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What's Happening?**More Events...**

TODAY	TOMORROW	THURSDAY
8:00 Horenll \$2 Movies!	10:00 O Pioneers! Women Ceramic Artists, 1925-1960	9:30 Jim Self Artist Talk
8:30 International Folk Dancing	Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center	10:00 O Pioneers! Women Ceramic Artists, 1925-1960
	11:20 Open Improvisation Master Class	Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center
	5:15 Renewable Energy Engineering Society Meeting	5:00 LGBT History Month Talk: HIV and AIDS
	6:30 Peace Corps Info Session	

Calling all Actors! Calling all Actors!

...funny, sassy, romantic, dark, outrageous... 10-minute plays for all tastes!

Theater directing students are auditioning for 8, 10-minute plays on Tuesday, Nov. 3, 5 P.M., C.D. Smith III Theatre (Miller Performing Arts Center). No experience necessary. Everyone is invited, first years to seniors.

Roles available for 9-11 women; 9-11 men!

(see attached for audition "sides," or scenes to be used)

Attachment: [Directing_I_final_project_sides.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Stephen Crosby

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Academic Supports and College Success - Dissertation Defense

The Division of Counseling and School Psychology invites you to hear Lauren P. Rodriguez publicly defend her dissertation, "Academic Supports and College Success for Students with a Learning Disability." Please join us Thursday, Nov. 5 at 9 a.m. in the Powell Institute Classroom-Lower Level, 6 Sayles St.

Submitted by: Bethany Stiller

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Order Your ALF(RED) T-shirt Today!

Umoja is selling ALF(RED) t-shirts in support of HIV and AIDS awareness, education, treatment, and prevention. All proceeds from shirt sales will be donated to a local service provider.

You can order your t-shirt online using a debit or credit card by following the attached link, or you can purchase a shirt with cash from noon- 2 P.M., Nov. 2 - 6 on the 2nd Floor of the Powell Campus Center.

Link: [Online Order w/ Debit/Credit Card](#)

Attachment: [ALF\(RED\) T-shirt Picture](#)

Submitted by: Institute for Cultural Unity

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Last Week to Enter the Wit & Wisdom Student Writing Contest!

Students, submit your Wit and Wisdom, and win \$250! The deadline is THIS FRIDAY!

The Alfred University chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, the nation's oldest honor society, is now accepting submissions for the 2015 Wit and Wisdom Student Competition.

Students should submit their best scholarly or creative writing for a general audience. The winner will present his or her work at a Bergren Forum in March and receive a \$250 cash prize.

The deadline for submissions is FRIDAY, NOV. 6. Email gray@alfred.edu for complete guidelines.

Submitted by: Juliana Gray

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November Women's and Gender Studies Roundtable

The next Women's and Gender Studies Roundtable will be Friday, Nov. 6, from 12:20-1:10 p.m. in the Judson Leadership Center. Rob Reginio, Associate Professor of English, will be presenting on "Feminist Themes in the Writing of Gertrude Stein."

Professor Reginio will talk about ways that Stein's often hermetic-seeming experimental writing in fact contains humorous and quite cogent critiques of patriarchal authority and fixed gender identities.

These roundtables are free and open to the public. Light refreshments will be served.

Submitted by: Sandra Singer

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First Friday Night Hikes

Friday Night Hikes will take place the first Friday of every month. We will hike the Pine Hill trails - approximately three (3) miles.

-When: The first Friday of each month at 6 p.m.

-Where: We will meet on the first floor of the Powell Campus Center near the mail room

Hope you can join us.

Submitted by: Mark McFadden

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Free Jars!

Want to help reduce plastic waste on campus?

The Art & Ecology class is beginning an endeavor to promote the use of reusable containers instead of disposable bottles at this school. Come through Powell Campus Center around lunchtime (about 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.) on Wednesday, Nov. 4, to pick up a free mason jar, learn more about this issue, and share your thoughts!

Link: [Bottled Water Facts](#)

Submitted by: Green Alfred

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2nd Annual Rural Health Day Wellness Fair Scheduled for Community

Alfred University, in conjunction with Ardent Solutions and Jones Memorial Hospital will host its 2nd Annual Health and Wellness Fair in recognition of National Rural Health Day Thursday, Nov. 19, 2015 from 10 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. in the "Joyce and Walton Center for Health and Wellness" located on the Alfred University Campus.

The daylong event will include demonstrations, educational opportunities, Tai Chi demonstrations, and free wellness tests provided by Jones Memorial staff and Pharmacy students from the University at Buffalo School of Pharmacy.

All persons are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Attachment: [National_Rural_Health_Day_Health.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Mark Guinan

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Video of the Managing Potentially Dangerous Students Presentation

We had several requests from faculty/staff who could not attend the presentation to post the video and handouts.

Please use the link below for the YouTube video. The audio is faint and is easier to hear with headphones.

This program will help faculty and staff differentiate and manage disruptive behavior. It will also help participants understand how to identify potentially problematic behaviors, as well as how to address crisis behaviors and refer possibly dangerous students to the appropriate staff.

This practical workshop will list disruptive and dangerous behavioral examples and specific suggestions and intervention techniques to help faculty/staff better assess, intervene and manage the problematic behavior.

Link: [video of presentation](#)

Attachment: [Dangerous_student_10_2015.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Norm Pollard

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TIAA-CREF Consultant on Campus

Sign up today as space is limited. A TIAA-CREF consultant will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Wednesday, Nov. 11, 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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Be Your Best Self! Weight Watchers Can Help Get You There!

If you have been thinking about improving your health, weight, and eating habits, join us each Thursday at noon and see what Weight Watchers At Work Meetings can do for you!

At Work meetings are informative and fun, and are open to all current students, faculty and staff as well as retirees of both Alfred University and Alfred State College.

Meetings are held in the Human Resources Conference Room, across from the gym in Alfred State's Pioneer Center.

For further information please contact Marilyn Robin at 607.587.4027 or email her at robinmf@alfredstate.edu.

Attachment: [A. State Campus Map - Pioneer Center \(#37\)](#)

Submitted by: Anne Cornell

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Help Keep Them Warm

Once again several local clubs and churches are hosting a clothing drive to assist persons who may not have the cold weather clothing that is needed for an Alfred winter. Any donation will be gladly accepted and may be dropped off at the HR office in Greene Hall located on Main Street adjacent to the Terra Cotta Coffee House.

Attachment: [Clothing_Drive.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Mark Guinan

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