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Wright College *SeaStars*
Perform for International Olympics Committee

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS that on April 5 2009, Wilbur Wright College's Youth and Adult Synchronized Swimming Club the *SeaStars* performed for the International Olympic Committee visiting Chicago as part of the selection of the site for the 2016 Olympic Games. The performance took place in the remodeled Oceanarium of the John G. Shedd Aquarium.

that the *SeaStars* carry out the tradition of Wright's first synchronized swimmers when the club sport was first started at Wright College in 1937. Today, Synchronized Swimming is an Olympic swimming event, thus making Wright College and the City of Chicago the birth place of this Olympic sport.

that the following Wright College students participated in the special performance: Amy Goodwin, Vera Iwankiw, Liz Kegg, Lisa Merlin, Marci Mies, Agnes Otap, and Tess Synder. The *SeaStars* and are under the direction of Ms. Cathy V. Goodwin assisted by Ms. Karen Poulsen of Wright's Continuing Education and Center for Lifelong Learning. Sound support for this performance was provided by Jamie Goodwin.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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