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MVC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ELECTS NEW PRESIDENT AND PRESIDENT-ELECT

Marshall resident Spencer Fricke to serve a two-year term.

Marshall, Mo. (February 19, 2007)—Spencer Fricke of Marshall has been elected to serve a two-year term as president of the Missouri Valley College Alumni Association. Amber (Clemens) Ballenger of Marshall will serve as president-elect.

Fricke received a bachelor's of science degree in education from MVC in 1966, a master's of science degree in guidance and counseling from the University of Central Missouri, and an Ed. Specialist degree from the University of Missouri.

At the end of the spring 2006 semester, MVC has over 6,000 living alumni all over the world. Every MVC graduate automatically becomes a member of the Alumni Association.

“Our ever-growing alumni base allows us to advance the continued development of a network to provide professional and social support of members,” Fricke said.

Fricke hopes to get more alumni involved with Alumni Association events.

“My goal is to continue to build on the growth and alumni involvement of the Alumni Association,” Fricke said. “I want to engage in activities that will encourage connections and common interests in the support of Missouri Valley College.”

Fricke worked in the Marshall Public School district from 1966 to 1996 and served as teacher, coach, guidance counselor, middle school assistant principal, and middle school principal. He has served as an adjunct instructor in MVC's education department since 2000. He has also taught graduate classes for Lindenwood University since 1998.

Ballenger received a bachelor's of arts degree from MVC in 2002. She is the vice president of Clemens Pools 'N' Spas LC. She is member of the Valley Women Organization.

For more information on the MVC Alumni Association contact the MVC alumni office at (660) 831-4034 or alumni@moval.edu

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Missouri Valley College is a liberal arts college that provides educational, social and cultural experiences in a decidedly Christian environment. Established in 1889, MVC offers 27 majors and 7 pre-professional programs, and 12 sports and 20 varsity teams. The liberal arts heritage focuses on scholarship, critical thinking and academic excellence to prepare

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