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TODAY	TOMORROW	THURSDAY
5:30 Mardi Gras Mask-Making	10:00 Walk-in Hours at the CDC	10:00 Walk-in Hours at the CDC
Art History Candidate Presentation	5:30 Ash Wednesday	12:10 Bergren Forum - 'After Mandela'
6:00 Carnaval/Mardi Gras Party	6:30 Join AU for an event in Boca Raton, Florida	1:00 Saxon Swap
	7:00 Signs of Life	4:45 Zumba classes with licensed instructor
		Zumba classes with licensed instructor
		6:00 The Maple City: See, Make, Integrate

McMahon Parking Closed for Construction

Starting Monday, March 3, 2014 the parking around McMahon will be closed due to pending construction. The parking areas affected will be: The south end of McMahon along upper Pine Street; The north end of McMahon facing the building; and the entire back parking area in the courtyard and along the access lane of the McMahon building.

Submitted by: Jamie Babcock

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Parking Prohibited on Davis Gym Loop Road

Attention all Faculty/Staff and Students that utilize the McLane Center Parking Lot. You must discontinue parking on the roadway/loop between Davis Gym and McLane Center. Please utilize the parking lot that has reopened behind McLane Center.

Also note, that in order to park in this area you must obtain/possess a 2013-14 Alfred University Parking Pass. This permit can be obtained at the Office of Public Safety or by visiting alfred.thepermitstore.com for students.

Public Safety will start issuing violation in these areas Feb. 20, 2014.

If you have any question please call the Office of Public Safety at 607.871.2108.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Process for Ordering Business Cards Has Changed

The process for ordering official Alfred University business cards has changed. The local print shop that has produced most of our business cards, Sun Publishing, is in a transitional phase due to economic changes. Based upon their new business model, they will only do business card orders in batches of 10 or more different names. It is not cost effective for them to do one person's card at a time.

Since orders for AU business cards are typically one or two at a time, we have located an alternative print shop and process to ensure a seamless transition. The Alfred State College Document Center is prepared to handle business card requests through a virtual storefront that has been developed specifically for ordering AU business cards online.

The link to that storefront is:

<https://v2.printsys.net/>

Log on: AlfredUniversity

Password: AlfredUniversity1

There are two templates from which to choose: the first template is indicated for only Admissions and Financial Aid offices because they require specific phone number options; and the second template is designed to accommodate all other offices.

When you double click on your selection, a new window will open that contains a form with fields to enter your information. As the fields are filled, the information will show up on the template at the right so you will see how the business card will look upon completion. Once all the information has been entered, you will proceed to a shopping cart that has options for quantity and payment, using your AU One Card.

In order to maintain the brand identity of the University, a PDF of the card will be emailed to the Office of Communications for review/approval. Once the cards are printed, you will be notified so that you can pick them up at the ASC Document Center, 10 Upper College Drive (607.587.3532). ASC does not deliver at this time. The design and specifications of color and paper are based upon the official AU business card format that is currently in use.

IMPORTANT: For situations where you do not have access to an AU One Card, or a required deviation from the standard format cannot be included within the two template options, you will need to contact Rick McLay at mclay@alfred.edu so that a design can be created and provided to the ASC Document Center. In those situations, the online purchase option will not be available and a paper invoice will be sent to you by the ASC Document Center.

Please contact the Alfred University Office of Communications at 2103 if you have any questions.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Carnaval/Mardi Gras Party!

Come celebrate Carnaval & Mardi Gras with delicious food...jambalaya, king cake & fresh tropical fruits, music, dancing and mask making!

March 4, 6 p.m.
AU Language House, 12 Park St. (across from the Saxon Inn)

Hosted by Cafecito and French Conversation Hour.

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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ARTH Candidate Presentation

Date: Tuesday, March 4
Time: 5:30 - 6:30 P.M.
Location: Room C, Binns-Merrill
Cost to Attend: Free/Open to Public
Sponsored By: School of Art & Design

"Consuming Japan: Ceramic Dishes, Japanese Design, and the Politics of French Taste" a lecture by Emily Eastgate Brink

This talk examines how a single dinner service, designed by a printmaker, revolutionized French ceramic design. The first dinnerware to combine Japanese motifs with French ceramic forms, Félix Bracquemond's Service Rousseau reshaped table settings, social rituals, and French taste in 1860s Paris.

In its production and use, Bracquemond's service democratized access to high design and Japanese culture, ultimately transforming cups and saucers into new carriers of political and cultural meaning in France.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Signs of Life

Signs of Life
Ted Morgan and Angie To

Date: March 5-April 4
Open Reception: March 5
Time: 7 - 9 P.M.
Location: Fosdick Nelson Gallery
Cost to Attend Event: Free/open to public
Gallery Hours: Monday through Friday 11 A.M.-4 P.M./Saturday & Sunday 1-3 P.M.

Featuring work by Freshman Foundation faculty Ted Morgan and Angie To. Morgan will exhibit a series of photographs and To will display paintings and sculpture. The exhibition marks Ted Morgan's 35th year of teaching in the School of Art and Design.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Graduating in May? Time to Order your Cap & Gown

All May graduates, NOW is the time to order your cap, gown, tassel, and hood for May graduation.

ORDER by Wednesday, March 26 at the AU Bookstore. Payment is required at the time you order. Bachelor unit (cap, gown, tassel, and hood \$62.96; Master unit \$66.96.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Green tip of the week

Buy funny fruit-Many fruits and vegetables are thrown out because their size, shape, or color are not "right." Buying these perfectly good funny fruit at the farmer's market or elsewhere utilizes food that might otherwise go to waste.

Submitted by: Autumn McLain

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Health and Wellness Center and Fitness Center Break Hours

Please see adjusted operation hours for the Health and Wellness Center, and Fitness Center over Break. Below hours will begin Saturday, 3/8 and be effective thru Sunday, 3/16.

Health & Wellness Center:
9 A.M. - 5 P.M. every day

Fitness Center:
Monday - Friday 11:30 A.M. - 6 P.M.
Saturday-Sunday Noon - 4 P.M.

Submitted by: Tony Aquilina

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St. Patrick's Brunch in Buffalo

Join Buffalo Area Alumni, Parents, and Friends for a St. Patrick's Day Brunch!

Alfred University Alumnus Chris Robinson '86 and his wife, Cynthia, invite you to join them at their

home to continue the St. Patrick's brunch tradition. Julia Overton-Healy, Director of the Beth Robinson Judson Leadership Center, will also be in attendance with some of Alfred University's student leaders.

Sunday, March 16, 2014 - 1-4 p.m.
216 Shellridge Drive, East Amherst, NY 14051

This event is complimentary, but please RSVP by Friday, March 7.
Email: alumni@alfred.edu
Phone: 607-871-2144
Online: www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...

Submitted by: Audrea Sirianni

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Malt and Mingle with AU at Brown's Brewing Co.

Join Albany area alumni, parents, and friends for a special Alfred University gathering!

Thursday, April 10, 6-9 P.M.
Brown's Brewing Co.
425 River St.
Troy, NY 12180

Alfred Trustee Michael Christakis '99 and Christa Nyman Christakis '01 invite you to join other Alfred graduates in the Capital District as they enjoy several beer samples and learn about pairing food with the right ales, stouts, and pilsners. In addition, you will have the opportunity to tour Brown's award-winning brewery, inhale the aroma of fermenting hops and malts and learn what it takes to make a great beer.

The cost for this event is \$10; this includes six beer samplings, a pint of beer, and an hors d'oeuvres buffet.

Please register by April 3rd.
Online: www.alfred.edu/alumni/reg...
Email: alumni@alfred.edu
Phone: 607-871-2144

Submitted by: Audrea Sirianni

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Concert: Emerald Isle Celtic Band

Thursday, March 6 at 7 p.m.
Nancy Howe Auditorium
David A. Howe Public Library
155 N. Main St., Wellsville
585-593-3410

This Western New York-based trio mixes traditional and contemporary Irish, nautical, and Scottish songs and instruments with humor and storytelling.

The Emerald Isle Celtic Band, a favorite of the Howe Auditorium, brings a variety of instruments including: banjo, accordion, guitar, penny whistle, mandolin, fiddle, harmonica, spoons and bone. See: www.myspace.com/emeraldis...

The concert is funded in part by the NYS Council on the Arts Decentralization Regrant Program administered by the Cattaraugus County Arts Council.

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

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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