

Alfred Today

Monday, August 21, 2006

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Herrick Library closed Monday, Aug. 21

Announcement to Herrick Library Patrons: The library (now located in Scholes) will be closed for staff meetings on Monday, Aug. 21. Scholes Library will remain open.

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2006 Opening Session (previously Opening Breakfast)

Event Date: 08/22/2006

Event Time: 8:30-10 a.m.

Location: Ade Hall Dining Room

All faculty and staff are invited to attend the 2006 Opening Session. A continental breakfast will be available. President Edmondson will introduce new faculty and staff hired since August 2005.

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Faculty Workshop: Blackboard Basics

Event Date: 08/22/2006

Event Time: 1-3:30 p.m., 10 a.m.-Noon

Location: Allen Hall: 3rd Floor ITS classroom

Blackboard Basics: taught by Evan Peterson

This workshop is designed to teach AU faculty the basics of the Blackboard Course Management System. Some faculty may want to come as a refresher.

We'll cover:

- * Making Announcements
- * Placing course content (text/documents/files/images) online
- * External Links
- * Threaded discussions
- * Course Calendar

- * E-mail through Blackboard (automatic distribution lists)
- * Digital DropBox
- * Briefly cover online gradebook and quizzes

Two separate workshops:
Tuesday, Aug. 22, 1-3:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Aug. 23, 10 a.m. -Noon

E-mail petersone@alfred.edu to register for a workshop(enrollment is limited)

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Don't wait in line for your parking permit!

Apply online now for your 2006-07 student parking permits at <http://www.thepermitstore.com>. You'll be asked for a location; put "Alfred." If you hate computers, you can still walk into Public Safety during their open hours and ask them to manage your permit application, though the lines may be long during the first few days you're back. Apply today to have your Alfred University Student Parking Permit mailed directly to you.

Link for more information: <http://www.thepermitstore.com>

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Alfred enters partnership with Verizon Wireless

Alfred University has entered into a partnership with a Verizon Wireless Authorized Agent to offer competitive calling plans and cell phones at a discounted rate, for AU students.

For more information about the phones and calling plans available, visit www.alfredwireless.com or call 1.888.603.4248

Link for more information: <http://www.alfredwireless.com>

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Rochester Rhinos -- An Evening of Soccer

Event Date: 08/26/2006

Event Time: Game Time - 7:35 p.m.

Location: PAETEC Park, 460 Oak S., Rochester, NY

Join alumni, parents, and friends along with Jen Enke '95, head women's soccer coach; Scott Miller '96, head men's soccer coach; captains of the AU Women's and Men's Soccer teams; Mark Shardlow '83, executive director of Alumni and Community Relations; University Trustee Christine Kulp '71 and alum Greg Connors '92, for an evening of soccer as the Rochester Rhinos take on the Puerto Rico Islanders. Please join us for a 6:30 p.m. pre-game gathering at the Tent, located at Gate D, where nearby concession stand refreshments will be available for purchase. Cost is \$12 per person, which includes your game ticket. Please contact the office of Alumni and Community Relations with any questions at 607.871.2144, or e-mail alumni@alfred.edu.

Link for more information: <http://www.rhinosoccer.com>

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ITS Helpdesk has moved to the Science Center

The ITS Helpdesk has relocated to room #108 of the Science Center. Our phone number (871.2222) and e-mail address (ITSHelpdesk@alfred.edu) are still the same.

Monday, Aug. 21 through Friday, Aug. 25, the ITS Helpdesk office hours will be 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Please stop down to see us in our new location.

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