



# News Release

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## WESTERN ANNOUNCES STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

**St. Joseph, Mo.** — April 21, 2004— Missouri Western State College announces recent achievements of its students:

- Eight psychology students presented papers at the recent Great Plains Students' Psychology Convention held at Rockhurst University, Kansas City, Mo. The students were Joan Gillahan of Cameron, Mo.; Joe Fehlker of Festus, Mo.; Emily Kempf of Marshall, Mo.; Kasey Starr of Meriden, Ks.; Natalie McQuinn of Stanberry, Mo.; Bryann Halloway of St. Joseph, Mo.; Angela Mobley of St. Joseph, Mo.; and Jill Nesslage of St. Joseph, Mo.
- Physical education majors Ashlee Liebhart of New Boston, Mo., and Greg Coleman of St. Joseph, Mo, presented a wellness booth for parents, teachers, and students at Pickett Elementary School in St. Joseph.
- Health, physical education and recreation students Katie Noyd of Bethany, Mo.; Eric McGrath of Fairbury, Neb.; Joey Evans of Gallatin, Mo.; Jennifer White of Holts Summit, Mo.; Megan Smith of Marceline, Mo.; Jaymi Blackmore of Moberly, Mo.; Cooper Allen of St. Joseph, Mo.; Valeria Brandt of St. Joseph, Mo.; Lakeeia Hawkins of St. Joseph, Mo.; Aviella Moore of St. Joseph, Mo.; and Ryan Bray of Sweet Springs, Mo., organized a Resumé Connection booth at the Missouri Parks and Recreation Conference in Columbia, Mo. They also helped organize nightly student socials for all students attending the conference.

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