the public.
- 26-28 **CELEBRATION: A Festival of the Arts,** Friday through Sunday, April 26-28, in and around the EIU Library Quad. Music performances, visual artists' booths, folk arts and food. Free admission. For information, phone (217) 581-2113.

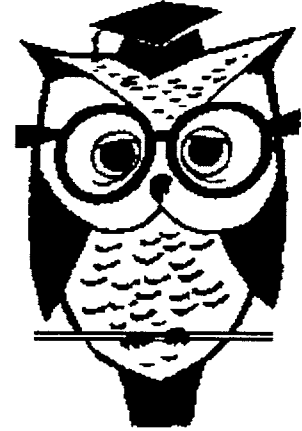
29 EIU Board of Trustees Meeting, 8:30 a.m. Monday, April 29, University Ballroom, University Union. Public welcome.

May

- 4 Spring 2002 Commencement Ceremonies**, Lantz Arena
- ★ 9 a.m. – College of Sciences
 - ★ Noon – College of Education and Professional Studies/Board of Trustees Bachelor of Arts Degree Program
 - ★ 3 p.m. – College of Arts and Humanities
 - ★ 6 p.m. – Lumpkin College of Business and Applied Sciences

(Graduate School graduates will march with the college related to their respective fields of study.)

For information/details, contact the EIU Commencement Office, (217) 581-6892.

**Athletics (Home Events Only)**

For details/information, contact Sports Information – (217) 581-6408.

All dates, times and opponents subject to change w/out notice.

Admission to most events free unless otherwise noted.

[\(http://www.eiu.edu/~sprtinfo/\)](http://www.eiu.edu/~sprtinfo/)

April

- 2 Baseball**, Illinois State, Monier Field, 2 p.m.
Men's/Women's Tennis, Bradley, Darling Tennis Courts, 3 p.m.
- 4-6 Men's/Women's Track**, Big Blue Classic & Multi's, All Day
- 6 Baseball**, Bradley, Monier Field, 1 p.m.
Softball, Tennessee-Martin, Williams Field, Noon
- 7 Softball**, Tennessee-Martin, Williams Field, Noon
- 12 Softball**, Tennessee State, Williams Field, 2 p.m.
- 13 Baseball**, Austin Peay, Monier Field, 1 p.m.
Softball, Tennessee State, Williams Field, Noon
- 14 Baseball**, Austin Peay, Monier Field, 1 p.m.
- 16 Baseball**, Illinois, Monier Field, 3 p.m.
Men's/Women's Tennis, St. Francis (IL), Darling Tennis Courts, 2 p.m.
- 17 Baseball**, Purdue, Monier Field, 3 p.m.
- 18 Softball**, Southeast Missouri, Williams Field, 2 p.m.
- 20 Volleyball**, Spring Tournament, Lantz Arena, All Day
 Complete Schedule: <http://www.eiu.edu/~sprtinfo/sports/vball/spring.htm>
- 23 Softball**, IUPUI-Indianapolis, Williams Field, 2 p.m.
- 24 Baseball**, Indiana State, Monier Field, 3 p.m.
- 28 Baseball**, Ball State, Monier Field, 1 p.m.

May

- 1 Baseball**, St. Louis, Monier Field, 3 p.m.
- 4 Baseball**, Morehead State, Monier Field, 1 p.m.
- 5 Baseball**, Morehead State, Monier Field, 1 p.m.
- 17 Baseball**, Murray State, Monier Field, 1 p.m.
- 18 Baseball**, Murray State, Monier Field, 1 p.m.

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Music

Recitals, as well as SOME concerts, are free and open to the public, unless otherwise noted.
 All events take place in Dvorak Concert Hall, Doudna Fine Arts Center, unless otherwise noted.
 All events are subject to change; phone 581-3010 for information.

April

- 1 **Faculty Recital** – István Szabó, viola, 7:30 p.m.
- 2 **Student Recital** – Laura Wampler, piano, 7:30 p.m.
- 5 **Student Recital** – Janet Essary, soprano, 7:30 p.m.
- 6 **EIU Honors Recital**, 3 p.m.
Student Recital – Jeff Young, percussion, 7:30 p.m.
- 7 **Wind Ensemble**, 3 p.m.
- 9 **Jazz Lab Band**, 7:30 p.m.
- 11 **Student Recital** – Amanda Alburtus, soprano, and Lucas Goodrich, tenor, 5 p.m.
 Tsung-Szu Hsieh, graduate viola, 7:30 p.m.
- 12 **Student Recital** – Rachael Harvel, soprano, 5 p.m.
EIU Jazz Ensemble, 7:30 p.m.
- 13 **Student Recital** – Jennifer Dietz, flute, 2 p.m.
Student Recital – Josh Palmer, percussion, 3 p.m.
Student Recital – Christina Hoegen, mezzo soprano, and Lisa Wyatt, flute, 5 p.m.
Latin Percussion Ensembles, 7:30 p.m.
- 14 **Student Recital** – Edward Ochsner, horn, 3 p.m.
Student Recital – Josh Leege, trumpet, and Tim Schmidt, trumpet, 5 p.m.
- 15 **Student Recital** – Jennifer Brinkley, clarinet, and Julie Sheckells, clarinet, 7:30 p.m.
- 16 **Student Recital** – Christopher Thompson, tenor, 7:30 p.m.
- 18 **Composers' Forum**, 7:30 p.m.
- 19 **"A Farewell Concert,"** by EIU Symphony Orchestra and Chorus and featuring Mozart's Requiem, 7:30 p.m. Admission: \$7; \$5 for seniors and students.
- 20 **Preparatory Program Recital**, 1:30 and 3 p.m.
- 21 **"A Farewell Concert,"** by EIU Symphony Orchestra and Chorus and featuring Mozart's Requiem, 3 p.m. Admission: \$7; \$5 for seniors and students.
- 22 **Student Recital** – Jon Siddle, trombone, 7:30 p.m.
- 23 **Jazz Combos**, 7:30 p.m. (Location to be announced.)
- 24 **Visiting Performer** – Jeffrey Ballard, voice, and Paul Reilly, guitar, 7:30 p.m.
Student Recital – Eric Chapman, trombone, (time to be determined), Tarble Arts Center
- 26 **EIU Percussion Ensembles**, 7:30 p.m.
- 27 **Multi-Cultural Choral Concert w/ Percussion Ensembles**, 1 p.m.
Concert and Collegiate Bands, 4 p.m.

Tarble Arts Center

Located on South Ninth Street at Cleveland Avenue; (217) 581-2787
 Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday; 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday;
 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday. Free admission, unless otherwise noted.
 Free visitor parking in Ninth Street lot as marked. Group tours available upon request.
<http://www.eiu.edu/~tarble>

Exhibits

Pathways: An Installation by Victoria Woollen-Danner & the 2002 Arts-In-Education Students – Through April 21

Works by the 2002 Arts-In-Education artist-in-residence Victoria Woollen-Danner of Charleston, working with the A-I-E students from area schools.

-- Gallery Talk and A-I-E Residency Artists' Reception: 4 to 6 p.m. Friday, April 12

2002 Graduate Art Exhibition – April 6 through April 28

This group thesis exhibition presents art work created by the current EIU Studio Art master's candidates.

-- **Graduate Art Exhibition Reception: 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 7**

Animal Art of the Ancient Americas – April 26 through June 2

This exhibition presents a wide variety of animals and their symbolic associations with ancient peoples of Central and South America. Objects of clay, gold, stone and textiles of pre-Columbian art of Meso- and South America are featured. All of the works reference animals, real or mythological, in their form or surface decoration.

Special Events**Allen Neff Memorial Poetry Reading, featuring Wesley McNair**

– 4 p.m. Thursday, April 11

– Sponsored by the EIU Department of English

Charleston Community Theatre Chamber Theatre: ART

– 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday, April 19-20 and 26-27, and 2 p.m. Sunday, April 21 and 28

– Admission: \$8, adults; \$6, seniors; and \$3.50, students.

Tickets may be purchased at the door or in advance at the TAC Gift Shop.

– For information, call (217) 345-3742.

Cultivating Creativity: ICTC Children's Art Exhibition 2001-2002

-- First National Bank of Arcola, Arcola: Through April 15

-- Arthur Public Library, Arthur: April 16 through May 2

Co-sponsored with Illinois Consolidated Telephone Company

The Tarble Arts Center offers year-round community art instruction for persons of all ages.

For information, phone the Tarble Arts Center – 581-2787.

Theatre (<http://www.eiu.edu/~theatre/>)

Tickets are \$8 for adults, \$6 for faculty/staff/senior citizens and \$3.50 for students.

The box office is open 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and one hour prior to each performance.

Phone 581-3110 during box office hours for ticket information and reservations.

“The Reluctant Dragon”

Since its first appearance in 1898, Kenneth Grahame's “The Reluctant Dragon” has charmed both young and old alike with its tale of a lazy dragon who shows the townsfolk that they should not be prejudiced against dragons or, for that matter, people who are different.

-- 7 p.m. Friday, April 19; 2 p.m. Saturday, April 20