

ELI Weekly

Take a Tour of the World...On Campus

This Saturday, November 10, a very special and exciting event will occur on Missouri State's campus. It will be the 29th annual International Banquet and Show. This is *always* a popular event on campus for students and the community—in fact the tickets sell out every year. If you have never been, now is your chance to experience a fun night full of international food and entertainment. It is a time to learn about each other's cultures!



Colombian Dance—featuring former ELI student Carolina!

The Association of International Students (AIS) works very hard to bring this event to campus every year. There is a lot of preparation that goes in to organizing all of the performances and food dishes. The night before the banquet, about 50 students from different countries will get together to cook all the food that will be served at the banquet. This year will feature dishes from Tanzania, China, Costa Rica, Nepal, France and several other places. Cooking the food is hard work, but also a lot of fun.



Cooking the night before the banquet

The banquet begins at 6:00 p.m. and is held in the PSU ballroom. There will be enough food for all of the ticket holders. After everyone has eaten, the group of attendees will go downstairs to the PSU Theater and take a seat to enjoy the show. This year, 10 to 13 different groups of performers representing many countries, will take the stage. There will be performances by Africa, India, Nepal, China, and the Asian Pacific, among others. The performances will present a wide range of talent, including dances, skits, and even fashion shows.



Fashion Show

If you have not bought a ticket yet, there still may be a few left, but act fast! You can purchase your ticket on the main campus from the Student Activities Office (PSU 101) from 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Mon.-Fri. or at a table on the 2nd floor of the PSU from 11 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Don't miss out, you'll be sorry you did! Also, If you are interested in joining AIS, this is the perfect time to meet some current members.

Activities This Week

November 5 & 6

Men's and Women's Home Basketball Games @ Hammons Student Center

Nov 5: Men's Basketball vs. St. Gregory's University; 7:05 PM

Nov. 6: Women's Basketball vs. Lambuth University; 7:05 PM

Go out and show your MSU Bear pride!



November 10

International Banquet and Show

6:00 PM at the Plaster Student Union Ballroom

You MUST have a ticket!



For more events and activities, visit: <http://calendar.missouristate.edu/>
Also, ALWAYS check the Student Activities Board across from the 2nd floor Computer Lab

Announcements



- **Pronunciation Class**

Topics this week:

Check flyers later

- Did you know you can buy a semester pass for the PSU Games Center? For \$20 you can bowl and play billiards all semester! Keep that in mind for spring! Passes available for purchase at the Games Center on the 1st floor of the PSU on campus.

Did You Know....



A few interesting facts about Greece:

The official name of Greece is the Hellenic Republic.

Mt. Olympus, the highest mountain in Greece, was said to be the home of the gods—called the Olympians.



Speaking of Olympians, the Olympic games originated in Greece in 776 B.C. Events back then included chariot racing, boxing, singing, and the arts. The first modern Olympic games were held in Athens in 1896.

Greece is known as the “Cradle of Western Civilization.”

Around 4/5 of Greece is made up of hills and mountains.



What's Showing at The Moxie?

The Moxie is downtown's independent cinema located at the corner of Walnut and Campbell.

This week:

- The 11th Hour
- Kurt Cobain About a Son
- I Want Someone to Eat Cheese With



See Schedule on the Student Activities Board

Weather Forecast

Degrees: High/Low

Forecast for November 5-11

	<u>Fahrenheit</u>	<u>Celsius</u>
Monday:	66/29	19/-02
Tuesday:	50/27	10/-03
Wednesday:	58/37	14/03
Thursday:	64/40	18/04
Friday:	68/52	20/11
Saturday:	63/56	17/13—chance of rain
Sunday:	65/49	18/09—chance of rain



Weather forecasts are *always* changing, so for the most up-to-date forecast, go to: www.weather.com, or watch the local news or weather channel.