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TODAY	TOMORROW	SATURDAY
12:10 Bergren Forum - 'How Not to Fall Down a Black Hole'	· Tai Chi Group Sessions and Instruction	11:30 41st Annual Sarasota Luncheon
1:00 ***Walk-In Hours*** - Career Development Center	· 3/2 & 3 - Track at NYC Armory	1:00 3/3 - M. Lacrosse HOME vs. Brockport - 1pm
5:00 El cafecito		· IHSA Western Horse Shows
7:00 Albany Off-Campus Event		· 3/2 & 3 - Track at NYC Armory
· Tai Chi Group Sessions and Instruction		

Prior to Break, Be Alert

Traditionally, there has seen an increase in thefts the week before Spring Break on the Alfred University campus. Below you will find some tips to help you keep your property safe.

When you are in the library, residence halls, academic buildings, dining halls, or simply parking your car, keep your wallet, cell phone, and laptop with you. This is the prime time for this type of property to be stolen.

- * Buy a laptop security cable and use it.
- * Always close and lock your residence door even if you leave for just a minute. Insist your roommate(s) do the same.
- * Establish rules with your roommate(s) regarding visitors (above and beyond Alfred University guest policies).
- * Make sure your car is locked when unattended.

If you witness any suspicious activity, report it to the Office of Public Safety immediately by calling 607-871-2108 or 911.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Undergraduate Students - Financial Aid Deadline 3/15/12

IMPORTANT: MARCH 15, 2012 IS THE DEADLINE FOR FILING THE 2012-13 ALFRED UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION AND THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA).

If you will be an undergraduate student at AU for the 2012-13 academic year and do not have these documents, please stop by the Financial Aid Office to pick them up. We are located in Alumni Hall and are open 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Submitted by: Elena Wallace

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S.A.V.E. Workshops

In order to meet NYS Education Department requirements for certification, all education major and minor students must attend a Safe Schools Against Violence In Education (SAVE) Workshop.

The Division of Education will offer these workshops as follows:

Safe Schools Against Violence in Education (SAVE) Workshop:
Feb. 20 & Feb. 22, 2012 from 11:20 a.m.-12:35 p.m. - 336 Myers Hall (must attend both days to complete workshop).

AND AGAIN ON:

March 19 & March 21 from 8 - 9:15 am in 336 Myers Hall (must attend both days to complete workshop).

Please note: These are the only dates this workshop will be offered this semester. If you are an education major or minor student who is graduating in May but hasn't attended this workshop yet please attend. The Division of Education cannot recommend you for certification until you complete this workshop.

Submitted by: Cathy Allen

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Bergren Forum - 'How Not to Fall Down a Black Hole'

The Bergren Forum sponsored by the Division of Human Studies and the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will be meeting at 12:10 p.m. on Thursday, March 1 in the Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center.

Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee and tea are complimentary.

Speaker: Rachel Maitra
Topic: "How Not to Fall Down a Black Hole"

Rachel Maitra, visiting professor of physics at Albion College (MI), will pose the question: Can microscope spacetime foam save us when gravity gets too extreme?

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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Ride Board

Need a ride back to campus from break? Search for a ride to hitch onto, or post a ride that you can offer to someone else to hitch onto.

Link: [Ride Board](#)

Submitted by: Judy Linza

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AU Financial Aid -- Scholarship

Scholarship - School of Engineering majors (one scholarship) and Elementary Education (Pre-K-6th grade) majors (one scholarship). Application deadline is Friday, April 2, 2012.

NYS residents (residing in one of the Home Bureau's chapter counties), United States citizens, and full-time undergraduates --- you may wish to consider applying for the 2012-13 AU/NYS Federation of Home Bureaus, Inc., scholarship.

Open the attachment for more details and application.

Attachment: [Scholarship Application and Details](#)

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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Friday Fish Fry Sandwich

Now Featuring at Cyber Fresh Cafe:
Friday Fish Fry Sandwich

Includes 5.33 oz. Beer Battered Fish Wedge,
Coleslaw, Homemade Chips, Tarter Sauce & Pickle spear

for a price of \$5.59

come on down and try it today
(this items is only available on Fridays)

Submitted by: Michelle Miller

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Fitness Center Hours over Spring Break

3/2 Friday Regular hours

3/3-3/4 Saturday-Sunday Noon - 2 p.m.

3/5-3/9 Monday-Friday Noon - 2 p.m.
4 - 6 p.m.

3/10-3/11 Saturday-Sunday Noon - 2 p.m.

3/12 Monday Resume Regular Hours

Submitted by: Jeff Grover

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*****Walk-In Hours*** @ The Career Development Center**

The Career Development Center will have walk-in hours from 1-4:30 p.m., Tuesdays - Thursdays, during the semester when school is in session. Stop in to see a counselor to talk about any career concerns/issues/questions that you may have.

Submitted by: Peggy Broderick

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'The Women's Leadership Academy is One More Thing That Makes AU So Special'

The Women's Leadership Academy of Alfred University is accepting applications for the fall 2012 cohort. If you would like to apply, please visit <http://www.alfred.edu/lea...> for information about the process. Applications are due no later than the first Monday in March by 4 p.m.

Submitted by: Heather Folts

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Herrick's Spring Break Hours

Herrick Library's Spring Break hours will be:

Friday, March 2: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Saturday-Sunday, March 3-4: Closed

Monday-Friday, March 5-9: 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 10: Closed

Sunday, March 11: 5 p.m.-1 a.m.

Monday, March 12: Regular hours resume

Have a great break!

Submitted by: Erinnae Baker

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Taking service into the community, wherever it may be

The latest edition of Alfred Online, the University's electronic magazine is ready for you to peruse. Our focus this time is on AU's longtime focus of community outreach and service. Travel to the streets of New York City with Liz Reina '02 as she talks about her work with the homeless. Staying in the city, find out how Matthew Washington '04 helps others to appreciate the world outside their urban environment. Leslie Fetzer '03 is making use of her talents by serving special needs students. Her environment is online and she has a fascinating look at today's education. Finally, visit with Jessica Jennings, campus serving learning coordinator, as she discusses all of the exciting programs and projects current students are using to become engaged citizens. As a special bonus, learn how recent alum Nick Clark, standout linebacker for four years, is working to keep his NFL dream alive. Find it all at: www.alfredmagazine.alfred...

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Buffalo Area St. Pat's Celebration!

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day! Attention all Buffalo-area Alumni, Parents and Friends!

Alfred University Alumnus Chris Robinson '86 and his wife, Cynthia, invite you to join AU President Charles Edmondson to continue the St. Patrick's brunch tradition at their home.

Sunday, March 18, 2012
1-4 p.m.
216 Shellridge Drive
East Amherst, NY 14051-1390

There is no registration fee for this event but please RSVP by Friday, March 9, 2012 in order to attend.

Please contact the Alumni Relations Office to register, with questions, or for directions to the event by phone at (607) 871-2144, by fax at (607) 871-2391, by email at alumni@alfred.edu, or register online at www.alfred.edu/alumni.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Reunion 2012 - 'Mysteriously Fun!'

Reunion Weekend 2012 at AU promises to be "Mysteriously Fun!"

Join your former classmates and friends June 8-10, 2012 for a fun-filled weekend including:

Alumni Golf Scramble at the Wellsville Country Club

Flavors of Alfred - sample the local fare. Pay as you go.

5k Run/Walk - sponsored by the Gary Horowitz Service Learning Program

Local Artisan Craft Show and Sale

Alumni Association Wine Tasting honoring Emeriti Faculty

Delta Sigma Phi reception and dinner
AKO dinner

New to Reunion 2012: Alfred University-themed Murder Mystery!

Deadline for registration is May 18, 2012. For more information and to register for the weekend, please visit www.alfred.edu/alumni/reu... or contact the Alumni Office for a Reunion brochure, Golf Brochure, 5K flyer or Youth Program brochure by phoning 607.871.2144, faxing 607.871.2391, or emailing alumni@alfred.edu.

Come join the fun at Reunion 2012!

Submitted by: Audrea Sirianni

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Call for Proposals: Global Education Conference 2012

GLOBAL EDUCATION CONFERENCE - GEC-2012

June 25-27, 2012

Jasmine Court Hotel, Kyrenia - North Cyprus

Dear Colleagues,

We would like to invite you to submit proposals for the Global Education Conference which aims to provide a platform where latest trends in education are presented and discussed in a friendly and multinational environment. Proposals can be either in Turkish or English and for papers, panels, roundtables, posters/demonstrations, and workshops.

Furthermore if the presenter is unable to attend the oral presentation, the virtual presentations and video presentations are available. The deadline for abstract submission is 01 June 2012 and for full article submission 24 June 2012.

GEC'12 conference is supported by Cyprus International University, Sakarya University, Uzmir University, Pegem-A publishing and will take place on June 25-27, 2012 at the Jasmine Court Hotel, Kyrenia, North Cyprus. All full paper presentations will be published in an online proceeding book of GEC'12 and the selected papers will be published in:

- * The Turkish Online Journal of Educational Technology - TOJET (www.tojet.net) (SSCI),
- * International Online Journal of Educational Sciences - (IOJES) (www.iojes.net),
- * The Online Journal of New Horizons in Education - TOJNED (www.tojned.net),
- * Educational Administration-Theory and Practice- (<http://pegemdergi.net/ind...>),

For more information please visit the official conference website (www.globeducon.com). If you require further information, please contact us on gec.notrhcyprus@gmail.com.

We are looking forward to seeing you and sharing ideas with you.

Yours Sincerely,

Prof. Dr. Ahmet Pehlivan
President of the GEC-2012

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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A Matter of Balance - Volunteer Training

A Matter of Balance - Managing Concerns About Falls Volunteer Coaches Training

Wednesday, March 14, 2012, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Thursday, March 15, 2012, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

(You must attend both days of training to receive certification/lunch included both days)

Location: Crossroads Commerce & Conference Center, 6087 State Route 19 North, Belmont, NY 14813

Registration: Pre-Registration is required by Friday, March 9, 2012 by calling Stephanie Furman at 585-593-5223 ext. 10. Space is limited!

A complimentary lunch is provided both days and there is no cost to register for the training.

A Matter of Balance is made possible through grant funding from the Community Health Foundation of Western & Central New York and is supported by the Allegany County Fall Prevention Collaborative.

For additional information, see attached flyer.

Attachment: [A Matter of Balance](#)

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Third International Conference on the Image

THIRD INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE IMAGE

14-16 September 2012

Higher School of the Humanities and Journalism, Poznan, Poland

<http://www.ontheimage.com...>

SPECIAL THEME: 'The Thread to the Unknown'

Is the Unknown a construct? Can we actually construct the Unknown, and if so how do we do it? This conference aims to explore the boundaries of language, culture, scientific research, artistic production and images in relation to the Unknown, in order to think about the limits of science and the future of human society. (Full conference Themes may be found at <http://ontheimage.com/ide...>).

Please refer to the Call-for-Papers for proposal submission guidelines and descriptions of sessions - <http://ontheimage.com/con...> Presenters may also choose to submit written papers for publication in the fully refereed International Journal of the Image. If you are unable to attend the conference in person, virtual registrations are also available which allow you to submit a paper for refereeing and possible publication in this fully refereed academic journal.

The deadline for the next round in the call for papers (a title and short abstract) is 8 March 2012.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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