

April 10, 2018 Faculty/Staff



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to be included in that day's Campus e-Update.

Example: events, FYIs, and campus notices

Example: remarkable or noteworthy

accomplishments,

your great news

achievements, or special recognitions

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Announcements

BHSU Sustainability Infographic Series

BHSU Sustainability is excited to share with you our series of infographics with facts about the different materials that you are able to recycle on campus! For more information on what you can recycle and where to bring your recyclables contact Petrika Peters at 605-642-6298.

Click here to view image!

--Submitted by Victoria Geary on 2018-04-10

BHSU Teal Ribbon Day: April 11th

The teal ribbon symbolizes sexual violence prevention. The sexual assault statistics in the United States are startling. Every 98 seconds, a person in the U.S. is sexually assaulted with over half of those assaults going unreported to law enforcement. About 44% of victims are under the age of 18, many of whom know their attacker. It's estimated that 1 in 6 women and 1 in 33 men in America will have experienced an attempted or completed rape in their lifetime. Supporters of sexual assault awareness seek to educate people about the resources available to them if an assault occurs as well as information on how to reduce the risk of an attack.

Free teal ribbon stickers available Wednesday at The Hive, Einstein's, the Student Union and Young Center Info Desks. Show your support...wear your teal ribbon with pride.

--Submitted by Mike Isaacson, BHSU Title IX Coordinator on 2018-04-10

Summer Financial Aid

Need to take a class or two this summer? If you qualify for the Federal Pell Grant, you can now receive Pell Grant year round. So in the case of summer, if you only need one class, you may receive some money to help pay for that class--you do not need to be at least 6 credit hours for this grant. If you are taking at least 6 credit hours needed for your degree, you can qualify for some Federal Direct Loan. Please stop by the Student Financial Services Office for more details, or email BHSUFinancial@BHSU.edu, or call 642-6145.

--Submitted by Kim Nida on 2018-04-09

IDEA surveys

IDEA surveys have opened for your courses. Instructors should already have received an email with information on completing Objective Selection Forms for each course section being surveyed. Please do carve out time during your face-to-face courses for students to fill out the surveys as this will greatly impact the response rate. Reports on students' responses will be sent out after final grades have been submitted for the semester.

All IDEA surveys will close April 27th. The link students will use for filling out their surveys is https://sdbor.campuslabs.com/courseeval/, which they have already received via email.

--Submitted by Rich Loose on 2018-04-09

International Relations & Global Engagement Student Leadership Positions

The International Relations & Global Engagement office is looking for two student leaders beginning Summer 2018 who enjoy interacting with students from around the world and can contribute to improving campus globalization! Qualities we are looking for: positivity, leadership and reliability. Responsibilities will include organizing and leading new international student orientation for the Fall 2018 semester among other tasks. If you feel that this fits a student you know, have them stop by Woodburn 115 for an application or email lnternational@BHSU.edu. Please have them be prepared to provide a resume.

--Submitted by International Relations & Global Engagement on 2018-04-06

Congratulations to Sarah Rathert for winning the South Dakota Bandmasters Instrumental Music Scholarship

Sarah Rathert, a Junior music education student here at BHSU was one of two recipients of the South Dakota Bandmasters Instrumental Music Scholarship for next school year. She was chosen from applicants at all South Dakota Colleges and Universities with the desire to become a band director in our state. She was required to submit a performance video, an essay, application form, and band director recommendation. To our knowledge, as there is not an archived history of recipients, this is the first time a BHSU instrumental music student has earned this \$500 award.

--Submitted by David Berberick on 2018-04-06

Call for Geek Speakers

Dear colleagues: We have a few more spots open for next year's Geek Speak lineup. If you're interested in offering a talk, please send me a brief proposal/summary and tentative title, along with any scheduling preferences or conflicts.

For example Geek Speak descriptions, please visit: http://www.bhsu.edu/Academics/University-Honors-Program/Geek-Speak-Lecture-Series

Questions? Contact Dr. Courtney Huse Wika @ Courtney. Huse Wika @ BHSU.edu or Meier Hall 311.

--Submitted by Courtney Huse Wika on 2018-04-06

Job Opportunity

The Spearfish Downtown Business Association is seeking an Executive Director. This is a part-time hourly position limited to 80 hours per month, and will include performing the day-to-day operations of the organization, as well as managing all events, currently, but not limited to: Downtown Friday Nights, Harvest Fest, Crazy Days, Christmas Stroll, and the Holidazzle Light Parade and Chili Feed.

Qualifications include a Bachelor's degree in Marketing or related field; or two years minimum experience in a tourism or community leadership role. Must possess excellent interpersonal customer service skills and effective written & verbal communication skills.

Desired skills include experience in event planning & development and membership recruitment.

Interested applicants Must Email a cover letter & resume, including three professional references to Donnelle.Culver@BHSU.edu. A complete job description is available upon request.

--Submitted by Donnelle Culver on 2018-04-06

National Library Week National Library Week

April 8th - 14th, 2018

"Libraries Lead" is the theme this year!!!

First sponsored in 1958, National Library Week is a national observance sponsored by the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries across the country each April. It is a time to celebrate the contributions of

our nation's libraries and librarians and to promote library use and support. All types of libraries - school, public, academic and special - participate.

Comment on our poster board and enter a chance to win a \$50 dollar gift card to the university bookstore.

When you return a book to the library during National Library Week any fines you've accrued will be waived.

--Submitted by Scott Ahola on 2018-04-06

Faculty Senate Nominations

Dear Colleagues,

Nominations are being sought for upcoming vacancies on the BHSU Faculty Senate.

One 3-year term for the College of Business and Natural Sciences at large

One 3-year term for the School of Education

One 3-year term for the College of Liberal Arts at large

Please contact Jeff Wehrung (<u>Jeffrey.Wehrung@BHSU.edu</u>) the Vice-President of the Faculty Senate by April 16th if you would like to nominate yourself or someone else for a vacant seat.

Kindest regards, Jeff Wehrung

--Submitted by Jeff Wehrung on 2018-04-04

Senior Exit Exhibit

Art + Photo

Senior Exit Exhibit

at The Matthews Opera House 612 North Main Street in downtown Spearfish

April 6 through 26

--Submitted by Ann Porter on 2018-04-04

Events

More Than a Word

"More Than a Word" | Apr. 12, 2018 | 6:30 p.m.

2017, NR, 1h 10m

Directed by: John and Kenn Little | Location: BHSU - JONAS ROOM 305

Co-hosted by BHSU Center for American Indian Studies

"More Than A Word" analyzes the Washington DC professional football team and their use of the derogatory term "R*dskins." Using interviews from both those in favor of changing the name and those against, "More Than A Word" presents a deeper analysis of the many issues surrounding the Washington team name. The documentary also examines the history of Native American cultural appropriation. DISCUSSION follows the movie until approximately 9 p.m.

--Submitted by Hannah Burtt on 2018-04-05

Cultural Exchange: Botswana & South Africa

Students from BHSU traveled to South Africa and Botswana over Spring Break to participate in a Cultural Exchange with high school students from Gaborone Secondary School in Gaborone, Botswana. Additionally, they fundraised for a childcare center in Soweto, South Africa. To learn more about the impact they made and what they learned, attend their presentation in Club Buzz in the lower level of the Student Union at 4:00 PM on Monday, April 16th. Come with questions and curiosity!

Bullets Into Bells Creative Writing Workshop

Students, staff, faculty, and community are invited to participate in an upcoming poetry event on the topic of gun violence. The English Club and the Writing Assistance Center will host a creative writing workshop Wednesday, April 11 from 5-7 pm in Club Buzz. Come to write, read, and get feedback. We hope people will share their work or read a poem out of the book at the Bullets to Bells poetry reading next week. For more information on the workshop or the reading, please email Matthew.Bauman@BHSU.edu.

--Submitted by Matt Bauman on 2018-04-09

HSSO Blood Drive

Donate Blood on Monday, April 23rd! The Health Services Student Organization is hosting a Blood Drive with the United Blood Services! Click the link below to set up an appointment, it's really easy! The blood drive will be from 9:30am-4pm in the Jacket Legacy Room! Remember you can donate blood three times a year which can save a life!

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/13ddHIE4qhXCDo8eCrPnwaaZVK_xK8AptkNQQ_ymWxhg/edit#gid=0

--Submitted by Joe Rath on 2018-04-09

Long Term Care Presentation

Did you know the State has a Long Term Care plan? Do you know what it is or what it covers? If you answered no to either of these questions and want to learn more or have other questions regarding this policy please join us on 4/24/18 at 9:00 A.M. in the Trump Conference room of the Student Union.

Click here to view the flyer!

--Submitted by Kasey Salazar on 2018-04-09

Citizens' Climate Lobby Action

In celebration of Earth Day ESSO, the Environmental Student Sustainability Org. has invited Citizens' Climate Lobby Action to visit BHSU. They will be showing the documentary Saving Snow and giving a presentation about their organization. The event will be held in the lobby of Bordeaux Hall at 6:30 pm on Monday, April 16th. We invite all earthlings to attend!

--Submitted by Destiny Durham on 2018-04-09

Arbor Day Tree Workshop

Celebrate Arbor Day with BHSU! Join us on Wednesday, April 18th from 3-5 at Jonas Hall for hands on learning of proper tree planting and care techniques! Participants will practice their skills by planting new trees and performing maintenance on existing campus trees. Please sign up ahead of time so we know how many trees to plan for. Please contact Petrika Peters for attendance confirmation or any questions at 605-642-6298.

--Submitted by Victoria Geary on 2018-04-06

Coding Workshop Rescheduled!

The coding workshop has been rescheduled for I am looking forward to seeing you on Saturday, April 28 at BHSU, 1200 University Ave (Jonas Room 110), from 8:30-3:30. Please plan to arrive a few minutes early to get logged in and on the internet.

Please complete the instructions below prior to your attendance at the workshop.

- 1) Create a Teacher Account with <u>Code.org</u> You will need this account during the workshop so being set up and ready to go will help keep us on schedule the day of the event.
- 2) View the pre-event videos at http://code.org/educate/k5/introPD The two videos are about five minutes each.
- 3) Explore the lesson sequence at https://code.org/ for the audience you are mostly likely to work with after the event Click on Courses: Courses A-F: grades K-5
- 4) Make sure you have a browser enabled laptop or iPad for the event. <u>Code.org</u> materials are primarily online and we will refer to them extensively during the workshop.
- 5) You can view the workshop agenda here: bit.ly/tttcode
- 6) Invite a friend or colleague. Here is the enrollment code:

https://studio.code.org/pd/workshops/3852/enroll

Geek Speak: Rebel Girl

Please join us at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 12, in Jonas 110 for this week's Geek Speak, hosted by Dr. Dan May and Laura Colmenero-Chilberg: "Rebel Girl: Celebrating a Centrury of Exhcange Between American Popular Music and Feminism."

This talk is a chronological exploration of feminism in popular music. Starting with a look at the Suffrage Movement and the music that played a role in it, and moving forward through the 20th century, the talk will investigate topics including the intersections of race and feminism with the music of Billie Holiday, the decidedly non-feminist music of the 50's and 60's like Dean Martin's "Baby It's Cold Out There," and end up with the feminist messages of pop music powerhouses like Nicki Minaj and Beyonce.

--Submitted by Carson Wika on 2018-04-06

BHSU Faculty/Staff 2018 Spring Picnic

You are invited to attend the 2018 Spring Faculty/Staff picnic. This is a FREE event for all Faculty/Staff and Families, but we need a head count by April 23, 2018. If you plan to attend please contact Melissa Woodall, Kim Nida, Monet Vermette, Dana Weber or Janette Hettick for tickets. These tickets will also enter you and your family into a drawing for prizes donated by local businesses and campus departments. Hope to see you there for food, fun, and prizes!!

What: BHSU 2018 Spring Faculty/Staff Picnic

Date: Friday April 27, 2018 Time: 5 PM to 7 PM

Location: Spearfish City Park

--Submitted by Melissa Woodall on 2018-04-06

News Releases

Internationally-renowned philosopher Martha C. Nussbaum to speak at BHSU April 13

Celebrated philosopher Dr. Martha C. Nussbaum warns that anger can disfigure modern democracies. Nussbaum will present "Anger, Powerlessness, and the Politics of Blame" Friday, April 13 at 7 p.m. in Meier Hall on the Black Hills State University campus in Spearfish. The event is free and open to the public as part of the Madeline Young Speaker Series at BHSU.

BHSU announces approval of 2-year MBA program

The Rapid City region now has access to a two-year MBA program offered at Black Hills State University - Rapid City. The MBA, which has been available at BHSU-RC through the BHSU School of Business since 2010, was recently streamlined and is now a two-year, Master of Business Administration (MBA) Program in Applied Management effective now.

World famous photographer Douglas Kirkland to speak at BHSU

Internationally-recognized fashion and portrait photographer and Canon Explorer of Light, Douglas Kirkland will give a free public lecture on the Black Hills State University campus in Spearfish. The lecture will take place in Meier Recital Hall Wednesday, April 18 from 7 to 9 p.m. A recognized Canon Explorer of Light and giant of the fashion, movie and portrait photography world, Kirkland has lectured on photography and exhibited his images worldwide. He is best known for his celebrity portraits but the scope of his work is far wider.

BHSU to name Life Sciences building for Dr. Kathryn Johnson

The Life Sciences building on the campus of Black Hills State University will be renamed in honor of Dr. Kathryn Johnson, a BHSU graduate who is owner and principal of Johnson Environmental Concepts in Rapid City. A gathering to celebrate the renaming will be held Tuesday, April 24 at 9 a.m. on the northeast side of the building.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Check out upcoming events on the Campus Calendar

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