Planned to expand on-campus wireless computing announced

A number of improvements will soon be implemented to enhance wireless computer access across Alvernia’s campus, including extending access to outdoor spaces in heavily trafficked student areas.

The enhancements are part of ongoing initiatives to ensure computer technology in use across campus addresses the important needs of faculty, staff, and students.

The program to expand wireless access is being managed by the University’s Information Technology Department. The project will take place in stages:

- **Phase 1** — spring & summer 2011
- **Phase 2** — summer 2012
- **Phase 3** — summer 2013

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

Alvernia CJ graduate, Cody Gambler ‘07 pursued a Master’s degree in sport management at Millersville University and went on to intern in the academic compliance office at the University of Colorado. He is now working in the athletic compliance department at the University of Maryland.

Faculty & Staff News

Carrie Fitzpatrick (communication) was selected by EF College Study Tours to attend a Group Leader Conference in London over the Thanksgiving holiday. She will be featured in a future commercial discussing the importance of international travel and education.


Debbie Greenawald (nursing) authored a featured article for Nursing Education Perspectives (Nov/Dec 2010, Vol.31, No.6, p.368-371) titled “Faculty Involvement in Undergraduate Research: Considerations for Nurse Educators.”

Brittany Tasch (residence life) wrote an article titled “Recognition Unplugged” for the newsletter of the Mid-Atlantic Association of College and University Housing Officers. Click here to see the article (on page 8). In addition, her colleague, Chris Ottey, is the subject of a feature story on page 30.

Alvernia in the NEWS...

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

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“Alvernia sweeps Albright on the hardwood”

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“Alvernia creates North Pole for kids”

Reading Eagle 12-8-10
“Kutztown, Alvernia bolster enrollments”

Reading Eagle 12-8-10
“New to the board: Todd D. Hummel, Hamburg School Board” [Alum]

Berks-Mont News 12-9-10
“Morgan Davidheiser just short of Alvernia goal-scoring record”

December 2010 Graduation — Undergraduate Award Winners

Addiction Studies
Betty Ford Student Life Award
Kristina Anne Whiddon

Business
Excellence in Business
Valerie Mangan

Computer information Systems
Academic Excellence in CIS
Sharon Marie Axe

Education
Emma Yoh Award for Outstanding Professionalism
María Denise Karmanski

High Achievement in Citizenship/Secondary Education
Stephen Joseph Walsh

Outstanding Student Teachers
Brian Sabatino Longo
Laura Ann Monello

Humanities
High Achievement in History
Gerald John Powell

Alvernia Honors Program Graduate
Stephen Joseph Walsh
December 2010 Graduation
Grad & CS Award Winners:

Main Campus
Founding Dean’s Award — Shanna Jeannette Bossler
Director’s Award — Christyn Beryl Olmstead
Educational Leadership Award — Alaina J. Gross
Outstanding Academic Achievement — Peggy Lee Mull
Outstanding MED — Daniel Charles Fair
Outstanding MBA — Bradley K. Gordon, Susan Elizabeth Pollack
Academic Achievement in Nursing — Maryann T. Ligenza
Nursing Research Award — Robert Alan Rice, Jr.
Spirit of St. Francis Award — Maureen Lorraine Krall
BHS Director’s Award — Tammy L. Buchanan
Caron Treatment Center Award — Francine Battle

Philadelphia Center
Director’s Award — Marc Troy Gooden
MACC Academic Achievement Award — Joseph Hill
Outstanding MALS Award — Avis Melinda Bryan
Father Martin Ashley Academic Award — Mary Alice Duck
Father Martin Ashley Humanity Award — Pamela Abrams
Caron Achievement Award — Paulette Maria Cox-Green
Caron Award of Excellence — Nate L. Morman
Betty Ford Center Award — Pamela Abrams
BHS Crusader Award — Rosa Lee Childs
CJ Academic Achievement Award — Katrina Latrell Jordan
CJ Academic Excellence Award — Kenya Kyshon Barrett

Schuylkill Center
Director’s Award — Katherine D. Schuck
Outstanding Student Teacher Awards — Nicole Anthony, Linda M. Schmitz

Planning to attend Graduation ceremonies this Sunday, December 12?

Baccalaureate Mass: 10:30AM
Commencement: 1PM

Both events will be held in the Physical Education Center.

In case of inclimate weather, notices will be placed on the Alvernia website and announced through e2campus.

Not sure if you’re signed up for e2campus? Click here to update or add your contact information to e2campus.

If weather prohibits ceremonies, Commencement will take place Tuesday, December 15 at 7PM

Rumor Has It...

Alvernia Content Managers: don’t forget to post your upcoming spring events to Alvernia’s online calendar. See page 18 of your training manual for instructions.

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Does your office have extra supplies? Don’t throw them out. Post them on the S Drive, and give them a new home. Look for “Clare’s List” for the form.

What goes up and down without moving?

Be the first to answer correctly!
Send your answer to:
Carey.Manzolillo@alvernia.edu

Bragging rights for last week go to Drena Romberger (athletics). Answer: I T.

DO YOU HAVE NEWS?
SEND IT TO:
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