

## Magruder Announces Appointments

### Sorrell to Lead SID Office

T.W. Sorrell, assistant professor of industrial science, has been appointed director of the Services for individuals with Disabilities Office, a student/staff support service program located in Missouri Hall. Sorrell replaces Joe Rhoads, professor emeritus of industrial science, who retired from the University June 30.

"This is such an important office on our campus, and I am thrilled that T.W. will be the one overseeing its operation," President Jack Magruder said. "It is important that Northeast have both programs and facilities to assist people with disabilities in achieving their maximum potential."

The SID Office provides and coordinates support services for students, faculty and staff with disabilities and serves as an information referral service for non-disabled students and the community.

### Stephens to Serve as University Career Center Director

Bob Stephens, professor of industrial science and director of the Center for Service-Learning, has been

appointed as the director of the University Career Center for the 1994-95 academic year. He will continue with his duties as the head of the CS-L, 1000 Hills Summer Program and the internship program.

"Bob is an experienced educator who is knowledgeable in the area related to student development and career preparation. He will be able to provide thoughtful leadership and guidance in this very critical office," Magruder said.

### Smith to Head Office of Multicultural Affairs

Dwyane Smith, assistant director of admission, will serve as the director of the Office of Multicultural Affairs. Although the name and location of the office have changed, this position is not totally new to Smith. Smith served as the director of Minority Services from 1983-92. Smith succeeds Ave Alvarado who resigned to continue her doctoral studies.

"I am pleased that Dwyane will direct the Office of Multicultural Affairs while the search for a permanent director continues," Magruder said. "Dwyane is committed to the support and development of our students of color." ❧

## Short-Term Parking Spaces Designated On Campus

The Department of Public Safety has added 30-minute parking in three areas across the Northeast campus. These parking spaces can accommodate those persons needing short-term parking. Any vehicle, with or without a current parking decal, may park for 30 minutes.

There are three 30-minute parking spaces located at the southeast corner of Barnett Hall, two west of Violette Hall, one at the southeast corner of Pershing Building and the entire Circle Drive south of McClain Hall became 30-minute parking July 1. Spaces are marked with 30-minute parking signs.

These spaces are provided for the convenience of people needing to drop off papers, visit with professors/advisors, etc. Officers of the Department of Public Safety will be enforcing the 30-minute time zone.

Public Safety hopes these spaces will prove to be a convenience to the faculty, staff, students and visitors of the Northeast community. ❧



President Jack Magruder begins his first day in office, July 1, visiting with Ruth Towne, professor emeritus of history and dean emeritus of graduate studies, and Gilbert Kohlenberg, professor emeritus of history and head emeritus of the Division of Social Science. Both Towne and Kohlenberg taught Magruder as an undergraduate student at Northeast. ❧

# Baker Named July Employee of the Month

**B**rad Baker enjoys working with the Physical Plant-Facilities. His determination and commitment keep his staff focused and ready to tackle any job. For these reasons, and more, Baker was named July Employee of the Month.

"I'm very happy to be a member of NMSU and to have the opportunity to cover most of our beautiful campus every day," Baker said.

A native of Green City, Mo., Baker began with the University in 1980. As housekeeper supervisor, he handles the day-to-day management of the facilities staff.


Baker and his wife, Pam, a nurse at Lifeskills (Grim-Smith), live in Kirksville with their two children Tara, 11, and Ryne, 9. In his spare time, Baker enjoys outdoor activities and sports including hunting and fishing, and golf.

"Brad attacks problems head on and serves as an example to his staff of a helping hand, a cooperative attitude. . . ." Facilities Supervisor Tim Scherrer said. ☘



Brad Baker (center), July Employee of the Month, is congratulated by Mona Davis, Employee of the Month Committee chair, and Tim Scherrer, facilities supervisor.

Employee of the Month applications are available in the Human Resources Office, McClain Hall 101. Submission deadline is the second Friday of each month.



**Hurry, Aerobics Are Free For Summer**

Faculty/Staff Aerobics  
11 a.m. - noon  
Pershing Arena  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday

## NortheastNotables

At the June meeting in Washington, D.C., of the Assessment Forum of the American Association for Higher Education, President Jack Magruder presented with **Candy Young**, associate professor of political science, alumnus **Joe Bambenek**, and **Dennis Peacock**, director of assessment and testing. The presentation was on uses of assessment data. Young and Peacock co-presented at a second session on non-academic outcomes. **David Gillette**, assistant professor of economics, co-presented with Peacock and **Rebecca Ems**, political science major, at a session on active learning. Peacock also served on three other panels at the conference. ☘

**Andy Johns**, head swim coach and instructor in exercise science, co-authored the article "The effects of taper on swim performance: practical implications" that was recently published in *Sportsmedicine*.

*Northeast Today* is published biweekly on Mondays during the summer. Deadline for entries is 3 p.m. the Wednesday preceding Monday's publication. Entries should be submitted on the *Northeast Today* forms available in the Public Relations Office, McClain 106. All activities listed in *Northeast Today* are open to the public.

## Northeast Notes

**Dealing With Difficult People**, a Staff Development Committee program will be held from 1:30-4:30 p.m., July 12, in the SUB Alumni Room. ☘

The Theatre Department will present **John Steinbeck's Of Mice and Men** at 8 p.m., Aug. 1, 2 and 3 in Baldwin Hall Little Theatre. Admission is free. ☘

If you are planning to have an on-campus student return early in the fall (between Aug. 21 and 26) to help during Freshman Week, please be aware that you are responsible for their room and board charge (\$12/day). To make arrangements for their early arrival, you must notify the Residential Living Office in writing by Aug. 1 with their name and social security number. Students will not be admit-

ted to the residence halls without notification by Aug. 1. ☘

**The Crow**, starring **Brandon Lee**, will be shown at 8 and 10 p.m., Aug. 31, in Baldwin Auditorium. The movie is sponsored by the University Players. Admission is \$2. ☘

**Homestay families are needed to host Japanese students Aug. 5-8.** A small stipend is provided to defray costs. If interested, leave a message for David Cicotello at 785-4481. ☘

The Board of Governors will meet in Columbia, Mo., July 15. The meeting will begin at 3 p.m. at the Ramada Inn. The Board will be receiving informational reports on the Study of the University Name and the proposed recreational center.