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**MVC FAMILY WEEKEND THIS WEEKEND**

**Marshall, Mo.** (September 16, 2009)—Missouri Valley College will welcome parents and family at its annual Family Weekend on Saturday, Sept. 19.

Festivities will kick off Saturday at 3 p.m. at the Family Weekend barbecue in the lot south of Gregg-Mitchell Field and west of the Burns Athletic Complex. The barbecue is free for MVC parents and students accompanied by a parent. MVC parents attending the barbecue will receive a free T-shirt (while supplies last) and football game ticket.

“This weekend should be a great time for our students’ parents and family members,” said Dean of Students Heath Morgan. “We are off to a great start this semester and I think it’s excellent for parents to experience this environment. We are very excited to welcome them to campus.”

Students, family, and friends can watch the #13 ranked Viking football squad take on the #3 ranked Lindenwood Lions in a crucial Heart of America Conference matchup at 6 p.m. at Gregg-Mitchell Field.

The MVC bookstore will be open from 1-3 p.m. Reserved tailgate spots are still available for \$25 by calling (660) 831-4034.

For more information regarding Family Weekend call Emily at (660) 831-4009 or email at [skellette@moval.edu](mailto:skellette@moval.edu). For more information about Marshall, Mo., visit [www.visitmarshallmo.com](http://www.visitmarshallmo.com).

**ABOUT MISSOURI VALLEY COLLEGE**

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 over 30 majors and 7 pre-professional programs, and 15 sports. The most popular majors include education and business, and the newest majors are nursing, graphic design, dance, and hospitality/tourism management, which will begin in Fall 2009. The liberal arts heritage focuses on scholarship, critical thinking and academic excellence to prepare students to become members of a responsible citizenry. For more information, call (660) 831-4000 or visit [www.moval.edu](http://www.moval.edu).

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