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TODAY		TOMORROW	SATURDAY
9:00	Visiting Artists: Tyler Lotz	9:00 Visiting Artists: Tyler Lotz	12:00 NYC Young Alumni Event at the Brooklyn Bowl
12:10	Bergren Forum - Genetic Mutation of X- Men	6:00 International Randall Chair, Ben Woodeson Exhibition	1:00 3/9 M. Lacrosse AWAY at La Roche - 1pm
5:00	Tax Returns Prepared for Free	Gettin' Acquainted	
	Visiting Artists: Tyler Lotz Lecture		
	Writing Center		

	Workshop: iWrite: Use of technology
5:15	Study Abroad Information Session
7:00	Extra! Extra! Puppets Tell Local News!
8:00	Auditions

Undergraduate Students - Financial Aid Deadline 3/15/13

IMPORTANT: MARCH 15, 2013 IS THE DEADLINE FOR FILING THE 2013-14 ALFRED UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION AND THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA).

If you will be an undergraduate student at AU for the 2013-14 academic year and do not have these documents, please stop by the Financial Aid Office to pick them up. We are located in Alumni Hall and are open 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Submitted by: Elena Wallace

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MasterCard Help/Training Sessions 1-3 p.m.

We will be having the MasterCard help and purchasing training session on March 13 in the Banner Training room located at the side entrance of Howell Hall.

The entire session will be from 1-3 p.m.

The first half of the session 1-2 p.m. will be designated for One Card Training for new cardholders.

The second half of the session 2-3 p.m. will be designated for help with reconciling the MasterCard and purchasing training.

We are hoping these extra sessions will be helpful and would appreciate any of your suggestions.

Thank you.

Submitted by: Susan Peck

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Bergren Forum - Genetic Mutation of X-Men

The Bergren Forum sponsored by the Division of Human Studies and the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences will be meeting at 12:10 P.M. on Thursday, March 7 in the Nevins Theatre, Powell Campus Center.

Bring a brown bag lunch; coffee and tea will be provided.

Speaker: Bellisant Corcoran-Mathe

Topic: "Kicking X and Taking Genes: Genetic Mutation of X-Men"

Winner of the Phi Beta Kappa Wit and Wisdom Competition, Bellisant Corcoran-Mathe will deconstruct the genetic mutations of the X-Men and discuss our potential to develop these mutations in the future. Submitted by: Marilyn Saxton

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Open Forum to meet Wellness Center Director Candidate

The third candidate for the Wellness Center Director position will be on campus on March 7. The candidate's presentation is open to all faculty and staff.

Nancy Louk-Murphy: Thursday, March 7, 2013 Location: Powell Board Room Time: 1-2 p.m.

Presenting: "Reflections on Arthur Levine's 'Generation on a Tightrope"

Submitted by: Valerie Daciw

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AU Habitat Spring Break Meeting

Everyone participating in AU Habitat's Spring Break House Rehab Project March 10-16 is asked to attend a planning meeting at 5 p.m. Thursday, March 7 in the Herrick Library Seminar Room.

Arrangements for the week's itinerary, meal plans, and housing will be finalized. Anyone interested in helping with the rehab of a house in Alfred Station during Spring Break is asked to attend.

Submitted by: David Snyder

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Spring Intramural League Starting after Spring Break-Last Chance!!

TEAMS AND LEAGUES FORMING --- SIGN UP NOW

TEAM ROSTERS/SIGNUPS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL Friday, March 8 GAMES WILL BEGIN WEEK OF 3/18/13 after the break

In an attempt to make things easier for scheduling, I have listed the days of participation. Please note that there are multiple sports on some evenings, but we don't think they will overlap so you can sign up for both.

The times listed below are tentative and are subject to change according to Varsity Sports' practice times.

Spring Events:

6 v 6 Indoor soccer (Open) Monday Nights 7:30-10 p.m.

Coed 6 v 6 Indoor Soccer Tuesday Nights 7:30-10 p.m.

Coed Kickballl (10 v 10) Wednesday Nights 6-8:30 p.m. Softball Field

Volleyball 6 v 6 (coed) Wednesday Nights 7-10 p.m.

Coed Slow Pitch Softball (10 Players)Thursday Nights 6-8:30 p.m.

5 v 5 Basketball Thursday Nights 7:30-10 p.m.

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 email 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 (on the field at the same time)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. You may have more than 2 on the roster but only 2 can compete at the same time.

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.

Attachment: Roster_Forms.doc

Submitted by: Scott Miller

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Visiting Artist: Tyler Lotz

Visiting Artist Tyler Lotz Cost to Attend: Free

Sponsored By: The Alfred Clay Collective and Division of Ceramic Art

THURSDAY, MARCH 7

Demos

Time: 9 A.M.-12 P.M. and 1-4:30 P.M. Location: McGee Flex Space, Harder Hall

Lecture Time: 5 P.M.

Location: Binns Merrill Hall Room 106

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8

Time: 9 A.M.-12 P.M.

Location: McGee Flex Space, Harder Hall

Critiques Time: 1-5 P.M.

Signups by the ceramic bathroom

Tyler's sculptures and vessels have been shown in solo and group exhibitions all over the USA. His work has been presented abroad at The First World Ceramic Biennale Korea and 2010 Vallauris Biennale Internationale in Vallauris, France. He has been an artist in residence at the Archie Bray Foundation and at the Watershed Center for Ceramics.

Having received his BFA from Penn State and his MFA from the College of Ceramics at Alfred University, Tyler is currently an Associate Professor teaching at Illinois State University.

He will be showing us how he makes molds from plastic positives, discussion of how he created his tessellated forms, casting them in slip, demoing his slip extruder and his acrylic surface finishes.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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iWrite: A Workshop on Using Technology in the Writing Process

Alfred University's Writing Center hosts iWrite: a workshop on how to be smart when using technology in your writing process, led by writing tutors Mark and Kate.

We will be covering the pros and cons of programs like iSpeak, Dragon, Purdue OWL, citation generators and online academic journals, and exploring the electronic resources that our two libraries have to offer!

Thursday, March 7, 5 p.m., the Writing Center. RSVP to **fcobb@alfred.edu** if you would like free pizza.

Submitted by: Vicky Westacott

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Study Abroad Information Session

Thinking about studying abroad in spring 2014? Attend our study abroad information session!

Sarah Deitsch, who recently returned from studying abroad in Tanzania, will talk about her experience and guide you through the ins and outs of applying to study abroad. Thursday, March 7, 5:15 p.m. in Perlman 112.

Submitted by: Vicky Westacott

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Extra! Extra! Puppets Tell Local News!

EXTRA EXTRA! Alfred New extravaganza! Puppets Tell Local News!

Date: Thursday, March 7

Time: 7 P.M.

Location: Alfred Village Hall Cost to Attend: Free

Sponsored By: Foundations, CoLAB class and faculty M. Michelle Illuminato, Trevor Bennett, Brett

Hunter

The evening will feature 10 puppet shows created by freshmen art students in the coLAB course. The coLAB course is part of the Foundations Program in the School of Art and Design at Alfred University.

Students started the semester out as investigative reporters of the local news. They took what they learned and used the stories that they uncovered as the creative inspiration for their puppet newscasts.

You'll learn about the new businesses in town, news about the paranormal activity in our Steinheim Castle, a local moose sighting, and the difficult issue of how hydrofracking might impact our local people and land.

Please join us for this evening of puppets telling the news!

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Flash Sale Today - additional 50%-Off Sale Rack

TODAY ONLY- take an additional 50% OFF the clothing sale rounder. Hoodies, tees, sweatpants, and more!

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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International Randall Chair Ben Woodeson Exhibition

Ben Woodeson Exhibition

Date: Friday, March 8 Time: 6-9 P.M.

Location: The Belfry, 406 Canisteo St, Hornell, NY 14843

Cost to Attend: Free

The Belfry is excited to present an exhibition of Ben Woodeson's sculpture completed during his tenure as Theodore Randall International Chair at Alfred University.

Artist Ben Woodeson makes ephemeral sculptures that deliberately set out to confront both viewer and exhibiting institution. The works are frequently fragile, unstable and kinetic.

The Belfry is a new exhibition venue in Hornell located in the historic Spencer Methodist Church. Turner Teaching Fellow Ashley Lyon and co-director Ian McMahon have been renovating the space into a non-profit platform for the arts. They are pleased to host Ben Woodson for the debut exhibition. Parking and shuttles will be available for transportation from the Alfred School of Art and Design Sculpture Exhibition at the Hornell Community Arts Center to the Belfry during opening hours.

Link: http://www.woodeson.co.uk/

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Gettin' Acquainted

Getting' Acquainted: Art Exhibition about People, Places, Spaces and Things

Date: Friday, March 8

Time: 6-9 P.M.

Location: Hornell Community Arts Center, Broadway Mall, Downtown Hornell

Cost to Attend: Free

Sponsored By: Sculpture/Dimensional Studies

The Space and Place class of the Sculpture/ Dimensional Studies Division has been working in the Hornell Community Arts Center in downtown Hornell this semester. Gettin' Acquainted is an exhibition of projects inspired by explorations of Hornell and investigating the context of the city. Featuring

projects by: Teresa Andreno, Jessica Clacherty, Becca Flis, Kyrie Gentilcore, Tina Picente, Ariel Rollins-Cohen, Haley Tokarski, Gavin Tougher, Julie Verdone, Lisa Wolfgang, Aki Miller, Julie Slattery, Linsey Laserte, and Ethan Martin.

This is the first of two public events initiated by the Space and Place class; the second will take place on May 4, and feature site-specific installation.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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SoE Faculty Candidate: Dr. Eric Payton

He will be presenting at Graduate Seminar on Thursday, March 7 at 10:20 a.m. in Binns 106.

"Integrating Experimental & Computational Approaches to Materials Science: Three Case Studies Employing Electron Backscatter Diffraction"

Attachment: Payton_Abstract.pdf

Submitted by: Katherine Decker

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Great Job Opportunity for Alfred Students

Gain Valuable Persuasion and Communication Skills!

Persuasion and communication techniques are valuable in any career. Alfred is offering an on-campus job opportunity that not only allows you to gain those valuable skills, but also help improve your resume.

The Alfred Phonathon will give you hands-on experience while helping better Alfred University and your fellow classmates' experience. The position pays \$7.25 per hour to speak with Alfred's esteemed alumni, parents, and friends to ask for their support of the Annual Fund.

Flexible calling shifts. Sundays from 1 - 4:30 p.m. and 5:30 - 9 p.m. Monday - Thursday 5:30 - 9 p.m. Required 3 shifts per week!

Contact Victoren Hooker by phone at 901.651.8985, by email at victoren.hooker@ruffalocody.com, or follow this link www.oncampusphonathon.com... to fill out a short questionnaire to which he will respond promptly.

Training begins Sunday, March 17.
Calling starts Sunday, March 24.
Hurry and Apply today - Interviews begin next week and positions are limited!

GO SAXONS!

Link: Application questionnaire

Submitted by: Melissa Van Winkle

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Environmental Health and Safety Training

Monday, 11-March-13, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Nevins Theater-PCC, Physical Plant Training Day

Thursday, 14-March-13, 8:30 a.m.- Noon, Science Center 402, Emergency Response & Shelter In Place

Friday, 15-March-13, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Susan Howell Hall, ARC (American Red Cross)-Professional Rescuer First Aid & CPR/AED, Cost: \$43

Link: EHS Web Site

Attachment: EHS Training Calendar

Submitted by: Dean Perry

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Online Suicide Prevention Training

The Alfred University Wellness Center is pleased to announce that it has received a grant for a limited number of licenses for QPR (Question, Persuade, Refer), gatekeeper training for suicide prevention.

QPR is a relatively simple, common-sense method for identifying and responding to students at risk for suicide. As we are a small institution that prides itself in individualized care for students, they will often come to staff members, faculty, friends, and other community members with personal concerns, which may include thoughts about suicide. Responding appropriately to these students can save someone's life.

Please consider completing this training in the next week or so. It is delivered online and takes about an hour to complete (see below for instructions). Upon completion, you will receive a certificate of completion and links to other suicide prevention resources.

The log in/account creation interface can be found here: http://www.qprtraining.co... Your organizational code is: AUWC

Simply enter the organizational code and click submit. On the next page, the program will ask for name and email address. Once entered, an account will be created for you.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or any of the Counseling Services staff.

Link: http://www.qprtraining.com/setup.php

Submitted by: Steve Byrne

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Provost and VP for Academic Affairs Candidates -- Open Meetings

The Search Committee invites you to attend the Open Meetings for the two final provost candidates. Their names and vitae will be provided closer to the date of their interview. Beverages will be provided.

Open Meetings - Nevins Theater: Friday, March 22 -- 12:10 - 1:15 p.m. Tuesday, March 26 -- 12:10 - 1:15 p.m.

Submitted by: Laura Crain

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Seeking Reunion Weekend Workers

We are looking for 16 energetic students to work Thursday, June 6 through Sunday, June 9 to ensure our annual Alumni Reunion event is a successful one.

Among other things, students will set up, take down, and decorate event venues, as well as assist and shuttle guest alumni.

We are seeking students who will represent the University in a positive, respectful way when greeting and assisting our alumni. Students must have good verbal communication skills and be able to professionally interact with others. Students must also be reliable, trustworthy, have the ability to work independently and as part of a group, and be able to follow directions.

Preference will be given to students with a valid driver's license. Please note during these days, there will be early mornings and late evenings. We will provide housing for you.

This is an excellent opportunity to network with AU Alumni. We look forward to welcoming new faces to our Reunion 2013 team!

To apply, please contact Lori Wellman, Director of Alumni Engagement at: **WELLMANL@ALFRED.EDU** or 607-871-2528.

Submitted by: Audrea Sirianni

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National Car Rental & Enterprise Rent-A-Car Discounts

Alfred University is receiving the discounted pricing with this multi-state contract between NYS Office of General Services and National Car Rental and Enterprise Rent-A-Car providers.

This contract offers short-term rental of passenger vehicle rentals of various vehicles throughout New York State, the United States, and internationally for business purposes only.

Some other benefits are:

- -Bypassing the counter and choosing your own car
- -E-receipts for faster rental return
- -Rewards including free rental days
- -Earning rental credits at participating Enterprise Rent-A-Car locations

Just click on the "Enroll Now" button within the link **www.nationalcar.com/offer...** and sign up for the Emerald Club membership and discounted pricing.

If you have any questions please contact Office & Procurement Services at x2698 or email **procurement@alfred.edu**.

Submitted by: Susan Peck

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Bookstore Hours During Spring Break

The AU Bookstore hours for Spring Break: Monday-Friday 9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

We will be closed weekends.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Family Program: Marc Black - Singer/Songwriter-American Children

Saturday, March 9 at 10:30 a.m. Nancy Howe Auditorium David A. Howe Public Library 155 N. Main St. Wellsville, 585-593-3410

Enjoy the original songs of Marc Black as he sings and teaches about cultural differences, picking up litter, and loving your pets, among many topics. His sense of humor and ability to make the audience feel good about themselves has won him the American Library Association Award for Best Children's Album, American Children.

He has recorded with many musicians including Pete Seeger, Richie Havens, John Sebastian, Maria Muldaur, and Taj Mahal. His website is **www.marcblack.com**.

This library-sponsored program is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Classic Movie Matinee: 'Adam's Rib' (1949)

Monday, March 11 at 1:30 p.m. Nancy Howe Auditorium David A. Howe Public Library 155 N. Main St., Wellsville 585-593-3410

The sophisticated comedy film of husband and wife lawyers on opposite side of an attempted murder trial stars Katharine Hepburn and Spencer Tracy. Supporting actors include Judy Holliday, Tom Ewell, and David Wayne.

This library-sponsored movie is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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