

Campus Announcements - Week of 12/18/01

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Apologies for the late posting

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- 1. Faculty - Do the SINC Sites have the software that your students need?

If you would like to use a particular software package with your class, will your students be able to use it in a SINC Site?

Were you aware that Programs that are run from CD's or Disks must be included in our RUN list for them to operate even if they do

not require installation? (This includes programs that come with the textbook)

Please notify Instructional Computing before Wednesday, January 1, 2002 if you will be using a special software package with your class.

Software requests can be submitted at the following URL:

<http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/DoIT/sreq.nsf/SoftwareRequests>

Submitted by: Diana Voss/DoIT

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2. Meditation Workshop: Just Sit There

Monday, December 10th at 5:30pm in Room 304 SAC

A taste of meditation for those who are curious and would like to learn the basics. This ancient art can reduce anxiety and enhance concentration. Join us for an hour of alert relaxation, calmness, and breathing.

Workshop Leaders: Jaya Save-Mundra, M.A. and Lisa Condon, M.A. from the University Counseling Center

Register by calling the Wellness Center 632-6850 or stop by and sign up on the Bulletin Board located in the Wellness Center.

<http://www.recreation.sunysb.edu>

Submitted by: Susan Dimonda/CAS

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3. What Programs Are You Planning For The Year Of Community Leadership?

The 2001-02 Academic Year has been designated as the YEAR OF COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP by President Kenny. The planning committee for this year's theme would like to hear about any programs, events, initiatives, etc. with a leadership theme that exist or are being planned in your department, office, or area. Perhaps

we can help you advertise your event or find creative ways to collaborate and work with you to make it an even greater success.

For more information please contact Lisa Montgomery, Office of Student Affairs, by phone or email (notes).

Submitted by: Lisa Montgomery/OSA

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4. CAS Candidate Presentation

Neal Tate, a candidate for the position of Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, will present his vision for Stony Brook's College on Tuesday, December 11th, at 9:30 am in the Alliance Room. All interested faculty, staff and students are encouraged to attend.

Submitted by: Maria Drueckhammer/Prov

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5. Technology in Education

The Center for Excellence and Innovation in Education (CEIE) will be sponsoring with Eastern Suffolk BOCES' Model Schools Program, the "Second Annual Celebration of Technology in Education." The purpose of this school-university outreach event is to celebrate how instructional technology can support student learning. Teachers and students from Long Island schools will share successful approaches which they use daily in their K-12 classrooms. This event, to be attended by teachers, students, parents, school administrators and the public, is scheduled for Thursday, January 10, 2002 from 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. in the Sports Complex.

Submitted by: Edith Padilla/Prov

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6. Toy & Food Drive Day At Men's Basketball Game December 29 - Receive Half-Off Admission to Game.

The Stony Brook Seawolves will hold a toy and canned food drive to benefit the Salvation Army on Saturday, December 29 when the men take on conference rival Binghamton at 2:00 p.m. For each unwrapped toy or canned food brought in, a person receives

half-off the regular price of admission. Tickets are \$6 for adults (\$3 with canned food or toy) and children over six and can be purchased at the door with food or toy. They can also be purchased on-line at www.goseawolves.org or by calling 632-WOLF.

Submitted by: Timothy Szlosek/CAS

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7. ATTENTION SUPERVISORS - THE FOUNDATIONS OF SUPERVISING PROGRAM
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If you are a new supervisor or a supervisor that has never been formally trained, this program is for you! This comprehensive program focuses on the basic skills of a front line supervisor, with a total of 8 sessions covering the following topics: making the transition from worker to supervisor, understanding your work unit, motivating and communicating with your employees, delegating, conducting a performance program, counseling & discipline, resources available to supervisors, your legal responsibilities as a supervisor, and using creativity and problem solving in your work unit. These sessions are interactive, informative, and enjoyable! The dates are: 1/16/02, 1/23/02, 1/30/02, 2/7/02, 2/15/02, 2/27/02, 3/6/02, 3/15/02. You must attend all sessions. Upon completion of the entire program, you will receive a certificate!

To download a registration form, click on our link below and go to Training & Organizational Development, or call Denise at 2-4501.

<http://www.sunysb.edu/hr>

Submitted by: Carol Londoiro/Admin

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8. Last Date before Holidays for Sylvia Fund Jewelry Sales
--Holiday Cards and Prints Also Available for Gift Giving

To make it more convenient to shop for gift items by purchasing Sylvia's cards, framed prints, and some special jewelry for the Holidays, the dates for the sales in the Admin. lobby have been changed to:

Friday, December 19 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
After December 19th, sales will resume following the January recess.

You'll have the opportunity to buy some unique jewelry creations, while helping Stony Brook students with disabilities. A significant percentage of the sales of specified items will be donated to the Sylvia Fund, which grants awards to students with disabilities. Don't miss this opportunity to purchase gifts for the upcoming Holiday Season. Notecards, Framed Prints, and Holiday Cards designed by Sylvia Geoghegan will be on sale. Please stop by the Admin lobby to see for yourself!

Submitted by: George Meyer/Pres

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9. Teaching Technology - Using On-line courseware (Blackboard) in your classes and/or departments.

Blackboard is a web-based course management system that many instructors are using in their classrooms. This Fall, some Academic Departments began to use Blackboard as a means of communicating with their majors/minors.

During January, Instructional Computing will be offering various blackboard workshops from What is Blackboard to Creating Quizzes with Blackboard.

In addition, there will be a 2 hour "Blackboard in a Nutshell", on Wednesday January 9th from 6-8pm, which is geared toward Adjunct faculty who are usually not on campus during the day.

Please register on-line at: <http://www.sinc.sunysb.edu/Ic/Classes/>

Classes that have less than 4 people registered, will be cancelled 1 day prior to the scheduled class.

For more information regarding the various resources on campus for teaching with technology, please visit:

<http://www.learnnteach.sunysb.edu>

Submitted by: Diana Voss/DoIT

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10. COLDS AND FLU LECTURE

The Division of Wellness and Chronic Illness in the Department of Family Medicine is conducting a one and one-half hour lecture on Wednesday, December 12th between noon and 1:30 p.m. at their office located at 33 Research Way, East Setauket. The lecture will focus on how to prevent colds and flu this winter and how to diminish their severity.

The use of vaccines and antiviral medications for the flu will be covered. We will also discuss lifestyle changes that promote health. There exist a plethora of supplements/herbs marketed to treat and prevent colds and flu. We will offer a research-based evaluation assessing safety and efficacy of these supplements and herbs.

The cost of this single session will be \$25.00 per person payable upon registration. Lunch will be served.

For further information and to register, please call 631.444.9815.

Submitted by: Raja Jaber/UHMC

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11. Distinguished Lecture in Computer Science

The Computer Science Department welcomes everyone to its 2001-2002 Distinguished Lecture Series, sponsored by Citigroup Corporate & Investment Bank.

Professor Steven Feiner (Columbia University) will talk about "Mobile Augmented Reality Systems" at 2pm on Friday, December 14, in Javits 101.

<http://www.cs.sunysb.edu/website/research/lectureseries.html>

Submitted by: Scott Stoller/CEAS

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