The Mosque in Manhattan

Campus Ministry and the Center for Ethics and Leadership are working together to bring a timely panel discussion to Alvernia’s campus on Monday. The event will take place at 4:30PM in the newly redesigned Bernardine Lecture Hall.

“The Importance of Civil Discourse: The Mosque in Manhattan” will feature five different panelists, all speaking from different perspectives.

Panelists will include and represent:
- David Lawton — Civil Discourse
- Jodi Radosh — Media’s Role
- Victoria Williams — Political Perspective
- Jamal Abodalo — Muslim Perspective
- Fr. Kevin Queally, TOR — Franciscan Perspective

Looking for more information on this national debate? Follow the links below for recent news coverage:

**Huffington Post:** 9/11 Protests Over Proposed Islamic Center (Video Report)

**The New York Times:** The Mayor, the Mosque and Public Response

**Associated Press:** Imam says NYC mosque site is not ‘hallowed ground’

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**Tip of the Week...**

Hispanic Heritage Month kicked off Sept 15 — the anniversary of independence for five Latin American countries: Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, and Nicaragua. Mexico declared its own independence on September 16, and Chile on September 18. Watch your email for related events, Sept 15-Oct 15.

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**Upcoming Events**

- 9/17 Game Show - Trivia (SC) 9PM
- 9/18 Trip - PA Ren Faire (Off Campus) 10AM
- 9/19 Goofball Games (Sovereign Bank Fields) 1PM
- 9/19 “Shakedown” w/ Deanna Reuben (FH Aud) 7PM
- 9/20 Mosque in Manhattan (Panel) BHLH 4:30PM
- 9/20 Video Game Tournament (Crusader) 6PM
- 9/21 Off to the Movies (Off Campus) TBA
- 9/22 Tres Vidas music theatre (FH Aud) 1PM & 7PM
- 9/22 Coffeehouse - Jared Mahone (Crusader) 9PM
- 9/22 Latin Dance “Salsa” class (St. Anthony’s) 6PM
- 9/24 Commuter Choose Your Adventure (Off Campus) 10AM
- 9/24 Admissions Information Session 10AM
- 9/25 College Day on the Parkway (Off Campus) 9AM

**Home Athletic Contests**

- 9/17 Women’s Tennis vs Neumann 3:30PM
- 9/18 Women’s Tennis vs Gwynedd-Mercy 1PM
- 9/18 Men’s Soccer vs Lancaster Bible 1PM
- 9/19 Field Hockey vs College of New Jersey 1PM
- 9/20 Women’s Golf Alvernia Invitational 12:30PM
- 9/20 Women’s Soccer vs York 4PM
- 9/21 Volleyball vs Messiah 7PM
- 9/22 Women’s Soccer vs DeSales 4PM
- 9/22 Field Hockey vs Eastern 7PM
- 9/25 Field Hockey vs Arcadia 1PM

Check out the Athletics website: [http://athletics.alvernia.edu/](http://athletics.alvernia.edu/)
Bryan Dreibelbis (business) recently received a “Top Five Members” award from the Reading Institute of Management Accountants Chapter for the 2010 chapter year. This award recognizes outstanding participation in chapter activities and dedication to chapter ideals.

Ed Hartung (CJ) attended the 76th Annual Conference and Exposition of the Association of Public-Safety Communications Officials-International, Inc. (APCO) in Houston, Texas August 1-4. On August 4, Hartung served as Moderator for the APCO Leadership Symposium. Members of the symposium included Dr. Deborah Gonzales, Officer in Charge of the Los Angeles, Ca. Police Department’s Protected Activity Evaluation Unit (Risk Management Division); Mr. Chris Moore, JD, Assistant Chief of Police, San Jose, Ca.; and Mr. David Williams, M.Ed., Inspector with Victoria Police Australia.

Please welcome William Bickley to the Alvernia community. Bickley is the new Multimedia Specialist, taking all the responsibilities from Miroslaw Liwosz, who is now with the Distance Education department. Bickley brings in an educational background in broadcasting, telecommunications, and mass media as well as experience with audio-visual technology services.

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE

Please join Alvernia’s STOP Club and Campus Ministry for one minute, at noon, on Sept 21 (regardless of where you are) — in support of an International Day of Peace. The STOP Club will also hold a Peace Party from 11AM until 12:01PM in the Crusader Café. Stop by for games, prizes, and snacks.

In addition, Alvernia is proud to partner with Odyssey Networks in the “Million Minutes for Peace Campaign.” Together we’re working to collect one million pledges to pray for peace. Please click here to watch a 60-second video and join us by pledging your prayer for peace.

A Million Minutes for Peace®

a multi-faith movement…mobilizing the power of prayer

The United Nations International Day of Peace
On September 21, people all over the world will stop at noon and pray for peace for one minute—in their own way.
Join us now. It only takes a minute.
Crusader Golf Outing

The 15th Annual Alvernia University Golf Outing (in memory of Chris Schlager) will be held on Monday, October 4, 2010 at Moselem Springs Golf Club.

Please join alumni and friends for a fantastic day of lunch, golf, dinner, and camaraderie. Proceeds benefit the Alvernia University Chris Schlager Endowment, which benefits Alvernia students.

EVENT DETAILS:
Monday October 4, 2010
Moselem Springs Golf Club (Fleetwood)
Registration/Lunch: 11:30AM
Shotgun Start: 1PM
Dinner: 6PM

Many prizes will be awarded. Competitions include “Hole in One” and “Closest to the Pin” for all par 3 holes, as well as “Longest Drive” for men and women. A silent auction for sports memorabilia (Phillies, Eagles, and Yankees) will be included in the event.

Moselem Springs is one of the top 100 courses in the country. This is truly a prestigious event: players, venue, lunch, driving range, prizes, locker rooms and three entrée dinner. Bring friends, entertain your top clients or make business contacts at this event.

Registration is limited to 100 golfers and usually sells out every year.

For more information on the golf outing, contact Coach Kevin Calabria at 610-796-8315.

TOMORROW:

2nd Annual Berks County Recovery Walk

Join addiction and behavioral health studies students for this 1.5 mile walk. Click here for details.

Starts at RACC — 12PM
Ends at Reading Museum

Rumor Has It...

Join Stitch to Serve for knitting, crocheting, and good conversation! Next meeting: Wednesday, Sept. 22, 6-8PM, in the Campus Ministry Lounge. Don’t know how? We’ll teach you to knit or crochet. Contact Kate Roesch for more information.

Are your students looking for service opportunities? Campus Ministry has compiled a sizable list of available opportunities and contact information. Click here for a PDF of the list.

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.

If you have me, you want to share me. If you share me, you haven’t got me. What am I?

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

Bragging rights for last week go to Jason Kilgore (athletics). Answer: The letter E.