Tip of the Week...

Alvernia Theatre presents “The Shadow” by Yevgeni Shvarts, in the Francis Hall Theater and Recital Hall, beginning next week.

Show dates and times: Nov 4-6, Nov 11-13 (8PM) Nov 7 (2PM)

Alvernia Theatre events are free to Alvernia students, faculty and staff, and cost $5 all others.

Upcoming Events

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Check out the Athletics website: http://athletics.alvernia.edu/

Ethics, Leadership, and Atticus Finch

Alvernia will host its third and final Lecture Series event of the fall 2010 semester this Tuesday, November 2, at 4PM, in the Bernardine Franciscan Conference Center. Ethics, Leadership, and Atticus Finch is a panel discussion about the hero of Harper Lee’s *To Kill a Mockingbird*, and his relevance in today’s society. What can lawyers learn from a fictional icon 50 years later? Would today’s community be more accepting of Atticus Finch than fictional Maycomb County was? How are the values, integrity, and morality of Atticus Finch viewed today? The panel discussion, co-sponsored by the Berks County Bar Association and Alvernia’s Holleran Center for Community Engagement, will be moderated by MaryBeth DeMee (communication) and will include the Honorable Arthur E. Grim, Keith Mooney, Esquire, and Jill Scheidt, Esquire.

All Lecture Series events are free and open to the public. A wine and cheese reception will follow the discussion.
Alumni News

Be a part of a holiday tradition — and join the Alvernia Alumni Association in New York City, for the annual Radio City Christmas Spectacular, Monday, November 29. [Click here for details.]

Student News

Noreen Kern, Connie Twyman, and eight senior nursing students participated in an annual Breast Cancer Screening event, held last week (Wednesday, October 13) at the Community Campus. The group screened 50 preregistered women from the community.

Faculty & Staff News


John Luvisi (IA) and Karen Cameron (OT) will present “Grants: fulfilling needs and dreams for occupational therapy” at the American Occupational Therapy Association’s 91st Annual Conference and Expo in Philadelphia, April 2011.

Alvernia in the NEWS...

Click on the links below to follow recent Alvernia news coverage:

- BCTV 10-21-10
  In Berks County survey, 96% say libraries are a good use of taxes

- WFMZ 10-26-10
  Many questions remain in baby killing case

- York Dispatch 10-26-10
  York Suburban grad Todd Meyer earns baseball honor

- BCTV 20-28-10
  ‘Lights on after school’

INTERFAITH PEACE BREAKFAST

Alvernia hosted its annual Interfaith Peace Breakfast on Monday. The event, designed to help people of differing faith backgrounds talk about similarities and differences was coordinated by the Office of Campus Ministry. Rabbi Brian Michelson (pictured left) was this year’s featured guest speaker.
Honoring the work of Fran Ross...

Alvernia honored long-time Assistant Professor of Art, Fran Ross, by displaying her work at a private show at Cedar Hill (Monday) and a public exhibit in the Student Center, Private Dining Room (Wednesday and Thursday).

The private show at Cedar Hill was the first event held in the Conference Center/Studio, on the farm property.

Fran signed artwork for others (left) and enjoyed evening with many Alvernia friends (like Sister Florence below).

This weekend, students will enjoy the new Cedar Hill Studio space during a retreat for the Alternative Break program.

The Alvernia Mission Office is sponsoring a Twilight Staff Retreat:

“The Art and the Blessing of Franciscan Collegiality.”

Tuesday, November 9
4:45PM
Bernardine Franciscan Conference Center

Sr. Christen Shukwit (campus ministry) will be the retreat facilitator. The event includes dinner with the Bernardine sisters. Contact Judy Bohler (x5507) for details.

Rumor Has It...

January 17, 2011 will be Alvernia’s annual Martin Luther King Day of Service.

Pennsylvania Campus Compact has awarded $350 each to ten (10) member campuses to support MLK Day events and service activities. Each campus will be expected to recruit 75 student and community volunteers, partner with at least two community organizations, and connect their service to the life and work of Dr. King through education, reflection, and celebration activities.

Campuses receiving 2011 mini-grants are: Alvernia University, Bucknell University, Chatham University, Gwynedd-Mercy, Keystone College, Kutztown University, Lock Haven, Messiah, Millersville, and Washington & Jefferson College.

Do you have news?
Send it to:
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What grows when it eats, but dies when it drinks?

Be the first to answer correctly!

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Last week’s answer: You can’t keep a “promise” until you have given it away.