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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
12:10 Faculty & Staff Bible Study (Students also welcome)	8:30 The Community Table AU Faculty & Staff Coffee Hour	6:00 Women's Basketball at Buffalo State
AU Fresh Forum & Free Lunch!	12:10 Bergren Forum - ♦?? Love in the Time of Ebola♦??	7:30 Symphony Orchestra Concert
4:00 Grilled Cheese & Soup		Theater Production ♦?? ♦??Waiting for Godot"

	Bar Pop-up at The Community Table!	5:00	AU Fresh Harvest Dinner	
5:00	Jes Fan: Artist Talk	7:30	Theater Production ♦?? ♦??Waiting for Godot"	
7:30	Theater Production - "Waiting for Godot"			

Open Enrollment Forms

Open Enrollment will end on November 16, 2018. All benefit enrollment forms must be received by then.

You must turn in an open enrollment form to Kayleigh Misner in Human Resources, even if you are are opting out of benefits. As of 11/9/18 we are still missing around 346 forms.

If you do not turn a form in and you have coverage under BCBS currently with Alfred University you will be defaulted into the Gold plan and you will be opted into Short Term Disability.

If you have questions on how to fill out the forms, please contact Kayleigh Misner, Kim Wyant, or Mark Guinan for assistance. The benefits guides are updated on the HR website for reference.

Link: [Benefits Guides](#)

Attachment: [Non Statutory Employees Enrollment Form](#)

Attachment: [NYSCC Employees Enrollment Form](#)

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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Library system upgrade on Monday, November 19

On the morning on Monday, November 19, the libraries will be completing a system upgrade. Access to online databases, journals, articles, and books may be disrupted during a two-hour period beginning at about 8:00 am and ending at about 10:00 am.

We apologize for the inconvenience.

Submitted by: Ellen Bahr

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We want the shoes off of your feet!

The Alfred Navajo Water Project is collecting shoes for our fundraising drive. \$1000 will be donated to our fund drive if we collect 2500 pairs of new or gently used shoes, sandals, boots, flipflops, whatever by the end of the semester. Collection boxes can be found at Alfred Pharmacy, Alfred Community Bank, Alfred Steuben Trust, Kimberleys hair salon, The Union University Church center in Alfred, the Powell Campus Center, and the Leadership center already. We will also put boxes out in some of the academic buildings....want a box in your area? Let us know! You know you have shoes in your closet you don't wear! The shoes, ultimately, go to less developed countries such as Haiti and Honduras. Help us meet our goal of 2500 pairs. Ask your friends, family, relatives, strangers on the street for their unwanted shoes!

Submitted by: Michele Hluchy

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Online Web Request Form

In order to ensure that requests for new web pages or changes to existing pages are handled in a timely manner, please use our online request form.

This is the only request format that will be accepted. If you have questions regarding the form or its use please contact Webmaster, Judy Linza, at x2727 or e-mail webmaster@alfred.edu.

Link: [Web Request Form](#)

Submitted by: Judy Linza

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ARGUS Proposals ♦ Spring Funding

Interested in obtaining funding for a research project?

Proposals for Spring 2019 funding from the Alfred Research Grants for Undergraduate Students (ARGUS) program are due by midnight Friday, November 16. Instructions for preparing and submitting a proposal and the supporting application materials can be found at the link below. Please be aware that proposals not following the required format will be returned without review.

If you have questions, email Dr. Fred Beaudry (beaudry@alfred.edu).

Link: [ARGUS application information](#)

Submitted by: Frederic Beaudry

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Free meal at Ade with donation of a pair of shoes!

You can receive a free meal at Ade Hall if you bring a pair of shoes to donate to the Navajo Water Project! We are trying to collect 2500 pairs of new or used shoes (must be wearable) by the end of the semester to meet a challenge by Funds2Orgs. They will donate \$1000 to the Navajo Water Project if we collect 2500 pairs by the end of the semester. Dining Services has graciously offered to provide a free meal at Ade if you bring a pair of shoes with you to donate! Go enjoy a great meal and help a great cause!

Submitted by: Michele Hluchy

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Music Lessons

The Department of Music at Alfred University offers a variety of music lessons for Voice, Guitar, Piano, Percussion, Strings, Brass, and Woodwinds.

There are beginning lessons which are 30 minutes a week and only \$300 a semester. And there are advanced lessons, 60 minutes a week and \$600 a semester. Cost for lessons can be added to your tuition.

Contact Dustin Woodard at Woodard@alfred.edu for details.

Sign up for MUSC 101-108 or 301-308.

Submitted by: Dustin Woodard

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The Saxon Bike Hub is Open!

The Saxon Bike Hub is open for business. See the attached flyer!

Hours:

- Tue - Fri: 11:30 AM - 5:30 PM

- Sat - Mon: Closed

Come by and see us!

Attachment: [Flyer - The Saxon Bike Hub](#)

Submitted by: Liam Saccucci-Bryan

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Chemistry 105 Supplemental Instruction sessions for the week

CHEM 105-01 Wednesday 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm, Myers 334, Thursday, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm, Myers 336 and Sunday, 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm, Myers Hall 334. Leader: Lucas Laing

CHEM 105-02, Monday, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm, Tuesday, 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm, Thursday, 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm, Myers Hall, 334. Leader: Kendra Byrwa.

CHEM 105-03, Monday and Tuesday, 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm, Myers Hall 227, Sunday 4:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Myers Hall 227. Leader: Rachel Pera.

CHEM 105-04 Monday, 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm, Myers Hall 227, Tuesday, 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm, Myers Hall 228, Wednesday, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm, Myers Hall 228. Leader: Luke Rich

Submitted by: Elizabeth Niles

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Paid Family Leave Training

This is the third training in a 9 month series targeted at any AU employee who has supervisory roles in their department. This training can also be especially helpful for any staff who support the supervisors in their department.

This training will encompass: overview of the new Paid Family Leave laws that went into effect on 1/1/18, timeline and benefits, eligibility, FAQ's, and how FMLA and PFL are different

This is also open to any AU employee who would like to know more about the new changes that are in place.

This training will be held on November 6, 2018 from 11:15 am - 12:00 pm and on November 28, 2018 from 11:15 am - 12:00 pm both located in the Kenyon/Allen Room in the PCC. This is the same training both days.

Link: [HR Website](#)

Attachment: [Flyer for Supervisor Training](#)

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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A Tool Box for Faculty and Staff

Wednesday, November 14 in Nevins Theatre from 12:15 pm - 1:15 pm. The Wellness Center counselors would like to invite faculty and staff to come hear about what you can expect from counseling services on our campus, how we can be partners and collaborators to aid in the success of our students, and learn some tips on how to respond to emotional needs. Presenters: Emma Wolf, MS, NCC and Elena Yee, MS, NCC.

Submitted by: Sara Nostrant

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STUDENTS: Explore your Creative Self through classes in Performing Arts !

Courses available in Theatre, Music, Dance, Performance Design & Technology

THEATRE

THEA 200 "Literary London- Page to Stage" B block, includes trip to London

THEA 240 Acting I

THEA 212 Page to Stage: Script Analysis

THEA 242 Performance Lab: Musical Theatre Double Threat

Opportunities on stage and behind the scenes for the Theatre Production of Shakespeare's "The Tempest" contact Becky Prophet for information: fprophet@alfred.edu

PERFORMANCE DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY

PDAT 120 Technical Theatre

PDAT 200 Costuming on the Half Scale

DANCE

DANC 120 Fundamentals of Dance

DANC 224 Contact Improvisation

DANC 322 Modern Dance II

DANC 222 Modern Dance I

DANC 330 Improvisation/Composition II

MUSIC

Private Lessons available to ALL Students from Beginners to Advanced: Guitar, Piano, Strings, Winds, Brass, Percussion, Voice and the Chinese Guzheng are available for credit as listed in Banner

MUSC 120 Music Theory

MUSC 130 Piano I

MUSC 131 Piano II

MUSC 133 Music of the Guzheng

MUSC 211 World Music

MUSC 215 History of Rock Music

MUSC 200 Performance Lab: Musical Theatre Double Threat

MUSC 272 Chamber Singers- Audition information, contact Luanne Crosby: fclarke@alfred.edu

These Music Ensembles are Open to Everyone-

NO Audition necessary *Instruments are available

MUSC 271 University Chorus

MUSC 273 Symphonic Band

MUSC 274 Jazz Ensemble

MUSC 275 University Symphony Orchestra

MUSC 279 Chamber Music

Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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November Years of Service Recognition

The Employee Recognition Committee would like to announce Years of Service dates for the month of November 2018. The Committee will be observing years 1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, and 50.

At Alfred University, we realize that our employees are our greatest asset, and we are delighted to honor your dedicated service and commitment to this organization. It is our employees who uphold our principles, demonstrate our vision of working for a better future for our University, deliver on our customer promise and make us the passionate organization we are today.

The success of our organization is a direct result of your efforts and dedication. Your commitment to quality and personal and professional integrity is the differentiating factor that sets us apart from our competition.

On behalf of Alfred University, it is with great pride and admiration that we congratulate you on this service anniversary milestone.

Celebrating 1 Year of Service:

November 13- Craig Yanni- Head Women's Soccer Coach- Athletics

November 18- Ashley Emo- Public Safety Officer- Public Safety

November 27- Grace Gertzen- Custodian- Maintenance

Celebrating 5 Years of Service:

November 5- Rachelle Remchuk- Janitor- Maintenance

November 18- Chelsea Ames- Student Accounts Rep- Student Service Center

Celebrating 25 Years of Service:

November 15- Jamie Babcock- Director pf Physical Plant- Maintenance

Submitted by: Kayleigh Misner

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Accessibility Group

In collaboration with Information Technology Services, The Center for Academic Success is seeking students, faculty, and staff who are interested in helping to determine accessibility of Alfred University's portal website (my.alfred.edu) for individuals with disabilities. If you are interested in helping with this project or learning more please follow this link: <https://goo.gl/forms/s8bb...>

Link: <https://goo.gl/forms/s8bbMUj5hHXriacP2>

Submitted by: Center for Academic Success (CAS)

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Allegany-Cattaraugus-Chautauqua Fund for Women (ACC FFW) fundraiser

The Allegany-Cattaraugus-Chautauqua Fund for Women (ACC FFW) has opened our ordering period for our second annual plant sale. \$12 each for marble poinsettia and Christmas cactus in addition to red, white, pink poinsettia and red cyclamen.

The Allegany-Cattaraugus-Chautauqua Fund for Women (ACC FFW) exists to invest in the lives of women in our communities in order to promote sustained self-sufficiency. Our mission is supported by strong guiding principles, including: empowerment, community, good stewardship, equity, diversity, and self-determination. The ACC FFW is a component fund of the Cattaraugus Region Community Foundation, a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization. Visit www.accffw.org and go to "holiday plant sale"

to help us surpass our totals from last year, during which we sold 285 plants and profited close to \$1,500. This allowed us to give out our first two grants, of many to come.

Orders are being taken through Sunday, November 18, with pickup available on campus around November 26.

Link: [Click "holiday plant sale" for the order form](#)

Submitted by: Kathy Woughter

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Jes Fan: Artist Talk

Date of Event: Wednesday, November 14
Time of Event: 5:00 pm
Location of Event: Binns Merrill, Room C
Cost: Free!
Sponsored by: Sculpture/Dimensional Studies

Jes Fan is a Brooklyn-based artist born in Canada and raised in Hong Kong, China. They received a BFA in Glass from Rhode Island School of Design. Fan's trans-disciplinary practice is based on a material inquiry into otherness as it relates to identity politics. Reflecting on the inter-sections of many identities, they question the concept of "otherness" by creatively exploring materials and substances with social, political, and erotic connotations. Working with glass, latex, silicone, glycerin, and injectable Depo-Testosterone, Fan's playful, poetic objects and drawings explore transgender identity, body modification, and self-determination. Critical of stereotypes and hierarchies, Fan's paradoxical creations (a limp pink silicone dumbbell, testosterone-scented candles) greet viewers as riddles, inspiring complex meditations on the conventions and inventions of gender.

Fan is the recipient of various fellowships and residencies, such as the Edward and Sally Van Lier Fellowship at Museum of Arts and Design, Pioneer Works, and a CCGA Fellowship at Wheaton Arts. Fan has exhibited in the United States and internationally; selected exhibitions include No Clearance in Niche at Museum of Art & Design (New York), Whereabouts at Glazenhuis Museum (Belgium), Material Location at Agnes Varis Gallery (New York), and Ot(her) at Brown University's Sarah Doyle Gallery (Providence).

www.jesfan.com

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Don Bluth Movie Night!!!

Thursday, November 15 at 7:30 pm:

Hillel will be hosting a movie night in Howell Hall (big building up on the hill past Powell)!!

Admission: FREE
Snacks: PLENTIFUL
Fun: GUARANTEED

Submitted by: Nicole Osinoff

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Phil Niblock with Katherine Liberovskaya

Date of Event: Tuesday, November 20
Time of Event: 6:30 pm
Location of Event: Holmes Auditorium
Cost: Free

Sponsored by: Expanded Media, Electronic Integrated Arts MFA program

Phil Niblock
Music Composition Performance

Phill Niblock (b. 1933, USA) is an artist whose fifty-year career spans minimalist and experimental music, film and photography. Since 1985, he has served as director of Experimental Intermedia, a foundation for avant-garde music based in New York with a branch in Ghent, and curator of the foundation's record label XI. Known for his thick, loud drones of music, Niblock's signature sound is filled with microtones of instrumental timbres that generate many other tones in the performance space. In 2013, his diverse artistic career was the subject of a retrospective realised in partnership between Circuit (Contemporary Art Centre Lausanne) and Musée de l'Elysée. The following year Niblock was honored with the prestigious Foundation for Contemporary Arts John Cage Award.

Screening from Niblock's Film: The Movement of People Working 1973-1991

Katherine Liberovskaya
Video Performance

Katherine Liberovskaya is a video and media artist based in Montreal, Canada, and New York City. Working predominantly in experimental video since the late eighties, she has produced many single-channel videos, video installation works and video performances which have been presented at a wide variety of artistic venues and events around the world. In recent years her work - in single-channel and installation video as well as performance - mainly revolves around collaborations with new music composers/sound artists and live improvisation video-mixing with numerous live new music/audio artists including, Phil Niblock, Al Margolis/If/Bwana, Hitoshi Kojo, Zanana, Anne Wellmer, David First, David Watson, Margarida Garcia, Barry Weisblat, o.blaat, murmer, André Gonçalves, Monique Buzzart, Anthony Coleman, Shelley Hirsch, Giuseppe Ielasi, Renato Rinaldi, Audrey Chen, plus others.

Submitted by: SOAD Events

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Alfred University alumna, Dr. Pascucci to deliver the McMahon Lecture

Alfred University alumna Dr. Marina R. Pascucci, director of government programs, CeraNova Corporation, will deliver the John F. McMahon Lecture on Thursday, November 15 at 11:20 am in Holmes Auditorium, Harder Hall.

Link: <https://www.alfred.edu/about/community/outreach/lectures.cfm>

Submitted by: Emilie Carney

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Go jump in the lake! President Zupan is going to!

The Navajo Water Project is sponsoring a "Semipolar Plunge" on Nov. 18 at Foster Lake. You can support this fund-raising initiative by either getting pledges to support going into the lake yourself, or by pledging money for someone who is willing to go in. All funds go to the Navajo Water Project.

Go to semipolarplunge.myevent.com to register and set your "price " to go in or to pledge funds for

someone already registered to go into the lake.

President Zupan has already registered! Who wants to join him? Who wants to support him?

The event will begin at 3:30 pm on Sunday, November 18 at Foster Lake. After the plunge, you can change into dry clothes and enjoy a bonfire, hot cocoa, and s'mores (thanks to AU Fresh and the Forest People). Spectators are welcome.

Link: <http://Semipolarplunge.myevent.com>

Submitted by: Michele Hluchy

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Cancelled: Sunday, November 18 at 3:00 pm Student Recital

The Student Recital for this Sunday has been Cancelled.

Submitted by: Lisa Lantz

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The Community Table AU Faculty & Staff Coffee Hour

AU faculty and staff, join us at The Community Table (second floor of Powell) on Thursday, November 15th, 8:30 am - 9:30 am!

Learn about our space and mingle with AU Fresh staff!
Refreshments will be available.

Submitted by: Marie Williams

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AU Fresh Second Annual Food Photography Contest!

Live for food? Love photography?

Submit a photo of your favorite recipe, social dining event, or simply fun with food. Don't miss out on the opportunity to have your artwork displayed next semester in our Community Table location!

First Prize: \$100 in Dining Dollars and display in The Community Table
Honorable Mentions: \$25 each in Dining Dollars and display in The Community Table

Submit high-resolution images to williamsmz@alfred.edu by Friday, December 14.

Submitted by: Marie Williams

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Leadership Workshop Series

Ever feel like you don't know what you're doing as a student leader? Want to improve your leadership capabilities?

This leadership workshop series was created by graduate student Abigail Hurley!

The sessions:

-Planning for the Future, Thursday, November 15, 6:30 pm, Nevins Theatre

-Embodying Student Leadership, Friday, November 16, 5:30 pm, Board Room

I am happy to come to your club meetings, or do 1 on 1 sessions with anyone who is interested! I can come to classes as well.

Email: ach7@alfred.edu for more information!

Submitted by: Abigail Hurley

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Environmental Studies Speaker- Arunas Chesonis

Join us this Friday, November 16 to hear Arunas Chesonis give a talk titled "How Do We Stop Using Petroleum?". Arunas Chesonis is a successful entrepreneur and experienced early-stage technology investor. Currently Mr. Chesonis is the Chairman and CEO of Sweetwater Energy, Inc. and early state technology company based in Rochester, NY. He holds a B.S. in Civil Engineering from MIT, an MBA from the William E. Simon Graduate School of Business at the University of Rochester and an Honorary Doctorate of Laws from the University of Rochester.

Friday, Nov. 16, 2018

12:20 pm - 1:10 pm

Roon Lecture Hall- Science Center

Light refreshments will be available

Everyone is welcome to attend

Submitted by: Shannon Yocum

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AU Fresh Harvest Dinner

Join us for dinner at Ade Dining Hall on Thursday, November 15 from 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm! We will be joined by Maria Adam, NTP, of Thriving Health from 6:00 pm - 7:00pm!

Menu:

Brown Sugar Ham

Fresh Herb Turkey

Garlic Mashed Potatoes

Sweet Potato Casserole

Green Bean Casserole

Dinner Rolls

Stuffing

Cranberry Sauce

Sautéed Mix Vegetables

Turkey and Vegetable Gravy

Vegan Option - Roast Stuffed Seitan Roulade

Select ingredients are sourced from Fitzpatrick Farm Market and Yellow Barn, both local food businesses.

Submitted by: Marie Williams

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Grilled Cheese & Soup Bar Pop-up at The Community Table!

Wednesday, November 14, 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm
The Community Table
(Second floor of Powell Campus Center, next to the elevator)

Grilled Cheese, Cup of Soup,
House Salad, Chips, Cookies, and Drink
Saxon Swipe or \$8
(Cash, Credit, Dining Dollars, or Fiat Bux)

Grilled Cheese, Bowl of Soup,
House Salad, Chips, Cookies, and Drink
\$9.95
(Cash, Credit, Dining Dollars, or Fiat Bux)

Individual options are also available.

Submitted by: Marie Williams

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