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TODAY	TOMORROW	SUNDAY
12:00 Service Awards/Retiree Luncheon 6:00 Spaghetti Dinner 7:00 MFA Thesis Exhibition · Track and Field · 4th Annual Dump-N-Run Move Out & Clean Up!	· 4th Annual Dump-N-Run Move Out & Clean Up! · Equine Extravaganza	· 4th Annual Dump-N-Run Move Out & Clean Up!

Federal Loan Program Changes: Direct Loans Replace Stafford Loans

Historically, Alfred University has participated in the Federal Family Education Loan (FFELP) programs: Stafford Loan (subsidized and unsubsidized), Parent PLUS Loan, and Graduate PLUS Loan. FFELP loans were certified by Alfred University with a private lender and the funds were obtained and disbursed through the private lender.

With the passage of the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010, the Federal Family Education Loan program will cease to exist as of July 1, 2010. All colleges and universities participating in the FFELP program must transition to the Federal Direct Loan Program. All students who previously borrowed a Federal Stafford Loan will now have a Direct Loan as part of their 2010-11 financial aid package. The terms and provisions of the Direct Loan are identical to the Stafford Loan. The only difference is the source of funding. Direct Loan funding originates with the U.S. Treasury.

As part of this transition, students who wish to borrow a Direct Loan for the 2010-11 academic year, must complete a Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note. The Web site for students to complete a Federal Direct Loan Master Promissory Note is: www.studentloans.gov. Please note: This Web site does not currently support Internet Explorer v. 8. We recommend that you use either Internet Explorer v. 7 or Mozilla Firefox.

Students must have their FAFSA PIN number in order to enter the Website. Once you have entered the Web site, you will complete and electronically sign the promissory note and Alfred University will be notified that you have done so.

It is important for all students who wish to borrow the Direct Loan to take care of this process as soon as possible to help make the transition as smooth as possible. The Financial Aid Office is available to answer any questions students may have regarding this new process. Please feel free to contact us at 607.871.2159 and we will be happy to assist you.

A direct mailing will be sent to each student who will require a Direct Loan promissory note over the next few weeks. (Information for the Direct PLUS Loan will be sent to parents and graduate students under separate cover).

Submitted by: Kathy Harkenrider

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Students - Don't Close Bank Account If You Have Direct Deposit!

If you are working through the end of the semester, remember that your final two paychecks will be paid on 5/14 and 5/28. If you have direct deposit, please leave your bank account open to allow these final checks to clear.

If you do plan on closing your account before returning home, you must terminate your Direct Deposit by completing a form available in the Payroll Office located in Greene Hall.

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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Senior Shows Open at 4 p.m. Saturday

Candidates for the Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from the School of Art & Design will open their senior shows Saturday, with opening receptions from 4-7 p.m.

Locations will include Harder Hall, Binns-Merrill Hall, Davis Gym and the Cohen Studios. Maps showing the location of each student's work will be available for visitors.

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Work By Sondra Perry: Video Screening

Come to Nevins Theatre after senior shows at 8 p.m. Saturday to view a screening of video work by graduating senior Sondra Perry.

Refreshments will be served after the screening.

Thanks and hope to see you there!

Link: <http://www.workbysondraperry.com>

Attachment: **Screening Poster**

Submitted by: Sondra Perry

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Empire 8 Conference Softball Championship Tournament

Alfred University will play host to the Empire 8 Conference Softball Championship Tournament this weekend, Friday and Saturday, May 7 and 8, at Alfred State College.

Link: [Empire 8 Softball Championship Schedule](#)

Submitted by: Mark Whitehouse

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Mailroom Closing

The Mailroom will be closed Friday May 7, 2010 from noon-2 p.m. due to the luncheon at Ade Hall.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Offices Closing - Business, Procurement

The Alfred University Business Office and Office and Procurement Services will be closed on Friday May 7, 2010 from Noon until 2 p.m. for an award luncheon.

Submitted by: Andrea Rudenauer

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AU Bookstore to Offer Textbook Rentals This Fall!

Students! You can rent your textbooks at the AU BOOKSTORE! New and coming this Fall 2010 rent your textbooks. Information will be available this summer as to what titles can be rented. You will have 3 options online at alfred.bncollege.com to buy new, buy used, or RENT this textbook.

Look for details over the summer!

Link: alfred.bncollege.com

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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4th ANNUAL Dump-N-Run Move Out & Clean Up!

Moving out & have stuff you want to throw out? Dump it into the D-N-R boxes posted in all residence hall areas. Items will be sold at our annual yard sale with a portion of the proceeds going to local charities. (See attachment for items accepted). Sponsored by Staff Council, AU PRIDE & Green Alfred - KEEP AU CLEAN!

Attachment: [Dump-N-Run_Poster2.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Susan Gorman

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Televisions for Sale

The Saxon Inn has several 25-inch televisions for sale. The televisions are \$40 each and are being sold "as is" with no warranty. If you are interested, please contact Saxon Inn via e-mail or call 607.871.2600.

Submitted by: Saxon Inn

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Senior Gift & T-shirts Now at the Bookstore!

All \$20.10 Pledges for the SENIOR CLASS GIFT will NOW BE TAKEN EVERY DAY AT THE BOOKSTORE! We have a goal of 100 percent participation. (Cash, check, charge, or security deposit). Make sure to pick up your t-shirt to sport during Senior Week!

Attachment: [2010_Senior_Gift_Brochure1.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Susan Gorman

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Senior Week Events - Monday, 5/10-Saturday, 5/15

Seniors, get ready for an exciting week of events just for you all next week!

- *Monday - Comedian Rob Paravonian-Knight Club (bring valid driver's license/ID)-SAB
- *Wednesday - Senior Trip: 3 Brothers & Seneca Lake Boat Tour (bring valid driver's license)-Senior Initiative/ University Relations
- *Thursday - Class BBQ-Brick Lawn-Student Affairs
- *Friday - Dinner/Reception for Seniors & Parents- DE-Board of Trustees
- *Saturday - Graduation-McLane

All Events are Hosted by AU PRIDE Senior Initiative

Attachment: [Senior_Week_Events_poster.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Susan Gorman

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Trustee Roger Worboys dies after brief illness

We regret to inform you of the death of Alfred University Trustee Roger Worboys on May 1, 2010. He

died at his home in Durham, NH, after a brief illness. Mr. Worboys, a member of Alfred University's Class of 1969, was 62.

Mr. Worboys had served as a member of the Alumni Council, prior to becoming an alumni-elected trustee in 2007. As a trustee, he was a member of the Audit, Finance and University Relations committees, and was vice chair of the Enrollment Management Committee.

"With Mr. Worboys' death, we have lost a valued and generous supporter of Alfred University," said Stanley Colla, vice president for University Relations.

Mr. Worboys is survived by his wife Mary Lee Worboys, his children and their spouses, as well as a sister and brother.

A Mass of Christian burial is being celebrated at 11 am Friday, May 7, at the Parish of the Assumption, St. Mary Church, in Dover, NH.

Condolences may be sent to Mary Lee Worboys, 591 Bay Road, Durham, NH 03824. Memorial contributions in Roger's name may be made to Cross Roads House, 600 Lafayette Road, Portsmouth, NH 03801 or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Link: [Complete obituary for Roger Worboys](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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New Job/Internship Search Resource for AU Students and Alums

The Career Development Center is pleased to offer a new job/internship resource - CareerShift

CareerShift's set of tools and applications provide a very unique opportunity to job and internship hunters. CareerShift provides an easy-to-use approach to crack the "hidden job market" and for managing the job/internship hunt all in one place.

1. Go to CareerShift (see below for link)
2. Click sign up.
3. Fill out required information using your Alfred.edu e-mail address.
4. Select a security question and answer.
5. Answer the human verifier question.
6. Check user agreement.
7. Click Next.
8. You will be brought to your CareerShift account.

Questions can be directed to admin@careershift.com or call Toll free 888.232.0632.

Link: [CareerShift Job/Intenship Search Tool](#)

Attachment: [CareerShift_student_intro.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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Summer Jobs - Community Service Positions

The Financial Aid Office is now accepting applications for Summer Federal College Work Study positions. To be eligible to apply you must meet the following criteria:

- Matriculated Student at Alfred University
- Expected to enroll for the 2010-11 academic year
- Filed a Free Application for Federal Student Aid for 2010-11

The positions will primarily be community service off-campus jobs within the Alfred/Almond area. If you are interested in applying you must contact Mrs. Crandall at the Office of Student Financial Aid, located in Alumni Hall. Telephone number is 607-871-2159.

AVAILABLE POSITIONS:

- Town of Alfred - Community Improvement and Codes Office/Street departments
- Sports Camp (month of July) - Swim instructors, lifeguards, and Arts and Crafts
- Alfred Montessori - Daycare
- Town of Almond - Community Improvement and General Maintenance
- Box of Books - Library Clerk for Summer Reading Program

Submitted by: Elena Wallace

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Summer School 2010/Financial Aid

If you plan to take summer classes at AU and are a current financial aid recipient, we are providing you the following information to help you determine if you may have financial aid eligibility applicable to summer enrollment.

Attachment: [Fin Aid / Summer School 2010](#)

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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TIAA-CREF Representative on Campus

You're invited! Jason Sciotti, Individual TIAA-CREF Consultant, will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Thursday, May 27 and Wednesday, June 23 in the Human Resources Conference Room in Greene Hall. Let him help you make financial decisions that are right for you.

To schedule an appointment with Jason, Non-Statutory employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.877.209.3144 and Statutory employees should call 1.800.732.8353; remain on the line for assistance.

If you need assistance with scheduling, please call the Human Resources Office at 607.871.2118.

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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Alfred State Wellsville Campus/Sinclair Site Remediation Project

On Tuesday, May 11 at 7 p.m. a representative from British Petroleum will update and explain the status of the old refinery remediation project moving into its final phase on the Wellsville Campus of Alfred State College. Project Manager, Eric Larson will present a brief video and discuss construction plans that will finalize the treatment of groundwater flowing under the campus property.

Constructed wetlands are already online and functional, transportation systems in place, so the collection and containment of the water are the last construction aspects to the treatment project.

Once the engineering is in place, a significant section of the riverbed in Island Park that has been exposed to contaminants will be removed and replaced.

The presentation will be given in the Council Room of the Culinary Arts building on the Wellsville campus. Representatives from the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency will be in attendance. Sponsoring this event are the Upper Genesee River Chapter of Trout Unlimited and British Petroleum.

If you have questions or need further details, please contact Brent Kelley at 607.587.3170.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Classic Movie Matinee: 'My Darling Clementine' (1946)

Tuesday, May 11 at 2 p.m.

Nancy Howe Auditorium at the David A. Howe Public Library, 155 N. Main St., Wellsville

Exquisitely photographed 1946 Western about Wyatt Earp and Doc Holliday leading to the gunfight at O.K. Corral is one of Director John Ford's finest films. Henry Fonda, Victor Mature, Linda Darnell, and Walter Brennan are among the stars in this classic movie.

This library-sponsored movie is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Family Program: The Wondermakers Story Theatre

Saturday, May 15 at 10:30 a.m.

Nancy Howe Auditorium at the David A. Howe Public Library, 155 N. Main St., Wellsville

Join us for an interactive story theater show for children 3 to 10 years old and their families. The stories are from Kenya, England, and Puerto Rico and they are oceans of fun! Children from the audience will be selected to come on stage and join the Wondermakers in acting out the stories.

The Wondermakers, now in their 25th season, perform throughout the United States in a variety of venues including schools, libraries, festivals, and museums.

This library-sponsored program is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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