TIP OF THE WEEK...

Have you heard about long-term care insurance, currently being offered to all employees working at least 20 hours per week? Talk to a Genworth Financial representative to find out more:

Tues., March 29: 9:30AM, 11AM, 1PM, and 2:30PM
Wed., March 30: 9:30AM, 11AM, 1PM, and 2:30PM

All sessions will be held in the Student Center Seminar Rooms.

Upcoming Events

3/26 NYC Bus Trip: “The Addams Family” TBA
3/26 Baltimore Aquarium (Depart from SC) 12:30PM
3/26 Shopp’n’Shuttle (Depart from SC) 11AM
3/27 Bi-Lingual Mass (SH Chapel) 7PM
3/28 Hesburgh Lecture (BFCC) 7PM
3/29 Off to the Movies (Depart from SC) TBA
3/31 Alive! Mental Health Fair (SC) All Day
3/31 Delta Mu Delta Inductions 5PM

Home Athletic Contests

3/25 Baseball vs Lebanon Valley 3:30PM
3/26 Women’s Tennis vs Albright 11AM
3/26 Softball vs Lebanon Valley (DH) 1PM
3/26 Men’s Lacrosse vs King’s 1PM
3/26 Men’s Tennis vs Albright 2PM
3/27 Softball vs Neumann (DH) 1PM
3/28 Baseball vs College of New Jersey 3:30PM
3/29 Softball vs Wesley College (DH) 3PM
3/30 Women’s Lacrosse vs Messiah 4PM
3/31 Men’s Tennis vs Neumann 3:30PM

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

Founders Village Dedication

Today! March 25, 2PM

Alvernia will dedicate and rename its new village apartments this afternoon and will reveal the names of the two halls that make up the first phase of that complex.

A 1PM Mass to celebrate the Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord (in the Motherhouse’s Sacred Heart Chapel) will kick off the event, followed by a dedication ceremony outside of the Founders Village Apartments (on the parking lot side) at 2PM.

As part of the Campus Master Plan, ground-breaking for buildings one and two of Founders Village began in September of 2008, and 154 upper-class students filled the roughly 27,000 square foot facilities, which overlook the new turf field, in August 2009.

Each hall has a large common room with gas fireplaces and business centers with computers and printers. They also have a laundry room, elevators, wireless internet, cable, and phone connections. Apartment sizes are different to complement many different living arrangements, from one person efficiencies to five person apartments. They are fully furnished with upscale furniture, a dining/living room, bathroom, and full kitchens with a stove, sink, and microwave.

Visit Alvernia.edu after the dedication for the full story.
Faculty & Staff News

Kathleen Wisser (nursing) has completed the requirements for a doctor of philosophy degree in administration in leadership studies at Indiana University of Pennsylvania. Wisser was a member of the Phi Kappa Phi honors fraternity at Indiana.

Abby Swatchick (student activities) attended the NASPA national conference in Philadelphia, where she presented results of her capstone paper for the master’s program in student affairs administration at University of Wisconsin – LaCrosse. She studied best practices for commuter student services. Her work has already had an impact on the enhancement of such services at Alvernia.

Jodi Radosh (communication) recently co-hosted a debate with Kevin Murphy, president of the Berks County Community Foundation between Judy Schwank and Larry Medaglia on BCTV.

James Siburt (humanities) has been elected to be the Vice President of the Mid-Atlantic Region of the American Academy of Religion.

Alvernia in the NEWS...

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

Reading Eagle 3-21-11
"Dan Kelly’s Korner: Alvernia team makes a move"

Reading Eagle 3-24-11
"Beating the odds: Perseverance, passion for game put Zach Lutz within reach of his dream"

Reading Eagle 3-24-11
"Zumba event in Reading to aid girl battling cancer"
[This event is being planned by Alvernia nursing student, Kaitlyn Kozlowski to benefit a local 6-year-old child with cancer]

450 COLLECTIVE YEARS OF SERVICE

Please congratulate the following individuals as they celebrate employment milestones at Alvernia:

30 YEARS
Mary Beth DeMeo

25 YEARS
Audrey Caldwell
Sally Reading
Spencer Stober

20 YEARS
Kevin Calabria
Beki Stein

15 YEARS
Darlene Berk
Sr. Ann Marie Coll
Marlene Schultz
Sr. Philip Ann Yurkonis

10 YEARS
Wanda Copeland
Scott Davidson
Kristen Hoffman
Jonathan King
Gwynne Kolodziejki
Mark Kowalski
Michael Laws
Eleanor Logan
Tracey Marino
Carol Munn-Donkin
William Renninger
David Reppert
Beryl Ruth
Lynne Weatherholtz
Leon Weber
Mary Ellen Wells
Craig Wojszwillo
Donna Yarri

5 YEARS
Thomas Bierowski
David Dague
Christian Daniels
Curtis Datko
Karolina Dreher
Anne Fink
Tom Flynn
Barry Harvey
Troy High
Joanne Kaminski
Miroslaw Liwosz
Kelly McCloskey

J. Michael Pressimone
Susan Rehhausser
Jennifer Richter
Paul Sadaphal
Janet Savino
Jonathan Silver
Sharyn Stricker
Mary Ellen Symanski
Kathleen Wisser
Vigil for Japan — This Monday

On Monday, March 28, thousands of people across the country will be gathering in solidarity with the people of Japan in the wake of the earthquake and ensuing tsunami.

As part of the movement, Campus Ministry will hold a vigil for Japan on Monday, at 9PM. The event will be held on the quad, or in Veronica Hall’s Holy Savior Chapel (if it’s raining).

Students, faculty, and staff are encouraged to come together as a community in an expression of hope and deep sorrow for all those affected by the disaster.

Looking for another way to act? Join us at these upcoming events:

Stations of the Cross for the Healing of Japan
Friday, March 25, 4PM
Francis Hall Chapel

Plan for Japan
April 4-8
Decorate a t-shirt to wear on Friday, April 8. Shirts are $5, and all proceeds go to relief efforts in Japan. (Sponsored by the STOP Club.)

Also, if you are interested in donating money to the relief effort, contact Father Kevin Queally (x3017).

THANKS!

The Alvernia Science Association would like to thank everyone who helped make Pi Day a great success.

With your help, the Association raised more than $100 for the American Cancer Society.

Congratulations to Jason Deitz (financial aid) for being Pi-ed the most, and Sister Christen (campus ministry) who came in at a close second place.

Rumor Has It...

Bishop John O. Barres will be on campus next Saturday, April 2 to present more than 100 Diocese scholarships to high school and elementary students, as part of his annual Honors and Awards Ceremony.

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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.

Why is the longest human nose on record only eleven inches long?

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

Bragging rights for last week go to Ruth Moore (student billing). Answer: Not a ‘single’ man got wet, because they were all married.

DO YOU HAVE NEWS?
SEND IT TO: CAREY.MANZOLILLO@ALVERNIA.EDU

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