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USM to Hold 'Discovery Days' Open House for Prospective Students at Leavenworth Campus

Tuesday, Oct. 25, and Wednesday, Oct. 26

(Leavenworth, Kan.)—The University of Saint Mary main campus in Leavenworth will hold its fall “Discovery Days” next month, opening its doors to prospective students from 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 25, to noon on Wednesday, Oct. 26. The Leavenworth campus is located at 4100 South 4th Street.

Future students will get the chance to learn firsthand about USM and its ongoing dedication to academic excellence. Participants will get the chance to experience a slice of college life. They’ll have the option of spending the night in a USM dorm and eating in the dining hall. They’ll also be able to spend time with Saint Mary students, meet university professors, sit in on classes, enjoy a slate of social games and activities, and get free USM gear.

Registration is required. Call 1-800-752-7043 or visit www.stmary.edu for information or to register. Check-in begins at 4:30 p.m. in USM’s Maria Hall.

Prospective students will hear all about the benefits of Saint Mary such as free laptop computers for new students, new facilities like our apartment style residence hall, and USM’s growing athletic program, including the new cross country, track & field, and dance programs. USM has also recently implemented a First Year Experience program and an Office of Student Success designed to give students the tools to excel at Saint Mary and maximize their total college experience.

“Discovery Days are a great opportunity for students and families to see the many possibilities that a University of Saint Mary education can offer,” said USM Director of Enrollment Management Ken Wuerzberger.

Attendees will also be able to learn about the university’s scholarships, payment plans, and other financial aid options.

“We try to make a USM education affordable for every student,” said Annissa Epperson, USM’s director of financial aid. “In fact, 98 percent of all full-time students receive some form of financial aid, including scholarships.”

For military students, the university is a participant in the Yellow Ribbon Program, which supplements existing Post-9/11 GI Bill Benefits. Eligible students will attend USM tuition and fees-free. Visit www.stmary.edu/veterans for details.

The University of Saint Mary is a Catholic co-educational applied liberal arts university founded and sponsored by the Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth. The University of Saint Mary is located at 4100 South 4th Street, Leavenworth, Kan., with additional locations in Overland Park and Kansas City, Kan. Visit www.stmary.edu for more information.