CAMPUS Voice

PACIFIC LUTHERAN UNIVERSITY

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Academic year starts today

Happy first day of school! Classes begin at 8 am on Sept. 8, with a recess for opening convocation at 10:30 am. Classes resume at 1:45 pm.

PLU named number nine in Western universities

It's year number two in place number nine: PLU was ranked ninth in the top 15
Western region universities in the U.S.
News & World Report 1997 America's
Best Colleges issue and guidebook. PLU
tied for the position with Mt. St. Mary's
College of California. The rankings were
based on academic reputation, retention,
faculty resources, student selectivity,
financial resources and the alumni giving
rate. PLU is the only Northwest school to
be listed in all of the magazine's surveys
since the practice began in 1983. PLU also
ranked 10th out of the 15 for "best value,"
up from 12th last year.

Tut tut, it looks like Reign

The Seattle Reign women's professional basketball team will storm Olson Auditorium with an intra-squad scrimmage at 6 pm on Sept. 13. An autograph session will be held immediately after the game in the Fieldhouse. The scrimmage is the second stop on the US West Tip-off Tour, and will star Tacoma native and first-round draft pick Kate Starbird in her professional debut. The contest is Starbird's first appearance in Tacoma since leaving Lakes High School in 1993 to attend Stanford University. The Reign is part of the nine-team American Basketball League, and will

Wellness Clinic receives booster grant

Health services for adolescents in Parkland and Spanaway through the PLU Wellness Clinic received a boost with a \$1,500 grant from the Pierce County Medical Society Alliance. The clinic, part of the Wellness Center on East Campus, is a nursemanaged center staffed by three advanced registered nurse practitioners. It offers primary care services such as physicals, preventative health care and women's health care, all without state or federal subsidies. This is the second year the clinic has received a grant from the alliance. The funds help buy medications and health care supplies for those who can't afford them, as well as health care literature and other resources.

Finance and operations VP candidates visit campus

As you may know, the search committee for the vice president for finance and operations position has been at work since last spring. Three finalists for the position have been named, and each will visit campus this month. Roger J. Fecher, vice president for administration and finance at Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology in Terre Houte, Ind., will be on campus Sept. 15 and 16. Charles Upshaw, vice president for administration and finance at Marietta College in Marietta, Ohio, will visit campus on Sept. 18 and 19. Paul Carlson, associate vice chancellor for business and finance at the University of Nebraska in Lincoln, Neb., will be at PLU on Sept. 22 and 23. Each candidate will attend an informal reception to which the PLU

open its second season in Seattle in October. Tickets for the PLU scrimmage are \$2.

community is invited. Watch for additional information, as your participation in this process is very important and most appreciated.

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Summer grades available only via phone

Alert: the Registrar's Office is not sending out summer grade reports. No need to panic, though. Call the teleregistration number (4011 on campus, or 531-4011 from off campus), and you can access your grades over the phone. If you need a printed copy, you can pick up an unofficial copy of your transcript at Student Services.

Student Services just a phone call away

The Student Services Center now has an automatic phone line. If you call 7161, you can follow the menu choices to access information on Perkins or Nursing Loans, obtain official transcripts, find out how to make corrections to your student aid report or learn about '97-'98 financial aid awards. If none of the choices match your needs, you'll be connected to the main office line.

Polish pianists perform two-piano concert

Guest pianists **Danuta Szlubowska** and **Janusz Szlubowski**, both from Poland, put four hands together as they perform works for two pianos by composers Beethoven, Bartók, Addinsell and Debussy. The couple are parents of **Marta Kirk** (Music). The concert begins at 8 pm on Sept. 11 in Lagerquist. Call 7602 for more information.

PLU Corporation meets for business

Church Relations hosts the PLU
Corporation meeting on Sept. 12 and 13 on campus. The weekend provides an opportunity for representatives from
Lutheran congregations -- many of whom are alumni -- to see what's going on around campus and take that good news back to their churches. The group also holds a business meeting over the weekend to conduct the business of the university, including electing members to the board of regents.

PLU opens doors for open house

The Admissions Office hosts the 1997 Fall Open House on Sept. 14. Roughly 650 to 700 prospective students and their family members are expected. The Admissions team hopes you will make the visitors feel welcome and provide them with a positive experience at PLU!

Country-singin' alum does the Puyallup If you're headed to the Puyallup Fair this week, stop by to hear Michael Peterson '80, former PLU football star and current top-10 country singer. He's headlining at 7 pm on Sept. 10, with two other country voices, Lila McCann and Tammy Graham. For more information on the singers, visit the fair's website at http://www.thefair.com/home.html and look under the "Attractions and Events" category.

Gallery exhibit shows creative work of ads

"Cute. Naked. Spotted. Deadly." Recognize the recent advertising campaign by the Point Defiance Zoo? Then come see the creative forces of Walt and Denise Tomsic of Tomsic Designs, whose work is displayed during September in the University Gallery in Ingram. The couple puts imagination to work in the creation of designs for marketing and promotional campaigns. The exhibit includes expression of their ideas in the form of packaging, brochures and logo development for companies such as Frank Russell Company, Tacoma Philharmonic, Tacoma Actors Guild, Franciscan Health Care Systems, and Picks Cove Marine Center. Walt also teaches in the PLU Art Department. Gallery hours are 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Mon.-Fri.

Go tell it on the mountain

Catch a glimpse from the top of the world as the University Congregation goes for a

From folk music to Finish glass

It's the last week to see recordings, music, instruments and other pieces from the Gordon Ekvall Tracie Music Library in the Scandinavian Cultural Center. Tracie, the founder of the Northwest Regional Folklife Festival, was a pioneer in promoting Scandinavian folk music and dance in the United States. On Sept. 15, the display will change to "Fire and Ice," an exhibit of Iittala glass from Finland. A free opening reception for the new show will be 1-4 pm on Sept. 21. The SCC is open 1-4 pm on Sundays, and 11 am-3 pm on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

hike on Mt. Rainier on Sept. 21. All are welcome on the trip, which leaves at 1 pm from in front of Harstad and returns at 9 pm. Call Campus Ministry, 7464, for information and to sign up.

Extra goods available at SurPLUs sale

New SurPLUs items are available from Environmental Services. Take your pick from chairs with a plastic side-arm desk, shelving, cabinets, chairs with or without wheels, a 4'x 3' table, a refrigerator, a dishwasher and a microwave. Call Environmental Services, 7385, for information on viewing and purchasing the items. The lot will go for sale on Sept. 19 and 20.

Faculty and Staff

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KPLU news staff members received two national awards as part of the Public Radio News Directors Inc. 1997 awards competition. Reporters Steve Krueger and Paula Wissel shared a first-place award for series/documentary reporting with the story "Bellwether Communities," a piece in which they interviewed people in Puget Sound communities to gauge public awareness of election issues. The story aired as part of the on-going Front Porch Forum project. Paula Wissel also won a PRNDI second-place award for breaking news with "Talking Down the Plane," a report on a passenger who landed a plane after the pilot passed out. The PRNDI awards are the only national competition for outstanding public radio local news reporting. KPLU news staff have earned more than 30 journalistic honors this year.

Rick Anderson (University Communications) was named a lifetime member of the Society of Broadcast Engineers.

Debbie Patnesky has joined the PLU team as manager of the Student Services Center. She previously worked as assistant director of admission at Washington and Jefferson College in Washington, Pennsylvania, where she worked since 1991 and where she earned a bachelor's degree in business administration. Patnesky also holds a master's degree in human resource management from La Roche College in Pittsburgh. PLU welcomes her and her husband, Todd.

Greg Youtz won an award from the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, an award which he has won each year since 1992-93. The award recognizes Youtz's numerous original compositions.

Chapel

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Chapel is held at 10:30 am every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at Trinity Lutheran Church. This year's theme is "The Overflowing Cup: Got Thirst?"

Sunday worship

The school-year schedule starts with worship on Sept. 14, which is also Admissions' Fall Open House. A traditional Lutheran service is held at 10

Sept. 10

Opening Chapel

Dennis Sepper, campus pastor

Sept. 12

Nancy Connor, campus pastor

Sept. 15

Myla Heinrichs, Campus Ministry council chair

Sept. 17

Loren J. Anderson, PLU president

Sept. 19

Rev. Keith Swenson, Trinity Lutheran Church am on Sundays in the Lagerquist Concert Hall in the Mary Baker Russell Music Center. This week, all are invited to a continental breakfast at 9 am in the music center lobby, prior to the morning service. A contemporary worship service is held at 9 pm Sundays in Tower Chapel.

New midweek worship

Campus Ministry and Trinity Lutheran Church sponsor a new midweek worship service at 9 pm on Tuesdays at Trinity. The service, which follows the Holden Evening Prayer liturgy, begins on Sept. 9.

Calendar

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Classes Begin

8 am

Opening Convocation

10:30 am, Olson Auditorium

Classes Resume

1:45 pm

SEPT. 11

Two-Piano Concert

Danuta Szlubowska and Janusz Szlubowski, 8 pm, Lagerquist

SEPT. 12 & 13

PLU Corporation Meeting

SEPT. 13

Seattle Reign Basketball

Scrimmage starts at 6 pm, Olson. Autograph session follows

SEPT. 14

Fall Open House

SEPT. 19, 20

SurPLUs Sale

Call 7385 for information

SEPT. 21

University Congregation Mt. Rainier Hike

1-9 pm, meet in front of Harstad. Call 7464

Art Exhibits

Through SEPT. 12

Scandinavian Folk Music Collection

Pieces from the Gordon Ekvall Tracie Music Library are on display in the SCC, 1-4 pm, Sun. and 11 am-3 pm, Tues. & Weds.

"Fire and Ice" -- exhibit of Iittala glass from Finland -- opens SEPT. 15.

SEPTEMBER

Tomsic Designs

University Gallery

Walt Tomsic (Art) and Denise Tomsic display marketing art. Gallery is open 8:30 am- 4:30 pm, Mon.-Fri.

Classifieds

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Unless your item sells and you tell us, classifieds will run in four consecutive issues then be deleted. Please update your ads as soon as possible, 7430.

For Sale: 3 bdrm, 2 bath home on 13th Ave. S. (approx. 1 mi. from PLU). Skylights, upgraded kitchen appliances, Jacuzzi-style tub, covered patio, 2-car

Transportation

For Sale: '94 Honda Accord EX. 5-speed, 4-door, great cond., \$12,500. Call John, 7320 or 863-0758.

For Sale: '86 Nova (same design as Toyota Corolla), auto., air cond., new tabs, clean. Runs great, 112 k miles, \$1,900 obo. Call 840-3237.

For Sale: 1991 Dodge Grand Caravan. All-around great vehicle. 1 owner -- have all mechanical receipts. Just 3 k on rebuilt transmission, 130 k highway mi. All power options, air cond., automatic trans. Exc. cond., \$7,300. Call 838-0430.

For Sale: 1986 Chevy Spectrum, exc. cond., AM/FM cassette & air cond. No mechanical probs. Dependable car, \$2,000. Call Melissa, 588-6469.

For Sale: '92 Mazda MX-3. PS, PB, great stereo, alloy wheels. Exc. cond., 63 k miles, \$7,200. Call Joey, 7751.

For Sale: 1988 Ford Escort LX, 4-door hatchback. Very clean, exc. cond., 1 owner, well- maintained. 5 spd., pwr. mirrors, AM/FM stereo cassette, \$2,695. Call Brad or Dawn, 7000.

For Sale: 1991 Ford Taurus GL. Exc. cond., very clean, well-maintained. Auto. transmission, pwr. windows, locks, mirrors & driver's seat. Tilt wheel, AM/FM cassette, \$5,495. Call Brad or Dawn, 7000.

For Sale: 1974 VW Super Beetle Volkswagen, newly restored: new engine, new paint, new interior, new wheels, \$6,875. Call 536-8775.

For Sale: Pontiac '76 TransAm. 1 owner, automatic, all original 82 k miles, clean, \$5,700. Call 535-3862.

For Sale: Brand new yellow '84 Cadillac DeVille. Outstanding cond., reasonable price. Call Kari Polcanen, 206-983-9004.

garage & detached RV garage w/ space heater, 50 amp plug in, storage, holding tank dump. Call Rex, 279-2112.

Services

Need a fresh, objective perspective on your wardrobe? Call Clothes Encounters for an at-home consultation, \$30/ hr. No stress, no hard sell, no "you look great in everything." PLU references. Call Paula Shields, 759-4501.

Wanted: Mother of 3 boys needs female housesitter from midnight to 6:30 am, 7 days/wk (w/ occ. day off), while boys sleep (no babysitting needed). Services would be in exchange for free room & board in house at 3519 South Ash in quiet neighborhood, on bus line. Refs. of previous employees avail. Call Alexandra Malik, 473-0450.

Wanted: Babysitter needed for 15-mo. boy, Tuesdays, 9:45 am-1:45 pm. Call Ken, 8702 or 536-2176.

Wanted: Nanny needed for boys, 3 and 6, MWF 8 am-4 pm. 1 yr. commitment, Puyallup area. Call Tami, 926-8667.

Other Items

For Sale: Older, very stable upright grand piano looking for a loving home. Exc. instrument for a piano student, \$500. Call Maxine, 7618 or 265-2036.

For Sale: Conn 88 H trombone. Call for price, 7494 or 531-8963.

For Sale: Brand new 6-piece dining room set w/ hutch, \$1,000. Brand new daybed w/ mattress, \$500. New dishes: 48-piece set, 5-metal alloy blend, \$500. Call Heidi Vanderford, 537-3271.

For Sale: King waterbed, high-quality waveless mattress, solid oak frame, \$200. Call Michelle, 7692.

For Sale: NordicTrack Walkfit Classic. Operating instructions packet. New in 1996. Originally cost over \$600, will sell for \$275 obo. Call Art, 7648.

For Sale: Utility trailer, 57 x 94 inch bed, \$350. Call Charles Anderson, 265-8185.

Housing

For Sale, Rent or Lease-to-Buy:

House on PLU golf course, ready to move in. 3 bdrm, 2 1/2 bath, lots of storage. Oversize garage, landscaped & fenced. Spotless! Many extras. For sale, \$142,900 or rent, \$950. Call Gordon, 549-7070.

For Rent: Steilacoom apartment at Sunnyside Beach. 1 bdrm, all amenities, d/w, w/d. Lovely outdoor patio, private entrances, security system. Ground level of beautiful home w/ stunning view, \$550 monthly (includes cable TV, hot water, parking). No smoking, no pets. Mature single preferred. Call 583-9482 for appointment.

Wanted: Housemate for split-level home in wonderful neighborhood on a dead-end street in Milton (Puyallup/Fife area). Private downstairs space: x-lg. bdrm, living rm, bath, lg. storage closet & extra storage if needed. Large fenced yard, lots of trees, garden & close to shopping. Seeking non-smoker. Call 253-874-9455.

For Sale: 3 bdrm, 2 bath home in Tacoma, 1400 sq. ft., w/ 2 pellet stoves, Jacuzzi-style tub. 2-car garage, 45' x 22' detached RV garage, lg. covered patio, fenced-in backyard, lots of storage. New roof in '94. Call Sue or Jerry for details and showing, 531-4229.

Free: Kittens. Female long-hair calicos. 4 mos. old. Call Kelly Mainard, 843-1343.

For Sale: 20 gal. aquarium system. State-of-the-art lighting, filtration & heating system; stand; complete interior decorations; cleaning system & more. Paid over \$300, sell for \$125. Call 8107.

For Sale: TI-81 graphing calculator, perfect cond., \$40 obo. Call Cynthia, 537-9653.

Wanted: Modem for use w/ a MAC LCIII. Call Cynthia, 537-9653.

For Sale: PLU Bookstore is selling its Apple demonstration units! PowerBook 5300ce/117, featuring 117 Mhz PowerPC 603e processor, 32 MB RAM, 1.1 GB hard disk, 10.4" Active Matrix display w/ 800 x 600 pixels and 16-bit color, MacLinkPlus file translators. Global Village PowerPort Platinum Pro ethernet/modem card included. \$2,398. Call Brian, 5028.

For Sale: Firewood. Call Nancy, 7472.

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