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What's Happening?

More Events...

'Once on This Island' tonight!

Lively Caribbean music and dance bring to life this heart-warming, mythic fairy tale of a young peasant girl who falls in love with an upper class boy.

Tickets required, reservations suggested. \$5 general admission, \$1 AU students. Reserve your ticket using the Web 'Box Office', e-mail **performs@alfred.edu** or call 871.2828.

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This week's Lyceum

This week's Lyceum topic is "International Power Dynamics in the 21st Century." We'll be talking about what makes a super-power in the 21st century, and how China, Iran, Russia and others plan to challenge the United State in this century for global influence and domination.

If that doesn't do it for you, we'll have sweets 'n' treats to stimulate your interest. Friday, 3:20 p.m. in 103 Kanakadea Hall.

And remember, obey the turtle -- feed your brain!

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Last day for lollipops!

Lollipops will be sold again today for 50 cents each on the 2nd floor of Powell during lunchtime Friday.

Stop by and help support the RELAY FOR LIFE!

-sponsored by the SAXON ATHLETES team

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Mock interviews for educators

The Career Development Center is offering mock interview appointments for students interested in education, school counseling, and/or school psychologist opportunities.

Mock Interview Dates: Tuesday, April 17 and Wednesday, April 18, 2007 Time: Appointments are available with start times from 1- 4:45 p.m.

Length of Appointment: Approximately 45 minutes Location: At the Career Development Center

This is your opportunity to practice your interviewing skills with area public school administrators prior to any potential interviews and/or summer employment opportunities.

We have administrators from the following areas of public education participating:

- * District Superintendents
- * K-12 Principals
- * Middle School Principal
- * High School Principal
- * Directors of Curriculum

How to sign up:

Appointments are being scheduled by calling the Career Development Center at 607.871.2164. You are welcome to ask for a specific area of certification in relationship to your needs. Appointments are on a first-come, first-served basis with limited space available. Do not wait to sign up as we anticipate heavy participation for these mock interviews.

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Roommate Connection

Reminder: Housing sign-ups are next week (4/18-19 - Susan Howell Hall). If you are lacking a

roommate or one or more people to fill your suite or apartment, come to the Roommate Connection program, Sunday, 4/15 at 8 p.m. in the Openhym Lounge. This program is sponsored by the Office of Residence Life.

Staff will be there to assist in making those connections. Remember -- you must fill your suite (6) or apartment (4 or 6) to be eligible to live there. Also you will want to have a back-up plan should your first choice not work out.

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Interested in playing women's soccer?

Have you ever thought about joining the Women's Soccer Team? Come to an OPEN PRACTICE this Sunday, April 15 from 6-8 p.m. in McLane's Gym. Meet the team members and see what we're all about.

Just show up, or contact Coach Jen Enke 871-2896 enkej@alfred.edu

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AAC&U News -- New issue of peer review now online

Provost Buckley calls your attention to the availability online of the latest issue of the 2007 AAC&U News.

The following link presents data on college readiness, effective strategies for increasing student engagement and motivation to work hard and succeed, and new ways to measure student achievement of key learning outcomes.

See link below for a table of contents to access these articles.

Link: http://www.aacu.org/peerreview/index.cfm

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Ade Dining Hall Saturday April 14

Ade dining hall will be closed Saturday April 14 to accommodate the large number of students/families coming to campus for Admissions Purple and Gold days. Powell Campus Center will be open for normal business hours during the wekeend. We apologize for any inconveinence this may cause.

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Biology Seminar -- 10 day student trip to Belize

Five senior biology majors -- Alan, Krista, Liz, Trista & Zoe -- will give an illustrated presentation of their 10-day trip to Belize. They snorkeled, rode horses in the rainforest, visited Mayan Ruins and caves, and visited the Belize Zoo.

"What's in your plans for winter '08?" Could be Belize! Come join us for pizza, veggies & dip, drinks and cookies.

Location: SC 301

Event Date: 04/13/2007 Time: 12:20 -1:10p.m.

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Now hiring: Students for technical assistance

Hello,

Do you like learning by doing? Do you like technology and how it helps each of us in our daily lives? Do you like working with enthusiastic, intelligent people and helping others? If you do, there could be a place for you in Students for Technical Assistance, or STA!

We are a student-run organization that works from within Alfred's ITS department in several areas of computing:

- * Public Computer Lab Consultants, helping maintain and oversee public computer labs across campus
- * The ITS Helpdesk, helping faculty, staff and students with various computer-related issues
- * Tier 2 Technicians, using creative methods to solve advanced computer issues such as viruses and spyware
- * The Web Team, developing the databases and interfaces used by people on the AU Web pages
- * Equipment Lending, providing faculty, staff and students with the computers, projectors and other education-based technology

You don't need to be a technical genius to become an STA, just someone who is dependable and enthusiastic about learning about computers and helping people. And did I mention that you get paid!? \$\$

That's right, this isn't volunteer work, we are looking for enthusiastic people who want to be paid for their time and creativity. If you think you might be interested in joining an organization that provides you with technical, personal, and managerial experience, then please logon to http://sta.alfred.edu and click on Apply Today!

If you have any questions about STA and what we do, please do not hesitate to e-mail us at sta@alfred.edu.

Thank you, John Kalish and Issac Austin STA Directors 2006-2007

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Doctoral dissertation defense

Cathie L. Chester, candidate for the doctor of psychology (Psy.D.), degree will defend her doctoral dissertation, entitled: "Improvement-Focused Program Evaluation of a First-Year Experience Program," on Monday, April 16, 2007, at 4:30 p.m. in the conference room of the Lea R. Powell Institute for Children and Families. This event is open to both faculty members and students.

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Envelopes to give away

Office Services have approximately 130 - 6x9 Kraft padded envelopes to give away. Please stop down to Office Services located in Greene Hall on the first floor to pick up as many as you want.

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Financial Aid -- Scholarship

Scholarship - School of Engineering majors and elementary education (Pre-K-6th grade) majors.

Application deadline is Friday, April 13, 2007. NYS residents (residing in one of the chapter counties), United States citizens, and full-time undergraduates -- you may wish to consider applying for the 2007-08 AU/New York State Federation of Home Bureaus, Inc. scholarship. Open the attachment for more details and application.

Attachment: Eligibility details and Application

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