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**JAPANESE STUDENTS TO LEARN AT TWU**

Thirty-three students and two professors from Mukogawa Women's University in Japan will spend two weeks, beginning Feb. 27, at TWU learning English and absorbing American culture as part of the Living America Program.

During their stay, the students will spend their mornings in class and their afternoons practicing English with tutors. The students also will visit churches, shop at Stonebriar Mall in Frisco and the Galleria in Dallas, visit the Kimbell Art Museum in Fort Worth and spend time with American families during their stay.

"The Living America Program at TWU has been popular with Japanese students for many years," said Dr. Hugh Burns, chair of the TWU Department of English, Speech and Foreign Languages. "It's always a pleasure to host them."

After leaving Denton the students will visit Disney World in Orlando, Fla., before returning home.

Mukogawa Women's University is located in Nishinomiya, Japan.

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## **TWU STUDENTS DANCE FOR CHILDREN'S HOSPITALS**

TWU students will take to the dance floor Friday, Feb. 27 to raise money for Children's Medical Center in Dallas and Cook Children's Medical Center in Fort Worth. The dance marathon will begin at noon in the Student Center.

Students participating in the event received pledges to stay on their feet for 12 hours. Games and other activities also are planned during the dance marathon to help students stay on their feet.

Money raised by the TWU students will help pay for high-tech radiology equipment at Children's Medical Center and an eight-bed cardiac intensive care unit at Cook Children's. The event is part of a Children's Miracle Network fundraiser.

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Hosting the event at TWU are the Helping Hands student organization, the TWU Campus Activities Board and Sigma Lambda Alpha sorority.

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## **NEWSBRIEFS**

**Information and news about activities, programs or TWU people may be sent to the office of marketing and communication through campus mail, by fax at 8-1-3463 or by e-mail to [info@twu.edu](mailto:info@twu.edu). The deadline to receive information is the first and third Tuesday of each month at 5 p.m. for the following publication. Student information for the "People" section is not published unless it is submitted by or in conjunction with a faculty member and that faculty member's related activities.**

Career Services will hold its **spring career day** Thursday, Feb. 26 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Hubbard Hall South. More than 40 companies will participate. A listing of participating employers can be found at [www.twu.edu/o-cs](http://www.twu.edu/o-cs). For information, call 8-1-2950.

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## **UPDATE ON TWU PEOPLE**

*Please submit "People" items (faculty and staff only) to the office of marketing and communication by campus mail or by e-mail to [info@twu.edu](mailto:info@twu.edu). Include first and last names (no initials, please) and*

*appropriate titles (ie. Dr.)*

Dr. **John W. Flohr** (music) was elected and took office as president of the Texas Music Educators Conference on Feb. 12 at the organization's state music conference. He is also co-chair/past president of the Texas Coalition for Music Education and presented a research paper titled "International Society for Technology in Education and the National Educational Technology Standards – What the Music Educator Needs to Know" at its conference.

Dr. **Bill Cissell** (health studies) presented "U.S./Mexico Border Initiatives In Education & Training of Providers of HIV/AIDS Care" during the AIDS Education and Training Center Directors Meeting in Washington, D.C., Feb. 4. Dr. Cissell has resumed the role of principal investigator of the Texas Statewide Coordinated Statement of Need Project. He had served as PI of the Texas Department of Health-funded project from July 1997 through August 2001.

**Jillian Collins** (COPE) is the recipient of the ASSET spring 2004 scholarship. She is working on her master of arts in teaching degree. ASSET (Association of Service and Support Employees of Texas Woman's University) established its scholarship program in 1989.

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## **THE NEXT TWO WEEKS AT TWU: Feb. 23-March 7, 2004**

Feb. 23-26

- Library open 8 a.m. to midnight; bookstore open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wellness Center open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Mon., Feb. 23

- Pioneer Gymnastics vs. LSU, Arizona, 7 p.m., home

Wed., Feb. 25

- Pioneer Softball vs. Oklahoma Panhandle State, 4 p.m., home

Thur., Feb. 26

- Pioneer Basketball vs. Texas A&M-Commerce, 6 p.m., away

Fri, Feb. 27

- Library open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.; bookstore open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wellness Center open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Sat., Feb. 28

- Library open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.; bookstore closed; Wellness Center open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Pioneer Gymnastics vs. Air Force, 7 p.m., home
- Pioneer Basketball vs. Texas A&M-Kingsville, 7 p.m., away

Sun., Feb. 29

- Library open 2 p.m. to midnight; bookstore closed; Wellness Center open 1-6 p.m.

March 1-4

- Library open 8 a.m. to midnight; bookstore open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wellness Center open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Fri., March 5

- Library open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.; bookstore open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wellness Center open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.
- Pioneer Gymnastics vs. Arkansas, Southeast Missouri, 7 p.m., away
- Pioneer Softball vs. St. Edward's, 1:30 p.m., away

Sat., March 6

- Library open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.; bookstore closed; Wellness Center open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
- Pioneer Softball vs. Midwestern State, 9 a.m., away

Sun., March 7

- Library open 2 p.m. to midnight; bookstore closed; Wellness Center open 1-6 p.m.
  - Pioneer Gymnastics vs. University of Oklahoma, 3:30 p.m., away
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