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

1. 2006 University Senate Election Results

To see the results of the 2006 University Senate elections, please go to:

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/Admin/usenate.nsf> and click on 2006 University Senate Election Results. Please feel free to volunteer on any committee that has a vacancy.

Submitted by: Laurie Theobalt/Prov

2. Campus Wireless Equipment Policy

The Procurement Office has instituted a new campus policy for the establishment and payment of wireless services and equipment funded by the Research Foundation, State and Stony Brook Foundation. The policy can be found in the "Employee's Corner" of the Procurement Office website, or by clicking on the link below

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/procurement/>

Submitted by: Alfred Di Venuto/Admin

3. Update To State Relocation Policy

SUNY recently revised their relocation policy. State employees may now be reimbursed for actual moving household goods, personal effects and travel expenses that exceed the previous limit of \$3000. The appointee should select a carrier that is registered with the Interstate Commerce Commission. If a private mover is used, three written estimates must be obtained; the lowest of which will be used for reimbursement

Please visit the Procurement website @ www.stonybrook.edu/procurement for further information.

Contact Rosalie Makarick @ 2-6022 if you have any questions.

Submitted by: Rosalie Makarick/Admin

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

1. Eventually, whether you like it or not, you will probably have to archive some of your Lotus Notes emails!

Join us this Wednesday 7/19 from 2-4:00 to learn how. Click here to register for "Getting Organized With Lotus Notes".

<http://clientsupport.stonybrook.edu/public/notes/notestraining/index.shtml>

Submitted by: Kim Rant/DoIT

04. Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Southampton Writers Conference - July 26-30

Southampton Writers Conference

This year the Southampton Writers Conference will take place at Stony Brook University, July 26-30 at the Wang Center. This summer's Writers Conference will combine a reunion of old friends with a welcome for new participants. Join us for readings, lectures, panels, and conversations. E.L. Doctorow will present the keynote.

For registration and more information visit the website at www.stonybrook.edu/writers.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/writers>

Submitted by: Karen Keeley/UAff

2. Hip and Knee Pain Seminar Friday Aug 11, 2006 9-11am

Seminar will include diagrams of the hip and knee with discussion of their normal anatomy, what can go wrong in either joint such as tendinitis, bursitis, synovitis, meniscal tears and osteoarthritis. Signs and symptoms of a problem, how to get a good diagnosis eg, how to give a good history, x-rays with examples and the physical exam and what it tells us. Treatments for various problems are discussed including, diet, nutrition, exercise, medication, arthroscopy and hip and knee replacement surgery. There is also a question and answer period. To sign up for the seminar call Health Connect at 444-4000

Submitted by: Maria Juvan/UHMC

3. Doctoral Defenses This Week

Please click on the URL below to see this week's Doctoral Defenses.

<http://www.grad.sunysb.edu/ddd/weekly.shtml>

Submitted by: Fernando Cuenca/GST

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

1. South Campus Blood Drive, July 20, 2006

Go the extra mile this summer, Donate BLOOD now.

South Campus is hosting a Blood Drive, July 20, 2006 from 9:00am-1:00pm. The BUSMOBILE will be parked by the Endeavour Hall.

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

For appointments, you may call Katerina Panagiotakopoulou @ 632-8781.

Walk-ins are welcome.

Submitted by: Katerina Panagiotakopoulou/MSRC

2. Fall Fashion Festival

Tickets are now on sale! Thursday 10/19 at Villa Lombardi's 630-1030 PM \$50 per person includes cocktail hour (cash bar), full course dinner, Your Choice Auction, fashion show featuring Drs. O'Hea, Rivadeneira, Karpeh, Chalas, Patel and staff from Radiology, Respiratory,

PT and the OR to name a few...

<http://www.fallfashionfestival.com>

Submitted by: Linda Bily/UHMC

3. Become a Literacy Tutor Volunteer

All you need is a high school diploma, two hours a week, and a desire to teach an adult to read and write or even to speak in English. 1 out of every 7 adults in Suffolk County, or 14% of our county's adult population, do not have the literacy skills to function fully in society.

These individuals can't read a newspaper, fill out a job application, help educate their children, fully participate in community life, and they can't read well enough to vote.

What Can You Do About It? You Can Train to Become a Volunteer Tutor!

Please call the Stony Brook Adult Literacy Center today to find out more about becoming a volunteer tutor and to enroll in the Fall Program.

Contact Cindy Brodsky cindy.brodsky@stonybrook.edu or call 444-5272. Come On! You Know You've Been Wanting to Help Someone Else

Submitted by: Cindy Brodsky/UHMC

4. Kittens Available for Adoption!

A number of adorable, young kittens (and older cats, too) caught on campus are available for adoption to good homes.

Please contact Nancy Franklin, nancy.franklin@sunysb.edu for more information.

<http://www.sinc.sunysb.edu/clubs/sbucat/index.php?p=home>

Submitted by: Anne Moyer/CAS

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

1. Department of Campus Recreation Summer Kayaking Trips

The Department of Campus Recreation will be organizing a kayaking trip in Port Jefferson Harbor on Monday, August 7 @ 10:30am. Registration Fee is \$20.00 per person which includes kayak rental and lunch. Undergraduate students registered for summer classes are free. This trip is for beginner/intermediate kayakers in good health and will be approximately 5 hours length. Only students, faculty & staff of the University are eligible to participate. Registration is limited to 24 participants. For more information or to register, please contact Marie Turchiano at 632-4145.

Submitted by: Marie Turchiano/CAS

2. Steve Pikiell Basketball Camp at Stony Brook University

Steve Pikiell and the entire Stony Brook Men's Basketball Staff is running 4 sessions of basketball camp this summer for boys ages 8-16. Our "Weekend Session" will be Friday June 30-Sunday July 2 from 9 am to 4 pm and cost \$200. We are also running 3 weeks of traditional day camp. These three weeks are "Session I" Monday July 10-Friday July 14, "Session II" Monday July 24-Friday July 28, and "Session III" Monday July 31-Thursday August 3. All 3 sessions will run 9 am to 4 pm and the cost of Sessions I and II will be \$295, while Session III costs \$240.

Any Stony Brook employee will be entitled to a 10% discount. If anyone is interested please contact Dan Rickard at 632-4498 or by email daniel.rickard@stonybrook.edu. The application is also available online at www.goseawolves.org on the Men's Basketball page.

Submitted by: Daniel Rickard/Pres

3. Vocalist/Guitarist Lisa Moscatiello and Cellist Fred Lieder to perform at The University Cafe, Sunday August 13th at 7 P.M.

The wonderful voice and guitar of Lisa Moscatiello and Fred Lieder's elegant cello sounds mix in an eclectic selection of songs ranging from traditional folk to Lisa's recent ventures into what she calls "acid cabaret". Fred Lieder is a classically-trained cellist and a much sought-after studio musician. James O'Malley, who stands at the top of the singer-songwriters from our area, opens. Admission: \$15.00 general/\$10.00 student/Stony Brook Faculty and Staff. Call 632-6027 or e-mail gpalaia@notes.cc.sunysb.edu

The University Cafe is located on the ground floor of the Stony Brook Union, accessible from the outside courtyard. Parking is available in the LaValle Stadium lot.

Submitted by: Charles Backfish/CAS

4. Tickets for 11th Annual Stony Brook Film Festival, July 20-29, at stonybrookfilmfestival.com

Individual tickets are \$7 for all films. Each feature is preceded by a short and 14 features and shorts are in competition. Opening Night is Thursday, July 20, the East Coast Premiere of Heavens Fall, a film by Terry Green about the Scottsboro Boys' trial. Call 632-ARTS or go to stonybrookfilmfestival.com

<http://stonybrookfilmfestival.com>

Submitted by: Julie Greene/CAS

5. Paper Comes to Life! The Wang Center's Second Annual Origami Festival August 2-9

Free to the public and fun for all ages!

Exhibition Hours: 10:30am 4:00pm (Aug 2 to 5, Aug 7 to 9) Additional hours for concurrent Asian American Film Festival viewers

Origami Festival Hours: 11:00am 4:00pm (Aug 9)

Want a household pet? How about a dragon, a frog, or a crane? How about an exotic bouquet of flowers? Please join our Second Annual Origami Festival for a chance to create and own these wonderful objects and designs. The weeklong event will teach and refine the art of paper-folding as instructors demonstrate various folding techniques. Workshops will also be available to allow you to produce your own creations. In addition, last years popular Storigami, storytelling through origami, will be held again at this event.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/wang>

Submitted by: Jianping Schoolman/Pres

6. Asian American International Film Festival (AAIFF) August 3-6 Wang Center

A monk is seduced by worldly pleasures. A young woman rejects her faith in grief. An innocent family is suspected in a free government. Journey with various characters as they face their demons, dilemmas and joys. Please join the Charles B. Wang Center in association with Asian Cinevision as we present the 29th Asian American International Film Festival.

Tickets: VIP Pass: \$25.00 for the festival film series with reserved seating and free admission to opening and closing night receptions. General Admission: \$5.00 per film with first-come, first-serve seating (no receptions).

To reserve your tickets, please send your request with contact information to wangcenter@stonybrook.edu or call 631-632-4400.

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/wang>

Submitted by: Jianping Schoolman/Pres

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

1. Web Page Design and Site Management with FrontPage: - NCE 325.5 - 3 sessions - Fee: \$159

Microsoft FrontPage is a quick, effective way to create and manage professional quality Internet sites without programming. It makes it easy for new users and professional Web developers to build and maintain well designed Web site in no time.

Section B: Mon., 6:30-9:30 pm, July 24,31; Aug. 7, 2006

For a full description of this class, and to register go to SPD Website at

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/computer>

For questions call 632-7071

10% discount for University employees and Students. CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted

Submitted by: Frank Esposito/Prov

2. Macromedia Dreamweaver MX: - NCE 328 - 6 sessions - Fee \$319

Dreamweaver is the industry-standard website development software, supporting sophisticated functions such as JavaScript, Dynamic HTML, and CSS. This course will cover topics such as basic page creation, layout tables, frames v. no frames, how to edit HTML, internal FTP capabilities, and how to manage workflow. Students will explore the cross-application functions, such as incorporating Fireworks graphics and Flash buttons. (No knowledge of Flash required.)
Required Text: Macromedia Dreamweaver MX for Windows and Macintosh: A Visual Quickstart Guide by J. Tarin Towers, retail: \$24.99. Cost of text is not included in the course fee. Students must bring textbook to the first class meeting.

Section B: Wed., 6:00-9:00 pm, Aug.23,30;Sept.6,13,20,27,2006

10% discount University employees and students, CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted

To register go to SPD Website Registration Form at

<http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/career/registration.html>

For questions call 632-7071

Submitted by: Frank Esposito/Prov

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

1. Volunteers Needed To Determine if Prenatal Obstetric Anesthesia Consults In Third Trimester Improves Maternal Birth Outcomes.

Volunteers Needed For A Study To Determine If Prenatal Obstetric Anesthesia Consults In The Third Trimester Improves Maternal And Infant Birth Outcomes
Compensation \$50.00

Submitted by: Danielle Hill/UHMC

2. Do You Have A Frozen Shoulder?

If you are affected by a condition called "ADHESIVE CAPSULITIS" (Frozen/Stiff Shoulder), you may be able to join a Clinical Research study.

Participation is free of charge.

Patients with shoulder arthritis or rotator cuff problems will NOT be eligible.

Please call (631)444-2215 Orthopedics Dept, for more information.

Submitted by: Danielle Hill/UHMC

3. Study to Identify New Cancer Markers

The General Clinical Research Center at Stony Brook University Hospital is seeking healthy volunteers for a study to identify new cancer markers in blood, tissue and body fluids to

develop laboratory tests that may diagnose cancers earlier and/or identify patients at risk for a poor outcome and who may benefit from more aggressive therapy than is normally recommended. Volunteers are offered compensation up to \$25 plus hospital parking. Our next blood draw is coming up on July 27, 2006 from 10:00am-12:00pm. For an appointment please call Danielle Hill at (631) 444-7970.

Submitted by: Danielle Hill/UHMC

4. Do You Have Chronic Fatigue Syndrome?

If you are 18-60 years of age and have Chronic Fatigue Syndrome (CFS), you're invited to participate in a study funded by the National Institutes of Health. Participants will be compensated up to \$200.00
For Further Information Call(631)632-8252

Submitted by: Danielle Hill/UHMC

5. Colon Cancer The Third Most Prevalent Cancer In The United States

Volunteers Needed For A Pilot Study

We are seeking healthy male and female volunteers from all ethnic groups, 50 years of age and older, of normal weight who are at risk for colon cancer, such as individuals with a history of colon polyps or colon cancer. Eligible subjects who complete the study will receive \$70.00
For Further Information Please Call (631) 444-7623

Submitted by: Danielle Hill/UHMC

6. Stress: A Fact Of Life

Do you know that stress can affect the brain, heart, hormones, and mental performance?
Did you ever wonder why some people get stressed out more easily than others?
We are looking for men and women, 18-50 years of age, to participate in a non-invasive study. Participation in this protocol requires that volunteers be free on two consecutive week-days including two hospital overnights, for example: Sunday night to Tuesday afternoon, or Tuesday night to Thursday afternoon. You will be free to pursue to your normal activities after 4:15pm, but you will need to be back for the overnight stay.
Compensation: \$200.00
If you are interested in participating please call us at (631) 444-8405 or e-mail us at greents@pi.cpmc.columbia.edu.

Submitted by: Danielle Hill/UHMC

7. Seeking Volunteers

Women 18-65 of age for participation in MRI Imaging Research
Volunteers Should be Healthy and Not Have any Metal or Electronic Implants

Confidentiality Maintained
Volunteer Fee Paid
For Further Information Call: (631) 344-3614

Submitted by: Danielle Hill/UHMC

8. Study of Migraine and Blinking

18 to 60 year old subjects who experience migraines needed to participate in an experiment investigating eyelid movements while watching a movie during a migraine free period. The experiment takes approximately 1 hr and 20 min. Subjects will receive \$20.00 for their participation. Call Craig or Chris at 2-8728 to schedule a session.

Submitted by: Leslie Evinger/CAS

10. Miscellaneous

1. Campus Child Care Available

Stony Brook Child Care is now accepting applications for children 2 months - 5 years old. NAEYC accredited Center with caring, professional early childhood teachers, low child-to-teacher ratio, sliding fee scale. Summer & Fall openings for Preschoolers - call for other age group availability. Call 632-6930 for more information or to visit the Center

Submitted by: Nancy Walker/Affl

2. Job Opportunity - Management Trainee Seawolves marketPlace

Faculty Student Association seeks a Management Trainee to assist with the day-to-day activities and management of the Seawolves MarketPlace. Required: Bachelor's degree, minimum of six months work experience and strong computer, communication and customer service skills. Must have the ability to prioritize, handle multiple tasks, be attentive to details, stand for long periods, supervise student staff and work occasional nights, holidays and weekends. Send resume and cover letter with salary requirement by 7/24/06 to Customer Service Manager, Faculty Student Association, Stony Brook Union, Room 250, 11794-3209 or FAX to (631) 632-9319. AA/EEO

Submitted by: Dawn Villacci/FSA