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For Immediate Release:

ACTOR BRUCE CAMPBELL TO LECTURE ON EIU CAMPUS

CHARLESTON – Actor Bruce Campbell, known to many for his role in the “Evil Dead” movie series, will discuss his career and Hollywood in general when he visits the campus of Eastern Illinois University this week.

Campbell’s lecture will begin at 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 20, in the Grand Ballroom of Eastern’s University Union, and will be followed by a question-and-answer period and reception in the nearby 1895 Room. General admission is \$5 per person, while EIU students will be admitted free with PantherCard ID.

His multi-media talk will offer a “hilarious and insightful look” at his acting/directing career which includes roles in “Evil Dead,” “Evil Dead II: Dead by Dawn” and the third installment of the trilogy, “Army of Darkness.”

Television viewers also may recognize Campbell as “Autolycus,” or the “King of Thieves,” as portrayed in the series “Hercules” and its popular spin-off, “Xena: Warrior Princess.”

He also recently authored a book, “Confessions of a ‘B’ Movie Actor.” Limited copies, priced at \$13.95, are available at the University Union Bookstore.

The University Board, sponsor of the event, urges those with Bruce Campbell movie memorabilia to bring it with them as Campbell has consented to set some time aside to greet his fans and sign autographs.

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