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TODAY	TOMORROW	SUNDAY
11:00 <a href="#">Study Abroad Fair</a>	1:00 <a href="#">Football</a>	11:00 <a href="#">Alfred Farmers Market</a>
12:30 <a href="#">Environmental Studies Seminar</a>	<a href="#">Women's Soccer</a>	12:00 <a href="#">Women's Soccer</a>
5:00 <a href="#">Alfred University Yoga Club</a>	<a href="#">Swimming &amp; Diving</a>	2:00 <a href="#">Kick-Ass 2</a>
6:00 <a href="#">Friday Night Hike</a>	2:00 <a href="#">Women's Volleyball</a>	4:00 <a href="#">JV Football</a>
6:30 <a href="#">Stine Bidstrup Artist Talk</a>	2:30 <a href="#">Auction: Handmade for Charity</a>	· <a href="#">Equestrian</a>
8:00 <a href="#">'The Physics of Love'</a>	6:00 <a href="#">Men's Soccer</a>	· <a href="#">Wellsville Ridgewalk &amp; More</a>

Film: Kick Ass 2	8:00 Night of Horror	
Musician: Joe Camuglia	Lafder: Comedy Showcase	
Show: The Physics of Love	9:30 Night of Horror	
11:00 Kick-Ass 2	10:00 Comedy: Derek Gaines	
· Delta Sigma Phi Reunion	11:00 Night of Horror	
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### Banner INB & BannerWeb Down, 10/18-19

Banner releases will be installed on our Production systems beginning at 6 p.m. Friday, 10/18. The installation process will take approximately 24 hours to complete. During this time, both Banner INB and BannerWeb will be unavailable.

Blackboard will be available, but will not be receiving updates from Banner during this time.

Please contact me with any questions at [maccree@alfred.edu](mailto:maccree@alfred.edu) or at 2505.

Submitted by: Fion MacCrea

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### Motor Pool Reservation Application Not Available Over Weekend

Due to Banner upgrade, the motor pool reservation application will be down Friday, 10/18, 6pm-Saturday, Oct. 19, 6 pm. Please plan to make reservations ahead of time. If you have questions please contact Kevin Dodge at [dodgeke@alfred.edu](mailto:dodgeke@alfred.edu) or x2169.

Submitted by: Judy Linza

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### Environmental Studies Seminar

Amanda Khodorkovskaya, Living Acres Farm, Alfred Station, NY, will present "Choosing the road less traveled" for the Environmental Studies Seminar on Friday, Oct. 18 at 12:20 in Roon Lecture Hall (247), Science Center.

Everyone is welcome to this CLAS event. refreshments will be served.

Submitted by: Environmental Studies & Geology

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### Jennifer Joy at Alfred University!

Jennifer Joy is coming to Alfred University and she has a lot in store for us.

Thursday, Oct. 17: Improv Workshop  
Friday, Oct. 18: "The Physics of Love"

Submitted by: Rachel Irato

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### Friday Night Hike

Join us for a 3-mile hike on the Pine Hill Trails. We meet every Friday at 6 p.m. on the 1st floor of Powell Campus Center next to the mail room. The hike takes a little over one hour.

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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### Stine Bidstrup Artist Talk

STINE BIDSTRUP ARTIST TALK

Location: Binns-Merrill Hall, Room 106

Date: Friday, Oct. 18

Time: 6:30 P.M.

Cost to Attend: Free/Open to public

Sponsored By: Sculpture/Dimensional Studies

Stine Bidstrup is a Danish artist working primarily in glass and video. She is educated from the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art, School of Design on Bornholm, Denmark and the Rhode Island School of Design in Providence, RI.

For the past five years, Bidstrup has maintained a studio in Copenhagen, and exhibited her works internationally as well as taught in the glass and ceramic department at the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Art. She has recently traveled on residencies to India to develop ways of utilizing traditionally crafted glass bangles and to Norway to revive historical, utopian architectural glass fantasies in her work.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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### Istanbul 2014: Informational meeting Tuesday, Oct. 22

An informational meeting for those interested in participating in a four-week course in Istanbul during July 2014 will be held at 9 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 22, in Room 306 Olin. For more information, contact Laura Greyson or Jeffrey Sluyter-Beltrao.

Attachment: [Istanbul\\_2014\\_meeting](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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## Autumn Visit Days with Admissions

The Office of Admissions is having its second open house of the season for prospective students on Saturday, Oct. 19. We are expecting over 60 students including their families bringing approximately 175 people on campus for this event.

Registration begins in Powell Campus Center at 9 a.m. followed by an academic fair, admissions and financial aid sessions, as well as other concurrent sessions.

Families will be eating lunch on campus in Ade Dining Hall from 12:15 to 1:15 p.m. Concurrent tours will follow lunch.

If you have any questions about the event, please contact Michelle at x2015

Attachment: [AVDOctober19.doc](#)

Submitted by: Michelle Pomeroy

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## AU Bookstore Open Extended Hours Saturday

The AU Bookstore will have extended hours Saturday, Oct. 19 for Admissions Open House. Bookstore hours will be 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Stop in and browse!

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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## Graduate and Professional School Fair

Over 60 graduate programs will be on campus Tuesday, Oct. 22 to discuss a wide variety of graduate school options. Reasons to attend:

1. Gain insight into application process
2. Find out what goes into a personal statement
3. Request application waivers
4. Discover previously unknown and interesting graduate programs
5. When else will there be over 60 graduate schools on the AU campus?

Link: [List of Participating Graduate Programs](#)

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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## Mental Health Consortium Roundtable Oct. 24

Please join Student Affairs staff for a breakfast roundtable. Grab some breakfast at the Knight's Den and join us as we share information about Mental Health Consortium results.

Location: Knights Den

Time: 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Submitted by: Valerie Daciw

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### Alfred University Self-Study

To the Alfred University Community,

We have completed one more important step in the process of University reaccreditation with the Middle States Commission of Higher Education. Many thanks to everyone who participated in the visit with Dr. Paul Hennigan, the Chair of the Middle States Evaluation Team. Dr. Hennigan expressed appreciation for the work that has been done thus far and he offered guidance for our next steps.

At this juncture we would like to make the self-study report available to the University community. This is the first full draft reporting on the research conducted during our self-study year (2012-13). We invite you to review the document for factual errors and inconsistencies. Of course, we are also open to any other comments or thoughts you might want to share. To this end, please email your comments to Beth Ann Dobie [dobie@alfred.edu](mailto:dobie@alfred.edu) and Laurie McFadden [mcfadden@alfred.edu](mailto:mcfadden@alfred.edu) by Friday, Nov. 1, 2013.

The next phase of this process will involve turning this report into a unified document, with a single voice, that tells Alfred University's story to the members of the Middle States Evaluation Team who will visit our campus next spring.

On behalf of the Steering Committee,

Dr. Beth Ann Dobie  
Chair, Steering Committee

Link: [Alfred University Self-Study Draft](#)

Submitted by: Barbara Timbrook

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### Alzheimer's Glass and Iron Pour Gallery Shows

ALZHEIMER'S GLASS AND IRON & POUR HARD GALLERY SHOWS

Location: Robert C. Turner Gallery

Open Reception: Friday, Oct. 25

Time: 7-9 P.M.

Cost to Attend: Free/Open to public

Sponsored By: Sculpture and Dimensional Studies/ Student run Robert C. Turner Gallery

Alfred University Student and Meltdown Artists renegade exhibition of Metal Arts. In addition the Catwalk will hold a sampling of works produced at Alfred University for the Alzheimer's Glass and Iron project.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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### Alzheimer's Glass and Iron-Glass Demo

ALZHEIMER'S GLASS AND IRON-GLASS DEMO

Location: Hot Shop, Harder Hall

Date: Saturday, Oct. 26

Time: 11 A.M.-2 P.M.  
Cost to Attend: Free/Open to public  
Sponsored By: Sculpture/Dimensional Studies

Come watch glass blowing artists create a sculpture based off of painting made by elderly in the area who suffer with Alzheimer's and Dementia. Future sale of the glass sculptures will be donated to the Alzheimer's Association.

Alzheimer's Glass and Iron is a multi-step, cross-generational art project that will benefit the Alzheimer's Association. The project consists of four steps: production of artwork by elderly community members, interpretation and rendered sculptures (by iron castors, glass castors and glass blowers) and gallery shows that culminate in an auction of the featured art pieces (with proceeds to benefit the Alzheimer's Association).

Concurrently, we do the important work of educating the community (and the project participants) about Alzheimer's disease.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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### **Peace Corps Information Session**

When: Tuesday, Oct. 29 at 6:30 p.m.  
Where: Alfred Village Hall (above the Police Station)

The AU Career Development Center, in collaboration with the Alfred State College Center for Civic Engagement, will host an information session with Peace Corps representative Dove Russo. The presentation will take about 60 minutes and address the following:

- The application process
- Peace Corps locations
- Primary/secondary projects
- Benefits of service
- Firsthand account of serving in the Peace Corps
- Graduate school partnerships

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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### **Foreign Language Placement Exam**

Wednesday, Oct. 30  
114 Seidlin Hall  
7 - 8 p.m.  
Exams are given in French, German, and Spanish.

Who needs to take the Placement Exam?

- \* Students who have taken more than two years of a language in high school and who intend to take the same language at AU must take the exam.
- \* Students who are bilingual or native speakers or who have spoken the language at home.
- \* Students do NOT need to take the exam if they did not study a language previously or if they are planning to take a different language in college.
- \* Students who wish to demonstrate proficiency in another language should contact Dr. Kerry Kautzman about procedures.

\*Please remember to bring your student ID and a #2 pencil.\*

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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### Opportunity to Publish Your Work!

Phi Alpha Theta, the history honor society on campus, is currently working on publishing its second edition of its journal, The Kanakadea Review.

We are now accepting paper submissions from students and faculty. All papers must be historically related and have received a B+ or higher. Papers not graded are subject to review.

The deadline for all submissions is Friday, Nov. 1.

Please email Jennifer Futterman at [jcf2@alfred.edu](mailto:jcf2@alfred.edu) your submissions or for more information.

Submitted by: Jennifer Futterman

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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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### Student Senate Meeting Minutes 10.16.13

Clubs: Please check the Attendance sheet to make sure your Senate representative is attending Student Senate.

Attachment: [Student\\_Senate\\_Attendance\\_sheet.docx](#)

Attachment: [Student\\_Senate\\_Meeting\\_Minutes.docx](#)

Submitted by: Student Senate

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### Fall 2013 Employee Phone List

The Alfred University Employee Phone List is now available on the HR Web page at the following link:

Link: [Employee Phone List Fall 2013](#)

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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### **New Hire, Position Change September 2013**

New Hire:

Sarah M. Blood, visiting faculty member, Sculpture/Dimensional Studies

Position Change:

Kaaren K. Reeder, administrative assistant to the dean, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### **Join AU for a St. John Fisher Tailgate**

You are invited to a Saxon tailgate party!

Alfred trustee Greg Connors '92 and Jeni Wetzel Connors '94 invite you to join them on Saturday, Nov. 16, for a pregame tailgate party at St. John Fisher College!

When: Tailgate begins at 11 a.m.

Where: The Tailgate will be held in the Park and Ride lot adjacent to the St. John Fisher campus at the intersection of Routes 31F and I-490.

Game: At 1 p.m., watch your Saxons take on the SJF Cardinals.

This event is complimentary.

Please register online by Nov. 8 at:

[www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...](http://www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...)

or by

Email: [alumni@alfred.edu](mailto:alumni@alfred.edu)

Phone: 607-871-2144

Submitted by: Audrea Sirianni

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### **Tennessee-Area Event**

Alfred University alumnus William Rice '78 and his wife, Debbie, invite you to attend their annual Oktoberfest event. Come and enjoy a casual afternoon of mingling with local Alfred alumni, parents, and friends. Food and beverages will be served and those in attendance will have a chance to win Alfred University prizes.

Saturday, Nov. 2, 2013

1 - 4 p.m.

539 Watershaw Drive

Friendsville, Tennessee

This event is complimentary. Please RSVP by Wednesday, Oct. 29.

REGISTER:

Email: [alumni@alfred.edu](mailto:alumni@alfred.edu)

Phone: 607-871-2527

Online: [www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...](http://www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...)

Submitted by: Audrea Sirianni



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### **Family Program: 'Bubblemania'**

Saturday, Oct. 19 at 10:30 a.m.  
Nancy Howe Auditorium  
David A. Howe Public Library  
155 N. Main St., Wellsville  
585-593-3410

Doug Rougeux will turn our Auditorium into a Bubbletorium using the simple tools of a wand and bubble soap. Among his many creations, we'll have dancing bubbles, kissing bubbles, and bubble space ships. As his final trick, maybe a bubble with a child inside will float over the audience - but who knows?

The library-sponsored program is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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