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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
5:00 Yoga	8:00 Orientation: Campus Check-In	7:30 Orientation: Breakfast
	8:30 Orientation: Bookstore Open	9:15 Orientation: 2012 Opening Convocation (Required)
	10:00 Orientation: Campus Tours	11:00 Orientation: Deans' Meetings (Required)
	11:30 Orientation: Opening Picnic	11:30 Pool is Open at McLane Center
	2:00 Orientation: General College Sessions - Required	12:00 Orientation: Small Group Discussion (Required)
	3:00 Orientation: Parents Orientation	2:00 Orientation: Advising Hours
	4:30 Orientation: Free Time and Good-byes	3:30 Orientation: Language Placement Exam
	4:45 Zumba@ Fitness Class	5:00 Orientation: New Student Barbecue
	5:30 Orientation: Dinner	8:30 Orientation: Maximize the Experience
	7:30 Orientation: First-Year Hall Meeting (Required)	10:00 Orientation: Movie - 'Men In Black 3'
	Orientation: Transfer & Commuter Student Reception	Orientation: Team Trivia
	9:00 Orientation: Playfair	11:55 Orientation: Movie - 'Men In Black 3'

Parking Restricted on Thursday

On Thursday, our new students and their families are arriving to campus, all heading for McLane Center to check in. Due to construction in that area, part of the parking lot may be fenced off that day, which would create traffic problems for our incoming students.

Please note that we MAY be restricting access to some faculty/staff parking lots on Thursday morning in order to give incoming students a place to park. If this occurs, it will likely only be between about 8 and 11 a.m.

Thanks for your patience as we try to reconfigure things to best accommodate the new students arriving that morning.

Submitted by: Kathy Woughter

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Respirator Training

Respirator Training for Employees and Students is REQUIRED ANNUALLY for anyone on campus who works with hazardous chemicals that require the use of a respirator for class or work (attend one session). For all employees and students exposed to chemicals or hazards which require respirator use who did not receive training during the Spring 2012 semester seven sessions will be offered:

Monday - Aug. 27, 2012, 10:20 - 11:10a.m. EMPLOYEES ONLY, Holmes Auditorium - Harder Hall
Tuesday - Aug. 28, 2012, 10:20 - 11:10 a.m., GRADS, SENIORS, EMPLOYEES, WORK STUDY, Holmes Auditorium - Harder Hall
Thursday - Aug. 30, 2012, 4:20 - 5:10 p.m., ANYONE, Holmes Auditorium - Harder Hall
Monday - Sept. 3, 2012, 8:20 - 9:10 a.m., ANYONE, Holmes Auditorium - Harder Hall
Monday - Sept. 3, 2012, 10:20 - 11:10 a.m., ANYONE, Holmes Auditorium - Harder Hall
Monday - Sept. 3, 2012, 12:20 - 1:10 p.m., ANYONE, Holmes Auditorium - Harder Hall
Wednesday, Sept. 5, 2012, 4:20 - 5:10 p.m., ANYONE, Holmes Auditorium - Harder Hall

Pre-registration is a must - email perrydr@alfred.edu or call x 3020 (Myers Hall Room 117).

Submitted by: Dean Perry

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First-Year Students: Mandatory Fire Safety Training

Please join Environmental Health and Safety and guests Shawn Simons and Alvero Llanos for a special Fire Safety Presentation on Tuesday, Aug. 28 at 4 p.m. or 8:30 p.m. in Holmes Auditorium. First Year students are required to attend; but all are welcome.

In the frigid predawn hours of Jan. 19, 2000, the lives of thousands, maybe even millions, we're changed because of a great tragedy on the campus of Seton Hall University. A Fire.

Los Angeles-based filmmaker Guido Verweyen documented the trials and tribulations associated with two students' recovery in a 50-minute documentary entitled, "After the Fire: A Story of Heroes and Cowards," based on the reporting of journalist and author Robin Gaby Fisher's seven-part series in the Star-Ledger and later, New York Times best-selling book, "After the Fire: A True Story of Friendship and Survival."

Location: Holmes Auditorium

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

AU Symphonic and Jazz Bands

Join the Alfred University Symphonic Band and/or Jazz Band! Open to all levels of musicians. We have instruments available on a "first come, first served" basis.

This semester, the Symphonic Band will be performing the following pieces:

"Olympic Fanfare and Theme," John Williams
"Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," Bach/Reed
"Footsteps, Dana Wilson
"English Folk Song Suite," Ralph Vaughan Williams
"Sleep," Eric Whitacre
"Russian Christmas Music," Alfred Reed

The Jazz Band will perform two concerts this semester; Festifall (pops concert with AU chorus). Music will include pieces by Coldplay, Stevie Wonder and others, as well as Latin and Blues.

A second concert in Wellsville will include works by Freddie Hubbard, Wes Montgomery Christian McBride, and others! There may be auditions required for some sections.

Symphonic Band meets 5:30-7 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays and Jazz Band meets 7:15-8:45 p.m. on Mondays and 5:30-7 p.m. on Wednesdays in room 302 of the Miller Performing Arts Center.

Come to the Performing Arts Open House on Monday, Aug. 27, 6 p.m., in the C.D. Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center. Bring friends and learn more!

Contact Dr. Chris Foster, foster@alfred.edu, 607.871.2571 for questions and details. Look forward to seeing you!

Link: [AU Symphonic Band Facebook Page](#)

Submitted by: Christopher Foster

Pool Closed Thursday 8/23

There will be no open swim hours on Thursday, Aug. 23.

Submitted by: Brian Striker

Revision of Tuition Remission Form for Employees

Please be advised that the tuition remission form for employees and dependents has been revised by the Cabinet effective for the fall term. There is now a separate form for full-time employees that clarifies HR procedures and provides guidance to the employee and supervisor when an employee is taking courses.

Should you have any questions feel free to contact the Department of Human Resources.

Submitted by: Mark Guinan

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Yoga classes

Moderate to vigorous Kripalu yoga
Monday 5-6:30 in Susan Howell Hall.

Gentle and restorative Kripalu yoga Wednesday 5-6:30 in Susan Howell Hall.

Please bring a yoga mat.

For information, please contact Cecilia at fbeach@alfred.edu

Submitted by: Cecilia Beach

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New Hires, Position Change-July 2012

New Hires:

Rachel M. Meador, custodian, AU-Maintenance

Jaime M. Osborne, secretary, sciences and math, Chemistry Department

Paul C. Vecchio, athletics director, Athletics Department

Elizabeth A. Viszt, barn manager, Equestrian Center

Position Change:

Susan E. Hendee, assistant director, Health Services, Counseling and Wellness Center

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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2012 Swine Flu Update/Flu Shot Clinic

Recently, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention issued a warning about a new strain of Swine Flu called H3N2v. While this current virus seems to be only infecting humans with direct contact with infected swine, there has been limited human-to-human transmission. See the CDC website for more information.

Use caution when attending the county and state fairs; take the time to wash your hands after you come in contact with swine. There is no hazard from eating pork that is properly handled and cooked.

It is recommended that all people over the age of 6 months old get a flu vaccination every year. The 2011-12 vaccinations are gone now but, the 2012-13 vaccinations will become available this fall. Alfred University will host a vaccination clinic, Oct. 3 from 10-2 pm at Powell Campus Center in the McNamara Room. The vaccination will also be available at Health Services by appointment for students only.

The risk of infection and spread of influenza viruses between people, including H3N2v, can be reduced by taking a combination of actions. CDC recommends you take everyday preventive actions, including:

- o Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. (Throw the tissue in the trash after you use it.)
- o Wash your hands often with soap and water, especially after you cough or sneeze. If soap and water are not available, an alcohol-based hand rub may be used.
- o Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth. Germs spread that way.
- o Try to avoid close contact with sick people.
- o If you are sick, stay home from work or school until your illness is over.
- o Students can call AU Health Services if you have any symptoms or questions at 607.871.2400

Employees can contact EH&S for additional information or community clinic dates at 607.871.2190

Link: [Swine Flu Fact Sheet](#)

Submitted by: Cherise Haase

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Afternoon Tea at Hicks & McCarthy, Pittsford, Sept. 29

Alfred University's Judson Leadership Center invites you to Afternoon Tea at Hicks & McCarthy, Saturday, Sept. 29 from 3 - 5 p.m., 23 S. Main St., Pittsford. Join AU Alumna and current Trustee, Ms. Christine Kulp'71 and her husband and Honorary Alumnus, Mr. Bruce Kulp H'00 for afternoon tea, scones, tea sandwiches, and assorted homemade pastries.

There is no charge to attend this event but you must RSVP by 9/14 via:

Email - alumni@alfred.edu

Phone: (607) 871-2144

Online: www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...

You will learn about one incredible aspect of Student Affairs at Alfred University through the eyes of our students; they will share their stories about how the Beth Robinson Judson Leadership Center has enriched their Alfred University experience.

The Judson Leadership Center is the home of the Women's Leadership Center, the Saxon Sidekicks mentoring program and the Gary Horowitz Leadership Development Certificate program. Julia Overton-Healy, Director of the Leadership Center will also join us to answer your questions.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Family Film: 'Tinkerbell' (2008) G

Thursday, Aug. 23 at 2:30 p.m.

Nancy Howe Auditorium

David A. Howe Public Library

155 N. Main St., Wellsville

585-593-3410

Learn about the secret world of the fairies with Tinkerbell and her friends. In conjunction with the Fancy Nancy Party hosted by the Children's Department (reservations required for party starting Monday, Aug. 13 since space is limited), this film is open to everyone.

This library-sponsored movie on the big screen is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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