ARKANSAS UNION:
• Number of visitors to Union unavailable while people-counting software is upgraded
• Working on new lighting options for the North Terrace
• Fireplaces will be operational within the next 24 hours!
• Working with contracted technicians to fully resolve AV issues in ballroom
• Soliciting quotes for refinishing stages in Union Theater and Ballroom

CAMPUS CARD OFFICE:
• Created 145 faculty, staff and student ID Cards (in three days) and processed $8,494 in Razorback$ deposits
• Loaned 7 card readers to departments totaling 1604 transactions

CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER:
• Conducting drop-in resume reviews and mock interviews on Wednesdays from 9-noon and 1-4 p.m. The drop-in times will end Nov. 19.

CENTER FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT:
• Make a Difference Day is this Saturday, everyone is invited to participate- pick your project, invite your friends, be sure to reserve your spot!  http://volunteer.uark.edu
• Dream B.I.G. received $11,000 from the Women’s Giving Circle for their grant request for Dream B.I.G. Educational Session
• Mentor Applications are available for Dream B.I.G. http://service.uark.edu
• The Center for Community Engagement’s new website recently went live you can see the revamped site at http://service.uark.edu

CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL ACCESS:
• 418 new students with disabilities registered for services this academic year.
• 990 students have requested academic accommodations for the Fall semester.
• 509 unique books are being converted to alternate formats for 178 students with print-based disabilities
• 684 students have requested a note-taker for a total of 1,467 courses this semester, and 5,454 note files have been uploaded by note-takers.
• 1,241 tests proctored so far this semester.
• 26 students have utilized golf cart services for the term.
• Wrapping up Disability Awareness Month at the University!  Please come out and join us for the 5th Annual Roll, Walk, Run on Wednesday, October 29th at 5pm, which is sponsored by our partner Sources.  For information about this event, and the other events this month, please visit the CEA website at http://cea.uark.edu/.

GREEK LIFE:
• During their weekly general body meeting on October 23, the Panhellenic Council voted to open the campus for extension.  Our goal is to extend an invitation for a sorority to our community in Fall 2015 and Fall 2017.
• On Saturday, October 25, NPHC hosted their annual Homecoming Step Show.  The show was sold out and was a huge success.  Congratulations to Delta Sigma Theta, Alpha Phi Alpha, and Zeta Phi Beta for placing in their respective divisions.
• Greek Getaway will be held on November 8-9 at Mount Sequoyah.  This signature program is geared toward our new members from all Greek governing councils.
• IFC has partnered with B-Unlimited to sell” No Shave November” t-shirts.  A portion of the sales from these shirts will help the council raise $6000 to reach their overall fundraising goal toward their Habitat for Humanity house.
Tonight, our Order of Omega chapter will be initiating more than 99 new members. This is the largest new member class for the UA campus. Each of these students has excelled in the areas of scholastic achievement, community service, and have over a 3.0 grade point average.

NEW STUDENT & FAMILY PROGRAMS:
- Last Friday Night Live of the semester – FNL: League of Evil. Friday 8pm-12a. Co-sponsors include University Programs, Walmart, and Pat Walker Health Center.
- Senior Kiefer Dooley has been selected October Student Leader of the Month
- Staff will attend the NODA – Association for Orientation, Transition, and Retention in Higher Education Annual Conference in Orlando this week. Alli Robison is serving as a Graduate Intern on the Conference Planning Committee. Quincy Spencer, Andie Schenk, and Matt Meyers will be presenting education/poster Sessions.
- Kelly Wilkinson & Weston Grant were recognized as Outstanding Parent Ambassadors during Appreciation Dinner on Sunday
- Applications available for R.O.C.K. Camp Student Coordinators – contact wnjones@uark.edu for more details
- PPA Holiday Tree Lighting – Thursday, December 4th @ 5:30 p.m.

OFF CAMPUS CONNECTIONS:
- The Chartwells Non-Traditional Student Meal Scholarship applications will be available online beginning Thursday, October 30- November 3 (5pm). The link to the application, along with eligibility information, will be included in this week’s edition of the Off Campus Connections Newsletter and also on the OCC website.
- Commuter student feedback was shared recently with the Transit, Parking, and Traffic Committee. The committee has been considering an hourly charge for evening parking in the Stadium Parking Deck. More than 800 undergraduate commuters who provided feedback indicated overwhelmingly that they would limit or eliminate their attendance at evening events if this change was made.

PAT WALKER HEALTH CENTER (PWHC):
- The Pat Walker Health Center continues to work with the Arkansas Department of Health regarding updates on the Ebola disease outbreak. Check Newswire for the latest information on the virus and what the university is doing to stay prepared.
- For students, faculty and staff who have not yet received the flu vaccine, PWHC encourages you to join us during our walk-in clinics from 3-5 p.m. No appointment is necessary and you can get in and out within a few minutes.
- REAP (The Recovery Education & Accountability Program) has been tabling in the Union as part of Alcohol Awareness Week. Students in recovery are also welcome to join REAP to learn more about their program on Fridays at 11 a.m. in the Pat Walker Health Center room 283.
- RESPECT (Rape Education Services by Peers Encouraging Conscious Thought) joined the National Day of Action on October 29 to show support for sexual assault survivors. RESPECT had students, faculty and staff sign a pillow in support for the day and raised awareness for victims of sexual assault.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES:
Associated Student Government (ASG)
- The ASG Alumni Society Board of Directors held their inaugural meeting this past Sunday. Tori Pohlner was elected Chair, Lauren Waldrip was elected Vice Chair of Events, Michael Dodd and Angie Maxwell were elected Co-Vice Chairs of Recruitment, and Miniam Hall was elected Secretary. The Board approved their By-Laws, the next communication with the entire society, and set preliminary dates for their next meeting/events.
- ASG President Daniel McFarland addressed the UA Board of Trustees this past week, addressing student concerns regarding the adoption of UA World Campus, an online campus being considered by the Board.
- Student government advisors from Arkansas, Kentucky, Auburn, and LSU are working on guidelines and rules for the inaugural Outstanding SEC Student Government Awards to be given out at the next SEC Exchange at the University of Alabama next July. The awards come as a way of celebrating the achievement and successes of the various student governments across the conference, including awards for outstanding representative, legislation, event, program, initiative, and overall outstanding student
government.

Registered Student Organizations (RSO):

- We currently have 364 RSO’s (15 new RSO’s since registration period ended on September 15th).
- Last Leadership Development Luncheons of the semester: November 4 (1 – 2 p.m. in ARKU 308) – Career Development Center; November 17 (2:30 – 3:30 p.m. in ARKU 308) – Managing Large RSO’s
- Last ADS of semester – Wednesday, November 19 at 12 – 1 p.m. Topic is Team-Building and Motivation in your RSO.

University Programs (UP):

- Upcoming events: 10/27 Fall Festival, Connections Lounge, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.; 10/29 Trivia Night, ABP, 7 p.m.; 10/31 FNL: League of Villains, Union 8 – Midnight; Rocky Horror Picture Show, Ballroom 10:31 p.m.
- Ms. Kali Lantefield was crowed the 2014 Homecoming Queen. Kali was announced as Queen at the Homecoming Pep Rally by AD Jeff Long and was crowned at Halftime by Chancellor G. David Gearhart. Kali is a senior, marketing and economics major and was nominated by Pi Beta Phi.

STUDENT MEDIA:

- The 2014 Razorback yearbook has been delivered and will be distributed to students next week. Distribution will be in the Union Connections Lounge Oct. 29 and 30; Union Mall Oct. 29, 30; and in front of Brough Commons Oct. 29, 30.

STUDENT STANDARDS & CONDUCT:

- For dates 10/21 to 10/28: 34 conduct cases including: 18 use/possession of alcohol, 8 public intoxication; 2 disorderly conduct; 4 possession/use of controlled substance; 1 sale/manufacture of controlled substance; 2 smoking/tobacco (These numbers may include several violations for one individual).

UNIVERSITY HOUSING:

- Retuning student contracting will begin on December 2, New Freshmen will start contracting on November 3rd.
- Residence hall results from this year’s Homecoming competition: Reid and Hotz (first place), Humphreys and Yocum (second place) and Maple Hill (third place). Congratulations to the winners and great job to all of the halls for their work with this year’s Homecoming competition.
- Approximately 550 delegates and guests from Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana will be attending the SWACURH 2014 conference here on campus November 6 – 9.
- Beginning Monday, October 27, the Quad will host "Talking Dead" each Monday night following new episodes of the Walking Dead. Faculty In Residence Dr. Szydki will lead discussions about the week's episode in the B building lobby.
- An energy conservation competition for the month of October is in full swing. The residential facility that has the largest amount of energy savings for the month of October will receive a pizza party courtesy of University Housing Residential Facilities.
- Maple South will be hosting a Murder Mystery program on Thursday, October 30, from 7 to 9 p.m.
- Holcombe Hall is hosting a Geography Series program on Pakistan on Sunday, November 2.
- Duncan Apartments is hosting their “Chill With Duncan” program on Sunday, November 2, at 6 p.m.
- Pomfret’s Haunted Hallway: Wednesday, October 29
- Hell on the Hill in Reid: Thursday, October 30

UOFA CARES:

- For dates 10/21-10/28: Number of Students Seen: 22; Main Concerns: Academic and Illness (Flu season).
- Planned activities for 10/28-11/4 Successful strategies for Honors students planning meeting, Alcohol Coalition preparation meeting, and continued conversation regarding student homelessness

VETERANS RESOURCE AND INFORMATION CENTER:

- James White, current U of A student veteran, will be graduating from the Vet2Vet Professional/Student Mentorship Program in November. Through his participation in the mentorship program, James received an internship this summer at his mentor’s place of employment, JB Hunt. After completing the internship, James began working part-time at JB Hunt and has the opportunity to move into a full-time position upon graduation.
- Staff has moved into the newly remodeled VRIC. Open house will be held soon.
• Karl Marlantes, author of the book, *What It Is Like to Go to War*, will give a lecture on Thursday, October 30th, at 6:30 pm in Hillside Auditorium.

• Veterans Week 2014 Schedule:
  Veteran and Veteran Dependent Financial Seminar – For Student, Faculty, Staff, and Dependents of Veterans
  Monday, November 10 from 12:00 – 1:00 pm, Center for Multicultural and Diversity Education Conference Room, Union 404; Veteran’s Day Breakfast - For Student, Faculty, and Staff Veterans Tuesday, November 11 from 8:30 - 10:30 am, VRIC Office, Arkansas Union 6th Floor West; Movie “Lone Survivor” and panel discussion Thursday, November 13, 6:00 pm, Reynolds Auditorium; Veteran Employment Services Office (VESO) Briefing Friday, November 14, 10:30 – 11:30 am, Commuter Lounge, Arkansas Union 6th Floor West; RazorVets Banquet Friday, November 14, 6:00 pm, Arkansas Union Verizon Ballroom

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