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APRIL 12 CONCERT TO BENEFIT WESTERN'S PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE

St. Joseph, Mo. —March 26, 2003—Missouri Western State College's Percussion Ensemble will present the first annual Percussion Variety Show, a fund-raising concert, at 7:30 p.m. April 12 in the Thompson E. Potter Fine Arts Theater. Admission is \$6.

The concert will feature performances by the steel drum band, small ensembles, mallet trios, the Western Drum Line and solo performances. Funds raised will be used for lessons, for new equipment and to upgrade equipment. The percussion ensemble is under the direction of Dennis Rogers.

Tickets will be available at the door. To purchase tickets in advance, or for more information, contact the music department office at 816-271-4420.

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.

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