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UM News Tips

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BACK TO SCHOOL TIPS: The following, listed chronologically, are a few of the campus events planned as the new academic year begins.

■ **TOTE THOSE BAGS** -- About 150 University of Montana administrators, faculty, staff and students will pitch in **Tuesday, Aug. 27**, to help new students move into their dorms and learn about campus. Some 1,000 students are expected to move into UM dorms Tuesday, and campus volunteers will greet the students and their families during Welcomefest '96 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Volunteers will direct parking-lot traffic, unload cars, tote bags to rooms and man information tables inside the dorms. Participating administrators include Dean of Students Barbara Hollmann, slated to work at Jesse Hall from 9 to 10 a.m., and Admissions and New Student Services Director Frank Matule, stationed in Craig Hall from noon until 2 p.m. For more information, call event organizer Karissa Reinke, 243-2251.

■ **DIVE-IN MOVIE** -- Returning students are in for some wet and scary Labor Day fun **Monday, Sept. 2**, when UM hosts a "Dive-in Movie" as part of the Week of Welcome. Students and their flotation devices will gather at the Grizzly Pool at 9 p.m. to watch "Jaws." For more information, call orientation coordinator Kyla Glass, 243-2322.

■ **MINGLING BY MOONLIGHT** -- The first day of fall classes -- **Tuesday, Sept. 3** -- will be capped off with the traditional Moonlight Mix and Mingle, a social gathering for campus and community in the grassy area between the library and the University Center. Scheduled from 6:30 to 11 p.m., the event will feature live music and other entertainment. For details, call Kyla Glass, 243-2322.

■ **BEAT THE VIP** -- UM students will challenge campus administrators at 8-ball and 9-ball during a "Beat the VIP" billiards tournament in the UC game room from noon until 4 p.m. **Thursday, Sept. 5**. Campus honchos who will demonstrate their pool-room prowess include President George Dennison, Dean of Students Barbara Hollmann, Financial Aid Director Mick Hanson, Alumni Association Director Bill Johnston and Associate Dean of Students Charles Couture. For more information call Steve Langley, game room supervisor, at 243-2733.

■ **MONKS' MANDALA** -- Tibetan monks will create an intricate sand mandala in the UC atrium **Friday, Sept. 6**. The sand painting by the Lamas of Sera Je Monastery will take all day to create; when it is completed, it will be destroyed to symbolize that the creations of man do not last. For details, call UM Productions, 243-6661.

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