Campus Announcements for the week of 01/23/2006

Table of Contents

- 01. Administrative (dept moves/closes, employee info, Admin announcements)
- 1. It's time to renew your library material.
- 2. Register Now for Stony Brook Day in Albany February 28, 2006
- 3. TIAA-CREF One-On-One Counseling Available
- 4. Eleventh University Senate Survey

02. Hosp/HSC Admin Announcements

- 1. Coping With Cancer...Together
- 2. Introducing Dr. Todd K. Rosengart, Chief, Cardiothoracic Surgery
- 03. Workshops/Courses/Training (work related; HR, EAP, DoIT, etc...)
- 1. Lawson Training for SBUH Staff
- 2. EAP Lunchtime Learning IDENTITY THEFT, Presented by NYS Office of Attorney General

04. Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

- 1. Topics in Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences Seminar
- 2. Ocean and Atmospheric Colloquium, January 27, 2006
- 3. Special Seminar hosted by Marine Sciences Research Center, January 24. David Malakoff, Science Editor and Correspondent National Public Radio
- 4. The Dr. McAdoo Memorial Health Lecture Series
- 5. Provost's Lecture Series: Robin D.G. Kelley presents "Africa Speaks, America Answers: The Drum Wars of Guy Warren"

06. Charitable (Habitat, Blood drives, Cats, etc...)

- 1. South Campus Blood Drive, January 30, 2006
- 2. The Long Island State Veterans Home Hockey Night "A Salute to Veterans Night" with the New York Islanders.
- 3. "Gently Used" Book Sale to Benefit the Residents at the Veterans Home

07. Entertainment (Sports, Movies, Events, etc...)

- 1. Stony Brook Chorale Auditions
- 2. Red Molly & Pat Wictor on double bill of acoustic folk at The University Cafe, Sunday, January 29th 2 PM
- 3. Stony Brook Ballroom Dance Club Group Lessons
- 4. Pottery Sale in the Union
- 5. National Girls and Women in Sports Day Youth Sports Clinic
- 6. Black History Month Opening Ceremony
- 7. Meet and Greet: Department of Africana Studies
- 8. Opening Art Exhibit Reception: Nzingah Muhammad
- 9. 17th Annual Black History Month Mass and Dinner
- 10. An Afternoon of Song and History featuring Mr. Kenneth Anderson, Distinguished Baritone
- 11. Provosts Lecture Series: Rethinking the Black Panther Party: Race, Class, and American Democracy in the 21st Century
- 12. Reading and Book Signing: Operation Solomon: The Daring Rescue of the Ethiopian Jews

08. For-Pay Workshops/Courses (SPD, etc...)

- 1. Menopause An Integrative Approach To Management
- 2. Geriatric Care Managers?. Geriatric Care Managers: A Growing Industry
- 3. Craft Center Class Registration has begun
- 4. Defensive Driving Class Begins March 2nd
- 09. Research (Studies, Testing, etc...)
- 1. Long Island Database Project Volunteers Wanted
- 2. Human Subject Protection Program (HSPP)
- 3. 2006 SBU/BNL Seed Grant Program
- 4. 2006 Innovative Technology Development Program Call for Applications

10. Miscellaneous

1. Volunteer To Work With Young Children At Stony Brook Child Care Services

2. Auditions for the University Orchestra at Stony Brook University

01. Administrative (dept moves/closes, employee info, Admin announcements)

1. It's time to renew your library material.

Faculty, Management Confidential and Professional staff who currently have borrowed library material from the Main, Music and/or the Science/Engineering Library, with a due date of December 22, 2005 are urged to renew at this time. The new due date, after properly renewing, will be May 16, 2006.

For information on how to renew via STARS/OPAC, please go to the URL.

To renew in person, please present your ID card to service desk staff. It is not necessary to bring the material into the library in order to have them renewed. There are no phone renewals. There is a three time renewal limit per book. Thank you.

http://sunysb.edu/~library/services/circulation/borrowing.html

Submitted by: David Weiner/Lib

2. Register Now for Stony Brook Day in Albany - February 28, 2006

On February 28, Stony Brook students, faculty, staff and alumni will journey up to our State Capital for one of the most important events of the year. It's Stony Brook Day in Albany, and we want you to come.

You'll get a chance to celebrate Stony Brook - to let your legislators know what the University means to you and we'll show our State representatives how much their support means to us. You'll have a chance to meet people from all parts of the campus and experience firsthand how our government works. There's even an end of day celebration. Register on-line at www.stonybrook.edu/albany

Take the Ride. Show Your Pride.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/albany

Submitted by: Karen Keeley/UAff

3. TIAA-CREF One-On-One Counseling Available

TIAA-CREF consultants will be on site to provide free one-on-one counseling sessions to Research Foundation and West Campus/HSC State employees. Schedule an appointment today to have your financial questions answered. To view available dates click on our website and then click on your respective employer (State or Research Foundation).

http://www.stonybrook.edu/hr/benefits

Submitted by: Skevy Giannitsas/Admin

4. Eleventh University Senate Survey

The University Senate is conducting another survey among the faculty and professional staff in order to determine priority concerns for the University. A similar survey was conducted in 2003, so we will be comparing results with the previous survey to determine changes in campus attitudes and perceptions. All responses are non-attributable, and are only summarized at the highest organizational level (e.g., College).

This year, the survey is available only on-line at

http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/DoIT/senatesurvey.nsf/survey

Please take the time to respond. The survey should take only about 15-20 minutes to complete, and a high response rate will make the results more meaningful.

Submitted by: Laurie Theobalt/Prov

02. Hosp/HSC Admin Announcements

1. Coping With Cancer...Together

If you are a Stony Brook employee who has had cancer, we need your help! If you'd like to be a resource for a newly diagnosed SB employee, please join us.

Training sessions will be held in February. Reserve your space now.

Peer mentoring is a great opportunity for both parties. Make a difference in someone's life. Get involved. Call 444-4000 for more info.

Submitted by: Linda Bily/UHMC

2. Introducing Dr. Todd K. Rosengart, Chief, Cardiothoracic Surgery

The Department of Surgery is very pleased to announce that Todd K. Rosengart, MD, FACS, FACC, has joined our faculty as chief of cardiothoracic surgery. He comes to Stony Brook from Northwestern University's School of Medicine in Chicago, where he was professor of surgery and chief of cardiothoracic surgery at its affiliated hospitals of Evanston Northwestern Healthcare.

Dr. Rosengart will serve as co-director of the Heart Center of University Hospital. He will work closely with his counterpart in cardiovascular medicine, David L. Brown, MD, chief of cardiology and co-director of the Heart Center.

We hope that you will welcome Dr. Rosengart to our community. Physicians who would like to speak directly with him should call 444-1820, or page him directly through the hospital operator.

For more information about Dr. Rosengart, please see his webpages:

http://www.uhmc.sunysb.edu/surgery/dr-rosengart.html

http://www.upsb.org/xq/asp/code.1316/qx/html_patient/physician.htm

Submitted by: Sue-Ann Villano/CPMP

03. Workshops/Courses/Training (work related; HR, EAP, DoIT, etc...)

1. Lawson Training for SBUH Staff

Lawson Training Class to be held on 1/31/06 at 1pm in the IT Training Room, (HSC-Library - Computer Classroom - Room 3-133A), "For All Employees", to attend this class Please contact Michele Thomas, Lawson Support Specialist, ext. 4-7805. There will be 2 parts covered in this class, the first half is for ordering from the Storerooms in the Hospital and the second half will cover ordering from an outside Vendor. I suggest that all employees who are either new to Stony Brook or need a refresher course, please attend this class.

Submitted by: Michele Thomas/UHMC

2. EAP Lunchtime Learning IDENTITY THEFT, Presented by NYS Office of Attorney General

Identity theft, which is fast becoming the most prevalent financial crime in the country affecting nearly half a million new victims each year, goes to the very heart of "information privacy." This workshop provides an overview of the variety of federal and state laws which offer specific privacy rights.

Monday, February 6th, HSC, Level 3, CR159, 11:30-12:30

To register: Call EAP at 632-6085

http://www.sunysb.edu/eap

Submitted by: Linda Tatem/Pres

04. Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Topics in Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences Seminar

Professor Steve Sherwood from the Department of Geology and Geophysics, Yale University, will present a seminar entitled, "Lapse Rate Changes in the Tropics: Expectations vs. Observations," on Wednesday, January 26. The one-hour seminar begins at 12:00 noon at the Marine Sciences Research Center, South Campus, Endeavour Hall 120. Light refreshments will be served. For additional information, please contact the Institute for Terrestrial and Planetary

Atmospheres at 632-8009.

http://atmos.msrc.sunysb.edu

Submitted by: Gina Gartin/MSRC

2. Ocean and Atmospheric Colloquium, January 27, 2006

Dr. Graham Forrester from the University of Rhode Island, will present a seminar entitled, "Extrapolating from small-scale ecological experiments to large-scale dynamics" at 12 noon on January 27, 2006. The semainar will take place at the Marine Sciences Research Center, South Campus, in the Endeavour Hall 120. Light refreshements will be served. For more information, please call 631-632-8781.

http://www.msrc.sunysb.edu/news.oac.html

Submitted by: Katerina Panagiotakopoulou/MSRC

3. Special Seminar hosted by Marine Sciences Research Center, January 24. David Malakoff, Science Editor and Correspondent National Public Radio

Title: "Scientists, Journalists, and Ghostbusters".

12 noon on Tuesday, at Marine Sciences Research Center, in Endeavour Hall 120. David Malakoff is an editor and correspondent on National Public Radio's Science Desk in Washington D.C. As a reporter, he covers research discoveries and the politics of science. He also edits and contributes to stories on technology, the environment, and energy.

Prior to joining NPR, David spent eight years as a reporter for the news section of the journal Science, covering everything from policy issues to marine research. As a freelance journalist, he has written for a wide range of magazines, newspapers, and web sites, including The Economist, Audubon, The Washington Post, ABCNews.com, and PBS television's Nature series. He has also worked as an editor for environmental groups, a fundraiser for several small colleges and led a nonprofit ecological research organization.

Light refreshments will be served. For more information, please call 631-632-8781

Submitted by: Katerina Panagiotakopoulou/MSRC

4. The Dr. McAdoo Memorial Health Lecture Series

Monday, February 6, 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m., School of Social Welfare Faculty/Staff Conference Room, HSC Level 2

For more information, contact Dr. Aldustus E. Jordan, School of Medicine, 444-2341.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

5. Provost's Lecture Series: Robin D.G. Kelley presents "Africa Speaks, America Answers: The Drum Wars of Guy Warren"

Thursday, February 9, 4:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., Humanities Institute, Humanities Building, Dr. Kelley, the William B. Ransford Professor of Cultural and Historical Studies at Columbia University, discusses the cultural influence of jazz in Africa. Sponsored by the Provost's Office, Department of Africana Studies, and Humanities Institute. For more information, contact Dr. Floris Cash, Floris.Cash@stonybrook.edu, 632-7470.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

06. Charitable (Habitat, Blood drives, Cats, etc...)

1. South Campus Blood Drive, January 30, 2006

Don't be cold....Donate Blood

South Campus is hosting a Blood Drive on January 30, 2006 from 8:00am-1:15pm. The BUSMOBILE will be parked by the Endeavour Hall.

Thank you in advance for your continued commitment to saving lives.

To make an appointment, please call Katerina Panagiotakopoulou at 631-632-8781.

Submitted by: Katerina Panagiotakopoulou/MSRC

2. The Long Island State Veterans Home - Hockey Night - "A Salute to Veterans Night" with the New York Islanders.

The Long Island State Veterans Home at Stony Brook University and the New York Islanders invite you to attend a special night, an opportunity to thank all Veterans, "America's Heroes", for their service and dedication in protecting our freedoms.

"A Salute to Veterans Night", Saturday - March 25th, 2006, Game Time - 7PM, New York Islanders vs. Atlanta Thrashers

Tickets will be offered at a special discount ticket price of \$35 per ticket.

The event will include raffle prizes and special recognition ceremonies.

Proceeds from ticket sales will enhance programs, services and activities at the Long Island State Veterans Home to benefit our residents and those who care for them.

Tickets must be purchased through the Long Island State Veterans Home in order to receive the discounted price. To purchase tickets, please contact LISVH Community Relations at (631) 444-8615.

The Long Island State Veterans Home - Caring for America's Heroes

Submitted by: Jonathan Spier/LISVH

3. "Gently Used" Book Sale to Benefit the Residents at the Veterans Home

The Long Island State Veterans Home is holding a gently used book sale. Come by for some great books at terrific prices. All proceeds benefit the residents at the Veterans Home. Saturday, January 28: 10:00 AM- 4:00 PM and Sunday, January 29: 11:30 AM - 3:00 PM. Sale will be held in our Atrium off the Main Lobby.

Submitted by: Susan Helmus/LISVH

07. Entertainment (Sports, Movies, Events, etc...)

1. Stony Brook Chorale Auditions

Auditions will be held January 23 for the spring season. We will be performing Italian Baroque composer Gasparini's delightful "Messa a quattro voci concertata," Castelnuovo-Tedesco's seductive "Romancero Gitano" for chorus and guitar, and Virgil Thomson's disarming old Southern hymn tunes.

Bring a prepared solo, in any style, to the auditions in room 0113 in the basement of the Music Dept. at 7:15. Bring a copy of your music for our pianist. The ability to read music is required but sight-reading will not be tested. For more information contact Timothy Mount: tmount@notes.sunysb.edu

http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/CAS/music.nsf/pages/chorale

Submitted by: Timothy Mount/CAS

2. Red Molly & Pat Wictor on double bill of acoustic folk at The University Cafe, Sunday, January 29th 2 PM

The University Cafe's Sunday afternoon Acoustic Concert series continues with a double bill of Red Molly and Pat Wictor on Sunday, January 29th, 2 P.M.

Red Molly is a trio of Laurie MacAllister, Abbie Gardner and Carolann Solebello who sing and play several instruments (guitar, banjo, mandolin and dobro) in a repertoire ranging from Appalachian ballads to 20th-century pop/country standards and contemporary folk. Pat Wictor, a master lap-style slide guitarist, blends the influences of tradition-minded musicians of the present and the past to create a distinctive voice of his own. Dave Carter, Bruce Cockburn, Kelly Joe Phelps and Chris Smither come to mind when asked for comparisons to Wictor. Admission: \$ 20.00, student rate of \$15.00. Ticket information/reservations: 631-632-6027 or via e mail (gpalaia@notes.cc.sunysb.edu). The University Café (a not-for-profit organization) is

located in the Stony Brook Union, near the LaValle Stadium Parking Lot, at Stony Brook University.

Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

3. Stony Brook Ballroom Dance Club - Group Lessons

We're starting our group lessons again. Mondays - Beginner Int'l Cha Cha at 7pm, Advanced Int'l Samba at 8pm and Intermediate Salsa at 9pm

On Wednesdays, Beginning Rumba at 7pm, Intermediate Tango at 8pm and Advanced Swing at 9pm.

Any questions, please feel free to e-mail me at: vipoon@ams.sunysb.edu For directions, go to http://www.liballroom.com

http://www.liballroom.com

Submitted by: Victor Poon/CEAS

4. Pottery Sale in the Union

The Craft Center will hold a pottery sale on Wednesday, February 1st, from 10am - 3pm in the Union Lobby. Our ceramic ware is hand made in the Craft Center ceramic studio. Come on over and support this creative community. Many wonderful pieces available to purchase including vases, teapots, mugs, bowls, plates and more. Call 632-6822 for more info and for a spring brochure of classes. The Crafts Center is located in the Union lower level room 049.

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

5. National Girls and Women in Sports Day Youth Sports Clinic

In celebration of National Girls and Women in Sports Day, Stony Brook University Athletics will be offering a multi-sport clinic for young girls and boys ages 6-11. Clinic participants will have the oppotunity to interact with current Stony Brook student-athletes. The student-athletes will lead drills and games in the sports of football, volleyball, soccer, basketball and track & field. For only \$5, kids will receive a t-shirt and other goodies, lunch, a game ticket to the Women's Basketball game vs. Binghamton as well as participation in the clinic. Additionally, a lecture will be offered by Athletic Department staff for parents regarding nutrition, fitness and wellnes of young people while the children are going through the various stations in the clinic. Tickets for adults and other family members of clinic participants will be offered for only \$4/each.

To register or obtain further information, contact Eric George at 632-9556.

Submitted by: Eric George/Pres

6. Black History Month Opening Ceremony

Wednesday, February 1, 12:40 p.m. to 2:10 p.m., SAC Auditorium Come celebrate Black History Month at the Opening Ceremony, which will feature Guest Speaker, Les Payne, Pulitzer Prize Winner, Editor at New York Newsday,information tables, and performances by selected student leaders and student organizations. Light refreshments. All are welcome. Coordinated by the Black History Month Coordinating Committee. For more

information contact Cheryl Chambers, Cheryl.Chambers@stonybrook.edu, 632-9968.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

7. Meet and Greet: Department of Africana Studies

Thursday, February 2, 1:00 p.m., Africana Studies Library, Social and Behavioral Sciences Building, Room S-226

Come meet the Department of Africana Studies faculty and staff. There will also be a viewing and discussion of the film Mighty Times: The Legacy of Rosa Parks. Sponsored by the Department of Africana Studies. For more information, contact Dr. Floris Cash, Floris.Cash@stonybrook.edu, 632-7470.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

8. Opening Art Exhibit Reception: Nzingah Muhammad

5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., SAC Art Gallery, Nzingah Muhammads photographic works address issues of Muslim, African American, and womens identities within the framework of contemporary photographic practice. The work includes portraits and self-portraits situated in domestic and studio settings. The exhibit will be shown until February 28. Sponsored by Student Activities Center Art Gallery. For more information, contact Keith Miller, 632-4312.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

9. 17th Annual Black History Month Mass and Dinner

Sunday, February 5, 5:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., SB Union Ballroom Featuring the Stony Brook Gospel Choir. Celebrate the rich heritage of the African American community and its contributions through spirituality, art, music, and dance. Sponsored by the Catholic Campus Ministry and Stony Brook Gospel Choir. For more information, contact Sister Margaret Ann Landry, 632-6562.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

10. An Afternoon of Song and History featuring Mr. Kenneth Anderson, Distinguished Baritone

Tuesday, February 7, 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., Africana Studies Library, Room S-224 Social and Behavioral Sciences Building

Mr. Anderson will give a presentation of Paul Robesons songs within the historical context of Black History Month.

Sponsored by The Turner Fellowship Program, Office of Diversity and Affirmative Action, and Department of Africana Studies. For more information, contact Dr. Olufemi Vaughan, Olufemi.Vaughan@stonybrook.edu, 632-7044.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

11. Provosts Lecture Series: Rethinking the Black Panther Party: Race, Class, and American Democracy in the 21st Century

Wednesday, February 8, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., The Charles B. Wang Center, Lecture Hall 2 Dr. Yohuru Williams of Fairfield University uncovers new aspects of the Black Panther Partys legacy and connects past social movements for racial and economic justice with contemporary grassroots activism. Moderated by Dr. Peniel Joseph, Department of Africana Studies. Sponsored by the Provosts Office, Department of Africana Studies, Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc., Social Justice Alliance, and UNITI Cultural Center. For more information, contact Dr. Peniel Joseph, Peniel.Joseph@stonybrook.edu, 632-7470.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

12. Reading and Book Signing: Operation Solomon: The Daring Rescue of the Ethiopian Jews

Tuesday, February 7, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., The Poetry Center, Humanities Building Stony Brook University English Professor Stephen Spector will read from his new book about one of the most remarkable rescue efforts of Ethiopian Jews from Ethiopia to Israel. A book signing will follow. Sponsored by Hillel Foundation for Jewish Life. For more information, contact Michelle Schwartz, Michelle.Schwartz@stonybrook.edu, 632-6565.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/bhm.shtml

Submitted by: Warren Gardiner/Admin

08. For-Pay Workshops/Courses (SPD, etc...)

1. Menopause - An Integrative Approach To Management

The Division of Wellness and Chronic Illness in the Department of Family Medicine at Stony Brook University Hospital will be presenting a series of three, two-hour workshops on menopause.

Each participant will be examined and evaluated individually in order to assess their specific menopausal symptoms and avenues of treatment.

The physiological symptoms of menopause, such as hot flashes, insomnia, cognitive difficulties, etc. will be discussed in detail. We will also explore the cultural attitudes associated with this transition and learn about several approaches to ease symptoms including hormone therapy (conjugated estrogen and bioidentical hormones), herbal remedies, nutritional medicine, exercise, and mind/body techniques such as breathing and meditation techniques.

The series is scheduled for Wednesdays, February 8, 15, March 1, 2006 at 33 Research Way, Stony Brook Technology Park between 4:30 and 6:30 p.m.

Most insurance plans accepted with appropriate co-payment for each visit.

To register, please call 631.444.9815.

Submitted by: Marion Hollinger/UHMC

2. Geriatric Care Managers?. Geriatric Care Managers: A Growing Industry

With older adults now the fastest growing segment of Long Islands population, the Schools of Social Welfare and Nursing at Stony Brook University are sponsoring a Geriatric Care Manager Education and Training Certificate Program. This program is designed for social workers, nurses, paralegals, health professionals and those who work for government agencies, not-for-profit associations, hospitals, nursing homes, assisted living facilities, senior housing, home care and senior citizen organizations. This four-day program will be offered at the Charles B. Wang Center at Stony Brook University from March 13 -16, 2006. The tuition for this program is \$350.00, which includes a non-refundable \$50.00 application fee. However, Stony Brook employees, students and retirees who register for this program will receive a discount of \$100/each.

For information, call 631/444-3142 or email Mamie Gladden at Mgladden@notes.cc.sunysb.edu Continuing professional education credits will be awarded when authorized by discipline-specific governing boards.

Submitted by: Thomas Cassidy/HSC

3. Craft Center Class Registration has begun

Spring 2006 class offerings include: Photography, Darkroom Membership, Pottery, Ceramic Hand-building, Drawing, Paining, Decorative Painting, Collage, Polymer Clay Jewelry, Beaded Jewelry, Bartending, Defensive Driving and more. Pre-registration and payment is necessary. The Crafts Center classes are non-credit, low cost and open to the public. For registration/brochure call the Crafts Center. 632-6822, located in Union Lower level room.

For registration/brochure call the Crafts Center, 632-6822, located in Union Lower level room 049.

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

4. Defensive Driving Class Begins March 2nd

This is a two week course; Thursday 3/2 and 3/9 from 6pm to 9pm at the Student Activities Center. Pre-registration and payment necessary. Send two checks \$18/student or \$22/non-student (payable to SBU Crafts Center), and additional \$13 per person fee (payable to K. OBrien) and mail to: The Stony Brook Union Crafts Center, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY 11794-3200. Please include your name, address, telephone number and class dates. In person registration at the Crafts Center, Union, lower level room 049. This class is an Empire Safety Council Accident Prevention Workshop. For more info or a class brochure of arts and leisure programs call the Crafts Center at 632-6822.

Submitted by: Janice Costanzo/OSA

09. Research (Studies, Testing, etc...)

1. Long Island Database Project - Volunteers Wanted

The Long Island Cancer Center is creating a database of blood samples and clinical information to help researchers better understand why some individuals develop breast and prostate cancer while others do not.

Women and men are eligible to participate if they were diagnosed with breast or prostate cancer OR have never been diagnosed with cancer, are 18 years of age or older, are a current Long Island resident and have lived on Long Island for at least 5 years.

For more information about the study, please call Britney Duncan at 444-7995 or 1-800-566-9667.

Submitted by: Erin O'Leary/UHMC

2. Human Subject Protection Program (HSPP)

Our Human Subject Protection Program (HSPP) has many active participants, including Principal Investigators and their study teams, staff of the Office of Research Compliance (ORC), and the membership of our Institutional Review Boards (IRB). Our combined efforts continue to help ensure that our HSPP is solid and effective in keeping safe those individuals who volunteer to participate in our research activities at SBU.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/research/humans/2005humsub.html

Submitted by: Christine Davide/Res

3. 2006 SBU/BNL Seed Grant Program

The eighth annual SBU/BNL Seed Grant Award Program will begin accepting proposals. This program serves to further strengthen the programmatic links between Stony Brook University

and Brookhaven National Lab.

Grants of up to \$25k may be awarded (note that these proposals do not have overhead charges). Successful proposals will describe: how this seed support is likely to lead to fully developed applications to standard agencies supporting research or in fields where external support is less likely, how the work builds on Stony Brook University's academic priorities. Proposals must also describe specific collaborations with BNL personnel, however, proposal submittal is restricted to members of the Stony Brook University faculty.

RFP information and Formal Proposal Applications are available at our website below. Please note the deadline for submission is 12 AM, Friday, March 10, 2006. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the VPBA office at (631) 632-7010.

http://ws.cc.stonybrook.edu/bnl/seed.html

Submitted by: Elyce Winters/Prov

4. 2006 Innovative Technology Development Program - Call for Applications

The Center for Biotechnology announces the 2006 Call for Applications to the Innovative Technology Development (ITD) Program. The ITD Program supports commercially promising, translational research in all areas of medical biotechnology, including research products, diagnostics, or therapeutics. Funding is available to faculty at SBU for translational research on the academic campus. Applications must provide matched funding from a New York State company, evidence for commercialization potential, and be consistent with the Centers mission of economic development in NYS. We encourage projects in collaboration with the Centers Applied Bioscience Laboratories (ABL) or Custom Microarray Facility (CMF). Faculty or companies with interest or considering application, are strongly encouraged to contact Dr. Anil Dhundale, Director, Scientific Affairs(anil.dhundale@sunysb.edu, or 631-632-8443), prior to writing a full proposal. Application forms can be downloaded from the Center's web site at www.biotech.sunysb.edu/techDev/ITD/index.html.The deadline for receipt of proposals is 5PM, Friday, February 10, 2006.

http://www.biotech.sunysb.edu/techDev/ITD/index.html

Submitted by: Kate Posnanski/CEAS

10. Miscellaneous

1. Volunteer To Work With Young Children At Stony Brook Child Care Services

Enjoy working and playing with young children? Know someone else who does? Join the team at Stony Brook Child Care Services as a volunteer. Work alongside our professional teaching staff in a facility designed and equipped for very young children. You can volunteer for as few as 3 hours a week and can choose to work with Infants and Toddlers or Preschoolers. The center is open Monday through Friday 7 am - 6 pm year round. Volunteers must be at least 18 years of

age. For information on our program visit www.stonybrook.edu/sb/childcare For more information please call 632-6930

http://www.stonybrook.edu/sb/childcare

Submitted by: Denise Masone/Affl

2. Auditions for the University Orchestra at Stony Brook University

Auditions for the University Orchestra at Stony Brook University (MUS262) will be held on Tuesday, January 24 from 11 to 1 p.m. & 2 to 5 p.m. in Staller 2342. Orchestra rehearsals begin on Tuesday, January 24 - 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. in 0111 Staller Center. Openings for Strings, Woodwinds, Brass & Percussion - For Music Majors and Qualified Non-Music Majors on the SUNY Undergraduate and Graduate level. Openings may exist for gifted High School & USB Pre-College Students. Audition Sign Up Sheet posted at Room 2342 - Staller Center. For further information e-mail: Dr. Susan E. Deaver, conductor at sdeaver@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

www.sunysb.edu/music

Submitted by: Susan Deaver/CAS