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TODAY	TOMORROW	FRIDAY
10:00 Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center	10:00 Walk-In Hours - Career Development Center	12:20 Chemistry Research Talk Given By Dr. Doug Genna
1:00 Open Master Dance Class - Contemporary Dance	11:00 Re-Take Graduation Portraits	6:00 Men's Basketball Home vs. Hartwick College
5:15 Yoga Classes	12:10 Bergren Forum - 'Longest Ride of My Life'	6:30 Shabbat Dinner (Chili and Stuff)
5:30 Curtis Mann Lecture	5:15 Thursdays at the Newman Club	8:30 Casino Night
	5:30 Carnaval & Mardi Gras: A Multicultural Experience	
	6:00 Black History Month Film Series	

**Undergraduate Students - Financial Aid Deadline 3/15/16**

IMPORTANT: MARCH 15, 2016 IS THE DEADLINE FOR FILING THE 2016-17 ALFRED UNIVERSITY FINANCIAL AID APPLICATION AND THE FREE APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL STUDENT AID (FAFSA).

If you will be an undergraduate student at AU for the 2016-17 academic year and do not have these documents, please stop by the Financial Aid Office to pick them up. We are located in Alumni Hall and are open 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Submitted by: Elena Wallace

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### **AU's Carnaval & Mardi Gras: A Multicultural Experience**

Please join us for traditional Carnaval and Mardi Gras celebrations with a variety of delicious, free food, and cultural activities. Please feel free to dress up if you would like.

Thursday, Feb. 4  
5:30 - 6:30 p.m.  
AU Language House  
(12 Park S., across from the Saxon Inn)

Sponsored by El cafecito and Cafe Francais

All levels of Spanish and French speakers, everyone is Welcome!

Submitted by: Michele Gaffney

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### **Chem Talk "Metal Organic Frameworks: A Retrosynthetic Approach" Dr. Genna**

Dr. Doug Genna will give a Chemistry Research Talk on "Metal Organic Frameworks: A Retrosynthetic Approach"

In Myers 228 from 12:20-1:20 P.M. Friday, Feb. 5.

Join us! Bring a Friend, All are Welcome!

Submitted by: Bailey Grillo

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### **Single and Same-Room Housing Applications Available Now!**

Applications for Single Room Housing options and Same- Room Signup are available now! Students interested in these housing options have until Friday, Feb. 12 to fill out their Housing/Dinning Contract and the supplemental applications.

Questions about housing can be directed to Vicky Gebel at [gebel@alfred.edu](mailto:gebel@alfred.edu)

Submitted by: Vicky Gebel

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### **ARGUS Proposals - Summer 2016 Funding**

Want to spend your summer delving more deeply into your field and learning alongside your faculty through research?

Student proposals requesting summer 2016 funding from the Alfred Research Grants for Undergraduate Students (ARGUS) program are due by midnight Friday, March 4. 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 Geoffrey Bowers at [bowers@alfred.edu](mailto:bowers@alfred.edu).

Link: [Argus Proposals](#)

Submitted by: Geoffrey Bowers

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### Beacon Early Alert System

It is hard to believe it is already the third week of the semester. Please remember to submit Beacon alerts for students you have concerns about or who are missing class.

If you have any questions or need additional training please contact Tricia Debertolis at [debertpa@alfred.edu](mailto:debertpa@alfred.edu)

Submitted by: Patricia Debertolis

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### Intramural Weightlifting Event!

Please see attachment to sign up for Alfred University's first intramural weightlifting event in the McLane Fitness Center Friday, Feb. 19.

Attachment: [Test\\_Your\\_Limits\\_AU\\_Today.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Tony Aquilina

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### AAA Discounts for All Students, Staff, and Faculty

Take advantage of our new AAA membership benefits for students and employees. Please see the attachments (separate flyers for students and employees) for details. This promotion is valid through June 30, 2016.

Attachment: [collegepromo.pdf](#)

Attachment: [suny.pdf](#)

Submitted by: Cheryl Foster

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### Free Income Tax Preparation

Allegany County United Way (ACUW) will be on campus on the dates below to assist low-to-moderate

income individuals earning \$54,000 or less file their federal and state income taxes for free as part of the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program, supported by the IRS.

Alfred University VITA student-volunteers who have been certified will be on hand to help taxpayers file their tax returns. Last year Alfred students and ACUW helped Allegany County taxpayers receive over \$1 million in refunds.

Olin Building, #214:  
Friday, Feb. 26 from 4:30 to 7 p.m.  
Saturday, Feb. 27 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Please contact Asst. Prof. Luis Rodriguez Jr. at 607.871.2035 for additional information on what documents you will need to bring to these sessions in order to have your taxes done.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### **25% Off Sweatpants & Sweatshirts**

Get 25% OFF Sweatpants and sweatshirts at the AU Bookstore. Sale dates 2/1- 2/5/16. Great selection!

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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### **NY Times Newspaper Subscription Starts Jan. 19**

The educationally priced NY Times newspaper subscription program through the AU Bookstore starts Tuesday, Jan. 19. Papers arrive daily and can be picked up at the AU Bookstore after 2 p.m. Monday - Friday (no papers weekends).

The cost of the subscription is \$53.90 for the spring semester. No paper delivery during spring break.

Papers will start Jan. 19 and end May 11 (77 days in the subscription). Please email if you would like to sign up for the subscription. With the subscription you get the physical newspaper and the ability to read unlimited articles online. Please email [bradlemk@alfred.edu](mailto:bradlemk@alfred.edu) if you are interested. Payment can be made on Jan. 19 or following.

Submitted by: Marcy Bradley

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### **Tackle Hunger - Be Part of Allegany County 'Souper Bowl of Caring'**

ACCESS Allegany, a division of Ardvent Solutions, invites you to participate in its Souper Bowl of Caring, Saturday, Feb. 6, 2016. The event will benefit Hart Comfort House, Wellsville; Catholic Charities, Wellsville; and the Cuba Cultural Center.

Donate to the Souper Bowl of Caring at Tops Market, Riverwalk Plaza, Wellsville, Saturday, Feb. 6 from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. The donation wish list includes non-perishable food items; pet food and supplies, household cleaning supplies, personal hygiene products, and cash gifts. (See attached for more specifics.)

There are also several pre-event donation sites:  
Any ACCESS Allegany Bus

Allegany County Office for the Aging, The Crossroads, Belvidere

All Allegany County Community Banks

First Citizens' Band of Wellsville

Participating Steuben Trust Locations

Join the excitement and follow the play-by-play action at [www.facebook.com/accessal...](http://www.facebook.com/accessal...)  
or call 585.593.1738.

Attachment: [Allegany County Souper Bowl Wish List](#)

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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### Donations for Cats Wanted

My name is Lauren Schramm and I am the village co-coordinator for the trap-neuter-return program. I am looking for donations of towels, blankets, and newspapers for when trapping of cats occurs in the spring. Please email me if you would like to donate.

Link: <http://www.facebook.com/alfredcats>

Submitted by: Lauren Schramm

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### Afterschool Film: 'Maze Runner - The Scorch Trials' (2015) PG-13

Friday, Feb. 5 at 3:30 p.m.  
Nancy Howe Auditorium  
David A. Howe Public Library  
155 N. Main St., Wellsville  
585-593-3410

After having escaped the Maze, the Glades now face a new set of challenges on the open roads of a desolate landscape. This second film in the Maze series is PG-13 from 2015. Actors include Dylan O'Brien and Kaya Scodelario.

This library-sponsored film is free and open to the general public.

Submitted by: Deborah Clark

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