B.J. Novak headlining Spring Fling

B.J. Novak, comedian and writer from NBC’s “The Office” will headline this year’s Spring Fling celebration, sponsored by the Alvernia University Student Government Association.

Saturday, April 24th
8PM, in the PEC

Tickets can be purchased in the Office of Student Activities or online at [www.alverniatickets.com](http://www.alverniatickets.com). Online tickets will be available at the will-call desk.

$15 for Alvernia students, faculty, and staff
$20 for the community

All tickets sales will be donated to Mercy Corps as part of the “Alvernia Helping Haiti” project, Phase III. For more information please call 610-568-1441.
**Student News**

On Monday, April 12, 28 freshmen were inducted into the Beta Mu Chapter of Lambda Sigma—Alvernia’s newest honor society open to select second-semester freshmen with a GPA of 3.5 or above, who have demonstrated a commitment to community service and a potential for leadership. Dr. Flynn was also inducted as an honorary member.

Inaugural members are: Nathan Bauer, Brandi Bentz (secretary), Emily Bieber, Kimberly Byrne, Anthony Cafurello, Prima Das (vice president), Thomas DiFilippo, Alicia Fidler, Kelli Goshert, Vanessa Hernandez, Jennifer Kaucher, Jennifer Kingman, Daniel Kwasniewski (treasurer), Kirsten Lill, Gaohnou Lo, Leidy Londo, Brendon McGirr, Kayla Morgan (president), Ryan Mulligan, Rebecca Ownes, Anna Patterson, Christopher Ray, Jeffrey Schaefer, Cody Smith, Erin Solley, Jessica Taylor, Dana Valasek, and Annie Wagner.

The chapter will be advised by Jerry Vigna (theology) and Megan Adukaitis (freshman foundations).

**Faculty & Staff News**

John Rochowicz (mathematics) mentored, proctored, and prepared Alvernia’s math majors for participation at the 11th Annual Berks County Higher Education Council Undergraduate Research Conference held at Albright College on April 17, 2010. Students presented papers on topics that included Catastrophe Theory, Coding Theory, Network Theory, the Golden Ratio, Logarithms, Fractal Geometry, and the Mathematics of Sudoku. Rochowicz also served as a moderator and facilitator for a paper session on mathematics and physics.

Roxana Delbene (languages) held a teleconference with Spanish Linguistics students and their professor at Western Kentucky University via Skype, April 20. During the teleconference, Delbene helped students by explaining how to conduct research fieldwork, and how to analyze the data by means of discourse analysis in a medical setting.

**BRAND SCENE INVESTIGATOR**

Mary Lozada (multicultural initiatives), Yvette Santiago (languages), and Roxana Delbene (languages) visited the Daniel Torres Centro Hispano center in Reading. They talked with Director Michael Toledo about possible activities and liaisons between the center and Alvernia. They also interacted with the seniors from the Casa De La Amistad as part of the facility tour.
Sign up now to help out with the
Creative Hands Art Auction
(in the Upland Center)
May 1, from 1PM to 5PM
Contact: Keiko Wolfe 484-948-8861

Rumor Has It...
Want to keep up with Alvernia’s weekly service opportunities? Click here to join the Facebook group.

Like to run? Click here to preregister for the Wounded Warrior 5k Run on Sunday, May 2. The race course will begin on Alvernia’s track, extend throughout the Angelica Park trail, and finish back at the track. Cost is $20 to preregister, or register the morning of the race for $25. There will be a one-mile walk starting at 9AM, followed by the 5k run.

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.

Do you have news?
Send it to:
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Some months have 30 days, some months have 31 days. How many have 28?

Be the first to answer correctly!
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Last week’s answer: pantyhose.