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Montana journalists will participate in a newspaper photography workshop Saturday (May 2) at Montana State University in Missoula.

The one-day workshop, sponsored by the School of Journalism, will start at 10 a.m. and end at 4 p.m.

Basic photojournalism techniques will be reviewed and the role of news and feature photography in weekly and daily newspapers will be considered, according to Nathan B. Blumberg, journalism school dean.

The morning session will include slide lectures on developing film and making enlargements. Ron Richards, MSU photography teacher, also will discuss rights, responsibilities and restrictions of a news photographer.

A tour of the journalism school's darkroom facilities is planned at 1 p.m. The afternoon program will include such topics as lighting for the photojournalist, how to improve news and feature pictures, layout and a panel discussion of cameras. Montana journalists will be members of the panel.

High school and university students interested in journalism have been invited to attend the workshop. There will be no advanced registration required and no fee charged, according to Dean Rea, assistant professor of journalism, who is directing the workshop.

The workshop is scheduled the day prior to the eighth annual Dean Stone Night program, an event held in memory of the late A. L. Stone, founder and first dean of the journalism school.

The Dean Stone Night speaker will be Eugene Burdick, co-author of "Fail-Safe" and "The Ugly American."

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