

## Geography Awareness Week November 17-21, 2008

- **Monday November 17, - 3:00 PM - TEMPLE 001** — Dr. Robert Pavlowsky (MSU) – **“The Environmental Legacy of the First US Gold Rush in 1799”**  
*Dr. Pavlowsky* is Director of the Ozarks Environmental and Water Research Institute (OEWRI) at Missouri State. His research has focused on water quality issues in the Ozarks and other areas.
- **Tuesday November 18, - 2:00 PM - Temple 345** — Dr. Rajinder Jutla (MSU)– **“A Visual Journey Through Southern Spain and Morocco”**  
**Dr. Jutla**, an expert in urban design, has recently returned from a trip to Spain and Africa and will share his thoughts on the cities he visited.
- **Wednesday November 19, - 12 Noon - Temple 345** — Mr. Ted Keller (KOLR-TV)— **“Severe Storms and the Tornado Chase”**  
*Ted Keller* is a meteorologist for KOLR-TV in Springfield and chases severe storms in his spare time. He will teach a field course on storm chasing in the summer intercession.
- **Thursday November 20, - 3:00 PM - Temple 143** — Mr. Steve Helterbrand (USGS)-- **“Geographic Information System (GIS)-Based Case-Control Study and Risk Model of Human Plague Cases in the Southwestern United States, 1963—2007”**  
*Mr. Helterbrand* works for the United States Geological Survey in Rolla, and has current research interests on the geographic distribution of plague and tularemia. He has worked in cooperation with the Centers for Disease Control on his research across the United States.
- **Friday November 21, - 3:00 PM - Temple 345** — Ms. Linnea Iantria (MSU) **“My Italy”**  
*Ms. Iantria* ran her own travel agency for 20 years and has traveled extensively in Italy as well as being an expert on Italian wines and vineyards.