

Four bands featured 'This Week at Alfred University'

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Four bands - The Juliana Theory, Days Away, The Goodwill and Lovedrug - will perform at 9 pm Saturday, Sept. 3, in Davis Gym on the Alfred University campus. Sponsored by Alfred University Student Activities, the "Deadbeat Sweetheart Tour" is open to the public, free of charge. The tour promotes The Juliana Theory's new album, Deadbeat Sweetheartbeat, which will be released Sept. 13. "We've been rotating the same 20-25 songs in our live show for the past three years," vocalist Brett Detar told Pollster Magazine. "On this tour, we're going to break out some songs from the new album for the first time. We are excited to leave some of these cats out of the bag." The new album is a follow-up to The Juliana Theory's 2003 Sony release, Love. Also planned for the coming weekend are: Showings of the movie, Crash, at 8 and 11 pm Friday and 2 pm Saturday in Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center. The movie is open to the public; cost is \$2 for AU students, \$3 per person for the general public. Jazz musician Abby Payne, playing at the Terra Cotta Coffeehouse on Main Street in Alfred at 9 pm Friday. Her appearance is part of AU's Coffeehouse Series, which is open to the public, free of charge. The second annual Alfred University Dodgeball Championship at 8 pm Friday in McLane Center. Alfred's M.U.S.T. (Most Unusual Sports Tournaments) returns with its premiere event. Thirty-two teams will dodge, duck and dive their way through a single-elimination tournament to determine the M.U.S.T. champions of dodgeball. Registration is \$5 per team. Spectators are welcome, free of charge. Next up for M.U.S.T. will be the ultimate Hobby Horse Polo Games being planned for Oct. 22 at Alfred University's new equestrian center on Lake Road.