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Athletics' concept that Dr. Dave Olson [former Dean of the School of Physical Education] espoused."

Dr. Kluge has had many fond memories during her years at PLU as the former women's basketball coach and as a professor of recreation, teaching methods, and other courses. As PLU's women's basketball coach she will never forget the time when the "whole team safely WALKED away from a head-on collision in a university van on a road trip through Oregon!"

Some less dramatic memo-

ries occurred in her classes. She showed much enthusiasm when one of her classes really understood and applied her ideas of recreation to the physical education classroom. Dr. Kluge also loved the chance to design some of her own classes and curriculum.

Designing a new curriculum will be exactly what Dr. Kluge will be doing at her new position in Colorado. There she will be creating and implementing a new major called "Sports Health and Wellness Promotions".

While Dr. Kluge will miss the

people here at PLU she is very excited about her new opportunity. She desires "to be dedicated to investigating the question why, when we as a culture know so much about the benefits of a physically active lifestyle, the majority of the population continues to be sedentary. I want to help them enjoy physical activity and /or 'get their bodies back!'"

On behalf of the students, we would like to thank you, Dr. Kluge, for all of your impact on our lives as we enter into our own careers in related fields of physical activity. We'll miss you and good luck!

## Look What Our Professors Are Up To!!!

### Publications:

Tannehill, D. (2001). Teaching for learning: Using the NASPE content standards. *Journal of Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance*.

Knop, N., Tannehill, D., & O'Sullivan, M. (2001). Making a Difference for Urban Youth. *Journal of Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance*.

### Upcoming Events:

\* March 15 & 16th Health and Fitness student teachers and Dr. Tannehill will be attending the Northwest K-8 Physical Education Conference in Portland, OR.

\* April 1 & 2 Dr. Tannehill will be attending the American Educational Research Association annual convention in New Orleans, LA and presenting a discussion focused on publishing in the *Journal of Teaching in Physical Education*.

### Other:

\* Dr. McConnell just finished a three month term as editor of the *Women in Sport and Physical Activity Journal* and has been asked to continue serving as the Assistant Editor.

\* Dr. Hacker has been in Portugal working with the Women's National soccer team.

\* Dr. McConnell recently completed two days of training in team building and group work at Project Adventure in Malibu, CA.

"Good luck to all. My heart will always hold a special place in it for Pacific Lutheran University!"

- Dr. Mary Ann Kluge

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**HAVE A FUN AND SAFE SPRING BREAK!**

