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TOMORROW

FRIDAY

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### Makers on Main Street

Dear Alfred University Faculty and staff:

We hope you will join us for Makers on Main Street on Friday, June 7, 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm. Free and open to the public.

The Village Board has granted permission to hold a Makers Fair on Main Street in conjunction with Reunion. As a result, Main street will be closed to traffic from church Street to the north side of Gallery 2 from 3:00 pm - 8:30 pm. Traffic will be detoured using Lower Campus Drive on the Alfred State Campus.

The Alfred Box of Books is holding a fundraiser with a House Tour of historic homes in Alfred from 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm. Tickets are \$20 and are available at the library. Take a tour of Alfred, celebrate the makers in our midst, and stay late for Music til Midnight at the Village Bandstand with Witch Hazel, one of Western NY's premier rock bands. Free and open to the public.

We hope you will stick around to enjoy these events! Make a night of it. Bring your family and friends. Please contact the Alumni Engagement Office at 607-871-2144 or [alumni@alfred.edu](mailto:alumni@alfred.edu) with any questions.

Link: [Makers on Main Street](#)

Submitted by: Caitlin Brown

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## Alan Littell Booksigning Saturday, June 8th, 2-3pm

Alan Littell will be signing his book, *Winter Passage*, at the AU Bookstore during Reunion Weekend on Saturday, June 8 from 2:00 pm -3:00 pm. Stop in to greet Alan Littell!

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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## TIAA Consultant on Campus

A TIAA consultant will be conducting one-on-one, 45-minute, individual retirement counseling sessions on Wednesday, June 19, in the Human Resources Conference Room in Greene Hall. Let them help you make financial decisions that are right for you. To schedule an appointment, employees should call TIAA at 1.800.732.8353 and remain on the line for assistance; or register at [www.TIAA.org/schedulenow](http://www.TIAA.org/schedulenow).

Submitted by: Kim Wyant

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## New System for the AU Libraries

The AU Libraries are pleased to announce an upcoming systems migration in early July that will improve services to the campus. A new library services platform, called Alma, manages all of the libraries' back-office functions, including circulation, the acquisition and cataloging of print and electronic resources, and resource sharing within SUNY.

The library staff have been working over the last year to prepare for this transition. While we expect disruptions to be minimal, we appreciate your patience and understanding as we make this upgrade.

Library patrons will have access to an improved public search interface called Primo which has several new features:

- \* Mobile-friendly design
- \* An integrated search of physical and print materials at both Scholes and Herrick (videos, articles, books, databases, etc.)
- \* The ability to save favorite searches or articles as well as manage personal accounts for renewals and other circulation functions
- \* The ability to search across the collections of all SUNY Libraries (and beyond) with links to request materials for inter-library loan

If you have any questions, please feel free to ask any of the librarians: <https://libguides.alfred...>

Link: [Librarian Contact](#)

Submitted by: Laurie Lounsberry McFadden

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## Precision Scales and Balance Visit

We are in the process of scheduling the annual visit from Precision Scales and Balances to have campus scales and balances serviced in early July. If you have equipment you would like serviced, please send the make, model, serial number, and location as well as a contact name and FOAP to

[procurement@alfred.edu](mailto:procurement@alfred.edu) by Friday, June 28.

Please call Procurement at x2698 with any questions.

Submitted by: Valerie Ewald

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### Alfred Box of Books Library House Tour

"The Alfred Box of Books Library is hosting the first-ever House Tour on Friday, June 7, from 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm.

Tickets are on sale NOW at the Box of Books, and a list of sites on the tour and other information is also available at the library. The tour is self guided, and begins with refreshments and special displays at the Box of Books Library. "

Submitted by: Jen Guarasci

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### AU Bookstore Hours for June

The AU Bookstore will be open 9:30 am - 3:30 pm M-F, closed weekends during the month of June. We will be open extended hours for Reunion Weekend, Friday, June 7 thru Sunday, June 9.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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### Summer Pool Hours

The pool will be open for lap swimming:

Wednesday - Friday 6/5 - 6/7 and Wednesday - Friday 6/12- 6/14  
from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm and 3:30 -5:30 pm

We will open Monday - Friday (same hours) starting June 17.

Submitted by: Brian Striker

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### Joanne Horton, retired secretary in Admissions

Joanne Horton, who was a secretary in Admissions for 20 years prior to her retirement, died Saturday, June 1. A memorial service will be scheduled at the convenience of her family.

Link: [Joanne Horton obituary](#)

Submitted by: Susan Goetschius

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## McLane Gymnasium

The McLane Gymnasium will be closed from Thursday, May 30 - Thursday, June 6 for floor resurfacing.

Submitted by: Adam DuPree

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## Instrumental Ensembles

The Department of Music at Alfred University has three instrumental ensembles that are looking for new members. All are welcome to join whether you are a student, faculty, staff, or community member. No auditions necessary, and instruments are available if you do not own your own.

If you would like to join or have any questions please contact the director of the ensemble:

MUSC 275 - University Symphony Orchestra

Dr. Lisa Lantz ([lantz@alfred.edu](mailto:lantz@alfred.edu))

MUSC 274 - Jazz Ensemble

Dr. Raul Barcenes ([Barcenes@alfred.edu](mailto:Barcenes@alfred.edu))

MUSC 273 - Concert Band

Dr. Raul Barcenes ([Barcenes@alfred.edu](mailto:Barcenes@alfred.edu))

Submitted by: Dustin Woodard

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