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TODAY	TOMORROW	SUNDAY
6:00 1/6/12 - WBB/MBB HOME vs. Stevens - 6 & 8pm	2:00 1/7/12 - WBB/MBB HOME vs. Hartwick - 2 & 4pm · 1/7/12 - Indoor Track @ Roxbury, MA. meet - TBA	

Needed: Spirit of Service Award Nominations

The Spirit of Service Award recognizes students, faculty, and staff at Alfred University and Alfred State College who demonstrate a strong commitment to serving others.

The award is intended to honor those who are actively living the principles that Martin Luther King, Jr. stood for, including: equality, social justice, community, and service.

Awards will be presented at the conclusion of Dream Week 2012.

Nominations should be sent to servicelearning@alfred.edu by Thursday, Jan. 19.

Attachment: [Nomination Form](#)

Submitted by: Jessica Jennings

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Congratulations to December Graduating Students!

Please take a minute to fill out the Career Development Center's graduate survey found at the link below. Whether you have your plans settled or not (e.g., employment or graduate school), we'd like to hear about it.

The information is not reported in a personally identifiable way. If you have questions about the survey or need career assistance of any kind, please contact us at 871.2164 or cdc@alfred.edu

Link: <http://www.alfred.edu/cdc/forms/gradsurvey/>

Submitted by: Susan Meacham

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Discounted rates at Swain for AU faculty, staff and students

Swain is extending discounted rates for Alfred University Faculty, Staff and their families plus AU Students. University employees and their families and AU students may ski at Swain Resort any day after 3 pm at reduced rates. New packages added this year include an 8 pack for tubing or skiing.

In order to participate in the program please register with Judith Green. Special incentive rates are available through Dec 9th. Discounted rates available through the ski season.

Questions may be addressed to Judith Green at jgreen@alfred.edu or 607.871.2966

Attachment: [Swain Ski Resort announcement](#)

Attachment: [Details of Twilight Ski rates](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Call for Papers

On behalf of the Conference Organizing Committee, I would like to inform you of the:

TWELFTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON KNOWLEDGE, CULTURE, AND CHANGE MANAGEMENT

University Center

Chicago, Illinois, USA

6-8 July, 2012

<http://www.ManagementConf...>

We are pleased to announce the Call for Papers for the Twelfth International Conference on Knowledge, Culture, and Change Management. The Management Conference and its companion journal are devoted to those intangible drivers which determine not only the livability of organizations for insiders, and their credibility and attraction to outsiders; but also their tangible results in the form of efficiency, effectiveness and productivity.

Visit our website for more information about the conference, our submission process and this year's themes, to sign up for our monthly e-newsletter, and to become an active member of our community. It is all available at: <http://www.ManagementConf...>

The deadline for the next round in the call for papers (a title and short abstract) is 19 January 2012. Future deadlines will be announced on the conference Web site after this date.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Blackboard Upgrade in January

Prior to the beginning of Spring classes, AU will be upgrading to Blackboard 9.1. This upgrade will bring a few new tools such as wikis and the improvement of some existing features, such as the grade center. However, this is not a major upgrade and the user experience should remain the same.

Training for faculty and staff will be available throughout Spring semester. Trainings will be announced in Alfred Today and will also be available by appointment.

If you have any questions, please contact Meghanne Freivald at 607.871.2363 or via e-mail.

For more information and detailed instructions, please visit the Blackboard Support Documents Web page.

Link: [Blackboard Support Documents](#)

Submitted by: Meghanne Freivald

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Ski Trip to Swain - Saturday, Jan. 21!

For just \$20 you can enjoy skiing at SWAIN SKI MOUNTAIN Saturday evening, Jan. 21! The fee includes the bus ride to and from Alfred and your lift pass (ski rental \$15 extra). Bus leaves Alfred at 4 p.m. and returns at 10 p.m.

Sign up now at: <http://my.alfred.edu/>.

Registration limited to 30 people and will close Wednesday, Jan. 18 - so don't wait!

Another W.I.L.D. Alfred Event!

Attachment: [swain_20123.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Jennifer Enke

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