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More Events...

TODAY	TOMORROW	THURSDAY
3:00 3/26 Softball AWAY @ Cazenovia -3pm	12:00 Retention Update	10:00 Blood Drive
4:00 3/26 M. Lacrosse HOME vs. Medaille - 4pm	1:00 Supervisor Training Opportunity	12:10 Bergren Forum - Planning and Zoning in Alfred
5:30 CLAS Major/Minor Fair	4:00 3/27 W. Lacrosse HOME vs. Hilbert - 4pm	5:00 Public Lecture by Kiki Smith
6:00 Public Lecture by	7:00 Foreign Language	

Virginia Hutchinson	Placement Exam	6:00	The Dream Share Project
6:30 El cafecito: Spanish Bingo Night	· 3/27 Track @ Alfred State	6:30	Mental Health Movie Night
8:30 International Folk Dancing		7:00	Bingo for Food!

Attention May Graduates, Time to Order Your Cap & Gown

It's now time for May 2013 graduates to order your cap & gown at the AU Bookstore. It's very quick and easy - we need your height, and degree being earned. You have to pay at the time of ordering - \$58.96 plus tax for Bachelor (includes cap, gown, tassel, and hood) and \$62.96 plus tax for Master.

The order deadline is Thursday, March 28. There is a \$20 late fee for orders after March 28.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Store Cards Require Budget Authorization

The store cards in Office and Procurement Services require budget authorization prior to checking out a card. Approval from the budget supervisor or an authorized user can be obtained via a verbal conversation over the phone to OPS staff, an email, or a handwritten note.

Store cards available for check-out are:

Lowe's
Sears
Wal-Mart
Wegmans

If you have any questions please email us at procurement@alfred.edu or call us at 871-2698.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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CLAS Major/Minor Fair

Tuesday, March 26
ADE HALL LOBBY
5:30-7 p.m.

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences is hosting a MAJOR and MINOR FAIR open to all AU undergraduates but primarily designed for CLAS students. We encourage all CLAS students to declare their major by the spring of their sophomore year.

The Major/Minor Fair brings together in one stop information that you need to help you with your decision-making.

Looking to take some courses to help you figure it out? Faculty members and peer advisers from the majors and minors will be available to speak with you about courses within the majors and minors to get you started.

Don't know where to start? The Career Development Center will be on hand to assist you with identifying interest areas that may lead to majors and minors.

Interested in double degrees crossing AU schools and colleges? All of the Colleges and Schools of the University will be represented.

We hope to see you there!

Submitted by: Jennifer Posener

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Chicken BBQ Pick-up is Today

Did you order Stearn's BBQ? Remember TODAY is pick-up! McNamara Room, first floor of the Powell Campus Center from 3:30-6 p.m. See you this afternoon and THANK YOU from the Class of 2013!

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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Flash Mob Practice with Katie Barlow

AU Alum Katie Barlow returns to teach AU students the dance moves for the upcoming B-Sensational Flash Mob. Join the practice Tuesday night, 6:30-8 in Miller PAC. The Dance performance will take place on Friday, April 12 at the Binghamton Hockey Arena, and Kevin Jacobs is coordinating a bus. Contact Kevin at [link](#) to sign up for bus.

Link: [Click to sign up for bus trip](#)

Submitted by: Dan Napolitano

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El cafecito: Spanish BINGO Night

El cafecito: Spanish Culture & Conversation Club hosts BINGO Night!

Tuesday, March 26
6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
AU Language House
12 Park St. (across from the Saxon Inn)

Come enjoy food, games, films, and creative activities while improving your Spanish.

For more information please contact the Division of Modern Languages (Perlman Hall, 871-2181)

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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Foreign Language Placement Exam

Wednesday, March 27
114 Seidlin Hall
7 p.m.

Exams are given in French, German and Spanish.

Who needs to take the Placement Exam?

- * Students who have taken more than two years of a language in high school and who intend to take the same language at AU must take the exam.
- * Students who are bilingual or native speakers or who have spoken the language at home.
- * Students do NOT need to take the exam if they did not study a language previously or if they are planning to take a different language in college.
- * Students who wish to demonstrate proficiency in another language should contact Dr. Kerry Kautzman about procedures.

Please remember to bring your student ID and a #2 pencil.

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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Orthopedic Clinic

At Health Services on Wednesday, March 27, 2013, 9 a.m.-noon. Open to all AU students, faculty and staff.

Bart Sprat PA from Westfall Orthopedic's of Rochester.
Please call for appointment at 871-2400.

Submitted by: Susan Hendee

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Public Lecture by Virginia Hutchinson

Public Lecture by Virginia Hutchison: International Randall Chair in Sculpture

Date: Tuesday, March 26
Time: 6 P.M.

Location: Nevins Theater

Cost to Attend: Free

Sponsored By: Sculpture/Dimensional Studies Division

Please join us in welcoming Virginia from Glasgow, Scotland as she presents her work. How viewers become physically involved with what they see and how visual stimuli from works of art and architecture can engender a sense of embodied involvement is central to Hutchison's work, in which she examines the relationship between long- and short-term memory and how they can be integrated into artistic strategies and aesthetics.

With regards to the constantly evolving social and cultural politics that define specific spaces Hutchison often works with durational or context-specific interventions.

Hutchison has recently taken up a residency, Accidental Mix, in partnership with Glasgow School of Art, in which she will be looking at making as a method of communication and how this can inform future public art strategies.

Hutchison graduated from the Royal College of Art in 2005 and currently sits on the board of directors for Glasgow Sculpture Studios and the Scottish Artists Union. Recent projects include: MAP magazine - contributing writer (ongoing), Walking woman sending a kiss, Cuth, Queens Park Railway Club, Glasgow (2013), In the Shadow of the Hand, Glasgow International Festival of Visual Art (2012) - with Sarah Forrest, Tir mo ghraidh/Land of my love , WISP commissions, Benbecula, (ongoing), The Turra

Coo Sculpture Projects, Aberdeenshire (2010) - with Charles Engebretsen & David Blyth, 7 sunsets, Re-imagining the Centre/IOTA, Inverness (2009), Cumbernauld: A Town for Tomorrow (2009).

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Tick Tock...Time is Running Out!

The Women's Leadership Academy is accepting applications for the Fall 2013 cohort, Class 8. DEADLINE EXTENDED TO Wednesday, March 27.

See website, please, for details. Thank you!

Link: [Women's Leadership Academy application instruction](#)

Attachment: [Why Apply to the WLA?](#)

Submitted by: Julia Overton-Healy

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AU Scholarship Opportunity

Scholarship - School of Engineering majors (two scholarship awards) and Childhood Education (Pre-K-6th grade) majors (one scholarship award). Application deadline is Monday, April 1, 2013.

NYS residents (residing in one of the Home Bureau's chapter counties), United States citizens, and full-time undergraduates --- you may wish to consider applying for the 2013-14 AU/New York State Federation of Home Bureaus, Inc., scholarship.

Open the attachment for more details and application.

Attachment: [Scholarship Details & Application](#)

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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Search for a Saxon

AU is gearing up to unveil our new Saxon Warrior mascot & we need your help! What should we call the warrior & trusty steed? Submit your suggestions to Jodi Bailey, Director of Marketing, at baileyj@alfred.edu.

Link: [Search for a Saxon](#)

Submitted by: Jodi Bailey

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Application to Live in the Hillel House

Apply now to live in the Hillel House for the 2013-14 academic year. DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, APRIL 1.

Attachment: [HOUSE.APP_2013.doc](#)

Submitted by: Arthur Greil

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Book Discussion: "A Quiet Revolution"

Herrick Library invites you to a discussion of "A Quiet Revolution: The Veil's Resurgence from the Middle East to America," on Monday, April 1, 6:30 - 8 p.m., in the BookEnd Lounge.

Dr. Christopher Churchill, Assistant Professor, History and Global Studies, together with other faculty of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, will introduce the book's themes and lead a discussion about the politicization of the veil, contemporary Islamic politics, feminist approaches to studying religions, and the challenges of inter-religious and cross-cultural understanding.

This event, which is open to the public, is part of a "Bridging Cultures Bookshelf" grant awarded to the libraries by the National Endowment for the Humanities and the American Libraries Association.

Alfred University students in selected classes are reading from the book this semester. Others interested in participating are invited to consult the book at Herrick Library (on reserve) prior to the event.

Refreshments will be provided.

Link: [Bridging Cultures Bookshelf: Muslim Journeys](#)

Submitted by: Ellen Bahr

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More Relay Signup Stuff

This Monday and Wednesday from 11 am to 1pm we are having some tabling to get more and more people to sign up for the event on April 5th to 6th and to sell Luminaria to remember those who have lost their lives to the evil cancer. Here is a link to sign up for the event and there shall be paper signups for those who don't want to sign up online.

Link: [Relay for Life Signup Site](#)

Submitted by: Relay for Life/Colleges Against Cancer

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TIAA-CREF Consultant on Campus

You're invited! Jason Sciotti, Individual TIAA-CREF Consultant, will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Tuesday, April 2, and Wednesday, May 1 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 with Jason, Non-Statutory employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.877.209.3144 and Statutory employees should call TIAA-CREF at 1.800.732.8353; remain on the line for assistance.

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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Breakfast Workshop Roundtable

Please join Student Affairs staff for a breakfast workshop.

Three years of assessment in Student Affairs - what students have told us

8:30-9:30 a.m. April 2 Powell Board Room

Submitted by: Valerie Daciw

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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.uncampusphonathon.com... to fill out a short questionnaire to which he will respond promptly.

Training is in process.

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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Summer School 2013/Financial Aid

If you plan to take summer classes at AU and are a current financial aid recipient, we are providing you the following information to help you determine if you may have financial aid eligibility applicable to summer enrollment.

In most cases, the availability of financial aid for summer school is limited and not the same as during the academic year.

Attachment: [Summer School 2013 Financial Aid Details](#)

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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Exploding Boundaries

Exploding Boundaries: Faculty and Staff Exploration in Drawing

Exhibition through Friday, April 5

The Fosdick Nelson Gallery presents Exploding Boundaries, an exhibition highlighting the practice of drawing in the School of Art and Design at Alfred University. The exhibition brings together the work of over 50 faculty and staff artists - a significant accomplishment, as an event of this scope, featuring our community of makers, is unprecedented at the school. The concept for the show was conceived by the Gallery Committee in the fall of 2012; Joseph Scheer, Committee Chair and Professor of Printmaking, and Gerar Edizel, Professor of Art History, along with Sharon McConnell, Gallery Director organized the exhibition.

Insight, a student drawing exhibition juried by Kathy Vajda, will open on the first floor of the Turner Gallery in conjunction with Exploding Boundaries.

The exhibition runs through April 5, 11-4 weekdays and 1-3 weekends.

A full range of drawing methodologies are reflected in the exhibition and in the one-line statements collected from faculty and staff defining the role of drawing in their personal practice. The definitions range from the practical to the philosophical, and as the show title implies, the work on display explodes the conventional boundaries of drawing so that visitors might reassemble the practice in a new light for a more expansive view.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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We've Moved!

The Office of Communications has moved from Greene Hall to the third floor of the Welcome Center at Fasano House (Victorian house on the corner near the traffic light).

Adjusting to their new "home" are:

Debbie Clark - acting director

Andrew Dean - Sports Information grad assistant

Jen Guarasci - secretary

Rick McLay - Publications director

Mark Whitehouse - Sports Information director/associate Communications director

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Forum on Familial ALS Disease

Alfred State has a New Horizons Forum that provides periodic programming on various topics. The Alfred University community is invited on Thursday, April 11 to Engineering Room 215 (time yet to be finalized) for a forum featuring Debra Quinn of Wellsville speaking on "Public Health Advocacy for Familial ALS Disease."

The presenter suffers from fALS (an incurable and especially cruel terminal illness) and has testified before the FDA. Quinn's active role with ALS patient advocacy is located readily on the Internet (one example below, searches result in several links and pages).

<http://blog.patientslikem...>

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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'The Adventures of Peter Cotton Tail'

Presented by:
The Wellsville Family YMCA Children's Theatre
Thursday, March 28 at 7 p.m.
Nancy Howe Auditorium
David A. Howe Public Library
155 N. Main St., Wellsville
585-593-3410

Let area children entertain you with their rendition of "The Adventures of Peter Cotton Tail," adapted by R. Eugene Jackson.

This play is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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It's Back! Zumba Classes Resuming

Zumba classes with instructor Denise Eck will begin Monday, April 8, at 4:45 p.m. in Davis Gym. Classes are scheduled for 4:45 p.m. every Monday and Thursday. Get ready to join the fitness party! Classes are \$3 for each session. No need to sign up in advance. Just show up and be ready to dance.

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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50 Shades of Grey Matter- Walk MS- The Grey Does Matter

I will be walking in Walk MS 2013 in Wellsville on Sunday, May 5. Please use the link below to make a donation to the National MS Society for me and my team, 50 Shades of Grey Matter.

You can also join the team to walk with me on May 5 in Wellsville or start your own team. Sign up, pledge, donate. MS needs a cure.

Help us become 50 Shades Freed. The Grey DOES Matter!

Link: [National MS Society- Walk MS 2013- Wellsville](#)

Submitted by: Mary Lou Coleman

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Become a Coach for Assisting in Managing Falls

Are you concerned about family members, friends or neighbors falling and becoming injured?

Do you want to help teach others about common problems that contribute to falls and simple steps to prevent them?

Are you looking for a rewarding volunteer opportunity to make a real difference in your community?

A Matter of Balance-Managing Concerns About Falls Coaches are needed to instruct A Matter of Balance classes, a proven volunteer coach program designed to help people decrease their fear of falling and increase physical activity.

Next 2-Day Training Session:

(You Must Attend Both Days)

Friday, April 12, 2013 @ 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

&

Monday, April 15, 2013 @ 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

David A. Howe Library

Monday Club Room

155 North Main Street

Wellsville, NY 14895

Complimentary Lunch Provided Both Days!

Pre-Registration Required by Friday, April 5, 2103 - Call Stephanie Furman at 585-593-5223 ext. 10

~ REGISTRATION IS LIMITED ~

Supported By:

Allegany County Fall Prevention Collaborative

Health Foundation for Western and Central New York

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Movie: 'A League of Their Own' (1992) PG

Tuesday, March 26 at 6:45 p.m.

Nancy Howe Auditorium

David A. Howe Public Library

155 N. Main St., Wellsville

585-593-3410

This entertaining comedy highlights the women's baseball league that was formed when male baseball players were fighting in WWII. Directed by Penny Marshall, the film's stars include Tom Hanks, Geena Davis, Madonna, Rosie O'Donnell, and Bill Pullman. Rated PG.

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

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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