

# Outside The Box

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## Backpacking Across Europe!

Are you sick of taking vacations to Branson or the Lake of the Ozarks? Do you long to see the streets of London, taste the delicacies of France or sun yourself on the beaches of Spain? Backpacking across Europe can be easier than you think; you just need to know who to talk to. Let our panel of experts give you their tips and tricks to getting across Europe including how to ride "The Rail", how to find inexpensive places to stay as well as what to expect.

**Our Panelist:** Gerry Buckley has been the owner of The Complete Traveler, a travel agency in downtown Overland Park, since 2003. Having spent years traveling and being a native of Ireland, Gerry has firsthand knowledge of and experience in traveling abroad. He has spent years helping plan vacations for students on any budget.

*You will also hear stories and tips from students who have backpacked across Europe themselves.*

*Class Fee: \$5 for members of the Community (includes a box lunch); Free to UMKC Students  
Sec. A: 1 session; Wednesday, November 14; 11:45 AM - 1:00 PM; University Center, Alumni Rm., 50th & Rockhill Rd., UMKC Campus, KCMO; LIMIT: 30*

## Your Contributions are Welcome! Dear Friend,

Community has an amazing history and an exciting story to tell:


- Classes that you won't find anywhere else
- The largest volunteer adult education program in the country
- 35 years in existence and class fees have not been increased for 6 years

Our real story is in the people and the effects that Community has had on their lives; The new interests explored, businesses established, college courses that were tested in the Community lab, and relationships created. We have created a real community of learning and sharing.

Our annual campaign kicked off in June with our 2nd annual Phone-a-thon. Our goal is to raise \$3000 dollars by December 2007 and we are already halfway there.

On behalf of the Advisory Board and the staff of Community, we wish you another wonderful semester and hope you're able to attend Community classes again and contribute to our campaign.

Sincerely,



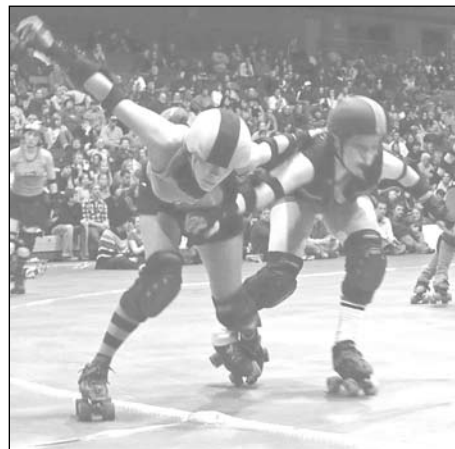
Rev. Scott Myers

# Features

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## The Evolution of Roller Derby

Roller derby is back and better than ever! Did you know Kansas City has an all-female roller derby league, currently ranked 5th in the nation out of over 100 leagues? Princess Anna Conda co-founded Kansas City Roller Worriers along with her friend Dirty Britches in early 2004.



P.A.C. served as co-director of the league for the first year. She skates with the Dreadnought Dorothy's. Dominant Jean has been skating with KCRW for 3 years, as well as the KC All-Star team, the Knockouts. She also served as co-director for a season and is head of the KCRW Outward Communications Committee. Both ladies are fierce authorities of their sport. Princess Anna Conda, Dominant Jean, and a few other tough ladies from the Kansas City Roller Warriors will school you in the ways of all-female, flat-track roller derby. This two-session class will cover the rules and history of the sport, the current state of flat-track derby, and will include an exclusive visit to a Roller Warriors scrimmage! Whether you're a rabid fan, potential skater, or just curious about this extreme new sport that's sweeping the nation, this class promises to be a blast. Please bring \$5 for materials to class. Location for second session will be announced during class.

*CONVENER: Mandy Durham & Michelle Arcand (816-810-7870 or (816-878-4167)*

*E-mail: communications@kcrollerwarriors.com  
Web site: www.kcrollerwarrior.com*

*CLASS FEE: \$14*

*Sec. A: 2 sessions; Tuesdays, beginning September 18; 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM; Royall Hall, Rm. 214, 52nd St. Between Rockhill and Holmes, UMKC Campus, KCMO; LIMIT: 50*

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## The Art of Hard-core Halloween Decorating

Admit it you love Halloween, you dress up for the Trick-or-Treaters, you comb every store in cool Halloween décor, and your friends think your obsession is a little weird. You, my friend, have the heart of a "home haunter" and this class is for you! Learn how to build (and animate) your own life-size Halloween props. Discover many resources for a great Halloween display that you didn't even know existed. Walk through a "yard haunt" that last year drew more than 400 neighbors to a single home!

*CONVENER: John January*

*CLASS FEE: \$9*

*Sec. A: 1 session; Wednesday, October 10; 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM; 633 W. 61st (in Brookside), KCMO; LIMIT: 20*

#6313 A, B, C or D

## Haunted Independence

This class will be held in a *REAL* haunted building on the Independence Square! A power point presentation will be given on real haunted locations in Independence, MO with Margie Kay, director of the QUEST Investigation Group. Margie will discuss how to see ghosts, and what equipment to use in ghost hunting. Please bring \$10 to class for materials.

*CONVENER: Margie Padgett (816-461-3665)*

*E-mail: margepadgett@comcast.net*

*CLASS FEE: \$9*

*Sec. A: 1 session; Friday, October 5; 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM; Victoria's Bridal and Costume, 230 W Maple Ave Independence, MO; LIMIT: 25*

*Sec. B: 1 session; Friday, October 12; 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM;*

*Sec. C: 1 session; Friday, October 19; 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM;*

*Sec. D: 1 session; Friday, October 26; 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM;*

*MEETS: The Fireplace Shoppe, 228 W Maple Ave Independence, MO 64050; LIMIT: 25*

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## Staging Your Home

I will teach both interior and exterior staging, which will protect the equity in the consumer's real estate. This class will involve photos of properties throughout the Kansas City area, and will show specific properties before and after staging, and why you want to stage your home before you sell it. There are two things that sell property. 1) Price, and 2) Staging. Rod has been a full-time real estate agent in Kansas City for the past 10 years.

*CONVENER: H. Rod Ruch (816-870-8020 or (816-471-2488) E-mail: rodruch@planetkc.com  
Web site: www.fluffnbuff.com*

*CLASS FEE: \$9*

*Sec. A: 1 session; Wednesday, October 10; 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM; University Center, Alumni Rm., 50th & Rockhill Rd., UMKC Campus, KCMO; LIMIT: 20*