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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
10:00 Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center 5:15 Yoga Classes 6:00 'Delicate Decisions: Jessica Detweiler and Luc Hamm' 7:00 Welcome:New Faculty & Technical Specialists in the Division of Ceramic Art Opening Reception Cohen Gallery	12:10 Bergren Forum 'When is a Planet Not a Planet?' 10:00 Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center 4:30 Matt Wedel Artist Talk 5:15 Thursdays at the Newman Club 7:00 Turner Gallery Opening Material Femininity Opening Reception Cohen Gallery	6:00 Sharing Space Learning Place 8:30 Reith Lecture Series - BBC Radio 4 Host, Grayson P • Opening Reception Cohen Gallery

Brief Cable TV Disruption

On Tuesday and Wednesday, March 1 and 2, ITS will be working to improve the cable TV signal across campus. As part of the testing and potential repair, cable TV service may be briefly disrupted.

We apologize for the disruption. We are hopeful that we can make some improvement to the overall quality of service.

Submitted by: Gary Roberts

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May Graduates - Time to Order Regalia @ AU Bookstore

All May graduates, it is time to order regalia! Stop into the AU Bookstore to place your order for cap, gown, tassel, and hood BY Thursday, March 24, 2016.

We need your height, degree title being earned, and payment information to place your order. Bachelor complete unit (cap, gown, tassel, hood) \$63.96 plus tax, master \$67.96 plus tax.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Accounting for Time During Weather Closing

Employees are reminded that only "Essential Personnel" who were specifically called in to work during this week's weather closing will be paid for those hours actually worked.

If you reported to work, but were not required to do so, you must report the hours that you were here on your time sheet and will be paid only for those hours. If you were not required to be here but were already scheduled for vacation or were sick you must report your hours as vacation or sick.

If you were not "essential" and did not report to work you will record your time as "excused" and make a note in the comment section "Weather Day."

Supervisors must confirm with the Vice President or Provost for their area whether or not a person is considered "essential" before they approve time worked during the shutdown.

If you have any questions please contact the Payroll Office or Human Resources.

Submitted by: Mark Guinan

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Water Shut Down

Beginning at 8 a.m. Monday, March 7, water in Miller 2, the Steinheim, Tredennick, and the Science Center will be shut down for repairs.

Sorry for any inconvenience.

Physical Plant

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Learn to Relax for Better Sleep

Join Dr. Beth Johnson for a 20-minute session on relaxation techniques for better sleep.

When: Wednesday, March 2 Where: Kenyon/Allen Room

Time: 12:30 P.M.

Also, stop on over to the Wellness Center's table on sleep. We will be set up from 12:15-1:15 p.m. on the second floor of Powell, giving away free ear plugs and eye masks as well as information on sleep apps and a chance to check out the Wellness Center's sleep trackers.

Submitted by: Amanda Khodorkovskaya

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Political Science Club Meeting

Wednesday at 6 p.m. in Olin Rm. 306; come discuss politics, policies, and philosophy.

Submitted by: Quintin Reed

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Reith Lecture Series - BBC Radio 4 Host, Grayson Perry (4 Part)

Date: Friday, Feb. 19 & Friday, March 4

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Location: Holmes Auditorium

Cost: N/A

Sponsored: Extended Print Media

Parts 1 and 2 of the 4 part Reith Lecture Series will be played in the Holmes Auditorium - open to anyone wishing to attend. This is an audio recording of the annual event produced by BBC Radio 4 featuring host Grayson Perry - ceramist, author and cross-dresser extraordinaire.

Lecture #1: Democracy Has Bad Taste (Fri Feb 19th) 90 mins

Lecture #2: Beating the Bounds (Fri March 4th) 45 mins

Lecture #3/4: After Spring Break Start time: 8:30 a.m.

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Sharing Space Learning Place

Hornell Community Art Center (on the Broadway Mall) Friday, March 4, 6-8:30 P.M.

Free and open to the public of all ages.

Cold? Hungry? Hankering for some conversation?

Free Food, Hot Chocolate, Seeds, and Handmade glass beads.

Build a birdhouse, play with puppets, and connect over stories.

This collaborative art exhibition reflects on social interactions and the evolution of community relationships within the context of Hornell. Through a variety of mediums and methods, each project provides an opportunity to learn about Hornell's inhabitants and environment. These interactive installations serve to bring the nuances of Hornell to light and foster imagination.

Works by: Emma Percy, Brenna Hahne, Faith Lanfear, Dan Cohen, Isaiah Palmeri, and Ian Allen

An exhibition by the participants in Space and Place, a course offered by the Sculpture/Dimensional Studies Division of the School of Art and Design at Alfred University. The class spends the semester working in the Hornell Community Arts Center, conducting research around and about the City of Hornell, and creating events that engage the community.

This is the first event of the semester. The second will be the Hornell Art Walk on Saturday, April 30, and will feature projects at various locations throughout the city.

For more information: HornellCommunityArts@gmail.com

Attachment: poster

Submitted by: Brett Hunter

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Soup for the Soul

Homemade soup dinners to go! Order by Friday, March 18. Profits to benefit the Eaklor Medical Expenses Fund.

Dinners include choice of homemade soup, tossed salad, roll, and cookies. The cost is \$10.

Tickets available at the AU Bookstore or contact Laurie McFadden, Beth Ann Dobie, Laurel Buckwalter, Sandra Singer, or Karen Porter.

Pick up is Thursday, March 24 from 4-6 p.m. at the Herrick Library Staff Room (back door of Herrick).

Submitted by: Elizabeth Dobie

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AU Scholarship Opportunity

Scholarship - School of Engineering majors (one scholarship award estimated value of \$750) and Childhood Education (Pre-K-6th grade) majors (one scholarship award estimated value \$900). Application deadline is Monday, March 21, 2016.

NYS residents (residing in one of the Home Bureau's chapter counties), United States citizens, and full-time undergraduates --- you are invited to apply for the 2016-17 AU/NYS Federation of Home Bureaus, Inc., scholarship.

Open the attachment for more details and application.

Attachment: Scholarship Details & Application

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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TIAA-CREF Consultant on Campus

A TIAA-CREF consultant will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Wednesday, March 16, in the Human Resources Conference Room in Greene Hall.

Let him help you make financial decisions that are right for you. To schedule an appointment, employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.800.732.8353; remain on the line for assistance.

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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AU Photo Library Online - Gallery Server Pro

AU has a new searchable photo library, Gallery Server Pro (http://gsp.alfred.edu), accessible to AU faculty/staff. This library contains a wide variety of downloadable AU images ranging from seasonal campus scenics, to classrooms/labs, to selected campus events. To access, please go to our.alfred.edu and scroll down the left-hand side to Faculty/Staff. Click on Faculty/Staff and scroll down to Gallery Server Pro.

Gallery Server images are cataloged by semester, by month and by topic, and as new photo assignments are completed, additional images will be cataloged and posted on a regular basis. The photos are extensively tagged to assist in searches for specific subjects.

NOTE: The images have been carefully selected from more extensive photo sessions that include alternative views and formats (landscape vs portrait). Those images are archived separately and you will need to contact Rick McLay, director of Creative Services at 2736 (mclay@alfred.edu) to inquire about those additional images. There is also a separate folder dedicated to faculty/staff portraits, many of which were completed the week of Aug. 17, 2015.

BEFORE YOU DOWNLOAD

The primary use of many of these images is for Admissions and University Relations marketing efforts in both printed and web formats. In order to keep track of downloads (except for faculty/staff portraits), please contact Rick McLay (mclay@alfred.edu) or Judy Linza (linza@alfred.edu) with information on which images you are downloading, and where they are going to be used.

TO DOWNLOAD

Access to Gallery Server requires AU username/password to review images and to download in three formats: 1. Thumbnail (small image), 2. Web optimized (low resolution but full size), and 3. Original (high resolution). To download the image of your choice, use the download/share icon, which is the one on the left in the icon grouping above each image, and follow the directions.

ADDING PHOTOS TO THE AU PHOTO LIBRARY

We welcome the opportunity to obtain images from faculty and staff. Though much effort goes into documenting as many things as possible on campus, it is impossible to cover it all. When there are events such as art shows, or special lab/classroom activities that faculty/staff are photographing, we would very much like to review those images so that the library is as comprehensive as possible. Please contact Rick McLay if you have images that you think should be considered for this.

ATHLETICS PHOTOS

Current images of athletics events are available at (http://gosaxons.com). By contractual arrangement with the professional photographer, there will be a charge for athletics images. Mark Whitehouse, AU's Sports Information director (whitehouse.alfred.edu), is the contact regarding usage.

If you have any questions or suggestions for photos you want cataloged and included, please contact Rick McLay at mclay@alfred.edu or Ext. 2736. If a student requests access, please contact Rick McLay.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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AAA Discounts for All Students, Staff, and Faculty

Take advantage of our new AAA membership benefits for students and employees. Please see the attachments (separate flyers for students and employees) for details. This promotion is valid through June 30, 2016.

Attachment: collegepromo.pdf

Attachment: suny.pdf

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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Ride Board

Need a ride home or back to campus from break? Search for a ride or post a ride that you can offer to someone else.

Link: Ride Board

Submitted by: Judy Linza

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