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WESTERN SET FOR FAMILY DAY SEPT. 18

St. Joseph, Mo. — Sept. 2, 2004 — Fun, food, and football are just a few of the activities planned for students and their families for Family Day at Missouri Western State College on Sept. 18, hosted by the Parent's Council and Student Government Association.

Events will begin at 9:30 a.m. near the entrance of Spratt Memorial Stadium with various student clubs and organizations providing booths with food and games, including a dunking tank with a chance to dunk a faculty member. The Western Planetarium will present shows from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., and the Campus Activity Board (CAB) will also provide activities that will appeal to kids of all ages. A buffet lunch will be available from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Parents will have an opportunity to attend an information meeting to discuss public safety, residential life, counseling services, recreational services, student services and Aramark food service. Representatives from these campus units will be available to answer questions, and interested parents will be given the opportunity to become active participants of Western's Parent's Council.

At 2 p.m. the Western football team will play host to Emporia State.

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Missouri Western State College is a four-year public institution providing a blend of traditional liberal arts and professional degree programs. The college offers student-centered, high quality instruction that focuses on experience-based learning, community service, and state-of-the-art technology. Western is located in St. Joseph, Mo. and is committed to the educational, economic, cultural and social development of the region it serves.