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GREAT FALLS STUDENTS SELECTED AS UM ADVOCATES

MISSOULA --

Four students from Great Falls have been selected as Advocates at The University of Montana-Missoula.

Stephen Forrest, Heather Hooks, Veta Schlimgen and Linda Sullivan are among an 80-member group of professional student leaders who assist the University with a variety of volunteer activities such as UM Days, orientation, recruiting and registration. They represent the student body and the University to the general public and also serve as campus hosts for Homecoming, alumni relations and UM Foundation events.

The UM Advocate organization was one of the first student leadership groups founded in the United States and has been a forerunner in progressive student organizations at other colleges and universities across North America. In the mid-1970s UM Advocates started touring Montana and other states serving as ambassadors for UM.

Stephen Forrest is a freshman studying political science. The son of Jim and Cindy Kittredge, he is a 1996 graduate of Great Falls High School.

Heather Hooks is a sophomore studying psychology. She is the daughter of Gary and Gail Hooks and a 1995 graduate of C.M. Russell High School.

Veta Schlimgen is a senior studying history and French. She is the daughter of Jim and Kathy Schlimgen and a 1993 graduate of Great Falls High School.

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Linda Sullivan is a sophomore studying forensic anthropology. She is the daughter of John and Dottie Sullivan and a 1995 graduate of C.M. Russell High School.

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