



February/March 2005

Events

Mardi Gras holiday

February 7–9

(No classes scheduled;
offices closed February 8)

Swine Palace Productions

presents *The Exonerated*

February 18–March 6

LSU Museum of Art

opens at the

Shaw Center for the Arts

March 5

Spring Break

March 21–25

(No classes scheduled;
offices closed March 25)

LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

From the Desk of Interim Chancellor William L. Jenkins

What's new @ LSU

Forbes.com and the Princeton Review named LSU the third “most entrepreneurial” campus in the country, ranking the E. J. Ourso College of Business Administration behind the business programs at the Universities of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Notre Dame.

LSU's Center for Academic Success received the 2004 National College Learning Center Association's Frank L. Christ Outstanding Learning Center Award recognizing its work to foster future growth and development of students.

Tiger TV, LSU's student-operated television station, won three of five 2004 Dallas Press Club Katie Awards, which recognize excellence in journalism in the Southwest's five-state area. LSU brought home awards for Best Student News Story, Best Video Photography, and Best Editing.

The LSU Museum of Art will take its place among the nation's finest public university art museums when it moves to the Shaw Center for the Arts in downtown Baton Rouge later this month. One of its opening exhibitions—African Gold: Selections from the Glassell Collection, The Museum of Fine Arts, Houston—has been made possible through the generosity of Alfred C. Glassell, Jr., of Houston, a 1934 graduate of LSU.

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Dear Friend:

On December 17, following a six-month, nationwide search, NASA administrator Sean O'Keefe was named Louisiana State University's seventh chancellor.

When Chancellor O'Keefe takes office later this month, he will bring extensive experience at the national level and in academia. He has held government appointments under two Bush administrations, including positions with NASA, the Office of Management and Budget, the U.S. Navy, and the Department of Defense.

Prior to his government service, O'Keefe held an endowed chair at Syracuse University and was a professor of business administration and assistant to the senior vice president for research and dean of the graduate school at Pennsylvania State University. That expertise and his enthusiasm for the University's National Flagship Agenda are already focusing the national spotlight on LSU.

It has been my privilege to be your interim chancellor. I hold a special fondness for this campus and pledge my continued support of Chancellor O'Keefe and LSU as it takes its place in the top echelon of the nation's universities.

Sincerely,



William L. Jenkins
Interim Chancellor

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