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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
10:00 Walk-in Hours at the CDC	10:00 Walk-in Hours at the CDC	11:00 Saxon Swap
12:00 Gallery Talk: Signs of Life	12:10 Bergren Forum - 'Gaging the Void'	3:00 Softball @Ithaca
4:00 Men's Lacrosse @Nazareth	1:00 Saxon Swap	4:00 Saxon Guild
	4:45 Zumba@ Fitness Class	Women's Lacrosse @St. John Fisher

5:15	Enactus student group meeting	5:15	Ukraine: A Panel Discussion	9:30	Inflatable Night
5:20	Kripalu Yoga	7:00	Revelate		· The F-Word Project
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Campuswide Power Shutdown Saturday, March 29

Due to critical maintenance needed on the campus high-voltage loop, we need to power down the campus loop on Saturday the 29th of March. This will affect all campus buildings.

The shutdown will start at 8 A.M. and last until completion which is estimated to be two hours.

We apologize for the inconvenience.
Thank you, The Physical Plant

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Vice President for Business and Finance offices relocated

Offices of Giovina Lloyd, vice president for Business and Finance, and Judith Green, administrative assistant, have temporarily been relocated to the first floor of Greene Hall while Carnegie Administration Building is closed.

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Provost's Office Relocated Temporarily to Greene Hall

The Provost's Office has moved to Greene Hall, top of the stairs and straight ahead, Room 205.

If you are in the area feel free to stop by and see our new space.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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Graduating in May? Time to Order your Cap & Gown

All May graduates, NOW is the time to order your cap, gown, tassel, and hood for May graduation.

ORDER by Wednesday, March 26 at the AU Bookstore. Payment is required at the time you order. Bachelor unit (cap, gown, tassel, and hood \$62.96; Master unit \$66.96.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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University Policy and Guidelines for Gifts, Prizes, and Awards

In order to comply with IRS rules and regulations regarding gifts, prizes, and awards, the University has adopted a policy that is to be followed whenever a person is given any type of cash, cash equivalent, or merchandise to recognize achievement, to honor them for performance, or for any other reason.

The attached form must be signed by the presenter, their supervisor, and the recipient and sent to the Payroll Department for approval and disposition whether or not the recipient is a University employee.

Please feel free to contact Mark Guinan, Director of Human Resources, if you have any questions regarding the process.

Link: [Guidelines for gifts, awards and prizes](#)

Attachment: [Gift authorization form](#)

Submitted by: Mark Guinan

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Study Abroad Party This Wednesday!

Everyone is welcome to come and attend the first-ever Study Abroad Party! It is being held from 5:30 to 7 p.m. in the Alumni Lounge in Powell this Wednesday, the 26th.

Come and chat with study abroad alumni and sample tasty morsels from around the world! Anyone who is interested in studying abroad should stop by. This is a great opportunity to chat with people who have been to the countries you'd like to visit!

Submitted by: Study Abroad

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Ukraine: A Panel Discussion

A panel discussion about developments in the Ukraine with President Edmondson and Professors Heineman, Sluyter-Beltrao, Churchill, and Ostrower.

Seidlin Hall, Room 114 at 5:15 P.M. on Thursday, March 27

Submitted by: Gary Ostrower

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American Red Cross Blood Drive

Sooner or later, most of us will face a time of great vulnerability in which we will need blood. Why not donate Thursday, March 27, any time from noon until 5:30 p.m. at Ade Dining Hall?

Your donation will take between an hour and 75 minutes.

If you would like an appointment, please sign up using the website below. WALK-INS ARE WELCOME TOO!

Can't donate, but still want to help? We need volunteers too. Please contact studentaffairs@alfred.edu to find out about volunteering some time.

Thank you to the Chemistry Club and SWE for sponsoring this blood drive.

Link: <http://www.redcrossblood.org/make-donation>

Submitted by: Brian Pierce

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AU Winter Fitness Meltdown 2014!

There is still time to sign up for our weight loss, fitness, get healthy competition!

Sign up through Friday, March 28 at health services/ counseling services or Wednesday and Friday 1-3 p.m. at the new McLane health and wellness center.

Sign up and get a free jump rope! Prizes for winner in May.

Submitted by: Susan Hendee

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Revelate

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Date: Thursday, March 27

Location: The Belfry, 406 Canisteo Street, Hornell

Time: 7-9 P.M.

Cost to Attend Event: Free/open to public

Revelate is a site-specific installation at the Belfry. This exhibition will be on view for the opening night only.

Katie Wong and Kevin Dejewski challenge one's perception of what is physically possible and what is an illusion by using the architectural space as their sole material. Dynamic surround sound and custom light emitting devices will blend with the natural elements of the space to transform its acoustic and visual properties.

Submitted by: Shelly Grant

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Musica Spei Presents 'Old World Meets New' - Saturday Night

Join the AU Music Department and Rochester-based a capella group Musica Spei for an evening of early music. The concert begins at 7:30 in the Alfred Seventh Day Baptist Church and is free.

In its 18th season in 2013-14, Musica Spei (Music of Hope) explores the vast repertoire of rarely

performed, sacred choral masterworks of the medieval and Renaissance periods, sharing the riches with audiences throughout central and Western New York.

Rehearsing and performing without a conductor and generally unaccompanied, the group develops its interpretations in a collaborative fashion, communicating and interacting like members of a jazz or chamber music ensemble.

Musica Spei's recent accomplishments include the release of a second CD, Cathedrals of Sound, and a re-invigoration of the Rochester Early Music Festival, which the group first organized in 2001.

The concert is sponsored by the David Miller Performing Arts Fund and is free to members of the University and community. Come and enjoy an evening of beautiful and seldom-heard choral music!

Submitted by: Luanne Crosby

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This Friday - Escape to Wellsville!

Come take a complimentary shuttle bus to downtown Wellsville for a Friday night of activity. There are several restaurants, a first-run movie theater, and the Wellsville Creative Arts Center to keep you entertained for the evening.

Movies at the Wellsville Theater this Friday are "Noah" and "Divergent."

Bus departs from the first floor entrance of the Powell Campus Center at 7 P.M. and returns around midnight.

Submitted by: Nancy Banker

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Model UN's Crisis Committee

Model UN and History Club present Alfred's first Joint Crisis Committee. Come and participate in the Russian Revolution and see if the revolutionaries defeat the tsarists!

Kenyon Allen Room, Powell Campus Center
03/29/2014
9 A.M. - 6 P.M.

Sign up in Powell or Ade today!

Submitted by: Jennifer Futterman

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Are You in a Band?

This year's Hot Dog Day Committee is looking to find local bands to play at the bandstand on Saturday, April 26, 12:30-5 p.m. Please go to the link provided if you are interested.

Link: <http://jotform.us/form/40585203149149>

Submitted by: Patricia Debertolis

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Summer Internships in Washington DC!

Are you still deciding what to do this summer? It's not too late to spend two months in Washington, D.C.!

You will make an impact by serving with a non-profit organization while earning academic credit and expanding your leadership skills and professional network.

Link: <http://www.DCinternships.org/IPVS>

Attachment: [IPVS details](#)

Submitted by: Julia Overton-Healy

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Did You Know Alfred Has a History Club?

History Club meets on Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. in Herrick!

Come join the fun!

Email historyclub@alfred.edu for more information.

Submitted by: Jennifer Futterman

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Summer School 2014/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 2014 Financial Aid Details](#)

Submitted by: Catherine Schnurle

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Sign Up to Be a Vendor at Hot Dog Day 2014

If you would like to be a vendor at Hot Dog Day 2014, please visit the attached link for information and registration.

The Hot Dog Day Vendor Fair will be on Saturday, April 26 from Noon - 5 P.M.

Spaces are going fast!

Link: [Hot Dog Day Vendor Information & Registration](#)

Submitted by: Craig Arno

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HDD 5K Color Run/Walk!

Registration is now open for the Hot Dog Day 5K Color Run/Walk! Please visit our website for more information and to link into the registration form - pre-register now to guarantee your shirt!
www.my.alfred.edu/csdc

Link: <http://www.my.alfred.edu/csdc>

Submitted by: Amber Hardy

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2014 Chinese Proficiency Test (HSK)

HSK test Level 2, Level 3, and Level 4 will be held at 9-11 a.m. (Level 2 and Level 4) & 3-5 p.m. (Level 3) on Saturday, April 12, in Perlman 105. The test is now open to all Chinese language learners who are interested in the test besides the students from Chinese class 102 and 202 at AU.

The last date to register is April 3. The registration fee for HSK level 2, level 3, and 4 is \$30, \$40, and \$50.

The new HSK test was launched by Hanban (Confucius Institute Headquarter) in an effort to better serve Chinese language learners. Many HSK testing centers have been established home and abroad; overseas testing centers have reached to 180 with a distribution in 60 countries.

For more information, please contact Xinyue (Rose) Hu by hu@alfred.edu or 607-871-2762.

Link: www.chinesetesting.cn

Attachment: [Registration Form](#)

Submitted by: Yanfang Song

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Need to Order Your AU Business Cards?

The process for ordering official Alfred University business cards changed as of February 2014. We are now working with the Alfred State College Document Center, and a virtual storefront has been developed specifically for ordering our business cards online.

The link to that storefront is:

<https://v2.printsys.net/>

Log on: AlfredUniversity

Password: AlfredUniversity1

There are two templates from which to choose: the first template is indicated for only Admissions and Financial Aid offices because they require specific phone number options; and the second template is designed to accommodate all other offices.

When you double click on your selection, a new window will open that contains a form with fields to enter your information. As the fields are filled, the information will show up on the template at the right so you will see how the business card will look upon completion. Once all the information has been entered, you will proceed to a shopping cart that has options for quantity and payment, using your AU One Card.

In order to maintain the brand identity of the University, a PDF of the card will be emailed to the Office of Communications for review/approval. Once the cards are printed, you will be notified so that you can pick them up at the ASC Document Center, 10 Upper College Drive (607.587.3532). ASC does not deliver at this time. The design and specifications of color and paper are based upon the official AU business card format that is currently in use.

IMPORTANT: For situations where you do not have access to an AU One Card, or a required deviation from the standard format cannot be included within the two template options, you will need to contact Rick McLay at mclay@alfred.edu so that a design can be created and provided to the ASC Document Center. In those situations, the online purchase option will not be available and a paper invoice will be sent to you by the ASC Document Center.

Please contact the Alfred University Office of Communications at 2103 if you have any questions.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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AU Scholarship Opportunity

Scholarship - School of Engineering majors (one scholarship award) and Childhood Education (Pre-K-6th grade) majors (one scholarship award). Application deadline is Monday, March 31, 2014.

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 2014-15 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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Old Video Games!

Hey everyone! So there is still one old video game left in the Bike Hub in the downstairs of Powell! It does not work, but it is up for grabs if anyone wants it for a project, to fix it, or just because. It must be claimed by March 31 or it will be thrown away.

*It is a pretty large game... its the Area 51 game like at arcades!

So if you are interested please email senate@alfred.edu or myself at cmh6@alfred.edu

Thanks!

Submitted by: Courtney Hopkins

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Zumba classes are back!

Zumba classes with licensed instructor Denise Eck will be held Mondays and Thursdays at 4:45 p.m. in the multipurpose room on the second floor of the McLane Annex (new Health and Wellness Center). Classes are \$3 each. No need to register in advance. Just bring clean, dry athletic shoes and get ready to join the party!

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Noon-time Toning Class?

Want a noon-time workout that burns calories, tones muscles, and still gets you back to your desk on time?

Try Zumba Toning, a 35-minute workout taught by Denise Eck, licensed instructor. Sign-ups are now under way for an April session, with classes to be held at noon Tuesdays and Thursdays in the multi-purpose room at the Alfred University health and wellness center adjacent to McLane.

Nine classes, starting April 1, for only \$40. Must have at least seven people sign up for classes to be held. Fill out the attached form and either mail it or bring it to the first class. Forms may also be emailed to zumbadee14880@gmail.com.

For students only: NO need to register for all nine sessions. Just attend when you can, and pay by the class.

Attachment: [Zumba Toning Registration Form](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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Alzheimer's Glass and Iron Project Presentation

The Alfred Lions Club is hosting a Glass and Iron Alzheimer's presentation Thursday, March 27 at 7:45p.m. in the Union University Church Center as a Lions Community Service program.

The Alzheimer's Glass and Iron Project is a cross-generational, multi-step project using the classic arts of metal casting and glassblowing to raise awareness of Alzheimer's, a disease which inhibits thinking, memory, and behavior of over five million Americans.

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Free Tax Assistance Available

The Tax Counseling for the Elderly Program (TCE) now offers free e-filing tax assistance for low to moderate-income Allegany County senior citizens.

This service assists filers in completing their tax returns and submits their applications electronically. E-filing is available at the Allegany County Office for the Aging on Mondays and Fridays from 9 to 11:15 a.m. and 1 to 3:15 p.m. during February, March and first of April.

Appointments are necessary and can be made by calling the Office for the Aging at 585.268.9390 or toll free 1.866.268.9390. Allegany County Office for the Aging is located on 6085 State Route 19N, Belmont.

Traditional tax counseling is available at nine sites around the county. No appointment is necessary at these locations. Persons using the service should bring photo ID, Social Security Cards for each member in the household, copies of their previous year's federal and state tax returns and documentation for the current year, including W-2's, 1099R's, 1099 from Social Security, Interest and Dividend Statements from Savings Accounts and other relevant materials showing income for the year.

The tax sites, dates, and times are:

Alfred Union University Church Center, March 6, 10 a.m.-noon; Belmont Legion Hall, Feb. 11, 9 a.m. - noon; Bolivar Fire Hall, Feb. 19, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.; Canaseraga Fire Hall, Feb. 25, 10 a.m -1 p.m.; Cuba Fire Hall, Feb. 18, 9 a.m.-noon; Fillmore Fire Hall, Feb. 13, 9 a.m.-noon; Friendship Community Center, Feb. 20, 10 a.m.-noon; Wellsville YMCA 9 a.m.-1noon, Feb. 12, 26, March 5, 12 and April 2; Whitesville Fire Hall, March 4, 10 a.m.-noon.

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