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01. Administrative

1. Monthly Parking Garage Payment

Monthly Parking Garage Card Holders

Payment for your monthly parking garage permit is due on the first of the month. To avoid being locked out, please ensure we receive your payment within the first three business days of the month. Sign up today for the payroll parking deduction program and avoid the rush to pay! Forms and information are available at http://www.stonybrook.edu/parking/garages.shtml

Submitted by: Lynn A. Davis/Admin

2. Ride Sharing

As part of its ongoing effort to address constituency concerns, Stony Brook University wishes to advise the University community about a voluntary on-line ride sharing program. This program is supported by Long Island Transportation Management Inc., and is designed to save money, ease daily commuting and reduce traffic congestion.

NuRide is a ride network where participants can plan trips on-line and get rewarded for riding together. According to the program literature (www.nuride.com), membership is free, there are no usage commitments and participants earn reward points from sponsors for every trip taken, whether the service is used 1 day a month or 5 days a week.

Other options are detailed on Long Island Transportation Management's website, and may be better suited to your individual needs.

Participation in any program of this nature is entirely voluntary. The University makes no representations or warranties about your fellow riders or participant satisfaction

Submitted by: Lynn A. Davis/Admin

03. Workshops/Courses/Training

1. Learn Lotus Notes while sitting in at your desk in your air conditioned office!

Click here to go to our website and check out our online training materials. http://clientsupport.stonybrook.edu/public/notes/notestraining/index.shtml

Submitted by: Kim Rant/DoIT

2. Powerful Presentations

June 15 9:30am-12:30pm

Excellent ideas alone do not guarantee engaging and successful presentations! Success is determined by the combined impact of your words, voice and body language. You can deliver powerful, high-impact presentations by learning where to focus your effort and energy. This is a challenging, fast paced and experiential workshop.

Key Highlights:

Develop prominent delivery skills

Capture and hold listener attention

Connect with and focus on your listeners

Increase your comfort and confidence

Target Audience: This program is open to all West Campus, South Campus, HSC, Manhattan

and Southampton employees. Click below to register now!

http://naples.cc.sunysb.edu/training/hrclasses.nsf/wc0024

Submitted by: Lillian Valdez/Admin

05. Hosp/HSC Conferences/Seminars/Lectures

1. Kids Health & Safety Expo

Hosted by Stony Brook University Medical Center

Wednesday, July 9, 10 am-3 pm

Flowerfield, 199 Mills Pond Road, St. James

2 Rooms of Exhibitors: Giveaways, Car Seat Safety, Free Health Screenings, Free Dental Screenings, Health and Nutrition Tips, Immunization Information, Kiddie Exercise Demos, Sparky's Fire Safety House, Child ID Kit. FREE Fun For The Whole Family Featuring:

The Silly Magician: 11-11:45 am & 2-2:45 pm

I Am the Boss of My Body:12 noon presented by Parents for Megan's Law Go Active with Ronald McDonald: 1-2 pm Raffle Prizes Drawn Throughout The Day!

For More Information Call (631) 444-4000 or visit: Calendar of Events at

www.StonyBrookMedicalCenter.org

Submitted by: Catherine Mcwilliams/UHMC

06. Charitable

1. Fall Fashion Festival

Tickets go on sale July 1st for our 8th annual event. Villa Lombardi's, October 16, 6:30 - 10:30 PM. Cocktail hour (cash bar), DJ, live music, fashion show, featuring our own medical staff, Parade of Survivors and "Your Choice" auction. Tickets \$60.00 each. Proceeds benefit cancer patients treated at Stony Brook.

Submitted by: Linda Bily/UHMC

07. Culture & Entertainment

1. Summer Basketball Camps at Stony Brook University

Steve Pikiell and the entire Stony Brook Men's Basketall Staff is running 4 sessions of basketball camp this summer for boys and girls ages 8-16. These four weeks are "Session I" Monday June 30-Friday July 3(There will be no camp Friday July 4th), "Session II" Monday July 7-Friday July 11, "Session III" Monday July 21-Friday July 25 and "Session IV" Monday July 28-Friday August 1st. All 4 sessions will run 9 am to 4 pm. The cost of Session I will be \$250 and the cost of Sessions II and II and IV will be \$300. Any Stony Brook employee will be entitled to a discount. If anyone is interested please contact Dan Rickard at 632-4498 or by email daniel.rickard@stonybrook.edu.

http://grfx.cstv.com/photos/schools/ston/sports/m-baskbl/auto_pdf/mbb-08-camp-1.pdf

Submitted by: Daniel Rickard/Pres

2. Stony Brook Soccer Nights

Wednesday nights are now officially Stony Brook Soccer Nights. If anyone is interested in playing soccer and would like to play with the SBUMC Soccer Team that played in the Campus Intramural Soccer league, come on out on Wednesday nights as we want to continue playing just for fun and would like to get as many people from the hospital as we can get. Please feel free to bring friends, family, and your co-workers. This really is just for fun and exercise so if you don't know how to play or haven't played in years don't worry about it. If you are interested and would like more information please contact David Harris in the Hospital CQI Department at 4-4710 or via Lotus Notes.

Submitted by: David Harris/UHMC

3. Staller Center - Film Festival and Performance Season - tickets going fast

For best seats, go to stallercenter.com to see the 2008-2009 Staller Center Performance Season and purchase tickets. Or call the Box Office at (631) 632-ARTS (631-632-2787). Passes for the 13th Annual Stony Brook Film Festival are still available --the price of \$65 includes a wine and cheese reception with filmmakers. Single tickets to films go on sale Monday, July 7. Tickets to the Film Festival's Opening Night Party and the Closing Night Awards reception are \$25 for non-passholders (subject to availability) and \$20 for passholders.

http://stallercenter.com

Submitted by: Julie Greene/CAS

4. Campus Recreation Trip to Shea Stadium July 23!

The Department of Campus Recreation will be organizing a trip to Shea Stadium to see The New York Mets take on the Philadelphia Phillies Wednesday July 23rd @ 7:10pm. Departure Time will be 4:15 pm from LaValle Stadium Parking Lot. This trip is free for SBU undergraduate students who are registered for summer class's, however a \$10.00 deposit is required to reserve your spot. (includes ticket and bus transportation) Tickets are available for graduate students/faculty/staff. Cost is \$20.00 payable at the time of registration. (includes ticket and bus transportation) For more information, please contact David Hairston at 632-7120.

http://studentaffairs.stonybrook.edu/rec/index.shtml

Submitted by: David Hairston/Pres

08. For-Pay Workshops/Courses

1. Advanced Microsoft Excel: Modules I & II

NCE 314.1 - 2 sessions - Fee: \$109

Focus on specific functions available in the program and is particularly useful for accountants and budget managers. This special topics course covers graphing and advanced functions.

Section C: Mondays, 1:30pm-4:30pm; July 14 & 21, 2008

NCE 314.2 - 2 sessions - Fee: \$109

Focus on specific functions available in the program and is particularly useful for accountants and budget managers. This advanced topics course covers multiple file management, linking, consolidating, auto-filter, pivot table and macros.

Section C: Mondays, 1:30pm-4:30pm; July 28 & August 4, 2008

Prerequisite: Introduction to Microsoft Excel or equivalent experience

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

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

For questions call 632-7022

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

2. After Capture workshop

This 2 part workshop will take students through the steps of importing, image adjusting, printing and emailing. From start to finish see how subtle adjustments can make an OK picture into a great picture and once you have your picture, see what the possibilities for post production can be. Discussions will include importance of file size, importing methods, selecting paper, printing and finally how to back up your images. Two Tuesdays; 7/22 & 7/29; 6:00 pm 8:00 pm. \$40/student, \$55/non-student; Union lower level room 062. Pre registration is required. Other classes are also available! For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu, or look at our website www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter

Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

3. Beaded Jewelry Class

Create your own unique beaded accessories. Learn about the different stringing materials, tools and findings for glass beading. Learn how professionals crimp and attach clasps for a pleasing aesthetic. Materials fee of \$10 due to instructor at class. Wednesday, 7/30, 5:45 pm 8:15 pm \$30/student, \$38/non-student; Union Lower-Level Studio 081. Pre registration is required. Other classes are also available! For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu, or look at our website www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter

Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

4. Defensive Driving Class

The Empire Safety Council Accident Prevention Workshop which emphasizes traffic safety awareness is proven to reduce both accidents and traffic citations. Your attitudes and behaviors affect the way you drive. Learn to be a defensive driver and save 10% on your auto insurance (liability and collision) and reduce up to four points on your driving record. This is a six hour course. Two Wednesdays; 7/09 & 7/16, 5:30 pm 8:30 pm, \$31/student, \$35/non-student. . Pre registration is required. Other classes are also available! For a full brochure and information, contact The Craft Center, Student Union room 049, 631-632-6822, email us craftcenter@notes.cc.sunysb.edu, or look at our website www.stonybrook.edu/craftcenter

Submitted by: Jenny Labonte/GST

5. Advanced Access

NCE 317.1 - 4 sessions - Fee: \$209

Add power to you database by creating custom forms, reports and advanced techniques with tables, queries and macros. There will be a review of using relational databases and mastering relationships.

For a full description of this class, and to register go to SPD Website at http://www.stonybrook.edu/spd/computer

For questions call 632-7022

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

Section C: Mondays, 10am-1pm; July 14, 21, 28 & August 4, 2008

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

6. Microsoft PowerPoint

NCE 318 - 5 sessions - Fee: \$259

Creating Dynamic Presentations with PowerPoint. A must for sales professionals, trainers, teachers and business presenters, this course demonstrates how to create and combine text and graphics for professional-looking business presentations. Learn to create your own slide presentation in a minimum amount of time.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Windows or equivalent experience.

Section B: Thursdays, 10am-1pm; July 17, 24 & 31; August 7 & 14, 2008

10% discount University employees and students, CSEA LEAP Vouchers accepted Visit our website at www.stonybrook.edu/spd/computer for registration information

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

Submitted by: Amy Margolies/Prov

09. Research

1. Male Participants Needed: Earn Up To \$332

Must be 18-50 years old, in good health, and currently married or cohabitating with female. Additional qualifications apply.

Call to see if you Qualify 631-632-7850

Submitted by: Heidi Lary/GST

2. Seeking VolunteersPost-Menopausal Women on Hormone Replacement Therapy

50-65 years of age for participation in MRI Imaging Research Volunteers should be healthy and not have any metal or electronic implants Call 631-344-3614 Confidentiality Maintained

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

3. 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

4. Are You Overweight?

We are Seeking Individuals, Both Men and Women, 25 to 40 Years of Age to Participate in a Research Study Looking at "Markers of Pre-Diabetes" in Overweight People

This Study is Being Conducted at the General Clinical Research Center (GCRC) at Stony Brook University Hospital.

Participants Will be Compensated up to \$750.00

For More Information, Please Contact Teresa Hunt-Goncalves @ 631-444-9362

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

5. Seeking volunteersChildren Eight to Seventeen Years of Age With a Diagnosis of Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS)

The Purpose of this Study is to Determine if Drinkable Aloe Vera Gel will Decrease Symptoms of IBS in Children

It is Important to Explore Simple, Relatively Non-Toxic Therapeutic Options for this Condition Which can be Difficult to Treat

For Further Information Please Contact

Kathy Usmani at (631) 444-8115

Submitted by: Diane Ruenes/UHMC

6. Not getting along with your partner?

Researchers at Stony Brook University are looking for couples to participate in a relationship behavior survey.

Eligible couples will attend the research lab together for one session, and complete questionnaires and interviews.

Each person will be paid \$35 for participation (\$70 per couple) AND will recieve referrals for therapy.

You may be eligible if you are married or have been living together for at least one year and aren't getting along with your partner or have been arguing frequently.

Call now: (631) 632-7850 (ask for Anita)

Or email: stonybrook_relationshipstudy@yahoo.com (Include your name and phone number)

Submitted by: Anita Jose/GST

7. Did you know that most people are infected with Oral Herpes?

Volunteer Men and Women Needed.

Confidentiality maintained.

If you are a man or a woman over the age of 18, you may be eligible to participate in a Clinical Research Study at Stony Brook Medical Center. If you qualify, you may receive a topical medication for Oral Herpes at no cost to you.

For more information please contact Andrea Pressley, LPN,CRC at 444-2758

Participants are compensated \$25.00 for each visit.

Submitted by: Andrea Pressley/UHMC

10. Miscellaneous

1. Books and Records for sale

We have hundreds of books and a large collection of big band era and jazz record albums for sale. Most items are \$.50 or \$1.00. Come to the third floor stacks, Main Circulation Services in the Frank Melville Jr. Memorial Library, and find some great treasures.

Submitted by: David Weiner/Lib

2. New ~ Southampton Summer Camps632-4933

Stony Brook Southampton is proud to announce a new camp program for children between the ages of 8 to 13 on the picturesque 82 acre campus. The camp offers a variety of athletic activities to fill your child's day with exercise and adventure. Campers can choose either a half-day or full day for one, two, three or four weeks' duration. Each day includes a healthy hot lunch. Open House at Southampton Campus are on Saturdays, May 3rd and June 7th from 10AM to 1PM, call for our brochure.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/summercamps

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/Pres

3. Seawolves Sport Camps at Stony Brook632-4550

Stony Brook Athletics provides quality overnight or full day sport programs directed by NCAA Division I college coaches. Each camper is given the opportunity to receive instruction from the top college 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.

http://www.stonybrook.edu/summercamps

Submitted by: Janice Maggio/Pres

4. Coping With Cancer Together

Cancer affects us all. Stony Brook now has a core group of 21 cancer survivors who have undergone professional training to act as peer counselors for fellow employees who have been diagnosed with cancer. If you would like to speak to one of our Coping survivors, or email or meet, it can be arranged. All info is confidential. Please contact Linda Bily at 444-1518.

Submitted by: Linda Bily/UHMC