#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Tifani L. Gastecki, 11050 W. Pleasant Street, Corry, was named the recipient of the Marquette Savings Bank Honors Scholarship 2001-2002.

Annual awards are made to Edinboro University students who are participating in the University Honors Program and whose homes are in Erie or Crawford counties. These scholarships are available through contributions made by Marquette Savings Bank for the purpose of fostering academic excellence at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania.

Tifani is the daughter of Timothy and Brenda Gastecki. She is a graduate of Corry High School and a secondary education-physics major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Tifani L. Gastecki, 11050 W. Pleasant Street, Corry, was named the recipient of the GTE Honors Scholarship 2001-2002.

Annual awards are made to Edinboro University students who are participating in the University Honors Program and whose homes are in the former GTE service area. These scholarships are available through contributions made by GTE for the purpose of fostering academic excellence at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania.

Tifani is the daughter of Timothy and Brenda Gastecki. She is a graduate of Corry High School and a secondary education-physics major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Darcie Fink, 14191 S. Norrisville Road, Meadville, was named the recipient of the Marquette Savings Bank Honors Scholarship 2001-2002.

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Darcie is the daughter of Richard and Barb Fink. She is a graduate of Saegertown High School and an elementary/special education major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Darcie Fink, 14191 S. Norrisville Road, Meadville, was named the recipient of the GTE Honors Scholarship 2001-2002.

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Darcie is the daughter of Richard and Barb Fink. She is a graduate of Saegertown High School and an elementary/special education major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Emily Rose McCommons, 604 Colorado Drive, Erie, was named the recipient of the GTE Honors Scholarship 2001-2002.

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Emily Rose is the daughter of Paul W. and Marleen McCommons. She is a graduate of Villa Maria Academy and an elementary/special education major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Emily Rose McCommons, 604 Colorado Drive, Erie, was named the recipient of the Marquette Savings Bank Honors Scholarship 2001-2002.

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Emily Rose is the daughter of Paul W. and Marleen McCommons. She is a graduate of Villa Maria Academy and an elementary/special education major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Terence Washington, 2816 6th Avenue, Beaver Falls, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

Terence is the son of Regina and Charles Jones. He is a graduate of Big Beaver Falls Senior High School and an undecided major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Caitlin Mae Feather, 211 Garden Drive, Windber, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

Caitlin is the daughter of Robert C. and Terri Feather. She is a graduate of Windber Area High School and an environmental science/biology major at Edinboro.

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March 30, 2001

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Shaneen Stankowski, 608 Reed Street, Erie, was recently named the recipient of the Giltinan/Overheim Physics & Engineering Scholarship.

The Giltinan/Overheim Physics & Engineering Scholarship is awarded to an outstanding freshman who is majoring in Physics or Engineering.

Shaneen is the daughter of Dave and Judy Stankowski. She is a graduate of East High School and an engineering major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Angela E. Deao, Road 2, Ginter, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wavier.

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She is the daughter of Jerome and Debbie Deao. She is a graduate of Moshannon Valley High School and a secondary education major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

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She is the daughter of Dave and Judy Stankowski. She is a graduate of East High School and an engineering major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Emily Praster,
9 Sgrigndi Lane, Enola, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition
Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

She is the daughter of Dave and Lynette Praster. She is a graduate of East Pennsboro Area High School and a speech and language hearing disorders major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Jamia Q. Saunders, 321 East 12th Avenue, Homestead, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

She is the daughter of Robert Saunders and Sakeena Saunders. She is a graduate of Steel Valley High School and a general studies major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Micheael Zeigler,
5 Lattavo Drive, New Castle, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition
Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

He is the son of Bryan F. Zeigler and Cheryl J. Zeigler. He is the graduate of Neshannock Jr/Sr High School and a mathematics-secondary major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Preeti Pathak, 20 Main Drive, North Warren, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

She is the daughter of Hridayesh and Shobhana Pathak. She is a graduate of The Hill School, Pottstown and is a biology premedical/lecom major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Erin Betts,
3650 Middle Town Road, Pittsburgh, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors
Tuition Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

She is the daughter of David Betts and Ruth Ann Betts. She is a graduate of Perry Traditional Academy and an undecided major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Kenya Wayne, 1038 W. 10th Street, Erie, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wayier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

She is the daughter of Delois Wayne Bender. She is a graduate of NW PA Collegiate Academy and a psychology major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Margaret I. Oduho, 721 E. 12th Street, Erie, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

She is the daughter of Rose A. Aturri and Ben R. Oduho. She is a graduate of East High School and a computer science major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that LaJeim Coleman, 1978 Dallas Street, Philadelphia, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wavier.

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She is the daughter of Lawanda Coleman-Chamberlain. She is a graduate of Germantown-Lankenau High School and is an undecided major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Jennifer Joniec, 3431 Harrisburg Street, Pittsburgh, was recently named the recipient of the Robert T. Glenn Award.

The Robert T. Glenn Award is available through donations by the family and friends of the late Robert T. Glenn who was a member of the Special Education and School of Psychology Department at Edinboro University.

Jennifer is the daughter of Tim and Jean Joniec. She is a graduate of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart High School and a elementary and special education major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Joshua A. Lee, 1634 Alex Ct., Allentown, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Waiver for 2001-2002 Academic Year.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

Joshua is the son of Oliver W. Lee JR. and Debbie D. Lee. He is the graduate Faith Christian Academy and a general studies/athletic training major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Michael Madden, 4256 Muncy Exchange Road, Turbotville, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Waiver for 2001-2002 Academic Year.

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Michael is the son of Michael and Tamara Madden. He is the graduate Warrior Run High School and a biology (LECOM) major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Todd Senard, 261 Kelly Estates, Fairmount City, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Waiver for 2001-2002 Academic Year.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

Todd is the son of Debra Hitchcock and Richard Senard. He is the graduate Clarion-Limestone High School and a chemistry/forensic science major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Julie Ann Kirdahy, 11840 Fry Road, Edinboro, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Waiver for 2001-2002 Academic Year.

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Julie is the daughter of Tom and Sonia Kirdahy. She is the graduate of General McLane High School and a BS nursing major at Edinboro.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Kimberly Hetrick, 1834 Eaton Road, Fairview, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Waiver for 2001-2002 Academic Year.

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Kimberly is the daughter of Richard and Susan Hetrick. She is the graduate of Fairview High School and a nursing (BSN) major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Kim R. Beason, 1805 Prospect Avenue, Erie, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Waiver for 2001-2002 Academic Year.

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Kim is the daughter of Larry Meredith and Eva Beason. She is the graduate of East High School and a Psychology major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Christopher Woodard, 932 West 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Erie, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Waiver for 2001-2002 Academic Year.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

Christopher is the son of Roman Woodard and Rebecca Graves. He is the graduate of Strong Vincent High School.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Monique S. King, 103 Walters Lane, New Salem, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Waiver for 2001-2002 Academic Year.

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Monique is the daughter of Monzella V. King. She is a graduate of Uniontown Area High School and a veterinary medicine major at Edinboro.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# EDINBORO UNIVERSITY AWARDS SCHOLARSHIP TO TOP HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has awarded an Alumni Association Admissions Grant Scholarship to JoAnne Marshall, 299 Bowlby Street, Waynesburg.

The scholarship has been created by the Alumni Association Board of Directors with unrestricted annual fund gifts. It is part of a plan to augment the student scholarship program at Edinboro University. It is renewable for up to eight semesters, provided that requirements are met.

Criteria for this award is based upon high school curriculum, grades, overall grade point average, class rank, SAT or ACT scores, extracurricular activities, leadership qualities and other information available to the Committee. Financial need is not a criteria, but can be considered by the Committee. Students are selected to receive this scholarship based upon exceptional records in the stated criteria.

JoAnne is the daughter of Larry Marshall and Elizabeth Marshall. She is a graduate of Waynesburg Central High School and an applied media arts major at Edinboro.

March 7, 2001

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Silas Garrett, 1025 A Street, Latrobe, was recently named the recipient of the Florence and Denise Ohler Scholarship – Freshman.

This scholarship is awarded annually to a student who graduated from high school in the top 20 percent of his/her class with a minimum QPA of 3.50 in an academic/college preparatory curriculum and a minimum SAT score of 1140.

Silas is the daughter of Judith P. Garrett and Paul D. Garrett. He is a graduate of Greater Latrobe Senior High School and is a humanities major at Edinboro.

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# Campus Corner

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Silas Garrett of Latrobe recently was named the recipient of the "Florence and Denise Oh-

ler Scholarship - Freshman."

This scholarship is awarded annually to a student who graduated from high school in the top 20 percent of his/her class with a minimum quality-point average of 3.50 in an academic/college preparatory curriculum and a minimum SAT score of 1140.

A graduate of Greater Latrobe Senior High School, Garrett is a humanities major at Edinboro. His parents are Judith P. Garrett and Paul D. Garrett March 7, 2001

# FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Koraun Gates, 7452 Sycamore Avenue, LaMott, was recently named the recipient of a Board of Governors Tuition Wavier.

The Board of Governors Tuition Waiver is offered annually to students who have exhibited academic promise and who plan to be enrolled full time (12 credits or greater) during the term of the award. The Board of Governors Tuition Wavier has a maximum value of the cost of tuition.

He is the son of Kenneth Gates and Cheryl Gates. He is a graduate of Cheltenham High School and is a foreign languages major at Edinboro.

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March 7, 2001

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### LOCAL STUDENT RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Shaneen Stankowski, 608 Reed Street, Erie, was recently named the recipient of the Alumni Association Admissions Grant Scholarship.

This scholarship has been created by the Alumni Association Board of Directors with unrestricted annual fund gifts. It is part of a plan to augment the student scholarship program at Edinboro University. This is an annual scholarship. It is renewable for up to eight semesters, provided that requirements are met.

Criteria for this award is based upon high school curriculum, grades, overall grade point average, class rank, SAT or ACT scores, extracurricular activities, leadership qualities and other information available to the Committee. Financial need is not a criteria, but can be considered by the Committee. Students are selected to receive this scholarship based upon exceptional records in the stated criteria.

Shaneen is the daughter of Dave and Judy Stankowski. She is a graduate of East High and is a engineering major at Edinboro.

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# Kitchen receives scholarship<sub>P22,5AQ</sub>

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania has announced that Kamilah Kitchen of Lemasters was recently named the recipient of the Robert T. Glenn Award

The award is available through donations by the family and friends of the late Robert T. Glenn who was a member of the Special Education and School of Psychology Department at Edinboro University.

Kamilah is the daughter of Charles and Beverly Kitchen and a graduate of James Buchanan High School. She is an elementary/special education major.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### NEW YORK HONORS EDINBORO PROFESSOR FOR MILITARY SERVICE

George Pataki, Governor of the State of New York, recently awarded the New York Conspicuous Service Star medal and the New York Conspicuous Service Cross medal to professor David A. Ferster, chair of the Department of Political Science and Criminal Justice at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania. The Conspicuous Service Cross is awarded to veterans who were cited for individual valor in combat. The award to Ferster was the 3050th award of the CSC to a New York veteran since the medal was authorized in 1917 during World War I. The Conspicuous Service Star (established in 1998) is awarded to New York veterans who received unit citations for combat operations. Ferster received two awards of each medal, in February 2001.

Ferster entered the United States Marine Corps in June of 1967 and was honorably discharged with the rank of Sergeant in June of 1971. From 1969 to 1970, he served as a helicopter crew chief and airborne reconnaissance specialist in the I-Corps area of Vietnam.

Ferster, an Edinboro resident, was a citizen of New York during his military service. He received his doctorate from SUNY at Buffalo, and has been teaching at Edinboro University since 1990.

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**NEWS ADVISORY** 

Media coverage is invited to "Africa in the 21st Century," a two-day conference sponsored by Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's African Studies Committee, and the University of Pittsburgh on Friday, March 30, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday, March 31, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. in the University Center. Internationally known novelist, essayist and theoretician of language Ngugi wa Thiong'o will be available for interviews on Friday, from 9 a.m. to noon. For additional information, contact Dennis Hickey, conference coordinator, at 814-732-2575 or the marketing department at 814-732-2194.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

### ARTS WEEK AT EDINBORO UNIVERSITY

Celebrate the Arts at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, April 6-13, with a week of music, theatre, artwork and more.

"Postcards from the Future: The Chuck Palahniuk Project", an interdisciplinary academic conference on the works of fiction author Chuck Palahniuk, is scheduled for April 6-7. The conference will host a wide variety of topics through a series of presentations and discussions, from students, faculty and scholars around the world. For conference registration and fee information, contact the Edinboro University Honors Program at (814) 732-2981.

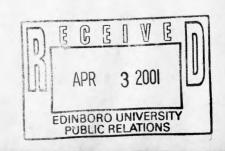
On April 9 at 7 p.m., at the Diebold Center for the Performing Arts, Edinboro University music students will entertain with jazz and classical music.

On April 10, enjoy a student music recital at 2 p.m. at the Center for the Performing Arts, and the Dubious Art and Band Extravaganza at 8:30 p.m. in room 119 in Doucette Hall. The extravaganza will feature Cerebus Shoal and other bands.

Student works will be displayed and juried on April 11, 7-9 p.m. in Bruce Gallery (Doucette Hall), Bates Gallery (Loveland Hall) and Hamilton Hall. There will be opening receptions and chamber ensembles featuring Edinboro University music students at each location.

Tom Lupinski will be reading from his book, "Death in the Steel City, a Mystery," which is a novel set in Pittsburgh, on April 12 in room 117 of the Arts and Sciences Center.

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Enjoy a theatrical evening on April 13 as the University Players present "The Bacchae" at 7 p.m. in the Compton Theatre.

All events are open to the public. For more information, contact David Sublette at (814) 732-2503.

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# EDINBORO TO HOLD COMMUNITY DIALOGUE FORUM TUESDAY

As a way to provide its external stakeholders the opportunity to share ideas, concerns and perspectives on issues of mutual interest, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania will hold the special meeting, "The University as a Neighbor Community Dialogue Forum," Tuesday, April 3, in Van Houten South Dining Hall, beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Shortly after his arrival on campus in July 1996, President Frank G. Pogue created what he called the University as a Neighbor Advisory Group (UNAG) to enable stakeholders from throughout the university's service region to serve as the school's external "eyes and ears" and inform it of needs and ideas.

Tuesday's Community Dialogue Forum is an extension of Pogue's early initiative, and he has invited area legislators, educators, business owners and community leaders to join UNAG members for the event.

Fifteen "Dialogue Circles" will meet and discuss issues ranging from access and admissions to university-business partnerships, from university image and community values to public safety and economic development, and from community service and diversity to internships and host community interests.

Pogue said that the information and perspectives gained during the Dialogue Circles will be considered by the Edinboro Family Forum on University and Community Life as that group composes the Guiding Principles for the Edinboro Family. Additionally, all Community Dialogue Forum participants will receive a written summary of the information shared during the conference proceedings.

For more information on the University as a Neighbor Community Dialogue Forum, contact the University President's Office, 732-2711.



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# EDINBORO AGAIN NAMED TOP 100 SCHOOL IN RUGG'S RECOMMENDATIONS

For the seventh straight year, "Rugg's Recommendations on the Colleges," a California-based higher education directory, has named Edinboro University of Pennsylvania as one of the top 100 schools in the nation to offer students the best chance to gain from their education.

Edinboro University is listed in the book's 18<sup>th</sup> edition on the page titled, "Fred Rugg's One Hundred Colleges... Just Darn Good Schools," and is one of the 12 Pennsylvania colleges and universities listed. Only one other State System of Higher Education institution – Kutztown University of Pennsylvania – is on Rugg's list.

The other Pennsylvania institutions joining Edinboro and Kutztown are Allegheny College, Bryn Mawr, Franklin & Marshall, Haverford, Moravian, Muhlenberg, University of Pittsburgh, Susquehanna, Ursinus, and Washington and Jefferson.

From across the country, other schools on the Top 100 list included Auburn, Harvard, Michigan State, Ohio State, Stanford, Texas A&M, and Vanderbilt.

The directory is published by Frederick E. Rugg, a Brown University graduate and former director of secondary school counseling programs. Rugg based his year 2001 selections on interviews with more than 1,050 secondary school counselors who responded to the question, "What colleges do you believe offer students the best opportunity to maximize their education?"

Rugg said that his list of "Just Darn Good Schools" is the most valuable page in the book: "I hear more nice things about those schools than any others."



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Edinboro University of Pennsylvania will host the third annual Health and Wellness Fair on Tuesday, April 3, from 10 a.m. – 6 p.m. at the University Center. More than 25 wellness providers will offer activities and information on physical, mental, environmental and spiritual health. The event is free and open to the public. For more information, call Edinboro University's Wellness Center at 814-732-2839.

**NEWS ADVISORY** 

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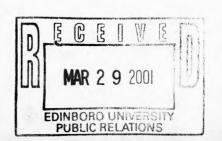
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**NEWS ADVISORY** 

March 27, 2001

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**NEWS ADVISORY** 

March 23, 2001

Media coverage is invited for the "Northwest Pennsylvania History Day Regional Competition" presented at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania on March 24, in the University Center. The competition will begin at 9:15 a.m. and the top three finishers in each category will be recognized shortly after 1 p.m. Students will compete in four thematic categories, documentaries, posters, dramatic presentations and research papers. The local schools expected to attend are Parker Middle School, McDowell High School, Cambridge Springs Jr.-Sr. High School, Corry High School, East High School, Northeast Middle and High School and Meadville Middle School. For more information, contact Ihor Bemko at (814) 732-2212.

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**NEWS ADVISORY** 

March 22, 2001

Media coverage is invited to "High School Outreach Day" presented as part of Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Women's History Month celebration today, March 22, from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the University Center. Sixty-nine students and their teachers from the Collegiate Academy and Cambridge Springs, Saegertown and Corry high schools will be introduced to the linkages between women's history and their subjects of English, social studies and science. For additional information, contact Coleen Hites, marketing department at 814-732-2194.

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March 22, 2001

# **MEDIA ADVISORY:**

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Student Government Association is holding its 2001 "Caring for Kids 24-hour Dance-A-Thon" beginning at 5 p.m. on Friday, March 23 and lasting until 5 p.m. on Saturday, March 24. The event at the McComb Fieldhouse for Edinboro University students hopes to raise \$10,000 for the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

Live bands and DJs from WFSE-FM, the campus radio station, will be featured throughout the dance marathon.

For more information, call Georj Lewis, Edinboro's director of multicultural programs at 732-2912, or Lauren Moran or Lucas Walker in the Student Government Association, 732-2910.

Media coverage is invited.

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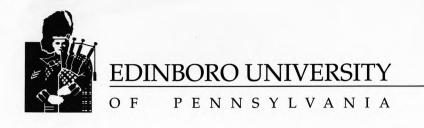


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March 19, 2001

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### EDINBORO UNIVERSITY TO SPONSOR HISTORY DAY

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania will host the Northwest Pennsylvania History Day regional competition on Saturday, March 24. Students will compete in four thematic categories, documentaries, posters, dramatic presentations and research papers. The junior division includes grades 6-8 and the senior division involves grades 9-12.

Winners will represent Erie, Crawford and Warren Counties at Pennsylvania History Day Competition in mid-May 2001. State level winners will go on to the National History Day competition, held in early June at the University of Maryland at College Park.

The local schools expected to attend are Parker Middle School, McDowell High School, Cambridge Springs Jr-Sr High School, Corry High School, East High School, Northeast Middle and High School and Meadville Middle School.

The local competition will begin at 9:15 am. The top three finishers in each category will be recognized shortly after 1 pm. The public is invited, but a limited number of tickets will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis.

The poster area will be available only to student participants and judges until the completion of the judging at 11 am.

For more information, contact Ihor Bemko at (814) 732-2212.

March 19, 2001

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### MARJORIE F. HUMMEL ESTABLISHES EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

An education scholarship has been created at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania from a donation from the estate of Marjorie F. Hummel. The scholarship will be awarded to students enrolled in the education department, whose intent is to become an educator.

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March 16, 2001

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# WOMEN TRAVELING PENNSYLVANIA FRONTIER TRAIL TOPIC OF EDINBORO'S WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION

"Women Traveling the Pennsylvania Frontier Trail" will be presented as part of Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Women's History Month celebrations on Thursday, March 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the University Center.

Robert Anderson, Pennsylvania Humanities Council speaker and adjunct professor of history at Penn State-Altoona, will present a slide lecture and describe the conditions – sometimes pleasant, sometimes threatening – experienced by women who traveled through Pennsylvania during the last decades of the 18<sup>th</sup> century and the first decade of the 19<sup>th</sup> century.

"Women Traveling the Pennsylvania Frontier Trail" is sponsored by the Pennsylvania Humanities Council and the American Association of University Women (AAUW).

A reception will follow the program.

For further information, contact Suzanne Winterberger, chairperson of the Women's Studies Committee, at 814-732-2017, or Jerra Jenrette, Women's History Month co-chairperson at 814-732-2575.

For a complete listing of Women's History Month activities, visit the University's website at www.edinboro.edu. All programs are free and open to the public.

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March 16, 2001

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# PULITZER PRIZE NOMINEE O'SHEA TO SPEAK AT EDINBORO

Pulitzer Prize nominee Kathleen O'Shea will present "Women on the Row" as part of Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Women's History Month celebrations on Tuesday, March 27, at 7 p.m. in the University Center.

O'Shea, author of "Women on the Row: Revelations from Both Sides of the Bars," didn't set out looking for connections with women on death row. She wanted information about them – who they are and the ways in which they live from day to day. "I was writing a sociological reference book," said O'Shea "a fairly safe, fairly emotionless endeavor." However as she got to know the incarcerated women she was studying, what became clear to her were not their differences, but how in so many ways she and the women in prison were the same. O'Shea is the only person to have contacted every woman currently in United States prisons with a death sentence.

"Women on the Row," is O'Shea's honest, startling and sometimes raw, sometimes radiant exploration of the places where doing heavy time and being free overlap. Neither a treatise against the death penalty, nor an apologia for female innocence, her book focuses on the interconnectedness of women's lives. The author creates memorable composite portraits of ten death row women based on her conversations with them from information given to her, telephone calls and letters exchanged.

O'Shea, a nun for 25 years, is a social worker who does research on female offenders, particularly women on death row. She is a teacher, writer, activist and lecturer.

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She has also published "Female Offenders: An Annotated Bibliography," and "Women and the Death Penalty in the United States: 1900-1998," and is currently working on "Hymns of the Revolution," a novel based on her memoirs of Chile, 1965-1973.

O'Shea will share her experiences interviewing women on death row in the U.S. prisons. She will focus on the interconnectedness of women's lives, and reflect her encounters with condemned women and how their stories illuminated her own.

"Women on the Row" is sponsored by Edinboro University's Student Affairs and Students Success Division. A reception and book signing will follow the program.

For further information, contact Suzanne Winterberger, chairperson of the Women's Studies Committee, at 814-732-2017, or Jerra Jenrette, Women's History Month co-chairperson at 814-732-2575.

For a complete listing of Women's History Month activities, visit the University's website at www.edinboro.edu. All programs are free and open to the public.

March 16, 2001

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# "FIGHT CLUB" AUTHOR CHUCK PALAHNIUK TO SPEAK AT EDINBORO UNIVERSITY'S ACADEMIC CONFERENCE

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Honors Program will host an international academic conference focusing on the works of Chuck Palahniuk, author of "Fight Club," April 6 and 7. The conference, "Postcards from the Future: The Chuck Palahnuik Project," is designed to promote academic and artistic study of the critically acclaimed fiction writer. In addition to the conference, Palahniuk will also address an audience after the viewing of the film "Fight Club" on Wednesday, April 4.

Palahniuk exploded onto the American and international literary scene in 1996 with the release of his controversial first novel "Fight Club," which was later adapted to the equally controversial film starring Brad Pitt, Edward Norton and Helena Bonham-Carter. Palahniuk, an Oregon-based writer, has written two other novels, "Survivor," and "Invisible Monsters." His novel "Fight Club" will serve as the University's conference centerpiece. Palahniuk will be releasing his last novel "Choke" in May and will be reading a part of this novel to conference attendees.

"Postcards from the Future" will explore a wide variety of topics ranging from violence in literature and film, social reality/mythology, cultural criticism to gender roles/values and materialism in conjunction with identity and values through a series of presentations and panel discussions. Students, graduates, faculty and scholars from around the country are expected to participate. Artists will explore and discuss Palahniuk's works through music, sculptures, paintings and other forms of media.

The Honors Program will hold a showing of "Fight Club" on Wednesday, April 4, at 7 p.m. in 119 Doucette Hall. The showing is open to the public and will feature a question and answer session with Palahniuk. Tickets can be purchased for \$10 through the Honors Program at 814-732-2981.

The conference, "Postcards from the Future" will begin on Friday at 8 a.m. in the University Center. A second viewing of his film, "Fight Club" will be held Friday evening at 6 p.m. in 119 Doucette Hall followed by a discussion with Palahniuk.

Palahniuk will deliver the keynote address at a luncheon for conference attendees on Saturday, April 7, in Van Houten Dining Hall North.

The conference fee of \$35 for students and \$50 for non-students includes a continental breakfast on both days.

For additional information on "Postcards from the Future," contact the Edinboro University Honors Program at 814-732-2981, or visit the conference website at www.angelfire.com/pa/maleficent.

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*Editor's note:* Chuck Palahniuk is available for phone interviews and may be reached at 503-285-0245 or by e-mail at tyler@easystreet.com.





March 16, 2001

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# EDINBORO UNIVERSITY'S WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION CONCLUDES WITH WOMEN IN POLITICS

State Representative Linda Bebko-Jones will present "Women In Politics" at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's closing ceremony for it's Women's History Month celebrations on Thursday, March 29, at 7 p.m. in the University Center.

Bebko-Jones recently began her fifth term representing the First District in the Pennsylvania House of Representatives. She will discuss her personal experiences and reflections from eight years of service in the General Assembly and more than 20 years of active involvement in the Erie community and area politics.

Early in her career, Bebko-Jones worked as an administrative assistant for state Senator A. Buzz Andrezeski, later coordinating all women's and children's issues in his district office. In 1989, she became director of Women Against Sexual Harrassment (WASH), a counseling/education program. During the same period, Bebko-Jones worked as a caseworker for the Community House for Women, a drug and alcohol rehabilitation center and worked for Senator Harris Wofford as a caseworker in his district office.

Today she serves on four standing committees – Health and Human Services,
Subcommittee Chair on Health; Veterans Affairs and Emergency Preparedness; and State
Government. She also holds an advisory position with the Soldiers and Sailors Home in
Erie and is the recipient of the Women's Roundtable 1994 Woman of the Year award.

For further information, contact Suzanne Winterberger, chairperson of the Women's Studies Committee, at 814-732-2017, or Jerra Jenrette, Women's History

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Month co-chairperson at 814-732-2575.

For a complete listing of Women's History Month activities, visit the University's website at <a href="https://www.edinboro.edu">www.edinboro.edu</a>. All programs are free and open to the public.

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March 16, 2001

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

# AMHERST SAXOPHONE QUARTET TO APPEAR AT EDINBORO

The Amherst Saxophone Quartet will bring their special charm, relaxed wit, and bracing virtuosity to a concert at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania on Wednesday, April 4, at 8 p.m. in the University Center multipurpose room.

Since 1978, the Amherst Saxophone Quartet (ASQ) has performed in the United States from Maine to Hawaii, Japan, Bermuda, and the British Virgin Islands. Concert highlights include appearances in Carnegie Hall, Kennedy Center, Lincoln Center, Chautauqua Institution, and broadcasts on National Public Radio's All Things Considered and Performance Today, Public Radio International's St. Paul Sunday, Voice of America, NBC-TV's Tonight Show and CBS Sunday Morning. The full-time professional ASQ ensemble members include Susan Fancher, Russ Carere, Stephen Rosenthal, and Harry Fackelman.

Soprano saxophonist Fancher is an artist-in-residence on the faculty of the University at Buffalo. She has performed extensively both as a soloist and chamber musician, touring in Austria, Albania, Poland, Lithuania, Bulgaria, South Africa, Egypt, Germany, France, Norway, Sweden, Canada and the United States. Her musical priorities center around the interpretation of contemporary music.

Alto Carere, a permanent member of the Amherst Saxophone Quartet since 1990, has been associated with the Quartet since 1982. He studied saxophone with John Sedola, clarinet with James East at SUNY at Fredonia, and flute with Robert Mols. Carere has

performed and toured with a long list of entertainers including Burt Bacharach, The Spinners, Temptations, Tony Bennett, Natalie Cole and Kenny Rodgers, and with the Buffalo Philharmonic and the Artpark Orchestra.

Rosenthal, tenor, is a founding member of the ASQ and has spent the majority of the past 23 years touring and performing with the Quartet. He studied saxophone with Edward Yadzinski and John Sedola, and clarinet with James Pyne, receiving a BFA in Music Performance from SUNY at Buffalo. Rosenthal has performed with the Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra.

Fackelman, baritone, is a founding member of the ASQ. He studied saxophone with Edward Yadzinski and clarinet with Allen Sigel. He received a BFA in Music Education from SUNY at Buffalo. Fackelman has performed with the Buffalo Philharmonic Orchestra and the Boston Symphony Orchestra in both pops and orchestral settings.

The ASQ was awarded Chamber Music America Residency Grants for the 1985-86 through 1987-88 seasons. They received the 1993 First Prize for Adventuresome Programming from CMA/ASCAP and have been awarded commissioning prizes from CMA, New York State Council on the Arts, and the National Endowment for the Arts. The Board of the Quartet sponsored an international composition competition and received over 120 new works from around the world.

ASQ's newest CD is a recording of music by four living North American composers, and showcases the charm and freshness of the best of today's 'classical' music. The CD, titled Lament on the Death of Music, and was produced by Grammy Award winning Judith Sherman. In addition to this recording on the Innova label (American Composers Forum), the ASQ has recorded four albums for MCA Records, Musical Heritage Society, and Mark Records. In 1997 the ensemble released a videotape introducing children to chamber music, called ASQKids. It is believed to be the first video of its kind.

The Amherst Saxophone Quartet has been a performing member of Young Audiences of Western New York since 1979. The group also worked with young persons' programs at the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C., Lincoln Center in New York, Aesthetic Education Institute in Rochester, N.Y., and Arts in Education, Buffalo, N.Y. As the Quartet travels, it performs many short-term residencies in conjunction with its concert performances.

Admission is \$10 for adults and \$5 for students and senior citizens. Edinboro University students are free with valid I.D. For additional information or ticket reservations, call the Office of Cultural Affairs at 814-732-2518.

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March 15, 2001

#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

# SPECIAL FOR "LIFESTYLE" APRIL 2001 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 4 -- Four 'phones: The Amherst Saxophone Quartet in concert at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, 8 p.m., in the University Center. Cost: \$10 adults, \$5 students and seniors. Call 732-2518 for tickets.
- 5 -- On screen: Film, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, "Black Moran Film Festival," part of the school's alternative movie series, 7 p.m. University Center and 9:30 p.m., 119 Doucette Hall. Call 732-2799.
- 5 -- Laser extravaganza: Laser sights and sounds set to music from classical to rock at the Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Planetarium, 7 p.m. Call 732-2493 for reservations.
- 6 -- The sweet science: "Fight Club" author Chuck Palahnuik is the keynote speaker at a two-day international academic conference hosted by the Edinboro University Honors Program titled "Postcards from the Future." Call Jan Kinch at 732-2981 for more information.
- 7 -- Good sports: Edinboro University's 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Curly Halmi Memorial Athletic Scholarship Game Dinner at Culbertson Hills Golf Resort in Edinboro. Dinner, door prizes and auction, 5 p.m.; tickets \$50. For more information, call Sue Marshall at 732-2776 ext. 224.

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- **9** -- Celebrating the arts: A week-long festival of student art exhibitions, musical performances, readings, theatre events and more at Edinboro University's Arts Week; continues through Friday. For more information, call 732-2477.
- 9 -- Hands-on science: Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Ninth Annual Evening of Science is really an all-day affair in the University Center with demonstrations and activities for K-6 students during the day and a public open house in the evening. Call 732-2916 for more information.
- 11 -- Raising awareness: Disability Awareness Day at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania features displays of adaptive equipment and a special presentation by 1998 Edinboro alumna Jessica McFarlane, recently named Ms. Wheelchair Pennsylvania. Call Edinboro's Office for Students with Disabilities at 732-2462 for information.
- Art abounds: Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Bruce Gallery concludes its 2000-2001 season with its annual student art exhibition through May 5. Opening reception 7-9 p.m. Gallery hours 3-6 p.m. Monday through Saturday, 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays. Call 732-2513 or 2406.
- 12 -- The sky is falling: Watch for satellites passing overhead with astronomy enthusiast John Holtz at the Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Planetarium, 7 p.m. Call 732-2493 for reservations.
- 18 -- Holocaust remembered: Edinboro University and the Erie Jewish Community Council remember the Holocaust with scholar Dr. Franklin Littell speaking at 7 p.m. Wednesday and Hungarian Resistance fighter Les Banos at 7 p.m. Thursday. At the Newman Center near the university campus. Free and open to the public. Call 732-2477 for details.
- 19 -- Laser fun: Laser light put to music at the Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Planetarium, 7 p.m. Call 732-2493 for reservations.

- 26 -- Riding the rails: All aboard for a historical experience of the sights and sounds of rail transportation at the Edinboro University of Pennsylvania Planetarium. Call 732-2493 for reservations.
- 28 -- Super seven: Edinboro University of Pennsylvania will induct seven new members into its Athletic Hall of Fame at the 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Athletic Hall of Fame Banquet, 7 p.m., Van Houten Dining Hall. Call Sports Information at 732-2776 ext. 234 for details.
- 29 -- Capital artists: The 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Congressional Art Competition and Exhibition for high school artists in the 21<sup>st</sup> Congressional District closes with a 2 p.m. reception in Edinboro University's University Center. Call 732-2992 for more information.



March 13, 2001

#### NEWS ADVISORY

Several students from Edinboro University of Pennsylvania are participating in the University's **Annual Alternative Spring Break** by donating their time and services to several organizations in the Erie area.

The group opened the week on Monday, March 12, with the Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Erie collecting door prizes for their annual bowl-a-thon. Today they can be found unloading food and cleaning the kitchen for the Emmaus Soup Kitchen and Food Pantry. The students will spend Wednesday, March 14, cleaning the homes of the animals housed at the Tamarack Wildlife Rehabilitation and Education Center. The Community Shelter and The Kids Café will be their stop on Thursday, March 15, as they volunteer their time painting or cleaning houses at the Shelter. The week's activities will end Friday, March 16, as the students enjoy bowling at Eastway Lanes with several children from the Community Shelter.

Participating in the University's Alternative Spring Break are Stephanie More, April More, Jessica Gibbs, Scott Thomson, Chris Steel, John Harrocks, Devin Finazzo, Kris Redman, Jake Klemm, Ben Radicella, and Kristie Amann under the direction of Denise Finazzo, Edinboro University coordinator of community outreach.

For additional information, contact Edinboro University's marketing department at 814-732-2194.





March 12, 2001

# CYNDY PATTON TO SPEAK AT WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH EVENT AT EDINBORO UNIVERSITY MARCH 21

Former Erie television news anchor Cyndy Patton will be the featured speaker at a Women's History Month event at Edinboro University of Pennsylvania on Wednesday, March 21, at 2 p.m. in the University Center.

Patton is now a media specialist for Saint Vincent Health System. She will discuss her career in the media and career opportunities in the media for women. Patton's address is free and open to the public.

Patton graduated from Edinboro University in 1980 with a degree in speech communication and went to work for WJET-TV in Erie as a reporter. In 1982 she became the station's morning news anchor and producer for the five-minute local cut-ins during ABC's Good Morning America.

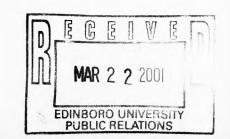
She developed the first noon newscast for the station in 1988 and served as its anchor until 1999. She also developed, anchored and produced WJET-TV's first early morning - 5:30 to 7 a.m. - newscast in 1997.

After nearly 20 years at WJET-TV, Patton took on her current position at Saint Vincent in 1999. She produces medical videos for physician specialists, produces and hosts live television shows for Saint Vincent, and handles all media requests for interviews.

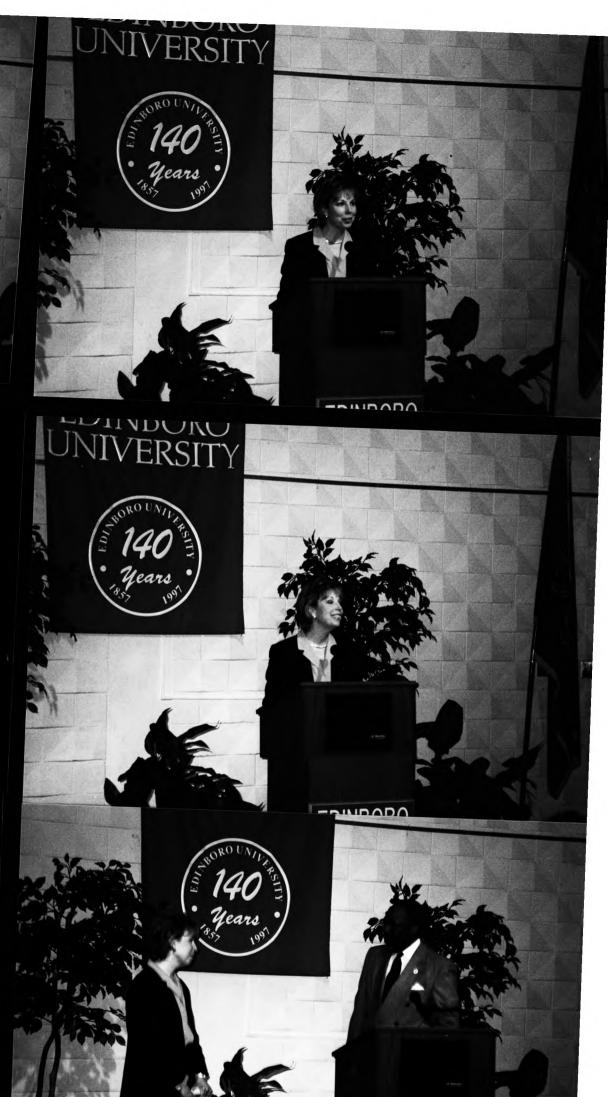
Patton lives in Fairview with her husband Lee and their children Sara and Casey.

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March 12, 2001

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

#### CLEVELAND ACTRESS TO PERFORM AT EDINBORO

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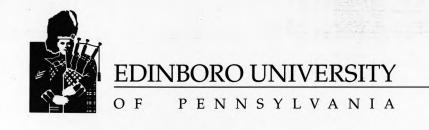
Edinboro (Pa.) Independent-Enterprise, March 25, 2001



Edinboro University president Dr. Frank Pogue (right) presents a university throw to His Excellency Ouch Borith, ambassador and permanent representative of the Kingdom of Cambodia to the United Nations. The ambassador's daughter, Bonarasy, who will attend EUP this summer, is seated at right. Borith and his family were introduced to the university by Edinboro alumnus Frank Jakovac, who is currently a member of the senior management team of Chemical Detection Excellence Inc., a newly-formed Delaware corporation working with Loch Harris Inc. to develop and market new chemical detection technologies. Jakovac is involved in a project with the Cambodian government to remove the estimated two million land mines still buried in that country.







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March 6, 2001

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

# MARJORIE F. HUMMEL ESTABLISHES EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

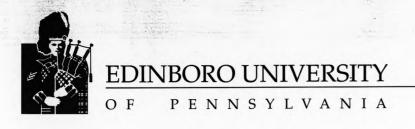
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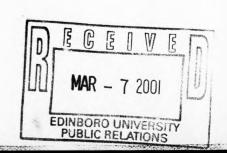
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March 2, 2001

# EDINBORO OPENS WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATIONS

Media coverage is invited to the opening ceremony for Edinboro University of Pennsylvania's Women's History Month celebration on Sunday, March 4, at 2 p.m. in the University Center. Dorothy Smith, president of the Erie Branch NAACP will deliver the keynote address. For additional information, contact Suzanne Winterberger, chairperson of the Women's Studies Committee at 814-732-2017 or Jerra Jenrette, Women's History Month co-chairperson at 814-732-2575.

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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

March 1, 2001

# EDINBORO UNIVERSITY AND ERIE JEWISH COMMUNITY COUNCIL ANNOUNCE HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE EVENTS APRIL 18-19

Edinboro University of Pennsylvania and the William M. and Frances Schuster Fund of the Jewish Community Council of Erie will host their Annual Holocaust Remembrance Program at the Newman Center near the Edinboro Campus beginning at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18. This year's program, "Jewish Trauma – Christian Tragedy," will discuss the impact of the Holocaust on Jewish-Christian relations and will feature distinguished professor of Holocaust and genocide studies Dr. Franklin H. Littell.

Littell, an ordained Methodist minister, is the distinguished professor of Holocaust and Genocide Studies at the Richard Stockton College of New Jersey. During Littell's illustrious career, he served as a college professor, author and organizer of conferences and meetings as well as spending ten years in post-war Germany as the chief Protestant religious adviser in the American Zone.

Littell's pioneering book, "The Crucifixion of the Jews," was the first Christian response to the Holocaust. It brought about a breakthrough by encouraging an entire new generation of younger theologians and scholars to rethink the meaning of the Holocaust, anti-Semitism, the survival of the Jewish people and the restoration of Israel. He has written over two dozen scholarly books and more than 1,000 major articles.

In 1970, Littell founded the Annual Scholars' Conference on the Holocaust and the Churches, the oldest continuing interfaith scholarly meeting of its kind in the world. No American theologian has done more than Littell in creating educational awareness of the Holocaust and strengthening the cause of liberty and individual responsibility in a democracy.

His continuous effort on behalf of human responsibility is a voice of conscience for people around the world.

In addition to Littell's keynote address, a remembrance service will be held at the Newman Center on Thursday, April 19, at 7 p.m. followed by "Man with a Mission," presented by Les Banos.

Banos, a Hungarian-born American, successfully infiltrated the German Secret Service as part of the Hungarian resistance during World War II. Although he was of Jewish descent, he was raised by his Lutheran aunt which kept his Jewish heritage shielded. His achievements included acquiring intelligence about Axis troop movements, forging safe conduct papers for citizens facing deportation, providing safe passage for downed Allied pilots and collaborating with Raoul Wallenberg, a Swedish diplomat who aided thousands of Hungarian Jews. Banos also witnessed Wallenberg's capture by the Russians in 1945.

The Holocaust Remembrance activities are free and open to the public. For additional information, contact Linda Lacny, Edinboro University School of Liberal Arts, at 814-732-2477.