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CONCORDIA CAFÉ INFORMATIONAL MEETING SET FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30

Come and learn more about completing a bachelor's degree in eighteen months or how to attain a master's degree without ever leaving Burnsville at special information session held by Concordia University, St. Paul called Concordia Café. The session will be held Thursday, October 30 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Diamondhead Education Center, 308 W. Burnsville Parkway in the Heart of the City.

The Concordia Café is designed to answer questions in a relaxed format regarding degrees and programs offered in Burnsville through Concordia University, St. Paul. Meet Concordia faculty and staff while enjoying coffee and treats. To learn more about the evening and to register go www.csp.edu/burnsville or call the Concordia admission staff at 651-641-8888.

Concordia is a founding member of the Burnsville Higher Education Partnership, a collaboration between Concordia, the City of Burnsville and Burnsville-Eagan-Savage School District 191. Classes and degree programs will start in early 2009 and will operate from the Diamondhead Education Center, as announced at an October 7 Press Conference.

Concordia's Burnsville programs will function with a cohort model, where students take classes together with the same group of students. A typical cohort includes 10 -20 students and the model results in over 94% of students in the accelerated Bachelor's program completing their degrees in the eighteen month timeframe.

Concordia University, St. Paul is a comprehensive, private university of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod and one of 10 schools that comprise the Concordia University System. Established in 1893, Concordia offers more than 40 liberal arts majors, including business administration, education, fine arts, science and church professions. Concordia is a regional leader in accelerated undergraduate and graduate programs in business, education, criminal justice and Christian outreach. Concordia is the only private university in Minnesota to offer NCAA Division II athletics for men and women. On the web: www.csp.edu/burnsville.

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