**Professional Profile**


- Musial also collaborated with two SVSU graduate students, Kim Lockwood and Melissa Precinsky, to write the article, “Picture It: A Study of Picture Cue as a Vocabulary Strategy Used to Aid in Comprehension,” published in the Spring 2001 Michigan Reading Journal.


**Across Campus**

- The campus community congratulates:
  - **Amy Borchard**, transcript & counter clerk, and her husband, Brett, on the birth of a son, Connor James (18.5 inches, 7 lbs., 14 oz.) on Sept. 3.
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SVSU faculty and staff continue to remain active in the area of grant proposal writing and project management. Recent projects are:

- Tim Clark, director, Manufacturing, received grant funding from the Michigan Economic Development Corporation to support the “2001 Economic Development for Disadvantaged Businesses” (Fall 2001). Students from the SVSU Occupational Therapy program would host a disability awareness program and related activities.
- Jim Hamrick, assistant director of International Programs, will give a public presentation from 7 to 9 p.m., Wednesday, Sept. 26 in Founders Hall. His presentation is free and open to the public. His topic is “The future site of H.H. Dow Chair of Chemistry, David Swenson, director of Campus Life, and Judith Ivey, director of International Programs, $6,000 as scholarships for international students. The funds would be used as “matching funds” for financial aid grants to international students.
- Janet Nagyda, associate professor of occupational therapy, $3,900 to fund student research projects which may be presented on local, state and national levels.
- Bethany Burch, Public Safety officer, $4,788 for Campbell Community Policing Programs. Funding will be used toward three social events designed to develop positive interaction between the students and campus police.
- Amy Pierce, assistant professor of communication, and Steve Erickson, professor of theatre, $6,000 for student competition in forensics. Students will compete in four forensics trophies which include a T-shirt, window decal, mug and game tickets. Cost is $10. For more information, call 790-4120.

• Freshman, second-year and returning undergraduate students in good academic standing should refer them to the Registrar. A policy is in place to handle this situation and students will be advised on an individual basis.
• Weight Watchers At Work is a program that encourages healthy eating, exercise, group support, and healthy lifelong habits. Beginning with registration Sept. 25, this 12-week program will be available to faculty and staff each Tuesday at 4:45 p.m. Meetings will be held in 256 Ryder Center. The normal price for this program is $120, however, as part of our Wellness Program, your cost will only be $96. At least 15 people are required to conduct the program. Please call Ann Miner in Human Resources at 790-5690 if you are interested.

SVSU Faculty Granted Tenure
The SVSU Board of Control earlier this year granted tenure to 10 faculty members: Jon Cisky, professor of criminal justice; Jesse Donahue, associate professor of political science; Clifford Dorne, professor of criminal justice; Eric Garden, associate professor of English, Deborah Huntley, associate professor of chemistry; Sandra Mixer, associate professor of nursing; David Pape, professor of mechanical engineering; Marian Shih, associate professor of physics; Andrew Swihart, associate professor of psychology; and Paul Teed, professor of theatre, will perform as part of the Lunchbreak Concert Series from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 3 in Doan Café. A CD recording booth also will be available.

- Findlay is Sept. 30 through Oct. 6. Among the featured activities is a visit to campus by Coach Herman Boone from Remember the Titans at 7:30 p.m., Monday, Oct. 1 in O’Neill Arena.
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- Janet Rubin, professor of theatre, will perform the Thomas and Hilda Rush Distinguished Lecturer Series at 4 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 18 in Founders Hall. The title of her talk is “Bearing Witness: Drama, Theatre and Holocaust Education.” A reception will follow.