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7:00 Nick Cave Artist Reception at the Fosdick-Nelson Gallery	12:30 BIAS Response Team Stopping Hate on Campus!	10:00 Pet Pals is Raising Cash for Critters12:00 Engineering Career Fair		
8:20 SUNY Lifesaver CPR- AED Training	3:30 Women's Tennis Match	12:10 Bergren Forum - 'Diversity, Social		
2:30 MS/BMES Thesis Defense - Qi Zhang	8:00 Production of 'The Runner Stumbles'	Change in Southwestern China'		
5:00 Career Conversation		3:20 Master Classes by Resident Artist Nick		

Women's Soccer Game 8:30 International Folk Dancing	7:30	Cave Phi Beta Kappa Fellows Lecture - Lori Damrosch
		Phi Beta Kappa Speaker - Lori Damrosch
	8:00	Production of 'The Runner Stumbles'

Are You a Davis Gym User?

As we plan for relocating everything after the planned summer 2009 demolition of Davis Gym, we need to hear from all the clubs, sports, and groups that regularly use Davis. Please send an e-mail to **studentaffairs@alfred.edu** and let us know your name, your group, how often you use Davis and what you do in that space. If you are currently authorized to store equipment there, please note that as well. Thank you for helping us prepare for this transition.

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University Judicial Board and Peer Review Board Recruitment

We are currently recruiting students, faculty, and staff members to serve on our University Judicial Boards. Our judicial system is designed to hold students accountable for the Student of Conduct, change problematic behavior through a structured educational process, and protect the University community. The judicial system enables the campus community to take an active role in the judicial hearing process.

Board members need to posses strong interpersonal and communication skills, sound judgment, personal integrity, and demonstrate respect for others. Hearings are scheduled on an as needed basis. Serving on a board depends on your schedule and availability.

If you are interested, please contact judicial@alfred.edu or x2132.

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AU Logotype and Style Manual Now Online!

The Communications Office gets many requests for the official Alfred University logotype for print, Web, and other purposes. For the convenience of the campus community, we have created several different downloadable formats, including jpegs, PDFs and eps files, along with instructions and guidelines for usage.

Simply go to our.alfred.edu, go to the "Faculty/Staff" link and look for AU Logotype & Style Manual on the drop down menu.

(The AU Logo files link is http://our.alfred.edu/aut...)

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'The Runner Stumbles' Opens This Week

"The Runner Stumbles" is a suspenseful murder mystery/psychological drama lush with intrigue and intensity as it tells a compelling story centered on a smalltown parish priest and a nun who have to deal with the conflict between forbidden love and religious vows. The play is based on an actual early 1900s trial for the murder of a nun in a rural Michigan community.

The pay is directed by J. Stephen Crosby and runs Wednesday-Saturday, Oct. 1 - 4, 8 p.m., in the CD Smith III Theatre, Miller Performing Arts Center.

Tickets are availabe via the virtual Box Office, by e-mailing **performs@alfred.edu** with your information (day, number of tickets) or calling the Box Office, 871.2828. Link: **Box Office for Miller Performing Arts Center**

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SHADES General Meeting

In honor of Hispanic Heritage month we will be having a meeting based on Latin women on several topics.

Come out and learn something new and contribute to others too.

Shades will be meeting Tuesday at 5 p.m. in the Multicultural Suite.

Any questions contact shades@alfred.edu

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Pet Pals is Raising Cash for Critters!

This Thursday, Oct. 2, Pet Pals will be selling gently loved, used, stuffed animals to raise funds for the Hornell Area Humane Society. Most animals will sell for \$1 - \$3 each. We will be at a table on the 2nd floor of the Powell Campus Center from 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

The Humane Society is also in need of supplies if you would rather donate items. They are looking for bleach, dish soap, paper towels, postage stamps, laundry detergent, dry kitten food (they currently have 80 cats), and clay-type litter. Their complete list of needs is on their Web site at www.hornellanimalshelter.....

We will collect these items all week in the CSI office on the 2nd floor of Powell Campus Center.

Isn't there someone you know that could use some cheering up? Pick up one or two and put it in their Powell Box. You'll make someone smile and the animals will thank you!

Unaware of what Pet Pals is? It's a club formed to give students an opportunity to interact with animals. If you are interested in knowing more, just contact **rac3@alfred.edu** or **bankern@alfred.edu**.

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Free Resume Paper! All Day Walk-In Hours!

The Career Development Center will host walk-in hours all day on Wednesday, Oct. 1 from 8:30 a.m.-8 p.m. to help students prepare for the Engineering Career Fair, which is taking place on Oct. 2. All students are encouraged to stop by the CDC on Oct.r 1 for a resume critique and FREE RESUME PAPER!

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ITS Trainings Available for Faculty and Staff!

Microsoft Office 2007: Learn how to put the tabs and buttons to use and find the tools you need!

Seats are still available: Friday 10/3, 8:30-10 a.m. Monday 10/6, 10-11:30 a.m. Tuesday 10/7, 3-4:30 p.m.

Blackboard: Learn how to manage your courses, upload documents, and create quizzes and assignments.

This training will be availabe: Wednesday 10/1, 3-4:30 p.m. Thursday 10/2, 9-10:30 a.m. Monday 10/6, 1:30-3 p.m. Wednesday 10/8, 8:30-10 a.m.

These workshops will be made available throughout the semester. All trainings will be held in Perlman Hall, room 306. To sign-up for one of these sessions, please contact Meghanne Freivald at 871.2363 or via email.

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Register Today! Public Speaking Workshop

Saturday, Oct. 18 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. at the WLC

Presented by Enid Borden '72, President and CEO, Meals On Wheels Association of America

Advance Reservations Required. Whether you are a great public speaker or cringe at the thought of getting up in front of others, this workshop will provide practice and pointers on how to speak with confidence.

Lunch included. Register with a friend.

Register by Friday, Oct. 10 at Noon! Seats are Limited! wlc@alfred.edu or x2971

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Homecoming 2008!

Homecoming 2008 festivities begin on Saturday, Oct. 4 with the Tailgate Picnic at the tent on McLane Lawn. Join us between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. for a pre-game picnic, sponsored by the AU Alumni Association.

Tickets prices are \$10 for adults, \$5 for AU students, faculty and staff, and children 12 and under eat

Following the Tailgate, head to Merrill Field and don your purple and gold as the Saxons take on the Norwich Cadets at 1 p.m. Gather at the Halftime Reception Tent on Merrill Field for a complimentary reception co-sponsored by the Alumni Association and the Friends of Saxon Athletics. Watch the crowning of the Homecoming King and Queen at the half as well.

After an afternoon of football, enjoy a free recital at the Davis Memorial Carillon by University Carillonneur Laurel Buckwalter.

Homecoming events conclude with the induction of four new members into the Athletic Hall of Fame. Celebrate with Al Brown, Eric Winkky '90, Val DiFlorio '91, and Peter McClean '92. The Hall of Fame reception begins at 5 p.m. in Kenyon-Allen, and dinner follows at 6 p.m. in the Knight Club. Hall of Fame reception/dinner tickets are \$30 per person.

For more Homecoming information or to register to attend, please visit our Web site at **www.alfred.edu/alumni**, or contact the Office of Alumni and Community Relations by phone at 607.871.2144, or by e-mail to **alumni@alfred.edu**.

We hope you can join us!

Link: Register for Homecoming 2008!
Attachment: Homecoming 2008 flyer
Attachment: Homecoming Event Schedule

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AMA Meeting

The American Marketing Association will be meeting on Thursday, Oct. 2 at 5 p.m. in Olin 400. Students of ALL majors are welcome, there will be several opportunities for involvement.

See you there!

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ATS Council Seeks Feedback About Four-Day Work Week

The Administrative/Technical Specialists Council is surveying its constituents regarding the concept of a four-day work week. Please take a moment to complete this survey which hopes to inventory current hours and opinions about any possible changes.

Link: http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=cx_2f0CvgAlk

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Can a Team That Plays Together Work Together Too?

Can a team that plays together work together too? Tricia Debertolis

Wednesday, Oct. 1

6:30-7:30 p.m.

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Susan Howell Hall

Do you think that all groups have to work hard to get anything done? What about having fun? We will explore ways to create a more effective and efficient team by having fun.

Workshop is part of the Leadership Certificate Program

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Free Stuff! From Residence Hall Council!

Residence Hall Council meeting, Tuesday, Sept. 29 at 7:30 p.m. in the MacNamera Room, 1st floor of Powell.

Residence Hall Council gives free stuff to the residence halls. If there is something that you think your residence hall should have that it doesn't (i.e. kitchen supplies, games, supplies for bathrooms), come to the meeting and let us know. We can get it for you!

We can also help improve residence halls. Is there something you think should be changed about your residence hall, or residence halls in general? Come voice your opinions.

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Visiting Artists/Speakers Series - Harp + Silver

Joining the ranks of great romantic collaborators such as Gilbert and George, Christo and Jean Claude, George and Gracie Burns, Helen and Newton Harrison, and Bugs Bunny and Elmer Fudd, Harp and Silver began working together in 2003. Finding inspiration in their shared interests and opportunity in the range of their skill sets, they have created a series of projects including objects, installations, single channel videos, and performances.

Location: Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall

Event Date(s): 10/21/2008

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New Shifts Available @ Cyber Fresh Cafe

THE FOLLOWING SHIFTS ARE NOW AVAILABLE @ CYBER FRESH CAFE:

SUN. THRU SAT. (7 SHIFTS AVAILABLE) 6-10:30 p.m.

SAT. & SUN. (2 SHIFTS AVAILABLE) 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

COME AND BE PART OF OUR TEAM HERE AT CYBER FRESH CAFE

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Shifts Still Available @ Midnight Express

WE STILL HAVE SHIFTS AVAILABLE ON FRIDAY & SATURDAY 11 P.M.--CL IN MIDKNIGHT EXPRESS. THESE SHIFTS HAVE A SHIFT DIFFERENCIAL IN PAY. SO STOP BY AND SEE ANNETTE AND SIGN UP TODAY.

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Attention Pre-health-Related Majors

Are you considering a career in health professions (such as MD, DVM, Dentistry, Physical Therapy, Public Health, etc.)? The Pre-Health Professions Advisory Committee needs to know who you are so that we can help you. Please contact Mark McFadden at **mcfaddenm@alfred.edu** with the following information:

- 1) your name
- 2) your year in college
- 3) your college
- 4) your major or concentration
- 5) your academic advisor
- 6) the health profession you are considering

We look forward to helping you,

AU Pre-Health Professions Advisory Committee

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Award-winning Songwriter Meg Hutchinson at Creative Arts Center

Award winning songwriter Meg Hutchinson to perform at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center.

"Elegant and free-floating melodies that feel both modern and rooted" - The Boston Globe

Originally from rural western-most Massachusetts, Hutchinson now lives in the Boston area. Although only 29, she has already won numerous songwriting awards in the US, Ireland and UK, including recognition from prestigious competitions at Merlefest, NewSong, Kerrville, Falcon Ridge, Telluride and Rocky Mountain Folks Fests. She recently signed with Red House Records for the March 4th release of her new album "Come Up Full." Meg Hutchinson will perform Saturday, Oct. 4, 2008.

Show time is 8 p.m./doors open at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10 advance purchase/\$12 door. Member/Student tickets are \$9 advance purchase/\$10 door. All ages welcome. Tickets may be purchased online, in advance at: **www.WellsvilleCreativeArt...**, or at the Art Center Coffee House. For more information, visit the above Web site, or call 585.593.3000.

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WAGE Project Newsletter Cites AU

The following appeared in the most recent WAGE Project Newsletter:

Trained Facilitators Conduct First \$tart \$mart Workshop of the Season

Facilitators Amy Jacobson and Jill Crandall conducted a \$tart \$mart workshop for students at Alfred University on Tuesday September 17, 2008. Sponsored by the campus Women's Leadership Center and Career Development Center, the training is the first of what will be twice-yearly \$tart \$smart offerings at Alfred. Interest in the pay gap and salary negotiation skyrocketed on Alfred's campus after a spring 2007 visit from Evelyn Murphy, and an AAUW-sponsored documentary project about the pay gap called Dreams to Reality. \$tart \$mart also counts toward the requirements of a new Leadership Certificate Program at Alfred. Facilitators Amy and Jill were pleased by the high level of interaction during the training. Most participants had personal stories to share, and were glad to receive concrete tips for how to approach these situations in the future. The three male participants were equally engaged, and appreciated hearing real-life examples of how men encounter and can redress the pay gap.

WAGE commends Alfred University for its leadership in preparing its graduating students to earn what they are worth. Especially in these tense economic times, this initiative on the part of the University is both timely and exceptional.

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Charity Auction Presentation

Wednesday, Oct. 1, 4:30 p.m. Nevins Theater

Gia Michael will be sharing her experience, photos, and video of a village named Orchha in India where a school has been created to educate, feed, and clothe children of the untouchables class within the Indian social caste system. The presentation will start off the donation time of artwork for the Art Union Silent Art Auction, the proceeds of which are for the school in Orchha, called the Maya Free School (founded by Eeva Schult from Finland).

Donations will be taken the entire month of October. Please take your donations to the Art Office (2nd floor Harder Hall), Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Link: Maya Free School

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More Information on U.S. News Video Request

During the past week, we've received several great questions that we felt it would be helpful to answer these questions for everyone. So here goes:

- 1. Why is the link not working?: If your link to the contest is not working, cut and past this link **www.usnews.com/youtubecon...** > into your browser and it should work from there.
- 2. Can faculty members submit videos?: Yes, students, staff and faculty members are encouraged to submit videos for the contest.
- 3. When does the contest end?: Midnight, October 31, 2008
- 4. Does the entrant retain the rights to their work?: The applicant is free to reuse the video once it's been submitted. However, by participating, each Entrant hereby grants U.S.News & World Report the right to use, copy, sublicense, transmit, distribute, publicly perform, publish, delete or display such Video, or any portion thereof, in any media.

Please let me know if you have any further questions. I am also happy to assist with press releases, student-written articles or any other method that is undertaken to spread the word.

We look forward to seeing your videos soon!

Christie Garton Manager, Audience & Business Development U.S. News & World Report

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A Social Research Conference at The New School

Commemorating the 75th Anniversary of the University in Exile Free Inquiry at Risk:

Universities in Dangerous Times

Join us as a group of experts discuss trends that are reshaping universities around the world. What are the benefits and what are the risks to academic freedom and free inquiry as universities navigate rapid globalization, international collaborations, massification, corporate partnerships, growing franchises, regime change, and other conditions of duress?

Keynote Event: Aryeh Neier, President, Open Society Institute in conversation with endangered scholars from Ethiopia, Zimbabwe, Belarus, and China.

The New School Tishman Auditorium, Alvin Johnson/J. M. Kaplan Hall 66 West 12th Street, New York City Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, Oct. 29, 30, and 31, 2008

Conference Tickets: \$30 (\$10 for a single session) Free for Full-time Students and New School Alumni

To register or for more information: call 212.229.5776 x3121, email **socres@newschool.edu**,

or visit us online at www.newschool.edu/freeinq....

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Autumn lineup of fall classes at the Wellsville Creative Arts Center

Advanced Cake Decorating with Pam Eastman Monday,, Sept. 29, 2008 (6-8:15 p.m.)

The Other Side of the Looking Glass with Susan Williams Beckhorn An Introduction to writing children's books Mondays, Oct. 6-Nov. 10, 2008 (6 p.m.-8:15 p.m.)

Luminous Landscape Painting with Mikel Wintermantel Saturday, Nov. 8 & Sunday, Nov. 9, 2008 (10 a.m.-4:30 p.m.)

For more information about these and other workshops, please visit the WCAC's website at www.WellsvilleCreativeArt... < http://www.wellsvillecrea...> or call 585-593-3000

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16th Annual Ridgewalk & Run - Sunday, Oct. 19

Did you know the highest ridge in Western New York is just a few miles from Alfred? Alma Hill (2,548') features some geological features and fauna seldom seen in New York State.

Wellsville's Ridgewalk & Run is one of the largest family oriented, participatory events in the region offering a palette of wellness choices. This versatile morning outdoors is geared to all fitness levels - from the novice to the experienced athlete.

Sunday, Oct. 19 Ridgewalk & Run will once again feature spectacular trail walks and competitive runs along linked parcels of private land open one day for public use. Ridgewalk & Run offers walking distances of 6, 9, or 14 miles, a casual 2-mile road walk; as well as competition for prizes and awards in the 5K, 10K, and 14 Mile Trail Runs.

All Ridgewalk events conclude at a horse farm four miles south of Wellsville. Busing provided to trail heads as well as to and from the finish line and registration.

Don't wait to sign up! Ridgewalk and Run will reach a 1,000 entry cap well in advance of event day. No entries accepted day of event.

Sign up online, download an entry form at **www.ridgewalk.com**, or call Wellsville Area Chamber of Commerce, 585.593.5080.

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