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### **MVC TO HOLD *ONE ACT PLAY FESTIVAL* APRIL 15-17**

**Marshall, Mo.** (April 14, 2010)—The Missouri Valley College fine arts division will hold a *One Act Play Festival* at 8 p.m. April 15-17 in the Morris Experimental Theatre (MET) in MacDonald on the MVC campus.

The *One Act Play Festival* features student-written and directed work. Three MVC students are participating in the festival. Each student-director chose the play he or she would direct out of a pool of student-written plays.

Katelynn Reuter, from Arrow Rock, Mo., will be directing “Carwash” by Louis Phillips. “Carwash” tells the story of what one man discovers when his Mercedes doesn’t emerge from behind the big bushes.

“I found this play funny and I liked the characters and the style of the play,” Reuter said. “I’ve faced several challenges while working on this play, but the hardest is having to use several understudies. I try to keep things fun and positive on set.”

Tyecorey Davison, from White Sands, N.M., will be directing “Where Have all the Lightning Bugs Gone?” by Louis E. Catron. Catron’s play follows the journey of a budding relationship between two shy strangers and their love of life.

“Pastoral” written by Peter Maloney and directed by Sarah Webb of Independence, Mo., tells the story of an urban couple who moves forward in their relationship after facing an epic battle with a rooster.

“This is a heartwarming play that many audience members will be able to relate to,” Webb said. “The main character lives day to day for the future, which is something I think many people can identify with.”

For more information on the *One Act Plays* contact Harold Hynick at (660) 831-4052 or [hynickh@moval.edu](mailto:hynickh@moval.edu).

#### **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. 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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