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01. Administrative

1. C.S.E.A. Local 614 Scholarship Fund

C.S.E.A. Local 614 scholarship applications are still available for members and their dependent

children who are currently enrolled in college as full-time students and/or are high school seniors. Deadline for submitting application is July 31, 2010. For more information, please visit our website at csealocal614.com or call the local union office at ext. 2-6575 or 4-3680.

Submitted by: Louise Melious/Admin

2. It's the 20th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

The President's ADA Advisory Committee at Stony Brook University is proud to share with the Campus Community that it is the 20th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act. The ADA was signed into federal law on July 26, 1990 by the President of the United States. On June 18, 2010, President Samuel Stanley signed a Proclamation of Recommitment, on behalf of Stony Brook University. This Proclamation is to reaffirm the University's commitment to work toward full accessibility and inclusion of people with disabilities.

Submitted by: Kathleen Paterno/OSA

3. Life Sciences Stockroom

We will be reducing the hours of operation of the Life Sciences Stockroom. Beginning the week of July 12th, 2010, the Stockroom will be open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm and from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. We regret any inconvenience this service reduction may cause.

Submitted by: Robert Haig/Admin

02. Administrative - Hosp/HSC

1. Andrew Flescher, PhD will play hospital lobby piano, July 15 at 5:00 pm for our patients, families and visitors

The Center for Medical Humanities, Compassionate Care, and Bioethics in conjunction with Patient and Family Centered Care invite our patients, family members, and visitors to enjoy the piano music of Andrew Flescher, PhD on the first and third Thursday of the month in the hospital lobby at 5:00pm

Submitted by: Sharon Kearney/UHMC

04. Hospital Workshops/Training

1. Employee Health & Wellness presents: Making the Home Accessible and Hiring Help

Brian Tully, JD, certified by the National Elder Law Foundation and Elder Law Expert is giving a four-part comprehensive lecture series regarding issues surrounding elder care. Caregiving 101 educates on How to keep your aging loved ones at home. Topics include home protection, hiring help, financial protection and familial support systems. July 14, LH #1 HSC, 12-1pm

Submitted by: Maria Loret De Mola/UHMC

06. Hosp/HSC Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Pharmacological Sciences Seminar Series

Tuesday, July 13, 2010, 12:00pm

Speaker Dr. Justin Lathia, Research Associate

Dept. of Stem Cell Biology and Regenerative Medicine, Cleveland Clinic

"Microenvironmental regulation of the cancer stem cell phenotype by extracellular matrix signaling in malignant brain tumors"

Host: Dr. Holly Colognato

Location: Basic Science Tower 8-180

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

Submitted by: Rosalind Perdomo-Ayala/UHMC

2. 5th Annual Kids Health & Safety Expo

SBUMC healthcare professionals conduct a variety of demonstrations and free healthcare screenings for the community. As always, the focus is on kid's health, wellness, and injury prevention. Free and open to the public. Bring the kids to visit two rooms of exhibitors and exhibitions.

Wednesday, July 14, 10 am-3 pm

Flowerfield, 199 Mills Pond Road, St. James

For information call 631-444-4000

Submitted by: Donna Franco/UHMC

07. Charitable

1. Golf Outing to Benefit Suffolk County Volunteer Firefighters Burn Center Fund

1st Annual Guy Cassara Memorial Golf Outing will be held on Tuesday, August 10, 2010 at Tallgrass Golf Club, Shoreham, NY. Sign-in/Open Driving Range and Continental Breakfast at 7:00 am, 8:00 am Shotgun, hot dogs at the turn, full buffet lunch. Rain date: August 12. Call

Kevin Peterson (631)495-6467

Submitted by: Victoria Irwin/HSC

2. Kittens Available! You Know You Want One.

Do you feel too safe around your house? Do you miss that edge that comes with not knowing if someone will dart out from under a dresser and attack your toes as you walk by? Then you need a new kitten! The SBU Cat Network has several for adoption that desperately need homes. They're sweet and snuggly and are more fun than most of the people in your family. For information, contact Nancy Franklin (2-7840; nfranklin@notes.cc.sunysb.edu).

<http://www.sinc.sunysb.edu/clubs/sbucat/index.php>

Submitted by: Nancy Franklin/CAS

08. Culture & Entertainment

1. The Southampton Playwriting Conference presents "Trevor" by Nick Jones, July 17

The Southampton Playwriting Conference presents a play reading of "Trevor," a new play about fame, success, and the lies we tell ourselves in order to keep people from taking away our erratic, 200-pound chimpanzee. Nick Jones is the 2010 Southampton Playwriting Conference Playwright-in-Residence, and author of Jollyship The Whiz-Bang. July 17, 7:30 p.m., Avram Theater, Stony Brook Southampton. Tickets are \$20. Reservations suggested, visit our website or call 631-632-5152.

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

Submitted by: Carla Caglioti/SBSH

2. The Southampton Playwriting Conference presents a new play from Ensemble Studio Theatre, July 19

The Southampton Playwriting Conference presents a play reading of a new play from Ensemble Studio Theatre, voted the nation's premiere developmental theater by New Dramatists. Monday, July 19, 7:30 p.m., Avram Theater, Stony Brook Southampton. Tickets are \$20. Reservations suggested, visit our website or call 631-632-5152.

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

Submitted by: Carla Caglioti/SBSH

3. The Southampton Review presents Billy Collins, July 23

An evening with Billy Collins presented by The Southampton Review and sponsored by the Southampton MFA in Writing and Literature. Friday, July 23, 7:30 p.m., Avram Theater, Stony Brook Southampton. Tickets are \$20. Reservations suggested, visit our website or call 631-632-5152.

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

Submitted by: Carla Caglioti/SBSH

4. Recharge Wednesdays at the Administration Cart

Join us every Wednesday at the Administration Cart for Recharge Wednesdays, a new afternoon snack program that will help you get through the day. Every Wednesday from 1:30pm to 2:30pm.

<http://campusdining.org>

Submitted by: Vincent Gentile/FSA

09. For-Pay Workshops/Courses

1. Exploring Adobe Flash CS3

NCE 329 * 12 sessions * Fee \$629

Adobe Flash is the professional standard for producing high-impact Web experiences. The focus is on creating animation for the World Wide Web. This course will guide students through the fundamentals of animation such as Flash drawing, story boarding, creating layers, key framing, character animation and creating interactive animation.

Required Text: Adobe Flash CS3 Professional Classroom in a Book (ISBN # 0321499824). The cost of text is not included in the course fee.

Note: In order to save their work, all students are required to bring a flash drive to class.

Section A: Wednesdays, 6-9pm; September 22 & 29, October 6, 13, 20 & 27; November 3, 10 & 17; December 1, 8 & 15, 2010

10% discount University employees and students, CSEA Vouchers accepted

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

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

2. Adobe Photoshop CS3

NCE 321 * 12 Sessions * Fee \$629

Professional artists, amateur photographers and Web novices should know the fundamentals of Photoshop, the most powerful image editing software on the market. Learn how to prepare photographs for offset printing or create good-looking scans for your personal homepage. Topics covered will include the Photoshop work area, image basics, working with selections, working with layers, painting, masks, channels, creating special effects, basic pen tool techniques and creating images for electronic publishing. (Windows environment)
Required Text: Adobe Photoshop CS3 Classroom in a Book (ISBN # 0321492021). Cost of text is not included in the course fee. Students must bring textbook to the first class meeting.
10% discount University employees and students, CSEA Vouchers accepted
Registration Form at <http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/career/registration.html>
Section A: Tuesdays, 6-9pm; September 14, 21 & 38; October 5, 12, 19 & 26; November 9, 16 & 30; December 7 & 14, 2010

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

10. Research

1. Take Part In Clinical Research Studies

Inquire about Clinical Research Studies. Call Albert Ruenes at (631) 499-8697 or email aruenes@notes.cc.sunysb.edu.

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

2. Do You Have Osteoarthritis of The Joint at the Base of Your Thumb?

You May Be Eligible To Participate In A Clinical Study To Treat This Painful Problem. To Learn More About This Clinical Study, Call: Department Of Orthopaedics @ (631) 444-2215

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

3. Do You Have Heart Failure?

Adults diagnosed with heart failure are invited to participate in a symptom monitoring study. The study is testing an educational method to help patients monitor their heart failure symptoms. If qualified to participate, questionnaires about your medical history, symptoms, self-care, and quality of life will be completed. Participants are followed for one year by telephone (15-20 minute interviews 1, 3, 6, and 12 months after enrollment). All participants will be given a weight scale to keep and a booklet on heart failure self-care. You will be paid \$20 at both 6 and 12 months if you complete the telephone interviews. For further information or to schedule an appointment, please call: Dr. Corrine Jurgens - 631-444-3236 or Karen Kelleher - 631-444-1299

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

4. Volunteers Needed Who Are Taking Statins To Lower Cholesterol

Are You Taking Statins to Lower Cholesterol (such as Lipitor, Zocor, Pravachol, Mevacor, Crestor, Lescol, etc.) and Experience Muscle Pain/Soreness, Weakness or Fatigue? If You Are 21 Years of Age or Older You May be Eligible to Participate in a Study for Treatment with a Nutritional Supplement. If you meet the criteria for the study and choose to participate, you will be given a stipend of up to \$500. For Further Information Contact (631) 444-6900, Stony Brook University Hospital, General Clinical Research Center

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

5. THE Good and the Bad Cholesterol:

Did you have a recent heart attack and have high cholesterol? If so, you may be eligible to participate in a research study that might increase your HDL cholesterol ("good cholesterol") and possibly prevent another cardiac event. As you are probably aware, HDL ("good") cholesterol prevents the deposition of fat in the arteries by LDL ("bad") cholesterol. The Division of Cardiovascular Diseases at Stony Brook University Medical Center is currently involved in a research study with a new investigational medication (dalcetrapib) to see if it increases the HDL ("good") cholesterol. Your participation, all study procedures and study medication are provided at no cost. For more information regarding this study please contact : Sandra Brown RN, CCRC 631 444-1659

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

6. Volunteers Needed With Lower Extremity Limb Loss (Amputation)

We are looking for volunteers with lower extremity limb loss (amputation) to participate in a training study that involves walking on a treadmill. To qualify you must have an amputation of the lower extremity at one of the following levels: Below the knee (BK), through the knee (Knee disarticulation), above the knee (AK). Receive \$300.00 for your participation. It will require you to attend 15 sessions. For information please contact: (631) 444-1200

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

7. TOSCA (Treatment of Severe Childhood Aggression)

Does Your Child Have ADHD And Severe Problems With Aggression?
Researchers at the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Science at SUNY Stony Brook are conducting a study of children ages 6 - 12 with ADHD and severe problems with aggressive behavior. Children will receive a thorough diagnostic evaluation, and treatment with one or two medications. Parents will receive nine weeks of parent training. There is no charge to families for these services. To learn more about the project, please call Dr. Jayne Schneider at 631-632-3091

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

8. Do You Have a Leg Wound That Won't Heal?

If so, you may be eligible to participate in a research study that investigates a product that may aid in the healing process. For free evaluation please contact: Joan Kavanaugh at 631-444-8140. There is no cost to you for participating in this trial. You will be compensated for your travel and time up to \$50 per visit.

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

9. If You Have the Flu,

you may be interested in participating in a clinical research study testing a new investigational study medication for the treatment of all types of flu including the 2009 H1N1 flu (swine flu). If you are interested please call Sandra Brown, RN at 444-1659

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

10. A Study to Determine the Effectiveness, Safety and Tolerability of the HPV Vaccine (Human Papillomavirus) in HIV-Infected Females

Key requirements: Female: Ages 13 to 45. If on ARV treatment, must be the same regimen for at least 12 weeks. T-cell count of 200 cells/mm³ or less. Cannot: have a history of cervical cancer, have genital warts within 180 days, have had prior HPV vaccinations. For more information Contact: Denise Ferraro, RN, (631) 444-8225

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

11. Stony Brook University Brain Imaging Study on Social Stress and Genes

Looking for volunteers. Study involves 2 visits, and includes blood draw, saliva sampling, questionnaires, and behavioral testing in a brain scanner. Total payment is approximately \$45. You must be over 18, non-smoker, have no current psychiatric diagnosis or substance abuse problem, no diabetes. (Other eligibility requirements exist). Contact Jamie Ferri at 631-632-4209 or email jferri@ic.sunysb.edu.

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

11. Miscellaneous

1. Summer Camp at Stony Brook University

Think of the warm days of summer, ice cream and children giggling! Our Summer Day Camp

combines a special mixture of recreational and educational activities for children between the ages of 5-12. Join us in an adventurous camp experience that will mesmerize your child! Tuition includes provision of a camp T-shirt, as well as a hot lunch and snack each day. A 10% discount on tuition is given to all Stony Brook employees. Open Houses are all located in the Sports Complex on Saturday mornings from 9AM to 12PM, for the following dates: Feb 6th, March 20th, April 17th, and May 15th, 2009. Call us 632-4550

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

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/Pres

2. Camp Academies at Stony Brook University

We now offer Camp Academies for children entering Kindergarten through 11th grade. Our special Camp Academies are designed to satisfy our campers with an interest in Acting, Chess, Chess/Medical, Culinary Cooking, Earth, Space and Science, Forensics, GBA - Video Game Design and Programming, 3D Modeling, Robotics, Fashion, and Medical. These programs run for one or two week intervals during the summer. A hot lunch and snack will also be provided. Call for our brochure or visit our website.

Open Houses are all located in the Sports Complex on Saturday mornings from 9AM to 12PM, for the following dates: Feb. 6th, March 20th, April 17th, and May 15th, 2010.

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

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/Pres

3. Seawolves Athletic Sport Camps at Stony Brook University

Stony Brook Athletics provides quality overnight or full day sport programs directed by NCAA Division I SB Head Coaches. Each camper is given the opportunity to receive instruction from the top college Coaches and players in the game today. The Seawolves sports camps are tailored to campers of all skill levels and abilities so that children have the opportunity to progress at their own rate. We offer Baseball, Softball, Boys Lacrosse, Millon Lacrosse, Boys Soccer, Boys Basketball, Football, Girls Basketball, Girls Lacrosse, Girls Soccer, Strength and Conditioning, Tennis, and Volleyball Camp. Please call for our brochures or visit our website. Open Houses are all located in the Sports Complex on Saturday mornings from 9AM to 12PM for the following dates: Feb. 6th, March 20th, April 17th, and May 15th, 2010.

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

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/Pres

4. Campus Child Care Available

Stony Brook Child Care is now accepting applications for children 2 months through 5 years old. NAEYC accredited Center with caring, professional early childhood teachers, low child-to-

teacher ratio, and sliding fee scale. Call 632-6930 for more information and to arrange a tour. Visit our website at www.sunysb.edu/childcare.

Submitted by: Patricia Birbiglia/Affl

5. Tiny Treasures at the Wang Center Gift Shop

Have you discovered the Wang Center Gift Shop yet? It's a little shop (student-run for the FSA) loaded with fun, interesting, unusual items. You'll find gifts for people of all ages at affordable prices, and we specialize in little stuff.

You'll find tiny handcarved rosewood boxes, small tins of tea, knotted silk bracelets, little handmade journals, pocket stones, itsy bitsy origami paper, organic lip balm, handmade soap, cool Japanese stickers, Kamibashi string dolls, wood marionettes, exotic mints in cute tins, handcarved netsuke animals, etc.

There's a wide selection of lovely earrings from \$8.99 up, a rainbow of silk scarves, elegant silk haori jackets for men & women, and games galore: specialty chess sets (with boards), Go, mah jongg, dominoes, and cards.

The shop is open Tuesday - Friday, from 12 noon to 4pm.

Submitted by: Carol Lindquist/CAS

6. Shop the shopsbu.com clearance catalog

Go to <http://shopsbu.com/blogimages/finalclearance.pdf> to view the full catalog of great Stony Brook gear at low, low prices! Order online at www.shopsbu.com. Departments that order can save an additional 10% on items from this catalog by calling Auggie Diaz, FSA Retail Services Manager at 632-1462.

<http://www.shopsbu.com>

Submitted by: Angela Agnello/FSA