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S.A.V.E. and Child Abuse Workshops

In order to meet NYS Education Department requirements for certification, all education major and minor students must attend a Safe Schools Against Violence In Education (SAVE) Workshop and a Child Abuse Identification & Reporting Workshop.

The Division of Education will offer these workshops as follows:

Safe Schools Against Violence in Education (SAVE) Workshop:

Monday, March 14 & Wednesday, March 16, 2011 from 8-9:15 a.m. - 336 Myers Hall (must attend both days to complete workshop).

March 14 & 16, 2011 from 9:20-10:35 a.m. - 336 Myers Hall (must attend both days to complete the workshop).

Child Abuse Identification & Reporting Workshop: Monday, May 2, 2011 - 4:10-6:50 p.m. - 228 Myers Hall

Please note: This is the last time these workshops will be offered this semester. If you are an education major or minor student who is graduating in May but haven't attended these workshops yet please attend. The Division of Education cannot recommend you for certification until you complete both workshops.

Submitted by: Cathy Allen

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Daylight Savings Reminder

Daylight Saving Time begins at 2 a.m. on Sunday, March 13, 2011. Set your clocks one hour ahead.

Link: NASA Eclipse Web Site

Submitted by: Cherise Haase

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Math Club Pi-Day Celebration!

JOIN THE PI-DAY CELEBRATION on Monday, March 14, 2011, from 12:20 to 1:10 p.m. in Myers Hall, Room 334!

The AU Math Club Presents "Pi with a Side of Archimedes," by AU's Dr. Addison Frey. We will also present the second annual "Alfredian Pi-dol" during which contestants recite the digits of pi from memory.

Last year, the Math Club held the first "Alfredian Pi-dol," which is a contest in which students recite the digits of pi from memory. Last year, PJ DiCesare blew away the competition by reciting 609 digits, with Michaela Stone coming in a "close" second with 147.

If you'd like to enter the contest, please let Dr. J. Petrillo know (petrillo@alfred.edu).

Pizza, soda, and pi(e) will be served. All are welcome.

Submitted by: Joseph Petrillo

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Visiting Artist

Visiting Ceramic Artist Presentation: Neil Brownsword Monday, March 14 at 5 p.m. in Nevins

Born and raised near Stoke-on-Trent, ceramic artist Neil Brownsword began working at the Wedgwood factory at age 16. He studied ceramics at the University of Wales Institute, Cardiff, at the Royal Academy in London, and received his Ph.D. from Brunel University in London following the completion of his groundbreaking series, Collaging History.

Neil's work draws intensely from his surroundings in Stoke-on-Trent. Growing up there, amidst the decline of the Potteries, he has found a rich source of inspiration and material in the detritus and clay waste that lies beneath the city. By collecting and re-using these various scraps, the fusings and meltings he has found from the factory floor, and assembling them into beautiful abstract amalgams often further transformed by re-firing - Brownsword regenerates this material into structures and landscapes with various levels of meaning. His work comments on and explores the history and social experience of working in the city's pottery industry.

Submitted by: Linda White

Co-Ed Living Opportunity for Juniors and Seniors for 2011-12

If you will be a Junior or Senior next year, need to fulfill your residency requirement, and are interested in a co-ed living environment, then come to the Office of Residence Life to pick up a Co-Ed Living application. They are available now in the Office of Residence Life, Bartlett Hall. Or you can click on the link below to print and complete the application.

Please mail completed applications to: Office of Residence Life 1 Saxon Drive Alfred, NY 14802

The deadline to apply is fast approaching (March 18, 2011). Don't miss out - apply now!

Attachment: Co-Ed_Housing_Application_11-12.pdf

Submitted by: Michael Pease

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Athlete/Break Housing for 2011-12

Are you an athlete and REQUIRED to be here over Thanksgiving, Winter, or Spring break? If so then sign up with other athletes for Athlete/Break Housing. This allows you to return to your own suite/apartment when the University is closed, no need to bunk in with friends off campus.

Applications for Athlete/Break Housing are available in the Office of Residence Life, Bartlett Hall. Or you can click on the link below to print and complete the application.

Please mail completed applications to:

Office of Residence Life

1 Saxon Drive

Alfred, NY 14802

Completed applications are due Friday, March 18, 2011. If you are interested in this housing option for next year or have questions, please don't hesitate to contact your Resident Director or stop by the Office of Residence Life, Bartlett Hall.

Attachment: Athlete_Housing_Application_11-12.pdf

Submitted by: Michael Pease

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Common Interest Housing Application for 2011-12

Got Something in Common? If you are interested in living with others who have similar interests and/or backgrounds, lifestyles, goals, beliefs, and/or majors as you then this might be the housing option for you!

Come to the Office of Residence Life to pick up an application. Or you can click on the link below to print and complete the application.

Please mail completed applications to:

Office of Residence Life

1 Saxon Drive

Alfred, NY 14802

Completed applications are due Friday, March 18, 2011. If you are interested in this housing option for 2011-12 academic year or have questions, please don't hesitate to contact your Resident Director or stop by the Office of Residence Life, Bartlett Hall.

Attachment: Common_Interest_Application_11-122.pdf

Submitted by: Michael Pease

2011 Senior Pride Week - 3/14-3/18 in PCC

Starts on Monday 3/14 with a Chicken BBQ Fundraiser and raising awareness all week long about the SENIOR GIFT PROJECT- ending with a St. Pat's Dance on Friday 3/18.

Tickets for BBQ available @ the bookstore or at the SR. tables 3/16-3/18. Tickets for Dance go on sale 3/16-3/18 at PCC ticket booth. Check out the Web site link for more on the class gift and how to give.

Link: Senior Giving Web Page

Attachment: Senior Pride Week

Submitted by: Susan Gorman

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'Back To The Future' Movie Night, Herrick Library

On Saturday, March 19, "Movie Night at Herrick Library" will feature all three "Back to the Future" (BTF) movies. The event starts at 11 p.m. (doors will close at midnight).

Between BTF Parts I and II, there will be "Back to the Future Team Trivia" with a \$50 gift card for the winning team.

Between BTF Parts II and III there will be a costume contest for best 1950's costume and best 1880's costume. The winner in each category will receive a \$50 gift card. Bring your pillows and sleeping bags.

The event will end at 9 a.m. Sunday morning and is co-hosted by Herrick Library and Habitat for Humanity

Submitted by: Stephen Crandall

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Mandatory Right-to-Know Training-Deadline March 30, 2011

RTK training is now on BLACKBOARD for your convenience! Faculty, administration, staff, work-study and graduate students are required to have this training.

Please log onto Blackboard and follow the links for Environmental Health & Safety Trainings-Hazard Communication. Remember to take the quiz!

Do not take the Hazard Communication/Right-to-Know training if you are physical plant, maintenance, or laboratory personnel, as you are required to attend mandatory Laboratory Safety/Chemical Hygiene training instead.

Hazard Communication Training, or "Right to Know" as per OSHA Regulation 29CFR 1910.20 is required for all employees.

Employees have the right to know the properties and potential safety and health hazards of substances to which they may be exposed. Such knowledge is essential to reducing the risk of occupational illness and injury.

Submitted by: Cherise Haase

Faculty/Staff Changes February 2011

Emilie L. Carney, assistant dean, Inamori School of Engineering (position change)

Sarah L. Cote, secretary, Powell Institute (new)

Constance Dunham, Student Service specialist (new)

Kristen E. Kovatch, Western trainer/instructor, Equestrian Center

Mark D. Lewis, visiting instructor, College of Business

Shanmugavelayut k. Sundaram, Inamori professor, Inamori School of Engineering

Philip M.Sutton, boiler tender, Heating Plant

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Family Program: Bubble Trouble with Jeff Boyer

Saturday, March 12 at 10:30 a.m. Nancy Howe Auditorium David A. Howe Public Library 155 N. Main St., Wellsville 585.593.3410

Jeff Boyer takes bubbles to the max in this one-man bubble extravaganza. Jeff juggles bubbles, sculpts and builds with bubbles, forms a bubble fog, and more. Mixing comedy, music and interactive bubble-magic, he engages and delights audiences of all ages.

This library-sponsored program is free and open to everyone.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Documentary: 'Gas Odyssey' (2010)

Monday, March 14: 6:45 p.m. Nancy Howe Auditorium David A. Howe Public Library 155 N. Main St., Wellsville 585.593.3410

This documentary on natural gas extraction - hydrofracking - chronicles a community in New York State whose future could be improved if natural gas development were permitted in the Marcellus Shale of the area.

This is a companion to the lecture on 3/15 and the documentary on 3/7.

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

Submitted by: Deborah Clark