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This Week at Stony Brook Southampton

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Students are marching on to Albany. Above is a pic from this past Thursday's press conference with local officials on campus. You can read more about that on "In the News" below. Tomorrow, buses are leaving Lot A at 5 a.m. sharp to head to Lobby Day in Albany. There will be student buses and a UUP bus for students, faculty and staff who wish to go. Buses expect to return in time for the student awards ceremony on campus at 7 p.m.

Ongoing

The Multi-Cultural Club has started a **Step Team**. Practice is Monday and Tuesday from 8-10 p.m. in the small gym. All are welcome!

Yoga classes are now available on Sundays, 8 p.m., in the Small Gym.

Interested in playing **Soccer in the Gym**? Stop by on Monday and Wednesday, 8 p.m.-10 p.m., and Thursday, 7 p.m.-9 p.m. **Frisbee** meets Sundays 8-10 p.m. **The Gym** is open **Sunday, Monday, and Wednesday through Friday** from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. **The Wellness Center** is open **every day**: Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m., and Friday through Sunday 12 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Also, Peer Study Tutoring is available Monday through Friday for a variety of courses. See [here](#) or visit the Writing Center for schedules and availability.

Monday, 4/26

SCRIBES Secret Society Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Writing Center.

Coffeehouse, 9 p.m. to midnight, Cafe. With root-beer floats, hot chocolate, coffee, and ice cream sundae bar!

Tuesday, 4/27

Bus Trip to Lobby in Albany, leaving at 5 a.m., returning 7 p.m.

Leadership Awards Ceremony, 7 p.m., Avram Theater. Students, Staff, and Faculty will be recognized this evening for their continued efforts in making SBS an exciting and educational campus. Students will be honored as well for their academic achievement and co-curricular involvement.

Wednesday, 4/28

End of the Semesta Fiesta, 12-2 p.m., Outside Student Center. Celebrate with staff, faculty and students with a barbecue, live entertainment, a recycled obstacle course, dodgeball, and more!

Mindfulness Meditation, 1:15-2 p.m., Windmill.

Writers Speak -- Emerging Poets, 7 p.m., Duke. Details: <http://bit.ly/9tIuIQ>.

Thursday, 4/29

Mindfulness Meditation, 2:15-3:30 p.m., Windmill.

Dean's Distinguished Lecture Series: "Ancient Wisdom & Modern Medicine: Plants, People, and Cultures in the Tropical Rainforest," 7 p.m., Duke Lecture Hall. This final lecture will be delivered by Dr. Michael J. Balick, Vice President for Botanical Science, Director and

Philecology Curator Institute of Economic Botany, The New York Botanical Garden. Read more “In The News” below.

Friday, 4/30

Aquatic Adventure, Time TBA, Marine Station. Let's go trawling, water sampling, bottom sampling at the Marine Station! End the semester on a boat ride that expands your classroom education. Sign up in the Wellness Center. Space is limited.

Bowling at the East Hampton Lanes, Bus departs 6 p.m., Lot A. A popular event in past semesters, *Bowling Night* is back! If you're interested, sign up in the Wellness Center.

Did You Know?



Pics from the recent press conference, Green Formal and eco-art exhibit on campus are now on the Flickr site? Visit: <http://www.flickr.com/photos/46276159@N06/>.

From Prof. Jim Quigley: "TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME!"

Join in the magic of Spring with a rousing **Faculty/Staff V.S. Student softball game** scheduled for noon, **Saturday, May 1**, at the Stony Brook Southampton baseball field. Recruiting teams now. Here's how you join:

1. Log into Blackboard.
2. Click on the "Community" tab at the top of the screen.

3. Instructions appear in the "Join an Organization" box. You should only need to search for the word "softball" to find the "organization," then enroll yourself in it.

Look for: STONY BROOK SOUTHAMPTON FACULTY/STAFF VS STUDENT SOFTBALL GAME (SBSOFTBALL).

4. Once you are "enrolled," please note the announcement, select the "Discussion Board" tab and then reply to the "Faculty & Staff" or "student" option.

5. We will stay in touch with you and keep you posted on developments. PLAY BALL!"



Pride Patrol will take place on 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Monday, May 3 (rain date: Tuesday, May 4). Faculty, staff and students can volunteer to work any part or all of that time span. Projects will be overseen by Pride Patrol Organizers: Martha Weller, Valentina Sherlock, Ginny Clancy, Diane Redo, Joe Russell and facilities staff. Projects selected for this event include: Garden clean up and planting in the Fine Arts, Front Entrance, North Entrance, and Atlantic Hall beds, as well as herb garden at the Windmill. At 2 p.m. when the "patrol" is finished, there will be an ice cream social in the Student Center, thanking all those who helped. Gardening gloves will be made available, as well as small gardening tools. People should come dressed to get a little dirty. To sign up, please email diane.redo@stonybrook.edu.

Environmental News from the Assemblyman's Office: "Assemblyman Fred W. Thiele, Jr. (I-Sag Harbor) today reported that revenues for the Peconic Bay Community Preservation Fund produced \$5.26 million in revenue for the Peconic Bay Region for March 2010. This marks a first quarter total for 2010 that is 149% higher than a year ago for the same period when \$6.27 million was collected."

4 R's Weekly Column:



Move Out Collection

Finals week is arriving sooner than all of us would like, and that means it's time to start packing all of the things we've accumulated over the course of this year. Finals week also marks the beginning of our Move Out Collection Program.

At the end of every semester, we

put boxes in each building to collect your unwanted clothes, shoes, books and magazines, small appliances and unopened nonperishable food items for recycling through reuse and donation.

Spring cleaning doesn't have to mean sending tons of extra waste to landfills and incinerators!

Keep it green!

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In the News

[SUNY chief confronted by students on campus closing](#) Newsday

<http://www.newsday.com/long-island/education/colleges/suny-chief-confronted-by-students-on-campus-closing-1.1878614>

[Ancient Wisdom And Modern Medicine Focus Of Lecture](#) Hamptons.com

<http://www.hamptons.com/news/community-events/10632/ancient-wisdom-and-modern-medicine-focus-of-sb.html>

[When the Windmill Stopped Spinning](#) The Stony Brook Press

<http://www.sbpress.com/2010/04/when-the-windmill-stopped-spinning/>

[Officials want to use Town's Community Preservation Fund](#) 27east.com

http://www.27east.com/story_detail.cfm?id=273677&town=Southampton&n=Officials%20want%20to%20use%20Southampton%20Town's%20Community%20Preservation%20Fund%20to%20save%20Stony%20Brook%20Southampton



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This is Stony Brook Southampton's official weekly newsletter. Once a week not enough? Follow Stony Brook Southampton events daily on Twitter. Go to <http://www.twitter.com/SBSouthampton>.

Contact: Darren.Johnson@stonybrook.edu to include your news and events in next week's edition of "This Week at Stony Brook Southampton." **Have a great week!**

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