



Living @ USI

*A Housing and Residence Life
Informational Newsletter*

January 2012

Judge Hatchett to keynote MLK Luncheon

Judge Glenda Hatchett will be the keynote speaker for the University of Southern Indiana's annual Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Luncheon at 11 a.m. Monday, January 16, in Carter Hall in the University Center.

Hatchett is known for her award-winning syndicated television show, "Judge Hatchett," and is the author of the bestsellers *Dare to Take Charge* and *Say What You Mean, Mean What You Say*. She was named one of the "100 Best and Brightest Women in Corporate America" by *Ebony* magazine.

After graduating from Emory University School of Law, Hatchett accepted a position at Delta Air Lines, as the company's highest-ranking African-American woman. She served in dual roles as a senior attorney and manager of public relations, supervising global crisis management and media relations for all of Europe, Asia and the United States.

She left Delta to accept an appointment as Chief Presiding Judge of the Fulton County, Georgia Juvenile Court, where she became Georgia's first African-American Chief Presiding Judge of a state court and the department head of one of the largest juvenile court systems in the country.

"Judge Hatchett" is currently in its tenth season. Hatchett also is the founder of [Parent Power Now](#), the premiere online parenting network.

In addition to the keynote address, the luncheon includes entertainment by the Designed by Grace Praise Dancers, Designed by Grace Gospel Choir, Children's Center for Dance Education, and Amadeus Percussions Drumline.

Tickets may be purchased at the USI Multicultural Center (Room 1244, UC East) and are \$5 for USI students, \$10 for USI employees, and \$15 for the general public.

For more information, call the Multicultural Center at 812/465-7188.



INTERFAITH STUDENT WORKSHOP

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4th
11 AM – 5 PM

NEW HARMONY, INDIANA



Facilitated by the Interfaith Youth Core (www.ifyc.org) and sponsored by Historic New Harmony, Religious Life, Residence Life, International Programs & Services, the Counseling Center, the Multicultural Center, and Student Development.

IFYC provides students with the understanding and skills necessary to support religious diversity on campus and act together to improve their community.

Applications to participate in the workshop are available online at www.usi.edu/hnh/index.php. Applications are due January 20. Transportation between campus and New Harmony provided, along with snacks and lunch. A fee of \$10 will offset some of this cost. Scholarships available. Questions? Missy Parkison, Historic New Harmony, mparkison@usi.edu.

Did You Know? *Conduct Process Code 4.0*

If you were documented by University Personnel for an alleged policy violation, continue to check your mail.usi.edu account for a Notice of Infraction and a Meeting Notice.

For a full description of the University student conduct process, refer to the Student Code of Conduct available online or in the USI Student Planner.

Remember, "I didn't know" is not an excuse!



It is YOUR RIGHT

It is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY

Self Defense for Women (RAD)



**Four Mondays (Plan to attend all 4 sessions)
January 23 and 30, February 6 and 13
3:00 – 5:00 pm RFWC Room 115**

**Sign up by calling Christine at 812-461-5483 or catolis@usi.edu or
Kourtney at 812-492-7743 or kbeastham@usi.edu**

'Play 4Kay'

It's that time again, Play 4 Kay is on. Our pink game this year is February 11th at 1pm.

We are hoping to get the entire campus involved! We ask everyone to wear pink in support of the cause.

We want to pack the PAC with pink! So decorate yourself in pink and come to the game on February 11th to show school pride and support this cause!

University Division Presents: Student Success Week

January 30 - February 3

Faculty, administrators and student presenters will be offering over 50 sessions focused on developing a *student's mind, self, and awareness of the world*. All sessions will take place in the University Center.

Check [University Division's](#) website for more details.

Get Fit, Have Fun, Live Well!
SPRING 2012 Group Exercise Schedule

Times	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
10:30-11:30 am						ZUMBA (RM 125)
12:05-12:55 pm	Step Marian (RM 125)	Yoga Denise (RM 125)	ZUMBA Marian (RM 125)	Body Sculpt Marian (RM 125)	Tai Chi Ron (RM 125)	
12:05-12:55 pm	Triple Threat Donna (RM 126)	Pilates Marian (RM 126)	Butts N' Guts Donna (RM 126)	Indoor Cycling Donna (RM 126)	Yoga Sandi/Zoe (RM 126)	
3:30-4:30 pm	Yoga Denise (RM 125)	Butts N' Gut Donna (RM 125)			Butts N' Gut Cindy (RM 125)	
5:00-6:00 pm	Pilates Marian (RM 125)	Step Marian (RM 126)	Indoor Cycling Marian (RM 126)	Yoga Andrew (RM 125)		
5:00-5:15 pm	Core Strength Cindy (RM 126)	Core Strength Donna (RM 125)	Core Strength Sandi (RM 125)	Core Strength Marian (RM 126)		
5:30-6:30 pm	Indoor Cycling Cindy (RM 126)	Body Sculpt Donna (RM 125)	Cardio Kick Sandi (RM 125)	Pilates Marian (RM 126)		
6:15-6:30 pm	Core Strength Sandi (RM 125)	Core Strength Alice (RM 126)	Core Strength Cindy (RM 126)	Core Strength Alice (RM 125)		
6:45-7:45 pm	Butts N' Guts Sandi (RM 125)	ZUMBA Alice (RM 125)	Boot Camp Sandi (RM 125)	ZUMBA Alice (RM 125)		
8:00-8:15 pm	Core Strength Alice (RM 125)	Core Strength Tiffany (RM 125)	Core Strength Sandi (RM 125)			
8:30-9:30 pm	ZUMBA Alice (RM 125)	Turbo Jam Tiffany (RM 125)	Yoga Sandi (RM 125)			

Class Descriptions can be found by visiting the RFW website at www.usi.edu/rfw

For additional information, please call the RFC @ 461-5268

**Sign Up
Information**

Friday, January 13th is the deadline to sign up for:

- Table tennis singles & doubles tourney**
- Billiards tourney**
- Bowling league**
- Basketball league**

Friday, January 20th is the deadline to sign up for:

- Ice skating trip**
- Midnight Magic Ski Trip**

(\$35 per person, \$20 if you bring your own skis/board)

Need Help? Don't wait...

Take advantage of **FREE TUTORING** from Academic Skills. **FREE Tutoring** is conveniently offered in multiple locations on campus.

Check it out.

Mondays 1:00-3:00 pm @ the Multicultural Center

assistance with writing; math; anatomy/physiology; chemistry; Spanish; and study skills.

The dates they will be available are 1/23; 1/30; 2/6; 2/13; 2/20; 2/27; 3/12; 3/19; 3/26; 4/2; 4/9; and 4/16

Tutoring Tuesdays – Tuesday 6:00-9:00 pm- @ RFWC

assistance with math; writing; anatomy/physiology; chemistry; biology; physics; astronomy; geology; Spanish; and study skills.

The dates they will be available are 1/17; 1/24; 1/31; 2/7; 2/14; 2/21; 2/28; 3/13; 3/20; 3/27; 4/3; 4/10; 4/17; and 4/24

Wednesday 6:00-9:00 pm- @ Rice Library

assistance with math; writing; anatomy/physiology; chemistry; Spanish; and study skills.

The dates they will be available are 1/18; 1/25; 2/1; 2/8; 2/15; 2/22; 2/29; 3/14; 3/21; 3/28; 4/4; 4/11; 4/18; and 4/25

Flu shots offered by the
USI Student Health Center

Monday, January 23rd

12-4pm

Ruston MPR

Cost: \$20 cash or check



*** Traffic and Parking @ USI ***

Traffic and parking regulations are in effect year round, including semester breaks. These enforcement regulations apply to all persons who operate motor vehicles or bicycles on University of Southern Indiana property.

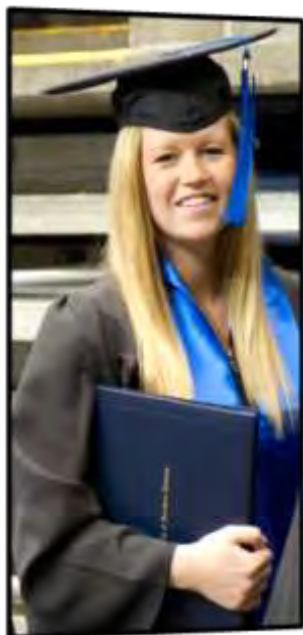
The speed limit of 15 miles per hour on all USI-owned property is strictly enforced.

Parking is not allowed on boulevards or roads, in loading zones, within 10 feet of fire hydrants, blocking walkways or drives, or any other restricted zone identified by signs or yellow paint.

Pedestrians have right-of-way in crosswalks at all times. Vehicles must stop and remain stopped while pedestrians are in or approaching the crosswalk.

Parking is allowed only in marked parking spaces.

For a complete list of Parking Regulations, see the [Traffic and Parking](#) website. The Parking Department office phone number is (812) 465-1091.



Steps to Graduation

Congratulations! If records indicate you may be ready to complete your degree requirements at the end of Spring or Summer 2012, it's up to you to get the graduation process rolling and sign up to participate in Commencement on campus where family and friends can celebrate your accomplishment. Here's what you can do now to ensure a smooth graduation experience.

All graduate and undergraduate students who plan to graduate must complete the following three steps:

1. Apply for graduation

Complete the Formal Application for Graduation indicating your intention to finish requirements for your degree within the academic year. See your academic advisor to review degree requirements and submit this form.

2. Request your official diploma

Complete a Diploma Form at <http://www.usi.edu/reg/diploma.asp>. Provide your name on the form exactly as you want it printed on your USI diploma. (Otherwise, your name will appear as it is listed in the student information system. There is a \$25 fee for reprinting a diploma.)

3. Tell us where to mail your diploma

Create a Diploma Mailing Address through My USI Self-Service. Your diploma will be mailed to that address. If you do not provide an address, your diploma will be available for pickup at the Office of the Registrar six to eight weeks after the end of the semester.

Students who plan to participate in a Commencement ceremony have an additional step.

4. Make a reservation for Commencement if you plan to participate

Go to <http://www.usi.edu/commencement> to make a reservation for Commencement. Participation is optional. A reservation is required if you plan to participate. Five Commencement ceremonies will be held in the Physical Activities Center (PAC) on the USI campus. (Commencement for graduate students is April 27. Commencement for undergraduate students by college is April 28.) Seating is limited for all ceremonies.



Upcoming USI Athletics Events at the PAC in January

Date	Sport	Opponent	Location	Time
1/16/2012	Women's Basketball	Vs. Kentucky Wesleyan University	Evansville, IN	5:15pm
1/16/2012	Men's Basketball	Vs. Kentucky Wesleyan University	Evansville, IN	7:30pm
1/19/2012	Women's Basketball	Vs. University of Indianapolis	Evansville, IN	5:15pm
1/19/2012	Men's Basketball	Vs. University of Indianapolis	Evansville, IN	7:30pm
1/21/2012	Women's Basketball	Vs. Saint Joseph's College	Evansville, IN	1:00pm
1/21/2012	Men's Basketball	Vs. Saint Joseph's College	Evansville, IN	3:15pm
1/28/2012	Women's Basketball	Vs. Northern Kentucky University	Evansville, IN	1:00pm
1/28/2012	Men's Basketball	Vs. Northern Kentucky University	Evansville, IN	3:15pm

For more information, click on www.gousieagles.com

Support USI Athletics and join us at the PAC.

Office Hours:
Monday- Friday 8am- 12am,
Saturday-Sunday 12pm-12am



We hope you find the newsletter helpful and will utilize the information you are provided. We are committed to making USI Housing and Residence Life, "The Best of its Size and Type in the Nation." We welcome and encourage your feedback. Feel free to visit our website at www.usi.edu/res. If you have any questions, contact us at living@usi.edu or 812/468-2000.