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"Blame It On The Zionists"

Event Date: 11/02/2006

Event Time: 12:10 PM

Location: Nevins PCC

A talk about conspiracy theories, propaganda, and Israel's role in the mideast.

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CSA general meeting

Event Date: 11/02/2006

Event Time: 6 p.m.

Location: Multicultural Suite

COME JOIN US FOR OUR GENERAL MEETING THIS WEEK! WE WILL BE DISCUSSING ALCOHOL USE IN ALFRED AND THE CARIBBEAN. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

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Political Science Club meeting

Event Date: 11/02/2006

Event Time: 6:30 p.m.

Location: Olin 309

The Political Science Club will meet this Thursday (Nov. 2) evening to talk politics and to plan our election night party to be held in Nevins Theater on Nov. 7. All are welcome to join us.

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Psychology Club meeting

Event Date: 11/2/2006

Event Time: 7:30 p.m.

Location: Science Center 421

The Psychology Club is getting off its feet again. Meetings are open to anyone that wants to come. NEW MEMBERS ARE WELCOME!

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Banner INB and BannerWeb unavailable

Banner INB and BannerWeb will be unavailable Thursday night from 7:30-10:30 p.m. for system maintenance.

We apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause.

Denise J Kirschner
ITS - Admin. Services Manager

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Laser tag at Late Night at McLane

Event Date: 11/03/2006

Event Time: 10 p.m. -2 a.m.

Location: McLane Gym

Come join PBL at Late Night at McLane this week to play Laser Tag!

Prizes will be given, so form a group or just come down for a fun filled night!

Pizza will also be served!

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Art seniors: Have your work published

Event Date: 10/03/2006

Event Time: 4 p.m.

Location: Holmes, Harder Hall

Attention all art seniors:

Want your work published? AIGA is putting together a book with your work in it. This is an excellent opportunity and a great learning experience that you should be a part of.

We are having an informational meeting this Friday, Nov. 3, at 4 p.m. in Holmes Auditorium.

Questions or Comments, contact AIGA@alfred.edu

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ISSO meeting

Event Date: 11/3/2006
Event Time: 6 p.m.
Location: Alumni Lounge

Our regular Friday meeting! Both international and local students are welcome to join us.

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Film: 'Invisible Children' (free showing)

Event Date: 11/03/2006
Event Time: 7:30 p.m.
Location: Kenyon/Allen Rooms, Powell Campus Center

In the spring of 2003, three young California guys went to Africa, looking for a story to document on film. They found a tragedy: a group of rebel soldiers in Northern Uganda has been, for years, kidnapping children at night and forcing them into soldierhood, where they are frightened into submission by extreme violence. Other children, to escape the rebels, must walk for miles each night to find a safe haven.

This situation still goes on today. This free showing of "Invisible Children" is to raise awareness and to explain what efforts are being made to help the children and what Americans can do. See this film -- you will be forever changed.

(Note: While this showing of "Invisible Children" is sponsored by InterVarsity Christian Fellowship, it is not a "religious" film, but simply a story of children in terrible trouble. We would like to help them, and welcome anyone who might like to join us.)

Link for more information: <http://www.invisiblechildren.com>

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'Forms and Images of Femininity' -- student art show

An exhibition of work that reflects interpretations of femininity by female artists through the use of various materials.

Curator Samantha Long '07. Featuring artwork of Alfred University students.

Please join us for an opening reception on Friday, Nov. 3, 2006, 7-9 p.m. at the Women's Leadership Center at Alfred University.

The exhibition dates after opening: Monday, Nov. 6, 2006 to Friday, Dec. 8, 2006 (call ahead). For more details contact: wlc@alfred.edu or call 607.871.2971

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Equestrian Center to host horse show on Saturday

On Saturday, Nov 4, AU will host an equestrian team horse show against Houghton College. Riders will be competing in dressage, equitation on the flat, equitation over fences, and Western horsemanship. The show will begin at 9 a.m. and end around 3 p.m.

The Equestrian Center and AUET encourage anyone interested in supporting our team to attend. We hope to see you there.

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Caribbean identity talk

Event Date: 11/06/2006
Event Time: 12:10 p.m.
Location: Nevins Theater, Powell Campus Center

Come explore the changing nature of the American "melting pot" -- seen particularly from a Caribbean perspective -- with Cary Fraser, a political historian from Georgetown, Guyana. Dr. Fraser's talk, "Forging a New World Sensibility: Being Caribbean and Living in America," will examine issues of race, ethnic identity, and cultural dissonance.

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Grants & gifts meeting

Event Date: 11/13/2006

Event Time: 1 p.m.

Location: Powell Boardroom

Open to all faculty. This meeting covers the topic of grants and the resources available to faculty on campus who are searching for grants for research or funding for projects related to scholarship.

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Seasonal food drive

Alpha Phi Omega presents a seasonal food drive Wednesday, Nov. 8-Monday, Nov. 20. Donation boxes for non-perishable items can be found in residence halls. APO will also be collecting items door-to-door the week before Thanksgiving.

All donations will go to a food pantry in Alfred Station.

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ARTstor workshop for faculty

Event Date: 11/15/2006

Event Time: Noon

Location: 306 Perlman

ARTstor is a digital library which houses hundreds of thousands of images from many collections. Below is the link to view the collections currently in ARTstor.

http://www.artstor.org/info/collections/handouts_collections.jsp

They are adding more each day. This workshop will show how to create a free account, how to access instructor privileges and how to import power point slides into ARTstor so you can create lecture notes using these images.

Another workshop is available the 16th at 6 .pm.

Contact Mark McBride for more information.

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Link for more information: <http://www.artstor.org/info/>

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Performance/choreography opportunity

Students,

If you would like to perform and/or choreograph for the Informal Dance Showing in CD Smith Theater at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 30, Friday, Dec. 1, or Saturday, Dec. 2, please contact Chase Angier at angierc@alfred.edu. Works in progress are welcome.

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Students -- Voice your opinion!

"The Princeton Review" is giving you the opportunity to voice your opinions of the academic and social life at your school. Please complete our online survey at <http://survey.review.com/>.

All undergraduates completing and validating a survey will be entered into the "\$5,000 for Your Thoughts" Sweepstakes, with a grand prize of \$5,000! (Official sweepstakes rules may be viewed at the survey Web site.)

Please complete your survey within the next three days.

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educational and personal needs.

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Link for more information: <http://survey.review.com/>

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Washington Semester Program

Dr. Heineman of the Social Sciences Division is now taking applications for the Washington Semester Program for spring 2007.

The Washington Semester Program is sponsored by The American University and allows students to spend a semester in Washington, D.C., studying the national government. In addition to taking course work, the students will meet with government officials and political leaders in seminar sessions, will undertake individual research projects that utilize the availability of governmental agencies and documents, and will participate in a fieldwork experience. The program has added options utilizing non-governmental resources in the Washington area. These include a Journalism Semester, a Justice Semester, a Public Law Semester, a Law Enforcement Semester, an Economics Semester, International Business Semester, Women and Politics and other specialized semesters. Course credits and grades are fully transferable to the student's Alfred transcript. Students can obtain additional information on the program at www.washingtonsemester.com.

In the past few semesters, Brandon Gustafson, Racheal Teall, and Timothy Hulley have participated in the program. The Alfred students selected will attend during the spring semester 2007. Juniors or seniors are eligible to participate. Scholarships are available. Those interested should contact Dr. Heineman in room 209 of the Olin Building. Applications should be completed by Monday, Nov. 6, 2006.

Link for more information: <http://www.washingtonsemester.com>

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