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EASTERN TO HOST PARENTS' WEEKEND

CHARLESTON, IL--Several thousand parents and other family members will join Eastern Illinois University students for Parents' Weekend this Friday and Saturday.

Highlighting the weekend's events will be a concert by Lou Rawls at 8 p.m. Saturday in Lantz Gymnasium. Tickets, at \$12 per person, are still available and can be purchased at the University Union Ticket Office, at 581-5122.

Rawls, a four-time Grammy award winner with six gold albums, sings a variety of music from jazz, blues and soul to pop, rock and ballads.

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PARENTS' WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

Other events will include "Centerstage 1992-The Best of Broadway," an array of Broadway show tunes, at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday in Dvorak Concert Hall in the Doudna Fine Arts Center. General admission tickets are \$7.50 and reserved seats, \$17.50. Seats are still available for Friday's performance and can be purchased at the Union Ticket Office or Music Office in the Fine Arts Center, at 581-3010.

On Saturday, there will be a free coffee hour for students, parents and guests in the University Union's Bookstore Lounge from 10 a.m. to noon. For parents who ordered them, deli lunch boxes will be available in the Union Vending Lounge between 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

At 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Eastern's football Panthers will host Northern Iowa at O'Brien Stadium.

A candlelight dinner buffet will be offered Saturday evening from 4:30 to 7 p.m. in the Union.

University-sponsored events will draw to a close Sunday with the annual Parents' Club brunch from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Union. All Parents' Weekend participants who have purchased tickets are welcome to attend.

The weekend's events are presented by Eastern's Parents' Club, University Union and University Board.

For more information, call Eastern's Student Activities Office at 581-3829.