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Springtime in Paris

Spring in Paris -- what could be better? That is how we feel as well! A wonderful trip is being planned and you should be a part of it. Please plan on attending this informational meeting to find out just what this fantastic trip will be. The meeting is being planned for Monday, Oct. 2, 2006, from 3:30-4:30 p.m. in the Kenyon-Allen Room, located in the Powell Campus Center. Merci

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Al's Poets

Al's Poets will be holding it's first meeting of the semester on Monday Oct. 2, 2006.

Location: Multicultural Suite (first floor in Powell)

Time: 7 p.m.

Who: Everyone is invited

Why: Come and appreciate poetry...okay okay...because I said you should come and express yourself -- or learn how to express yourself through poetry or commentary on other poetry reading.

If you want more info...contact me (Caretta Morris) at csm1@alfred.edu

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AU Ski and Snowboard Club

Event Date: 10/04/2006

Event Time: 7:00 p.m.

Location: Nevins Theater

If you like to ski or snowboard, come to the meeting Wednesday for details on plans for this year's weekly trips plus an extended ski trip in early March. Students, faculty, staff all welcome.

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AU presents 'wickedly funny' production this week

AU Performing Arts presents:

"The Cripple of Inishmaan"

A comedy by

MARTIN McDONAGH

Directed by J. Stephen Crosby

A wickedly funny story about a quirky, lonely, young Irishman whose chief occupation is to stare at cows - and the lives of others who live with him on the barren, isolated island of Inishmaan, off the western coast of Ireland

October 4 - 7 (Wednesday - Saturday)

8:00 PM

C. D. Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center, Alfred University

General Admission: \$5

Students: \$3

AU Students w ID, Children under 12: \$1.

(Strong Language, parental discretion advised)

For reservations, call 607 871-2828 performs@alfred.edu; www.alfred.edu/calendar

Attachment: [Cripple Director's Notes.doc](#)

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Banner 7 overview session -- 2 classes left

BannerINB 7 Overview Session

Banner 7 will be ready for you to use the week of Oct. 23. If you would like to attend a brief overview session of what is new in Banner 7 and have hands-on experience at the same time, please sign up for one of the review sessions.

These sessions will be aimed at Banner INB users primarily since this is the application with the most changes. Please let me know if you are interested in attending a session. It should last no more than an hour and will give you time to access and try out your usual Banner forms. The sessions will be held at the Banner Training Center located in the left wing of Howell Hall.

Dates: Wednesday, Oct. 4, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 10, 10:30 a.m. (almost full)

Give me a call (2602) or send me an e-mail (kirschdj@alfred.edu) if you would like to register for one of the overview sessions listed above.

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National Depression Screening Day 10/5/06

Event Date: 10/05/2006

Event Time: 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Location: Knight Club

The Counseling and Student Development Center staff will offer free, individual mental health screenings for the campus community on 10/5/06 in the Knight Club from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Health and Wellness Education program will also provide an information and give-away table regarding National Mental Illness Awareness Week.

For more information call CSDC 871.2300

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Interested in being an RA?

BE THE DIFFERENCE

Interested in becoming a Resident Assistant?

Attend one of the upcoming informational sessions to find out more about the position.

Informational sessions will be held:

- Thursday, Oct. 5 at 12:30 p.m. in the Kenyon Room in the Powell Campus Center
- Sunday, Oct. 8 at 8 p.m. in the Openhym Lounge

*Applications will be available at both of the informational sessions and are now available to be picked up in the Office of Residence Life in Bartlett Hall.

If you have any questions please contact Claire Gonyo in the Office of Residence Life at 871.2186 or by e-mail gonyoc@alfred.edu.

Attachment: [RA Selection Timeline Fall 2006.doc](#)

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Short terms galore

Wouldn't it be nice to get away this spring? Well it can be done! Listed below are the places where some AU faculty and students are going. Please look into them -- there is still time to sign up.

Belize -- Jan. 5-12, 2007

contacts: Cheryld Emmons emmonsc@alfred.edu

Bob Myers myers@alfred.edu

Italy Business -- Jan. 6-15, 2007

Contacts: Frank Duserick

fduserick@alfred.edu

Amy Rummel

frummel@alfred.edu

Guam -- March 2-10, 2007

Contact: Claret Ruane

ruane@alfred.edu

Paris -- May 14-29, 2007

Contact: Cecilia Beach

fbeach@alfred.edu

Greece/Bulgaria -- May 14-29, 2007

Contact: Luanne Crosby

fclarke@alfred.edu

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Evening study hours at the CDC

Are you looking for a place to study at night?

The Career Development Center (CDC) is offering evening study hours during the fall semester. The CDC has wireless access, five small study rooms, a large room with seating for 22, four PCs and one Mac computer.

The CDC is located in the Steinheim building, above the Powell Campus Center.

Regular Hours

Sept. 17, 2006-Dec. 7, 2006

Sunday-Thursday, 7 p.m.-Midnight

For complete hours, including midterm break, Thanksgiving, and finals week, please see the attached schedule.

Attachment: [Study Hours Fall 2006.pdf](#)

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Register to drive an AU vehicle

Our insurance company requires annual registration for drivers using motor pool vehicles. If you have not completed the paperwork as of July 1, 2006, you will need to do so. Forms are available in the Physical Plant Office. Faculty/staff need to bring their driver's license. Students need their student ID and driver's license.

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Grant information Session for Faculty

Event Date: October 6

Event Time: 3:30

Location: Kenyon Allen Room

Meet with Garth Gregor from AU's Grants and Research office as well as with a panel of faculty who are experienced with grants. Michele Hluchy has written and received grants from the National Science Foundation, and she has served as a reader for the same organization. Doreen Edwards has successfully applied for grants from a number of agencies. Martha Anderson has recently received a grant from the Getty Foundation. If you have successfully applied for a grant, please join us and share your experience, and if you have not, come and find out about the process.

RSVP to fcobb@alfred.edu so I know how many people will be attending

Attachment: [Grant Series.doc](#)

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AU Alumna - "What Veterinary School Is Really Like"

Event Date: 10/10/2006

Event Time: 5:20 pm

Location: Science Center 301

Andrea Williamson (AU'01) third year student at Cornell Veterinary College, will deliver an illustrated talk about her academic and extracurricular activities at AU, her three year research assistant position at the Univ. of Rochester, her extensive animal-related experiences and what veterinary school is "really like". Should be of interest to all students interested in the health professions. Type Andrea Williamson Cornell College of Veterinary Medicine into Google to read about some of Andrea's activities at Cornell. Don't miss this opportunity to hear and speak with an AU alum who sat in the same chairs and took the same courses as you are! See you there! Pizza, veggies, cookies and beverage provided.

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Looking for faculty and staff nominations

The Office of Residence Life has started its RA selection process and we're looking for nominations from faculty and staff.

At this time we are looking for nominations of students that you have had positive interactions with that you think would fit the RA position. We're seeking responsible, motivated students, with positive attitudes and leadership skills.

To nominate students, please contact Claire Gonyo in the Office of Residence Life at 871.2186 or e-mail the name(s) of nominees to gonyoc@alfred.edu.

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2007-08 Tuition Exchange Application

Faculty and Staff -- 2007-08 Tuition Exchange Exports. Reminder: Tuition Exchange Export Application deadline is Sunday, Oct. 15, 2006. If your child is planning to begin college (or transfer to another college) next year, 2007-08, you may wish to explore the schools participating in the Tuition Exchange (TE) Program. Renewal TE Export applications are also subject to the deadline of 10/15/06.

To complete the AU Human Resource TR/TE Dependent Child application, required of all applicants, please link to: <http://contribute.alfred.edu/portals/hr/docs/TRTEForm.doc>

To complete the AU Tuition Exchange Export Application, please open the attachment to this announcement.

Link for more information: <http://www.tuitionexchange.org>

Attachment: [TE Export App and General Instructions .doc](#)

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