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This bi-weekly newsletter is meant to inform you of important events, announcements, acknowledgements and deadlines in the <u>Division of Student Affairs</u> over the next two weeks.

Look at what we've done with the <u>Student Affairs Office web page with all of the Social Media accounts</u>. If something is missing from your area, please contact Nichole Russell, digital media specialist for Student Affairs, at nr010@uark.edu.

Events:

Wednesday, Oct. 19

<u>11:30 a.m. – The Office of Student Activities hosts the Advisor Development Series for RSOs in the Arkansas</u> Union 510-511.

<u>3:30-5:30 p.m.</u> – The Center for Community Engagement hosts SNAP Clinic: Assistance applying for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program in the NW Quad B112 with volunteers from Full Circle Campus Food Pantry and Social Work Action Group.

<u>6-8 p.m.</u> – Housing hosts Finance Symposium, part of the @Home series, in Gearhart 216 and Gearhart Honors Lounge. A conversation with Noel Morris, a Finance Leader, will occur from 6 to 6:45 p.m. with a panel of local business leaders, campus finance experts and other students occurring from 6:45 p.m. to 8 p.m. Business Casual attire is recommended. Students wishing to attend must reserve a FREE ticket to attend.

Thursday, Oct. 20

11 a.m. – University Programs hosts World Mental Health Day at the Union Mall.

6 p.m. - Greek Life's United Greek Council (UGC) will host "Culture Not A Costume."

7 p.m. – University Programs hosts "Zombies! Run!" Series: Warm Bodies, in the UP Video Theater.

Friday, Oct. 21

5 p.m. – Application deadline for Battle of the Bands sign-ups are due ARKU A665.

Monday, Oct. 24

<u>5 and 9 p.m.</u> – Housing hosts RA Interest Sessions in Gearhart Hall Room 206.

5:30 p.m. – Housing hosts Dinner with Dean Waller (Walton College of Business) in Hotz Hall lobby.

6:30 p.m. – Housing hosts RIC State of the On-Campus Student Address in Maple Hill South 143.

<u>12 p.m.</u> – Hog Out the Vote applications due. The application can be found at <u>asgforms.uark.edu</u>.

Monday, Oct. 24 - Friday, Oct. 28: ASG hosts Health Week.

Tuesday, Oct. 25

<u>11 a.m.</u> – SOOIE hosts Leadership Development Lunch in ARKU 308.

<u>6-8 p.m.</u> – The Center for Community Engagement hosts Project Clean Plate Kick-Off: Chef Take-Over Night in the Fulbright Dining Hall. A film, "Just Eat It," will also be screened at 7:30 p.m. in the Razorback Room of the Fulbright Dining Hall. The City of Fayetteville will present a waste reduction presentation.

Tuesday, Oct. 25-Monday, Oct. 31: Off Campus Student Services' Non-Traditional Student Meal Plan Scholarship applications open for Spring 2017.

Wednesday, Oct. 26

<u>6 p.m.</u> – University Programs hosts "Behind the Scenes in American Politics" in Giffels Auditorium.

Thursday, Oct. 27

<u>10 a.m.-12 p.m.</u> and <u>1-3 p.m.</u> – Career Development Center hosts Career Fair of Agricultural, Food, and Life Sciences in the Verizon Ballroom in the Arkansas Union. View the list of <u>attending companies</u> and <u>event</u> details.

<u>10 a.m.-3 p.m. – ASG hosts Boss Hog Outfitters at AFLS Career Fair, 10:00 a.m. in the Verizon Ballroom.</u> Campus Clothes Closet will be providing business attire for students attending the career fair.

5 p.m. and 9 p.m. – Housing hosts RA Interest Sessions, Hillside Auditorium Room 206.

7 p.m. – University Programs hosts the Asia Project in the Anne Kittrell Art Gallery in the Arkansas Union.

<u>7 p.m.</u> – University Programs hosts "Zombies! Run!" Series: "Scout's Guide to the Zombie Apocalypse" in the UP Video Theater.

Friday, Oct. 28

<u>10 p.m.</u> – University Programs hosts "Rocky Horror Picture Show" in the Verizon Ballroom.

Friday, Oct. 28

<u>12-5 p.m.</u> –Part of ASG Health Week, Stick or Treat is an ASG-sponsored flu shot drive at the Pat Walker Health Center.

Saturday, Oct. 29

The Center for Community Engagement hosts Make a Difference Day. Locations vary.

9 p.m. – The Headliners Concert Committee hosts the Fall Concert in conjunction with Make a
Difference Day at the Greek Theater. Wild Belle will be the headliner artist.

Monday, Oct. 31 – Friday, Nov. 4:

- ASG hosts Sexual Assault Awareness & Prevention Week.
- Greek Life hosts It's On Us Week. Greek Life will be hosting various programs on sexual assault
 awareness, including a new member town hall in partnership with the NWA Center for Sexual Assault
 Awareness.

Announcements:

Associated Student Government

- On Saturday, Oct. 22, Associated Student Government will once again host Rollin' with the Razorbacks ASG's annual program to send students to a Razorback football away game visits Auburn University this year to see the Razorbacks take on the Tigers.
- ASG will hosting an Athletics Town Hall with support from staff in the Vice Chancellor for Intercollegiate Athletics office on Wednesday Oct. 26. The focus of this town hall is to discuss with students who do not regularly attend athletic events what factors contribute to their experience.
- Senate passed an amendment to Joint Resolution #1 (Bikes, Blues, BBQ and Divisive Images). Since the
 amended version of Joint Resolution #1 that Senate passed was different from the amended version of
 Joint Resolution #1 that GSC passed, the two versions of Joint Resolution #1 will go to a legislative
 conference committee consisting of authors of the two versions of the resolutions which was passed. It
 will be the responsibility of this committee to draft the final version of the joint resolution.
- GSC Secretary Garrett Jeter completed focus groups this week with constituents from interdisciplinary, Fulbright College, Walton College of Business, COEHP, and engineering graduate programs.
- ASG's Hog Out the Vote met its goal and helped register over 500 student voters.

Center for Community Engagement

- The Center for Community Engagement is hiring a mentoring program coordinator. Please share with our job posting with your contacts.
- Join us by <u>assembling a team and filling a project</u> for Make a Difference Day. We have wonderful projects this year!

Dining Services

• Our On Site Insight Focus Groups are coming within the next few weeks. It would be helpful if every office and department could help us distribute the links for the various groups. We are looking forward to hearing the feedback from each of the following student groups:

Resident (on-campus) students
Off-campus students
Greek students
ASG students
RA students
Faculty & Staff
Catering customers

Greek Life

• Global Greeks had their biggest kick-off ever with 83 Greek students and 42 international students participating in the program.

Housing

 On Monday, Oct. 10, Geri Forntner-Cruz, Christie Rollins, and Jakhongir Khatamov attended the UHNEO Conference.

Pat Walker Health Center

• The Allergy, Immunization and Travel Clinic is holding a walk-in flu vaccine clinic from 3-5 p.m. every Monday through Friday. Students, faculty and staff can walk-in or call 479-575-7223 to schedule an appointment if walk-in hours do not work for them. Remember to bring your insurance card!

- The Pat Walker Health Center continues to actively monitor the Mumps outbreak in Northwest Arkansas. There have been zero reported mumps cases on campus. We ask any patient with possible mumps symptoms to notify the medical clinic at 479-575-4451 before coming into the clinic as a precaution.
- The Health Center is open Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings. The Primary Care Clinic has extended evening hours Tuesday through Thursday until 7 p.m. Appointments can be scheduled at 479-575-4451 or online at myhealth.uark.edu.

Acknowledgments:

Housing

• Housing welcomes Angela McKnight as the new Administrative Assistant for Administrative Services.

Off Campus Student Services

• Susan Stiers represented Off Campus Student Services in applying for and receiving a grant from the Women's Giving Circle to pilot a Pregnant and Parenting College Students Lunchtime Learning Series. The series of five lunches kicks off January 25.

Pat Walker Health Center

• Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS) is excited to welcome two new mental health clinicians - Kym Williams, LMSW, and Kendra Glasper, LMSW - as our new senior clinicians!

If you have any comments or suggestions please email Scott Flanagin, executive director of communications for Student Affairs, at sflanagi@uark.edu.

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