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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
10:00 Walk-in Hours at the CDC	10:00 Walk-in Hours at the CDC	12:20 Women's Studies Roundtable
5:00 Lead-free Hunting Discussion	12:10 Bergren Forum - The DJ and Their Audience	5:00 Alfred University Yoga Club
5:30 Kripalu Yoga	1:00 Retirement Reception for Karen Mix on 10/31	6:00 Friday Night Hike
6:30 Don't Vomit on the Podium	Retirement Reception for Karen Mix on 10/31	Swimming & Diving
El cafecito: Day of the Dead	6:00 Historic Haunts at Alfred University	7:00 Halloween Open Mic
7:00 Foreign Language Placement Exam	6:30 Career Talk: Gianna Commito	Michael Jones McKean: Open Reception
	7:00 Costume Contest	8:00 'The Wolverine'
	Halloween Costume	Intervarsity Barn Dance
		11:00 'The Wolverine'

Contest!

· Siblings Weekend 2013

Play

8:00 Bingo for Food

Follow Safety Precautions!

In light of the recent reported incidents on campus, we urge you to be aware of your surroundings at all times, but particularly after dark. Report any suspicious activity to Public Safety immediately. Have Public Safety (607-871-2108) and 911 preprogrammed in your cellphone.

Attached is a list of measures you can take to enhance your safety on campus.

Attachment: [Safety Precautions](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Parking Prohibited on South Lawn of McLane Center

Parking on the south lawn of McLane Center is no longer allowed.

Due to the continuing precipitation, the area has become impassable and unsafe. Please take extra time to find alternative parking on campus. Spaces are available in the Ade Hall and Ford Street parking lots and Pine Hill extension.

Thank you for your understanding.

John M. Dougherty
Office of Public Safety

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Global Harmonization System (GHS) 2013 Training

This program replaces the old Hazard Communication/Right to Know training, therefore all Alfred University employees are required to attend one session.

It is a new requirement from OSHA that employees be trained by Dec. 1, 2013. All training sessions will be held at Nevins Theater in the Powell Campus Center.

Training dates and times:

Monday, Nov. 11, 2013; 3:20 - 4:10 P.M.
Tuesday, Nov. 12, 2013; 11:20 A.M. - 12:10 P.M.
Thursday, Nov. 14, 2013; 9:20 - 10:10 A.M.
Wednesday, Nov. 20, 2013; 12:20 - 1:10 P.M.
Thursday, Nov. 21, 2013; 9:20 - 10:10 A.M.
Friday, Nov. 22, 2013; 1:20 - 2:10 PM

Submitted by: Dean Perry

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Foreign Language Placement Exam Today!

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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Lead-free Hunting Discussion

After a short movie, we will discuss lead-free ammunition as a safer alternative for health and environmental reasons. Hunters and non-hunters alike are welcome to share their experiences and opinions on the topic.

Wednesday Oct. 30, 5 p.m., Science Center 326.

Submitted by: Frederic Beaudry

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El cafecito: Day of the Dead Today!

Attend AU's Spanish Culture & Conversation Club to learn about the Mexican custom of Da de Muertos, Day of the Dead.

Wednesday, Oct. 30
6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
AU Language House
12 Park St. (across from the Saxon Inn)

Games, Prizes and Free Food!

Beginners to Advanced Spanish Speakers, everyone is Welcome!

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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RSVP Corning Museum of Glass Trip by Wednesday!

ISSO will be having another field trip this semester to Corning Museum of Glass (and) Rockwell Museum of Art. If you'd like to go to both museums on the same day it won't be that much more expensive than just going to Corning Glass Museum.

We need a count of how many people are interested in this trip. The trip will be on Saturday, Nov. 16, departing at 10 a.m. And the cost will be around \$10.

Please let us know if you're interested in this trip; email us back by this Wednesday, Oct. 30. Please contact: ML9@alfred.edu or QQD1@alfred.edu

Submitted by: Qi Deng

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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 and Laurie McFadden 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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Retirement Reception for Karen Mix on 10/31, 1-3 p.m., in Olin Conf. Room

Please join the Division of Social Sciences in honoring Karen Mix upon her retirement from the University. For nearly 25 years, Karen has worked as the Secretary in our Division. Please stop by the Olin Conference Room on Thursday, 10/31, between 1 and 3 p.m. for light refreshments and to wish Karen well in her retirement.

Submitted by: Karen Porter

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Historic Haunts at Alfred University

What do you know about the hauntings of Alfred University? Have you been acquainted with the ghost of the Brick? What about Sally, who haunts the CDC? Did you know that Kanakadea Creek was sacred to the Seneca Indians, and a possible burial ground?

Come find out more about the Alfred community and the supernatural happenings on Alfred campus at the Historic Haunts Tour brought to you by the new History Club.

When- Thursday, Oct. 31 at 6 p.m.

Where- King Alfred Statue

Submitted by: Jennifer Futterman

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Career Talk: Gianna Commito

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Location: Binns-Merrill Hall 106 (Room C)

Date: Thursday, Oct., 31 2013

Time: 6:30 P.M.

Cost to Attend: Free

Sponsored By: The McComsey Career Development Center and the Painting Club

Visiting artist and alum Gianna Commito will lecture about her artwork and give a Career Talk. Gianna has exhibited her work at MoCA, Cleveland, Taxter and Spengemann, New York, The Drawing Center, New York, the Weatherspoon Art Museum, Greensboro, and William Busta Gallery, Cleveland, among other venues.

She received her BFA from Alfred University, her MFA from the University of Iowa, and is an assistant professor of painting at Kent State University.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Play

PLAY

Location: Robert C. Turner Gallery

Dates: Oct. 31 - Nov. 4

Open Reception: Thursday, Oct. 31

Time: 7-9 P.M.

Cost to Attend: Free/Open to public

The Robert C Turner Gallery Interns are proud to present Play. The show Play investigates associations with the idea and interactive qualities of play. This show will present collaborative, interactive pieces based on classic games and aspects of play throughout history.

As Turner Gallery interns we are a lively group and are continually collaborating and playing with each other. We would like to share with our viewers our view of play and the collaboration and interaction that go along with it.

Gallery interns: Maria Bentley, Elise Betrus, Joanna Carroll, Amanda Haug, Aya Kaufmann, Chelsea Leung, Anna Liem, Kristen Mansfield, Emmanuel Marte, Claire Morgos, Haley Nannig, Drew Schenck,

Aaron Soule, Troy Townsend, Naiwen Zhang

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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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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Zombies! Run For Your Life!

Wild About Alfred and the Zombie Apocalypse are sponsoring the 2013 - 5K Zombie "Run for Your Life" event on Saturday, Nov. 2 at 4 p.m. Runners and Zombies must register on-line at www.alfred.edu/students/w...

The entry fee for Zombies is \$5 and Runners is \$10. All entry fees are donated to charity. Those interested in being a Zombie, the training will be held on Monday, Oct. 21 at 6 p.m. in Nevins.

Link: [registration link](#)

Submitted by: Norm Pollard

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'Much Ado About Nothing'

Never too early to get your reservations in! The "Much Ado About Nothing" production opens Nov. 6 and runs through the 9th! Come and enjoy! Who doesn't love Shakespeare?

Link: [Tickets](#)

Submitted by: Courtney Hopkins

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Special Graduate Seminar Presentation

Dr. Steven Tidrow, a current Inamori faculty candidate, will be presenting on "Design of Advanced Pervskite Materials and Devices" on Monday, Nov. 4 in Binns-Merrill Hall, room 106 at 9:20 a.m.

Dr. Narayan is the associate dean in the College of Science and Mathematics at the University of Texas - Pan American.

Attachment: [Tidrow_Abstract_&_Bio.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Katie Decker

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Attention Faculty/Staff! Call for RA Nominations

It is that time of year again! Residence Life is taking applications for Resident Assistant positions for the 2014-15 academic year!

Successful applicants will be able to conduct and express themselves with a higher level of maturity, initiative, enthusiasm, and involvement. Community building and program planning are key aspects of the position. Ability to confront and resolve conflict is also necessary. Students must have an overall GPA of 2.5 or higher to qualify.

If you are aware of a student you believe would make a great Resident Assistant, please send a note of nomination to the office of Residence Life in Bartlett Hall labeled ATTENTION: RA NOMINATION.

Thank you for your continued support and cooperation!

For your knowledge, the RA application components are listed below:

- * Complete and submit online application (<https://residencelife.wuf...>)
- * Solicit 3 references to complete the online reference form (Link to the form is provided in the directions portion of the application, available for copy/paste)
- * Visit the Career Development Center to create or review a resume.
- * Submit a hard copy of a resume to the Office of Residence Life, Bartlett Hall.

Submitted by: Shawn Isaacs

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Alfred Quidditch Seeks More Players!

Quidditch is currently seeking more players before we play in the regional tournament for the whole Northeast! Join us for a practice! Sundays 1-3 p.m., Fridays 6-8 p.m. and Mondays 6-8 p.m. on the Brick Lawn! All welcome!

Submitted by: Lauren Schramm

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Internal Posting - Secretary for College of Liberal Arts & Sciences

Employment opportunity.

Link: [Secretary for Liberal Arts & Sciences](#)

Submitted by: Sue Brannan

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