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What's Happening?

More Events...

TODAY	TOMORROW	THURSDAY
11:30 MS/MSE Thesis Defense - Michael S. Saterlie	9:00 Joshua Bienko Visits Campus!	10:20 SOE Graduate Seminar
1:00 Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center	12:20 What I Know Wednesdays -- Maple Syrup!	12:10 Bergren Forum - Heather Yanda, Poetry Reading
3:30 Women's Tennis Match	Junior/Senior Seminar Series - Starting Sept. 8	1:00 Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center
6:30 AU Dance Theater Auditions 6:30 Tuesday	1:00 Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center	4:00 Women's Tennis Match
7:00 Volleyball Game	2:30 MS/MSE Thesis Defense - Brian M. Adams	
8:30 International Folk Dancing	3:00 Men's Soccer Game	
	5:00 High Holy Day Services	
	7:00 Global Awareness	

Water Shutoff 9/7 at Cohen Art Center/Gallery, Greene Hall

There is a water main break on Main Street near the Cohen Gallery. The Village will be shutting the water off to the Cohen Gallery, Cohen Art Center, and Greene Hall on Tuesday, 9/7/10, from 5-11 a.m. for repair.

The buildings will be open for use, but will not have water or rest room service.

Thank you for your cooperation during this repair.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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McMahon Construction Notice

As of today, Sept. 1, construction will be starting on the McMahon Engineering Building, 3rd floor, north wing. Due to the construction, the back courtyard parking lot and some of the North end parking will be closed. The back access lane will be closed to through traffic and pedestrian passage.

The north rear entry and the back courtyard entry will be inaccessible for entry and used as Emergency Exits Only.

Thank you for your cooperation during construction. For any questions or concerns, please contact the NYSCC Maintenance Office at 871.2460.

Submitted by: Beth Cartella

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Counseling and Health Services Closed 9/10 from 9 am to 11 am

The Wellness Center Counseling and Health Services will be closed Thursday, 9/10 from 9 to 11 a.m. for a Division meeting. For health emergencies, call 911 or Public Safety (x2108) for assistance.

Submitted by: Kimberly O'Rourke

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Office of Residence Life Closed Thursday Morning

The Office of Residence Life will be closed the morning of Thursday, Sept. 9 so that staff may attend the 2010-11 Student Affairs Kick-Off. The office will re-open at 1 p.m.

Submitted by: Karen Porter

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Is Your Information Correct for the Directory?

It is time to make sure information is correct for the publication of the 2010-11 AU Faculty/Staff Directory. To check your business phone and office location, use the Outlook Global Address list to verify your information. This data is pulled directly from Banner and is the same information used for the Directory and Employee Phone List.

Corrections to your office information can be requested by using the Personnel Data Form below and forwarding it to Human Resources.

The numbers for emergencies, department phones and fax are not housed in Banner. Please review the attachments to make sure the numbers are correct for your area. Changes to department information can be e-mailed to costello@alfred.edu.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR INFORMATION IS CORRECT SO THAT OUR DIRECTORY IS ACCURATE!

Link: [Personnel Data Form](#)

Attachment: [Office Phone List](#)

Attachment: [Most Frequently Called and Emergency Numbers](#)

Submitted by: Kathy Costello

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Artist Joshua Bienko Visits Campus!

The public is welcome to join us for Studio Visits, the new Wednesday morning lecture and live interview show series! First up is artist Joshua Bienko.

Bienko's work combines the style of the Flemish masters with the ironic wit of an astute social critic. His precise execution of technique is more of an authentic mental exercise than an emotionally driven expression. What emerges is a heartfelt distance from his subject.

His videos, photographs, paintings, interactive sculptures, audio tracks and drawings are nationally and internationally exhibited.

He is a member of the faculty in the Department of Visualization at Texas A&M University. To learn more go to <http://www.joshuabienko.c...>

The Studio Visits lecture + live interview show is a project of the SoAD Foundations Program, with the support and creative energy of the Sculpture Graduate Program.

Link: <http://alfredfoundations.com/>

Attachment: [Alfred21.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Michelle Illuminato

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Alpha Groups Start This Week!

Alpha is an opportunity to explore the meaning of life in a relaxed, friendly setting. Questions like - Is there a God? Why am I here? Where did I come from? Where am I going? will be discussed. No question about God is too simple or complex. Everyone is welcome!

Interested? Pick one of these nights:
Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m. in Kruson Lounge
Thursdays at 7 p.m. in Phillips Lounge

Submitted by: Marissa Tousley

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Fall Intramurals - Last Chance to Enter!

AU Intramural Sports and Recreation

TEAMS AND LEAGUES FORMING --- SIGN UP NOW

TEAM ROSTERS/SIGNUPS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL Wednesday, Sept. 8
GAMES WILL BEGIN WEEK OF 9/13/10

In attempt to make things easier for scheduling, I have listed the days of participation. Please note that there are several different sports on each evening, so you should only plan to do one each evening. The times listed below are tentative and are subject to change according to Varsity Sports' practice times.

Fall Events:

Kickball (10 Players) Monday Nights 6 - 10 PM
Flag Football 6 v 6 Monday Nights 9:30 - 11PM
Tennis (Doubles and Singles) Tuesday Nights 7:30 - 10 PM
6 v 6 soccer (men's) Tuesday Nights 7 :30 - 10 PM
Basketball 3 v 3 Tournament (Open) Wednesday Nights 7:30 - 10 PM
Slow Pitch Softball Wednesday Nights 6 - 10 PM
6 v 6 soccer (coed) Thursday Nights 7:30 - 10 PM
Volleyball 6 v 6 (coed) Thursday Nights 7:30 - 10 PM

You may register your team by dropping off your completed roster to the drop off box at the Intramural Bulletin board in the lower level of the McLane Center. Blank roster forms are available at the bulletin board as well. You may also e-mail your roster to millerst@alfred.edu

All rosters must be submitted by the "due date".

FAQ's

How do I join a team to sign up?

AU Intramurals Sports and Recreation invites all AU students, faculty and staff to participate. You are encouraged to create your own teams with friends, classmates and neighbors. If you are unable to connect with a group you may contact the director of IM Sports and Recreation for assistance in joining another team.

Who can I have on my team?

Current Varsity/ JV Athletes. No more than 2 varsity/junior varsity athletes may participate on IM Sports teams in the sport, or associated sport, in which they competed at the intercollegiate level. An athlete that appeared on an intercollegiate roster at any time during the current academic year is considered a varsity/junior varsity athlete.

Former Varsity/JV Athletes.

Former varsity/junior varsity athletes may participate on IM Sports teams without restriction provided they have not appeared on varsity/junior varsity rosters at any time during the current academic year.

What kind of leagues/events are available?

Men's Open: All male students or faculty/staff members are eligible to play in this league. Women may compete on a men's league team. Non-student female spouses of students and male spouses of faculty/staff members are not eligible.

Women's: All female students and faculty/staff members are eligible for this league. Non-student female spouses of students and female spouses of faculty/staff members are not eligible.

Special Interest Groups: Certain leagues may be created to foster competition within special interest groups. These include, but are not limited to Residence Hall, and International student groups.

Submitted by: Scott Miller

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What I Know Wednesdays -- Mark McFadden and Maple Sugaring!

What does Mark McFadden know? Mark knows how to make maple syrup! Yum! On Wednesday, Sept. 8t from 12:20-1:10 p.m. come to the WLC, bring a lunch and learn what Mark McFadden knows! Hear him talk about maple syrup and its processing, ask your questions, and you too will know what Mark McFadden knows! Free samples will be available! BYOP...Bring Your Own Pancakes!

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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Bergren Forum - Heather Yanda, Poetry Reading

The Bergren Forum sponsored by the Division of Human Studies will be meeting at 12:10 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 9 in the Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center.

Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee and tea are complementary.

Speaker: Heather Yanda

Topic: "Because everyone has a story to tell--a poetry reading"

Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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ALANA Dinner

Do you know what ALANA is? ALANA stands for African, Latino, Asian and Native American, also represents the diversity on the AU campus.

The ALANA dinner is going to be held next Friday, Sept. 10 at 6 p.m. in the Knight Club, Powell Campus Center.

Each year, various multicultural clubs gather to introduce new leadership and unveil exciting plans at the dinner. It is a great opportunity to meet new friends and share your culture, too. It is a free and semi-formal dinner; the sign-up sheet is located at the info desk in Powell. Hope to see you there!

Submitted by: Adrian To

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Alfred Ice Hockey Informational Meeting

The Alfred Hockey team will be having an informational meeting this Wednesday on the Alfred State Campus, in the town house commons building at 6:30 p.m. Please e-mail auhockey@alfred.edu or aschockey@alfredstate.edu for more information or a map; hope to see you there!

Submitted by: AU Hockey Club

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Global Awareness Round Table

-Colombia
Mariluz Ortiz Vergara

Wednesday, Sep 8th 2010
Knight Club Campus Center @ 7:00-8 pm

The presentation will cover a broad range of topics dealing with Colombia's history, culture, politics, language, and more. It is designed as a first introduction but will also deliver a unique perspective on the presenter's native country.

The Global Awareness Roundtable is a monthly event designed to introduce the Alfred community to a variety of cultures from around the world. This informal gathering gives our international faculty, students and alumni the opportunity to introduce participants to countries as diverse as Japan, Guatemala and Tunisia. Students who have lived, studied or worked abroad also share their experiences and observations. Presentations cover a wide range of topics including history, traditions, art, music and food. This event is supported by the liberal Arts College and the language department. If you are interested in participating or have any questions please contact Zakia Robana @ 871-2880

Submitted by: Zakia Robana

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High Holy Day Services

Celebration of the Jewish High Holy Days begins on Wednesday, Sept. 8, with the Rosh Hashanah Dinner.

Location: Susan Howell Hall

Event Date(s): 09/08/2010

Time: 5- 7 p.m.

Attachment: **High Holy Days 2010**

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Volleyball Club

The Volleyball Club is open to all students, faculty and staff.

We are playing each Tuesday and Thursday outside at 6 p.m. next to the tennis courts as long as the weather is OK. Otherwise we play in Davis Gym starting at 8:30 p.m.

Please contact H. Giesche for further details (giesche@alfred.edu).

Submitted by: Herbert Giesche

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Office Services and Procurement Services Join Forces

Office Services and Procurement Services have joined forces to better serve the needs of the campus. Through these efforts we are better equipped to provide departments with opportunities to save time and money.

Our goal is to streamline procedures, create a better work flow, focus on key vendors, and standardize the purchasing process through collaborative efforts with departments.

Our staff - Lynne Billings, Shelly Grant, Sue Peck, Mary Schaumberg, and Donna Sturdevant - can be reached by calling x2698, or e-mailing procurement@alfred.edu. Our office is located on the first floor of Greene Hall. We look forward to assisting with your office needs.

More updates to follow in Alfred Today.

Submitted by: Sue Peck

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ITS Faculty & Staff Trainings

ITS is pleased to offer the following training sessions for faculty and staff:

Blackboard

Learn how to manage course content, assignments, and communication.

Tuesday 9/7, 2-3 p.m.

Thursday 9/9, 10-11 a.m.

Windows 7

This session is an overview of the Windows 7 operating system. It may be helpful to any faculty or staff member who has received a new computer this summer.

Wednesday 9/8, 10-11 a.m.

Turnitin.com Plagiarism Prevention

This session will explore AU's plagiarism prevention service. Participants will create an account and learn how to submit student work.

Thursday 9/9, 1-2 p.m.

All trainings will be held in 306 Perlman Hall. If you would like to attend one of these sessions, please contact Meghanne Freivald at 607.871.2363 or via e-mail to reserve your seat.

Submitted by: Meghanne Freivald

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NY Times Newspaper Subscription Available

NY Times daily newspaper subscription is available through the AU Bookstore. We offer the educational price each semester. The subscription is M-F does not include Sunday, and available for pick-up at the bookstore daily after 1:30 p.m.

For this Fall semester, newspaper delivery starts Monday Aug. 30- Dec. 3 for \$32. There are no papers during fall break and Thanksgiving break. Please sign up at the bookstore.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Full-time Staff Update August 2010

The following have joined the Alfred University Community as full-time staff members:

Kaitlynn E. Frawley, advancement services assistant, University Relations

Robert A. Freeland, grounds/landscaper, Physical Plant

Jeffrey K. Grover, equipment/facilities/fitness manager, Athletic Department

Jodi L. Howe, senior financial analyst, Business Office

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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