



# MISSOURI HALL NEWSLETTER

## New Student Welcome on the Downtown Square

The Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Merchants Committee and area businesses will be hosting a Welcome event downtown for all new Truman, ATSU and Moberly Area Community College students. Area businesses, churches and organizations will be on hand to distribute information and some will offer prizes. Free food for students with student ID. LIVE Entertainment.

The event is this Thursday from 5:00 to 9:00 PM on the Kirksville town square. Do you know where The Square is? Just go to Franklin Street (the road between McClain and the Rec Center) and head north a few blocks. It's so easy to get to, and there are all sorts of wonderful shops and restaurants that you can visit.

For more information about this event and other Kirksville business, visit the Kirksville Chamber of Commerce online at [www.kirksvillechamber.com](http://www.kirksvillechamber.com).

## Not Too Late To Run for the Missouri Hall Senate

The Missouri Hall Senate info meeting is Wednesday night at 8:30 in the Chariton Room. Even if you can't (or didn't) attend, you can still run. Just visit online at <http://missouri.truman.edu/senate>. The election will be the following Tuesday and will be online via an email that will be sent to everyone.

The Hall Senate meets Wednesday nights at 8:30 to plan events, review policy, and advocate for the needs of Missouri Hall residents. All positions are open, so we hope to see your application soon!

## Turn Off Your AC at Night to Save Energy, Money

With the weather getting nicer, you should consider turning off your air conditioner and opening your windows, especially at night. This will get some extra fresh air into your room. It will also use less energy, which helps out the planet and Truman's bottom line. A remember, Truman's finances are your finances. When you open your windows, make sure to actually turn off the unit, or turn it to "fan" mode. It does no good to run the AC while your window is open.

## September 8, 2010



*Make your way to the Kirksville Square for the new student welcome this Thursday.*

*There will be free food and giveaways to students with a Truman ID card.*

### Coming Up at MO Hall . . .

#### MO Hall Senate Info Meeting

Wednesday, September 8 | 8:30 PM  
Missouri Hall Chariton Room

#### New Student Welcome

Thursday, September 9 | 5:00-9:00  
Downtown Kirksville Square Merchants

#### Destroy Your Jeans

Saturday, September 11 | 12:00 PM  
Missouri Hall Hawthorn Room

#### MO Hall Senate Elections

Tuesday, September 14 | All Day  
Vote online via an email link going on Tuesday

## Facilities Management Notes

The Facilities Management department on campus is charged with keeping Missouri Hall clean and in good repair. Here are a few notes passed on from Facilities.

### Don't Enter Bathrooms During Cleaning

No matter how good you think you look, the housekeepers really don't want to see your naked body when they are cleaning your bathroom. If their cleaning cart is parked in the doorway, come back later. Do not go in while they are cleaning.

### Trash Rooms Close Fridays at Noon

Since there are only a couple weekend housekeepers across campus, the trashrooms in MO Hall close at 12:00 noon on Fridays. Take trash to the dumpsters on weekends.

### Dumpsters and Cardboard Bin Out Back

The dumpsters and the cardboard recycling bin are located at the south end of the parking lot. Please take all large cardboard directly there. Weekend trash should go directly to the dumpsters.



## Missouri Hall Quick Notes

### • Fire Alarm Coming

As a reminder, there will be a fire drill for Missouri Hall soon. When the alarm sounds, make your way out of the building and to the quad-side of the bell wall. This will be our only drill of the semester, so always assume there is a fire emergency if you here the sirens sound.

### • MicroFridge Audit

In order to verify the correct location and tracking of the MicroFridges in Missouri Hall, staff will begin dropping by rooms. This includes rooms that don't have MicroFridges. We want to make sure none were mistakenly delivered. Staff will be dropping by over the next few days in the late mornings, so don't be surprised if they stop by.

## Warning From Public Safety About Theft

Kirksville is a very safe place to live, but sometimes that makes us ignorant of our personal obligations to safety and security. For example, we all need to remember to lock our car doors.

In the Ryle parking lot, DPS encountered someone trying the door handles on cars and then entering unlocked vehicles. You can easily prevent theft like this by locking the doors to your car and keeping tempting items (CDs, iPod, etc.) out of site.

If you become a victim of theft or need their assistance in other ways, feel free to call the Department of Public Safety at 660-785-4176.