

February 1, 2018 Faculty/Staff



your **announcement** by 8:30 a.m. Tuesday

to be included in that day's Campus e-Update. Example: events, FYIs, and campus notices



your great news

Example: remarkable or noteworthy accomplishments,

achievements, or special recognitions

Announcements page is updated daily. The Campus E-Update is emailed on Tuesday and Thursday.

Announcements

BHSU Website Update

It's been a successful month since the site platform switch. Along with helping Editors learn how to use the new platform, we've been busy making final adjustments and fixes as we transition into the next phase of the BHSU website Upgrade. The main focus of the next phase will be improving the aesthetics and user experience of the site. This process will last into the summer, but improvements should be noticeable along the way. For example, we will continue improving mobile compatibility on the current design until the new design is complete.

We've also been helping get Editors up and moving along the path toward editing their assigned areas of the website. There may be some who still have yet to contact us to setup an account on the new platform. If you need access for yourself or for someone you have designated as an Editor for your area of the site, please contact us at Web@BHSU.edu and we'll get you up and running.

For those who have access, you have already received basic editing instructions by email. We've recently created a <u>web page</u> with some basic video tutorials that help with topics such as adding links and images. Included on <u>this page</u> is information about setting up one-on-one sessions for those who prefer. If you have any questions or suggestions, feel free to contact us at <u>Web@BHSU.edu</u>. Thanks!

--Submitted by Gustave Karinen on 2018-02-01

Emergency Preparedness at BHSU; what you should know

With the beginning of the spring semester now underway, BHSU's Emergency Management team would like to remind you of its emergency response preparedness, capabilities and procedures.

While Everbridge is the primary Campus Alert system utilized by the University, Everbridge is just one piece of the multi-faceted, campus notification system used to provide safety and inclement weather alerts, and notification of events which have the potential to threaten the University's ability to conduct regular activities. The system includes email, voicemail and text alerts as well as web page updates.

How Everbridge works

Everbridge is an opt-in campus-wide notification system for all faculty, staff and registered students. New students, faculty and staff members are contacted by email approx. 3 weeks after the start of the semester (or at the start of employment) requesting them to sign up for the Campus Alert System. For those who missed the initial email sign-up request or would like to update their contact information, please visit BHSU's website and go to "Campus Alert System" for instructions. Additionally, it is recommended that on a yearly basis all users review their contact information, update if necessary, and add additional contact information. The Everbridge system can store and contact multiple cell phones and e-mail addresses per user.

At the same time text, voice and e-mail messages are being delivered, campus alerts will appear on the campus website at the top of the page and also social media sites including <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Twitter</u> pages.

BHSU is committed to offering services, information, resources and tools to offer a safe campus to all students, staff, faculty, and visitors. For more information regarding BHSU's safety and emergency practices, visit the <u>campus Public Safety website</u>.

Finally, if you have any information regarding any campus incident, if you witness or notice any suspicious behavior, contact BHSU Public Safety at 605-641-6988.

--Submitted by Philip Pesheck on 2018-01-31

Science Fair judges needed

Science Fair judges needed!! It's time again for the Spearfish Middle School Science Fair and, as usual, we will need volunteers to serve as judges. You don't have to be a scientist - just someone who enjoys talking with middle school aged students! The Fair will be in the DYC Field House on Thursday, February 15th. We will have three sessions during the day and judges can work one session, or as many as they'd like. The sessions are:

6th grade - 8:30-10:00 7th grade - 10:30-12:00 8th grade - 12:30-2:00

If you are interested in serving as a judge, or would like more information, please contact Dr. Charlie Lamb at Charles.Lamb@BHSU.edu or 605-642-6026

--Submitted by Charles Lamb on 2018-01-31

TEDxRapidCity is seeking speakers

TEDxRapidCity is now accepting applications for speakers at their event scheduled this summer. The TEDxRapidCity will select speakers that provide a wide variety of insights, opinions and thought provoking ideas. Applications are due Feb. 16. See details. Here's links to presentations from last year by BHSU faculty members Dr. Max Marc https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hattA1MWJhM and Lindsey Clouse https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=07JtdsmEJ1k

--Submitted by Corinne Hansen on 2018-01-31

How do you receive your mail and packages?

Mail Services is responsible for the distribution of mail received from the United States Postal Service (USPS) for all on-campus and international students, faculty, staff and departments. Students receiving packages via USPS, UPS or other ground couriers will be sent a notice when the package arrives and is ready for pick up at the mail services window. All mail for students will be placed in the appropriate mailboxes as quickly as time and amount of mail allows.

Central Receiving is responsible for receiving, processing, and inspecting all packages (UPS, FedEx, DHL, etc) for all faculty, staff and BHSU departments. Central Receiving provides delivery services for goods ordered and purchased by the university's faculty, staff and departments. As such, personal purchases by faculty and staff should not be shipped to the university as an alternative to an individual's home address.

In order to improve our mail processing and delivery for faculty and staff, please verify that your unit number in the campus directory system is correct. You can check by searching your name at this link http://www.bhsu.edu/About-BHSU/Campus-Directories

If you have any questions please contact Ray Evans <u>Raymond.Evans@BHSU.edu</u> at Mail Services or Theresa Lewis <u>Theresa.Lewis@BHSU.edu</u> at Central Receiving.

--Submitted by Debbie Liddick on 2018-01-31

Fall and Summer 2018 Registration is Open

Summer and Fall 2018 registration, initially, opened last November. If you haven't already registered for your fall and/or summer classes, now is the time! We will begin registering new students soon. Don't miss out on the classes you need at the times you want.

If you have an advising hold preventing you from registering, contact your faculty advisor for an appointment, right away. Then, use Webadvisor to finalize your schedule before the incoming freshman and transfer students begin to register.

--Submitted by Johanna Best on 2018-01-30

BHSU Hockey Interest

Any and all BHSU hockey players that are interested in putting together a group to skate for the remainder of the year. Please, contact Brock.Anundson@BHSU.edu if interested.

--Submitted by Brock Anundson on 2018-01-30

Call for submission of Abstracts for 20th Black Hills Research Symposium 2018 [BHRS 2018]

Kindly submit your abstracts for the 20th Black Hills Research Symposium 2018 using the following URL: http://www.bhsu.edu/Research/BH-Research-Symposium/Apply

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION DEADLINE: February 23, 2018 by 5:00 pm

Abstract submission guidelines:

- 1. Name of presenter
- 2. Name of Faculty Research Mentor
- 3. 200-450 word max. abstract that includes:
 - a. Title
 - b. Complete list of presenters and authors
 - c. Email address of presenters and authors(s)
 - d. Discipline
 - e. For empirical data-driven or theoretical research: A brief description of the research to be presented including:
 - i. Background
 - ii. Methods
 - iii. Results
 - iv. ConclusionFor research in an area of creative activity: A brief description of the body of work including:
 - v. Media
 - vi. Technique and process
 - vii. Purpose of the work: narrative, influence, and/or design qualities
 - viii. All creative works must be presented through oral presentation. Fine art must provide visual representations.
 - f. Indication of preference for **poster or oral presentation**
 - g. Indication of IRB approval and IRB approval number where appropriate. Please refer to BHSU research policies and/or contact Cynthia.Anderson@BHSU.edu for details or clarifications
 - h. Indication of undergraduate or graduate status
 - i. Acceptance or Applied to NCUR (Yes or No)Participants will be notified of acceptance by email by March 2nd, 2018.

--Submitted by Parthasarathi Nag on 2018-01-29

Yellow Jackets vs Hardrockers Basketball - Parking Info Parking on the School of Mines campus:

For those travelling to Rapid City to attend the February 6th BHSU vs SDSM&T basketball game please refer to the map provided in the link below. The areas in Red will be on a first come basis. After those areas are full, visitors can park wherever they find a space. However, parking in Handicap Zones without a permit is prohibited along with any parking in Fire Zones or Service Vehicle areas. View Game Parking Map

Go Yellow Jackets!!!

--Submitted by Philip Pesheck on 2018-01-31

Residence Life is Hiring!

Event Description: Do you know a student with amazing leadership skills, can juggle several things at once, might just be that "social butterfly", or one of those you see

having great potential? If so, encourage them to join the Residence Life Team as a Resident Assistant for the 2018-2019 academic year

Applications can be found on the <u>Residence Life page</u> of the BHSU website in the Employment Opportunities section.

Applications are due February 5, 2018, 5:00pm to the Residence Life Office (124, Woodburn Hall). We're already looking forward to another amazing year in the Residence Halls at BHSU, help us by planting the thought in a student's mind!

If you have any questions about the position, please contact the Residence Life Office at (605) 642-6464 or John Ginther at (605) 642-6086, <u>John.Ginther@BHSU.edu</u>.

Thanks all!

--Submitted by John Ginther on 2018-01-30

Events

Legislative cracker barrel set for Feb. 10 at BHSU

BHSU and the Spearfish Chamber of Commerce will be hosting a cracker barrel Saturday, Feb. 10th at 9 a.m. at the Joy Center to discuss the Legislative session.

Legislative cracker barrels offer access to your local legislators, as well as the chance to hear their answers on a variety of Legislative topics. Rep. Charles Turbiville, Rep. Tim Johns and Sen. Bob Ewing will give updates and answer questions from the audience.

Here's a list of other local/regional cracker barrels:

Belle Fourche - Feb. 3 at 1 p.m. at Jumpin' Jacks - in Mid America Travel Plaza. Deadwood - Feb. 17, at 10a.m. at the Deadwood Visitor Center. Piedmont - Feb. 10 At the Piedmont Valley Legion Post from 2 to 4:30 p.m. Rapid City

- Saturday, February 10 at Western Dakota Tech from 9 to 11 a.m.
- Saturday, February 17 at the Outdoor Campus West from 1 to 3:30 p.m.
- Saturday, February 24 at the South Dakota School of Mines from 9 to 11 a.m.
- Saturday, March 3 at Western Dakota Tech from 9 to 11 a.m.

The term cracker barrel refers to the 1800s when rural people would gather around the "cracker barrels" at the country store to informally discuss politics and other news of the day. Today's cracker barrels offer informative and respectful discussions.

--Submitted by Corinne Hansen on 2018-02-01

Socks in the Frying Pan CONCERT

Irish band, Socks in the Frying Pan, performs at The Matthews in Spearfish at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 27. Their dynamic vocal harmonies, virtuosic musical ability, and their onstage wit has captured and captivated audiences the world around. They are a multi-award winning trio from County Clare on the West coast of Ireland, the universal hub of Irish traditional music. One of the most sought-after groups in Irish music today, the worldwide "Socks Invasion" continues.

Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for youth and BHSU students. Tickets are available at The Matthews' art gallery during business hours, Monday-Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., or by phone at 605-642-7973. Buy tickets online anytime at www.matthewsopera.com.

LEARN MORE

--Submitted by Jayne M Rose on 2018-01-31

Spring Career & Internship Fair

The BHSU Spring Internship and Career Fair is scheduled for Monday, February 12th in the Jacket Legacy Room. This will be a great opportunity for students to network with different businesses, AND includes a networking luncheon for the first 30 students signed up!

Networking Luncheon 12pm - 1pm Freshman / Sophomore Networking Session 1pm - 2pm Career / Internship Fair 2pm - 4pm

For more information, or to register for the networking luncheon, please email Dana.Weber@BHSU.edu.

Thank you!

--Submitted by Dana Weber on 2018-02-01

Resume Workshop

Come over to Jonas 106 on Monday, February 5th from 2 - 4pm to work with business professionals and transform your resume! Bring a rough copy of your current resume or just bring yourself and get ready for the career and internship fair on February 12th.

--Submitted by Dana Weber on 2018-02-01

Indoor and Outdoor Cycling

Come join the BHSU Bicycling club for some fun and good exercise!

Indoor cycling classes will take place on Monday's at 7 P.M. in the Young Center in the fitness center. This is a great wat to boast your fitness and meet some really cool people! Upbeat music will be provided!

Outdoor rides will take place on Friday's at 11:30 A.M. outside the Young Center at the Sting Statue. These rides will be weather dependent, ride cancellations will be announced on the Bike Spearfish Facebook page.

Bring your helmet and bike for a short and fun filled bike ride!

https://www.facebook.com/BikeSpearfish/

--Submitted by Katie Christy on 2018-01-31

Free Tax Preparation!

When: Tuesdays Jan 30 - Feb 27 2:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Where: Jonas Computer Rm 205

No appointment necessary. Walk-in only. Bring tax papers, photo ID, SSN, prior year return. We prepare basic returns under \$54,000 of gross income. We also prepare amended returns and state returns. All preparers are IRS-certified.

--Submitted by Robin Meyerink on 2018-01-30

Geek Speak: Berlin NOW

Please join us at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 31 at the Jacket Zone or Thursday, February 1 in Jonas 110, for **Dr. Adam Blackler's "Berlin Now: A Portrait of a City after the Wall"**

Since the turn of the millennium, Berlin has been one of the most popular cities in the world. Why, however, in an elusive question. One can find delicious cuisine in each of Berlin's various neighborhoods, for instance, but the Hauptstadt nevertheless lacks the culinary reputation of other European capitals. Though Berlin claims a proud architectural and scientific history, the history of the Third Reich casts a wide shadow, darkening even the most innocuous building and public park. It also boasts no famous architectural monument on the same scale as the Arc de Triomphe, Roman Forum, or Greek Parthenon. Berlin's most iconic monument, in fact, is what little remains of a twelve-foot high concrete wall that once separated East from West.

What attracts so many people to Berlin are precisely those qualities that are missing in more picturesque capitals—the vibrant history, the perpetual incompleteness, the weirdness, and the general outlandishness that exemplify Berlin now. Few places have experienced the extreme transformations that Berlin has undertaken over the past century. The destruction of the old cityscape in the wake of two dictatorships still marks the architectural and cultural fabric of Berlin. Yet this defect does nothing to detract visitors from falling in love with "the Wall city." This presentation will explore the architectural, cultural, and historical marvels that make Berlin such an iconic place to experience. From its embrace of John F. Kennedy's famous 'jelly-donut speech' to Mustafa's Döner Kebaps, Berlin offers something for everyone.

--Submitted by Courtney Huse Wika on 2018-01-30

BHSU in the Media

BHSS Foundation names scholarship winners: Scholarship winner from Wall, Emilee Pauley, plans to attend BHSU. Read the <u>Tri-State Livestock News</u> article

Spearfish High School to represent SD at national 'We the People' competition: BHSU hosts Spearfish competition. Read the <u>Black Hills Pioneer</u> article

Award recipients of 39th Winter Art Show announced: BHSU professors judge and announce art show winners. Read the Black Hills Pioneer article

Adventure sport and climbing photographer to present at BHSU Feb. 7: Jeremiah Watt's presentation. Read the <u>Black Hills Pioneer</u> article

Sanford donates \$30 million for college scholarships: scholarship could be applicable to BHSU. Read the <u>Houston Chronicle</u> article, the <u>Argus Leader</u> article, or the <u>Rapid City Journal</u> article

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Check out upcoming events on the Campus Calendar

YELLOW JACKET NEWS

<u>Check</u> out scores, upcoming games and other news at <u>BHSU Athletics</u>

BHSU.edu/news