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MID-AMERICAN CONFERENCE VOTES TO REINSTATE EMU

The Council of Presidents of the Mid-American Conference voted 10-0 on Friday, Aug. 3 to reinstate EMU to the conference. Eastern was expelled from the conference July 16 when MAC presidents became concerned that the MAC might not be eligible for Division I-A football for the 1985 season.

The presidents also voted July 16 to allow EMU to remain in the conference if it dropped football by Aug. 1, 1984, a deadline which was later extended to 5 p.m. Aug. 3. However, the EMU Board of Regents voted Monday, July 30, to maintain the football program and directed the administration to pursue whatever actions were necessary, including legal action, in order for the University to remain a member of the Mid-American Conference.

On Thursday, Aug. 2, the NCAA Administrative Committee issued an opinion which supported EMU's position that the conference could take remedial action following the 1984 season, should it fail to meet Division I-A criteria, and still remain eligible for Division I-A for the 1985 season.

A telephone conference of Mid-American Conference presidents was held Friday, Aug. 3, to discuss the NCAA opinion and vote on rescinding their July 16 order.

The resolution passed by the presidents said: "Based upon the NCAA Administrative Committee's decision of Aug. 2, 1984, it is hereby moved that the MAC Council of Presidents rescind its action of July 16, 1984, as amended, requiring EMU to either drop football and remain a member of the Mid-American Conference or be removed from the MAC effective Aug. 3, 1984."

President John W. Porter said, "We are extremely pleased with the action taken by the Mid-American Conference Council of Presidents. We have been very proud of our affiliation with the MAC during the past 13 years, both from an athletic and an academic viewpoint. We sincerely believe that

we have made significant contributions both to the image and the quality of the MAC via the breadth and overall strength of our comprehensive program of 22 men's and women's sports. We are committed to continuing our full membership in the MAC, competing in all sports."

REORGANIZATION ANNOUNCED TO PROVIDE FOCUS ON ATHLETICS

EMU President John W. Porter announced a reorganization of the University Relations Division on Friday, Aug. 3, which will strengthen the commitment to achieving goals in the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics.

"I have asked John C. Fountain, vice president for university relations, to take sole responsibility for the four critical tasks we have ahead of us in intercollegiate athletics. To ensure his success in this endeavor, I am temporarily assigning the other offices in his division to other areas," Porter said.

The Alumni Relations and Development offices will report directly to the president and Information Services and Publications and WEMU-FM will report to Dr. Ronald W. Collins, provost and vice president for academic affairs. Sports Information, currently a part of Information Services, will report directly to Fountain. This reorganization will be in effect through March 1985.

Vice President Fountain will be responsible for coordinating the efforts of the Athletic Fund Raising Committee, promoting the sales of season tickets for football and basketball, directing pre-game half-time attractions and raising the necessary private support to maintain EMU's broad intercollegiate athletic program of 22 men's and women's sports.

"We are all in agreement that the task facing the University in 1984-85 in intercollegiate athletics requires full-time attention and University-wide support,"

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said President Porter. "We are indeed encouraged that John Fountain, a 20-year employee of the University, has concluded that if the promotion, sales and attendance plan is to succeed, someone has to grab hold of the reins."

"The crisis that has emerged over the past several months will not abate," Porter said, "and there will be a continuing need to make certain there is no recurrence of the crisis. This is a primary concern of the University."

LIBRARY ANNOUNCES
INTERSESSION HOURS

University Library

Wednesday, Aug. 15 - 7:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Thursday, Aug. 16 and - 7:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 17

Media Services Center

Wednesday, Aug. 15 to - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 17

Instructional Support Center

Wednesday, Aug. 15 - 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Thursday, Aug. 16 and - 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 17 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

The remaining hours for the Intercession will be the same for all three Units:

Saturday, Aug. 18 and - CLOSED
Sunday, Aug. 19
Monday, Aug. 20 to - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 24
Saturday, Aug. 25 and - CLOSED
Sunday, Aug. 26
Monday, Aug. 27 to - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 31
Saturday, Sept. 1 to
Monday, Sept. 3 (Labor Day) - CLOSED
Tuesday, Sept. 4 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

PARKING STRUCTURE
TO CLOSE FOR REPAIRS

The Parking Structure will be closed for cleaning, painting and repairs from midnight, Friday, Aug. 17 until 6 a.m., Saturday, Sept. 1. Students and staff are advised to use alternate parking areas while work is in progress.

All vehicles must be removed by midnight, Aug. 17. Any vehicle left in the structure at that time will be removed at owner's expense.

FACULTY BOOKS
DUE AT LIBRARY

Faculty, graduate assistants and those eligible for faculty charges are reminded that all books charged out this Spring/Summer Session are due back to the University Library immediately. We would appreciate your promptness in taking care of returning or renewing these books.

RESERVE READING LISTS DUE

Reserve Reading Lists for the Fall Semester are now requested for processing. All lists should be submitted on Reserve List forms and submitted to the Reserve Office (Library) as soon as possible. Faculty members will not be sent individual forms this semester. However, forms will be available in departmental offices, at Circulation and in the Access Office in the library.

WOMEN'S BOWLING LEAGUE
FORMS TEAMS

The EMU Women's Bowling League is currently forming teams for the fall league season, beginning Tuesday, Sept. 4. In addition, the league has scheduled a pre-season practice session for today at 5:30 p.m. at the Ypsi-Arbor Lanes. A short organizational meeting will precede the practice session. For more information, call Dawn Clark, 7-4344; Mary Linblade, 7-2170 or Lisa Woodbury, 7-4140.

SCHEDULING PACKETS
READY AT McKENNY

Fall semester meeting room scheduling packets for student organizations may be picked up at the Reservations Office in McKenny Union. Recognized student organizations also may schedule rooms during the week of Aug. 13 through Aug. 17.

COLLEGE OF EDUCATION TO
PRESENT FOLK DANCE WORKSHOP

The College of Education will present "Folk Dance Workshop: Stepping Fun for Everyone" Thursday and Friday, Aug. 16 and 17, in McKenny Union Ballroom.

The workshop is the last miniconference of the College of Education's summer Edu-hostel series and is designed for teachers and other interested persons. For more information, call 7-3134.

RESEARCH

Health and Effective Functioning in the Middle and Later Years

The National Institute on Aging will support small grants up to \$15,000 for less experienced investigators to conduct research in psychosocial factors of aging. Areas of special interest are:

1. Linkages between particular psychosocial variables and the development of disease and disability.
2. Psychosocial factors in restoration of functioning or reversal of common forms of disability in old age (e.g., in chronic ill health, cognitive and motor performance).
3. Psychosocial interventions in maintenance of functioning and productivity at work or in the household.

Submission deadline is Oct. 1, 1984.

Contact R. Howard at 7-3090 for further information.

Peace Corps Training Director Sought

The Peace Corps is seeking a training director to organize, administer and direct in-country pre-service training for Peace Corps volunteer trainees. The contractor will review, revise and redesign a training program of 10 to 12 weeks duration which includes language, cross cultural and technical components as well as an assessment process. Training may be conducted in any one of the countries of North Africa, Near East, Asia or Pacific Region.

For further information on this solicitation, contact Cheryl Kozell at 7-3090.

PORTER ELECTED TO MICHIGAN COUNCIL FOR THE HUMANITIES

President John W. Porter has been elected to a four-year term on the Michigan Council for the Humanities. The announcement of the appointment was made recently by Suzanne B. Kaplan, council chairperson.

The Michigan Council for the Humanities is supported by a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. Its purpose is to provide the people of Michigan with an outstanding public humanities program.

Dr. Porter's term on the council will run through June 1988.

OPENINGS

Clerical/Secretarial (Minimum Biweekly Rate)

CS/03 - \$392.04 - Account Clerk - Student Loan Accounting
CS/05 - \$474.34 - Account Specialist - University Bookstore (1-3 years responsible experience within retail operation is desirable.)

Final date for the receipt of internal applications for the above positions is Aug. 21, 1984.

Internal applicants for the above Clerical/Secretarial positions should submit a Promotional Openings Application form to the department in which the vacancy exists.

Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer and Educational Institution

WEMU TO PRODUCE JAZZ FESTIVAL ANNIVERSARY ALBUMS

Eastern's public radio station WEMU-FM has been selected to produce a four-album special edition to commemorate the fifth anniversary of the Montreux Detroit Kool Jazz Festival. An underwriting grant from the Stroh Brewery Co. to the Detroit Renaissance Foundation will fund the production.

Art Timko, WEMU station manager, and Jim Dulzo, WEMU music program director, will produce the series which showcases a four-year effort to document Montreux Detroit artistry from Hart Plaza performances.

The four-volume Montreux Detroit Collection will be available during the 1984 festival week, Aug. 29 through Sept. 3, at all festival sites or by calling Trackside Souvenirs at (313) 271-5230. All jazz artists featured on the albums have played at the Montreux Detroit Festival during the last four years.

Individual albums will retail at \$6.50. A set of five, including the Montreux album produced in 1981, will sell for \$25.

WEMU (at 89.1 FM), in cooperation with WDET, will produce live local coverage of the Hart Plaza concerts from noon until midnight, Aug. 31 to Sept. 3.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS, AUG. 14 - AUG. 22

Tuesday, Aug. 14

The University Bookstore staff will meet today and tomorrow, Aug. 15, Small Change, McKenny Union, 7:30 a.m.

Final exams will take place today and tomorrow, Aug. 15.

The College of Education administrative staff, Room 216, Boone Hall, 10 a.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 15

Final exams will conclude today.

Thursday, Aug. 16

The College of Education will sponsor a miniconference titled "Folk Dance Workshop: Stepping Fun for Everyone" today and tomorrow. For more information, call 7-3134, Ballroom, McKenny Union, noon registration, 1 to 4 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 17

SUMMER SESSION CLOSURES

The Division of Student Affairs Special Projects Committee, Alumni Lounge, McKenny Union, 10 a.m.

Saturday, Aug. 18

The AAUP Michigan Conference Executive Committee, Alumni Lounge, McKenny Union, 9:30 a.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 21

The Educational Policies Committee of the Board of Regents, Regents Room, McKenny Union, 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 22

The Faculty Affairs Committee of the Board of Regents, Gallery I, McKenny Union, 8 a.m.

The Finance Committee of the Board of Regents, Regents Room, McKenny Union, 9 a.m.

The Board of Regents will hold their regular monthly meeting, Regents Room, McKenny Union, 11 a.m.

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WEMU WEEKDAY PROGRAMMING

- 1 a.m. Jazz Scope After Hours
- 6 a.m. Morning Edition
- 9 a.m. Morning Jazz Scope
- 12 p.m. Noon Magazine
- 1 p.m. Afternoon Jazz Scope
- 5 p.m. News with Karen Pitton; Sports with David Snyder
- 5:15 p.m. Cafe du Jazz
- 7 p.m. Public Affair Programming
- 7:30 p.m. Business Times
- 8 p.m. All Things Considered
- 9 p.m. News with Karen Pitton; Sports with Tom Wagner
- 9:10 p.m. Late Night Jazz Scope
- 9:10 p.m. FRIDAY ONLY - When the Eagle Flies

WEMU PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAMMING

Tuesday, Aug. 14

- 12:30 p.m. - Let's Hear It - News for and about the Disabled
- 7 p.m. - Bradbury 13 - "The Happiness Machine," A self-appointed inventor builds the world's first happiness machine.

Wednesday, Aug. 15

- 12:30 p.m. - FOCUS - Topics of Science and Research are explored.

Thursday, Aug. 16

- 12:30 p.m. - Common Ground - The Build-Down Fallacy
- 7 p.m. - Horizons - "Koniagmiut: The People of Kodiak"

Friday, Aug. 17

- 7 p.m. - Musical By Lines - Composer Earl Robinson

Monday, Aug. 20

- 12:30 p.m. - Golden Cradle - Focus on Immigrant Women in the U.S.
- 7 p.m. - Enfoque Nacional

Tuesday, Aug. 21

- 12:30 p.m. - Let's Hear It - News for and about the Disabled
- 7 p.m. - The Panther Program - Satirical Comedy

Wednesday, Aug. 22

- 12:30 p.m. - FOCUS - Topics of Science and Research are explored.

Thursday, Aug. 23

- 12:30 p.m. - Common Ground - Soviet Involvement and Influence in the Third World