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**Service Learning project showcased at PRCA**

*Summary:*

(April 5, 2005)-Welcome to a night of art, readings and local food. See the results of Service Learning projects by students at the University of Minnesota, Morris during a reception at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 21, at the Prairie Renaissance Cultural Alliance, 630 Atlantic Avenue in Morris.

Students in Therese Buchmiller's photography class and Jennifer Rothchild's sociology class, both at UMM, interviewed and took photos of local farmers in order to learn about the importance of local, sustainable agriculture. Photos and writings will be on display along with artist profiles written by sociology students who interviewed local artists.

Service Learning is a classroom experience that utilizes community service, community based research or other civic engagement activities to meet course goals and community needs.

For more information contact Argie Manolis, Service Learning coordinator at 589-6257 or by e-mail at [manolis@morris.umn.edu](mailto:manolis@morris.umn.edu).

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