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TODAY	TOMORROW	WEDNESDAY
1:00 J.V. Football Game	4:00 Womens Tennis Match	8:30 Extended Walk-in Hours and Free Resume Paper
Contemporary Issues in Organic Agricultural Policy	4:30 Womens Soccer Game	12:30 Religious institute
6:00 Law School Night	Visting Artist Sandow Birk: Public Lecture	4:00 Womens Tennis Match
· Last Day to apply for Study Abroad, Spring		8:00 'American Doll'

**Information & Workshop for Education Students**

There will be two information sessions for Early Childhood/Childhood majors who plan to register for EDUC375 (EC/C Practicum) in the Spring 2008 semester.

Times and dates for those information sessions are:  
 Wednesday, Oct. 17 @ 12:15 p.m. in Myers Hall, room 340 &  
 Thursday, Oct. 18 @ 2 p.m. in Myers Hall, room 336.  
 Please plan to attend ONE of these sessions.

There will be two information sessions for Education majors and minors who plan to register for EDUC461 (Student Teaching) in the Spring 2008 semester.

Times and dates for those sessions are:  
 Monday, Oct. 22 @ 5 p.m. in Myers Hall, room 336 &  
 Tuesday, Oct. 23 @ 7 p.m. in Myers Hall, room 336.  
 Please plan to attend ONE of these sessions.

A CHILD ABUSE IDENTIFICATION & REPORTING WORKSHOP will be offered on Monday, Oct. 22 @ 6 p.m. in Myers Hall, room 334. Please note that the NYS Education Dept. requires ALL Education majors and minors to attend this workshop. If you have taken this workshop before, you do not have to take it again.

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### **Alfred Fashion Runway to Tie the Knot**

Alfred University has announced plans for its second annual 'Alfred Runway' program, which challenges students to create fashion designs and attire. The event will be held at 8 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 27 in the Miller Performing Arts Center.

This year's theme is entitled "Fashion Ties The Knot" and will ask fashion teams to design wedding attire for two models. The official challenge reads; "In a time where the definition of marriage faces great debate, Alfred University students are invited to share their viewpoint through fashion.

Teams will design and construct wedding attire for two models that could explore other cultures, visit the past, imagine the future, embrace tradition, or confront the establishment. Each team is asked to create both a visual and verbal statement in a setting where all viewpoints will be welcomed and respected."

Teams of no more than five people (including models) will design, construct, and model attire for two individuals in an attempt to expand upon the stated challenge. Teams must consist of a majority of Alfred University students but can contain up to two University professionals, community members or Alfred State College students.

Fashion attire must be constructed rather than purchased and judges will be instructed to score more favorably upon attire that is original.

Models will be expected to participate in two runway walks. The first entitled "Down the Aisle" will portray a wedding procession of the design team's imagining. The second scene entitled "The Reception" tests the fashion's ability to dance at a post-wedding celebration. The fashion team will select music and choreograph both walks. A question and answer segment will allow fashion teams to explain their vision.

Guest judges are currently being sought and will be announced in the coming month. Last year's inaugural event included a visit by Project Runway winner Jay McCarroll and over 10 teams competing for the title of Alfred Runway winner.

Kevin Jacobs, Alfred University career counselor, will be registering teams starting October 1st and the deadline for registering is October 15th. Jacobs can be contacted for more information and official rules at [jacobsj@alfred.edu](mailto:jacobsj@alfred.edu) and 607-871-2164.

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### **Disasters: Recipes and Remedies**

Disasters: Recipes and Remedies  
A Social Research conference at The New School

Thursday and Friday, Nov. 1 and 2, 2007  
The New School  
Tishman Auditorium  
66 West 12th Street, NYC

Everyday brings fresh news of another disaster that threatens our lives, our homes and our communities. Please join us as leading experts discuss the conditions that amplify or reduce the affects of disasters, who is most affected by them and why, and what can be done to lessen the likelihood and the magnitude of disasters in the future. Nicolas Scoppetta, New York City Fire Commissioner, will give the keynote address.

Conference Tickets:  
\$50 (\$12 for a single session)

Full-time Students: \$15 (\$5 for a single session)  
New School Alumni: \$15 (\$5 for a single session)  
Full-time New School Students: Free  
ACLU members: \$35 (\$8 for a single session)

Social Research Conference Office  
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This conference is supported by Eugene Lang College The New School for Liberal Arts, The School for Social Research, The New School Office of the Provost, and Parsons The New School for Design and is cosponsored by the ACLU.  
For more information, and to register, go to:  
<http://www.socres.org/dis...>

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### Bergren Forum

The Bergren Forum sponsored by the Division of Human Studies will be meeting on Thursday, Oct 4 at 12:10 p.m. in the Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center.

Speaker: The Swindle Sisters  
Topic: "This is the Life.....again"

Before they were the academic geeks you know, they were rock stars. A microbiological bass player and a pre-indeterminate hi-resolution songwriter (thinking about becoming low-resolution) attempt live original music.

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### Dr. Clare is getting stronger

Dr. Clare continues to gain strength. She is no longer wearing a cervical collar. She is doing better at holding her head up on her own. She is able to assist the staff when they move her and her upper body strength continues to improve. She gripped Blake's finger with modest strength in her left hand on Wednesday.

However we still need to remember that as the poet Robert Frost (1874-1963 ) once wrote there are "many miles to go before I (she) sleeps."

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### Free Equipment

Modern Languages has the following items that are free for the taking:  
VCR with remote  
very tall overhead cart  
2 large bulletin boards (to be mounted on a wall -- large with double glass doors that lock)  
sony double tape deck/radio

These items may be inspected or hauled away M-F from 8:30-12:00  
Questions? call Cathy Engle 2181 or stop by Perlman 213

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## Relay for Life Info & Planning Meeting

Relay for Life 2008 planning is about to begin! It doesn't matter if you've never participated in a Relay before or done 1,000, everyone is welcome to come find out more about how they can be involved.

Don't miss out on this opportunity to do something meaningful AND have a lot of fun doing it. (Relay for Life is an event sponsored by the American Cancer Society to raise money for cancer research and cancer victims.)

The meeting will be:  
Monday, Oct. 1 at 7 p.m.  
in the Multi-Cultural Suite (1st Floor Powell)

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## Carol Burdick - Womens Studies Roundtable

The next Women's Studies Roundtable will be on Friday, Oct. 5, from 12:20-1:10 p.m. in the Knight Club. Carol Burdick, Adjunct Emeritus Assistant Professor of English, will be presenting on "Women Who Dared." For more details, come to the roundtable! The Women's Studies Roundtables are free and open to the public.

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## Work Empire 8 Volleyball Tournament!! (Oct 19-21)

It is Friday, October 19th thru Sunday, October 21st

What jobs might you have?: Scoreboard, Scorekeeping and Libero Tracking (both jobs require training!) and Lines Judges.

Anyone is welcome, you don't need work study. The whole weekend of games is going to be about 25 hours.

The Athletics Department needs your help.

What do you need to do to help us out?: e-mail Catherine Rieck at [ccr1@alfred.edu](mailto:ccr1@alfred.edu); call (x2892), or see Jerry Kernan in his office on the first floor of McLane

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## Join us in the Ridge Walk!

The Forest People (AU's outdoor club) will be participating in the Wellsville Ridge Walk on Sunday, Oct. 21 as a group. We will be providing transportation and paying for the group's entry fees. To join us come to our club meeting on Tuesday night, 9:15 p.m. in the Kenyon Allen Room, or e-mail the club. Link: <http://people.alfred.edu/~forest/>

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## Volunteer for the Ridgewalk in Wellsville, NY

If you love to be outdoors but are not interested in hiking or running in any Ridgewalk events, consider volunteering for the Tracking Committee. It's our job to keep track of the hikers to make sure that everyone who enters the woods leaves the woods.

For more information, contact Kathy Woughter at x2132 or [woughter@alfred.edu](mailto:woughter@alfred.edu). The Ridgewalk is

Sunday, Oct. 21.

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### Want to go camping during Fall Break?! (for free!)

The Forest People (AU's outdoor club) is currently planning our fall break trip. Options that are being considered include rock climbing, backpacking and canoeing. Most expenses are paid for. To see what its all about come to our club meeting on Tuesday night 9:15 p.m. in the Kenyon Allen Room.

Link: <http://people.alfred.edu/~forest/>

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### Ag & Markets Specialist Talk Open to Public

NYS Department of Agriculture and Markets Organic Agriculture Specialist Sarah Johnston will talk about contemporary issues in organic agricultural policy at 1 p.m., Monday, Oct. 1, in Room 119, EJ Brown Hall, Alfred State College. All are invited.

Johnston formerly served as the executive director of the Northeast Organic Farming Association of New York, Inc.; as the environmental policy assistant for NYS Attorney General Roert Abrams; and as the environmental director for the Hudson River Sloop Clearwater.

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