

February 7, 2017 Faculty/Staff



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

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Website Changes

Additional changes have been made to the website navigation throughout the BHSU site. The menu panel has been replaced with buttons along the right side of each page. See Image. Navigating pages can still also be done using the Menu button, search function, breadcrumbs, buttons and links on the pages

I will continue to include details about more changes in the Campus e-Update. Contact me at Ryan.Shippy@BHSU.edu. if you have questions or concerns.

--Submitted by Ryan Shippy on 2017-02-07

Library Instruction

I am writing today to offer my services in terms of Library Instruction for your classes (both on campus and in Rapid City). I can deliver a general presentation or I can adapt it to a specific topic. You can also schedule your class to have a tour of the library which includes a scavenger hunt. Just let me know. You can email me at Scott.Ahola@BHSU.edu, or you can all my office to make an appointment. My number is 6359, and feel free to stop by the library (108) and see me in person.

--Submitted by Scott Ahola on 2017-02-06

19th Annual Black Hills Research Symposium

BHSU announces the 19th Annual Black Hills Research Symposium to be held March 21-23, 2017. The Symposium is an interdisciplinary conference designed to showcase the scholarly

work of undergraduate and graduate students in the Black Hills region. We are currently accepting submissions from students to present posters or to give oral presentations describing completed research projects or creative activities. Student work must be done in collaboration with a faculty research mentor. An interdisciplinary faculty committee will review submissions for acceptance. Kindly encourage your students to consider submitting a poster and/or oral presentation.

Submit an abstract here.

Please note that the last date for submission of abstract is Friday, February 24th at 5:00 P.M. -- Submitted by Dan May on 2017-01-26

BHSU Student Pantry

Please encourage any students in need to visit our BHSU Student Pantry. Located at the ROTC entrance to Humbert Hall, the pantry stocks food and personal care/household items. It is open M-F, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., excluding holidays. We currently have two winter coats, a few pairs of gloves, and a couple hats as well as limited funds for winter gear for students in need. Please contact Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu for more information. Pantry donations can be dropped off at Janette Hettick's office in Jonas 108.

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-02-06

Recycling Myth Busters

Recycling Myth #2 - There are not many recyclable materials

According to the EPA, 75% of materials that end up in landfills could have been recycled. Currently, Americans are recycling only about 32% of those materials. Each individual generates an average of four pounds of trash daily. Each hour, 2.5 million plastic water bottles are thrown away. Recycling is becoming easier than ever on campus and the list of materials that we can take is extensive. At Facility Services, we can take motor oil, batteries, electronic and computer equipment, CDs and cell phones. In the cardboard bins around campus, you can get rid of your old cereal, cracker, and pizza boxes. Magazines and glossy paper such as old photo paper can be placed in the magazine bin. When you are done reading the latest edition of the Jacket Journal, it can go in the newspaper bin. Printer and notebook paper, colored paper, and junk mail can go in the paper bin. Soda cans and other aluminum cans should be placed in the cans bin. Clear and colored glass and plastic marked with any number one through seven can go in the glass and plastic bin. For a complete list of what other items can be recycled on campus, check out the website, BHSU.edu/Recycling or contact Facility Services.

--Submitted by Petrika Peters on 2017-02-03

Summer Courses in D2L

Attention faculty using D2L for Summer 2017 courses:

Summer courses will soon be loaded into D2L. Please let Anne know as soon as possible if you would like multiple sections of your Summer courses combined into one course in D2L. The

term used by D2L is "mapping" them together. As an example, a request could include courses such as:

SPED 431 B601 & B603 being mapped as SPED 431 B601 B603 SPED 431 & 531 B601 & B603 being mapped as SPED 431 531 B601 B603 ENGL 101 B001 & B002 & B003 being mapped as ENGL 101 B001 B002 B003

Also, if you have cross-listed courses to be mapped together, please let us know.

Mapping will begin on February 12 and we have until 3:00pm February 25 to complete it.

Once mapped the courses will be available to you for editing early the next day. Therefore, the sooner they are mapped, the quicker you will have access to them.

All courses not previously released will be available for you to edit by the early morning on March 1. Mapping can still be done after the courses are released, but extra time and steps are involved because the courses must be removed from the Learning Environment, mapped, and then released again - which can take up to 24 hours before you again have access. If you do not want a course mapped, but would like access to it before March 1, just let us know by email.

We do not map courses unless requested by the instructor.

If you need course materials from a previous semester copied to a 2017SU course, please let Anne or me know. It generally only takes a few minutes to do this.

It is very helpful and more efficient for us if you specify your courses by Department, Course Number, and Section Number when contacting us for either mapping or copying. For example: "Copy SPED 431 B601 from Summer 2016 into my SPED 431 B603."

Contact information:

Anne Stevens - <u>Anne.Stevens@BHSU.edu</u> - Ph. 6064 Terry Hupp - <u>Terry.Hupp@BHSU.edu</u> - Ph. 6038

Please let Anne or me know if you have any questions.

--Submitted by Terry Hupp on 2017-02-02

Events

The Don't Be a Potato Series: Gender

The BHSU Counseling Department is proud to present Masculinity, Dating, and Bystander Intervention. This program is an examination of the BHSU dating scene and is part of the Don't Be a Potato Series. Participants will discuss masculinity and the different ways in which men and women view dating. The program will showcase the importance of bystander intervention in preventing sexual assaults.

--Submitted by Mark Urban on 2017-02-06

Coffee, Conversation and Controversy

Join HSSA for Coffee, Conversation and Controversy!! Wednesday Feb. 8th @ 3 pm in the Trump Conference room. Guest Professor Dr. Nicole Royer and Special Guest Dr. Mark Urban.

As always we will provide the coffee, the guest professor and a topic of conversation.

This week we will discuss Symptomology: Current challenges faced by young adults and recognizing the signs to avoid feeling isolated or alone.

--Submitted by Nichole Walters on 2017-02-06

"My Bloody Valentine:" A Valentine's Day Blood Drive

The University Honors Program and Honors Club will host a Valentine's Day blood drive on Thursday, February 14 in the Jacket Legacy Room. You can make an appointment here or sign up at the donor table in the Student Union from 11:00-1:00 this Monday through Thursday. Be a hero this holiday, and give from the heart.

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-02-06

BHSU Wellness Fair 2017: Designing a Life

The BHSU Counseling Center is pleased to announce the first annual BHSU Wellness Fair. The BHSU Wellness Fair 2017: Designing a Life, will be held on Thursday, February 16th, 2017. The fair will be located in the main lobby or atrium of the David B. Miller Student Union. It will run from 11 AM to 1 PM. More than 20 campus organizations, community non-profits, and other businesses will have booths at the fair. The purpose of the fair is to promote healthy living for all BHSU students.

The event will feature booths that are interactive, educational, and fun. The fair's focus, Designing a Life, emphasizes making choices towards creating a well-balanced life. Booths will teach students how they can integrate healthy living into a busy college schedule.

If you would like to have a booth for the Wellness Fair, please contact Mark Urban. Space is limited, so please let the Counseling Center know as soon as possible to ensure a spot. Final booth submissions must be received by Thursday, February 9th. Please also let your students know about the fair so that they can participate and learn more about how to create fuller lives.

If you have questions, please contact Mark Urban at (605)642-6520 or at Mark.Urban@BHSU.edu.

--Submitted by Mark Urban on 2017-02-03

Geek Speak: Mathematical Music: Bob Dylan's Extra-Lyrical Artistry by Dr. Justin Tremel Ever since Bob Dylan's appearance on the New York folk scene in the early 1960's, critics have been at odds in their assessments of the performer. The marked split in viewing Dylan critically that Meehan brought forward was not soon resolved, continuing some five decades on, with Dylan having picked up an Oscar, a Pulitzer, a few doctoral degrees, and most

notably the 2016 Nobel Prize in Literature. Having been crowned a Nobel Laureate the question of Dylan's "worth" has been put to rest. Or - given the intense controversy surrounding the award - has it? When pressed, in a 1966 interview, for a description of the kind of music he wrote, Dylan responded cryptically, "mathematical music". This lecture delineates the difficult musical equation of Dylan's artistry, how he has transformed himself from "the voice of a generation" to "the voice of every generation". This lecture will examine how Dylan studies are characterized not so much by the controversy as to whether or not Dylan merits academic study, but rather as to what form, theory, and methodology one should employ in grappling with Dylan's artistry.

This lecture will be held Thursday February 9 at 4 pm in Jonas 110. All Geek Speaks are free and open to the public.

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-02-0

Feb. Deep Talks - Feb. 9

Hear about what's going on with the Ross and Yates shafts at Sanford Lab during the February Deep Talks event Thursday, Feb. 9 at the Sanford Lab Homestake Visitor Center in Lead. Bryce Peitzyk will speak on the ventilation system underground and level inspections. Appetizers and Crow Peak beer samples begin at 5 p.m. followed by presentation at 6 p.m. Free and open to the public.

--Submitted by Kimberly Talcott on 2017-02-06

Moonlight Snowshoe

Join the Collegiate Outdoor Leadership Program students as they lead snowshoe hikes of various lengths under the light of a full moon! All are invited - students, faculty, staff, family, pets-on-leashes, friends, etc. We have plenty of snowshoes; you just need to dress for the weather and bring a flashlight or headlamp. Meet at the Big Hill Trailhead Feb. 10 after 6:30; this is located about 6 miles down Tinton Road (south of the Wildlife Sanctuary).

--Submitted by Brian Mischel on 2017-02-06

BHSU SAAC Food Wars

BHSU's Student Athlete Advisory Committee needs your help collecting canned goods/non-perishable food items! We are participating in our annual Food War with South Dakota School of Mines and Technology to see who can raise the most weight in food! Bring your items to any home basketball game between now and February 11th and help us beat Tech in our Food War! All donations will go directly to Feeding South Dakota. Thanks! Go Jackets! --Submitted by Korie Lebeda on 2017-02-06

Press Releases

BHSU students present tourism development plan to Keystone

Students from Black Hills State University worked with the city of Keystone Chamber of Commerce recently to increase awareness of Keystone as a primary tourism destination in the Black Hills and to increase the length of tourists' stays.

Songwriter Bob Dylan to be discussed in next Geek Speak lecture at BHSU

The next Black Hills State University Geek Speak lecture will offer a new view of Bob Dylan's accomplishments which include an Oscar, a Pulitzer, a few doctoral degrees, and most notably, the controversial 2016 Nobel Prize in Literature.

BHSU creates significant economic impact in the region

Black Hills State University creates \$258 million annually in the state of South Dakota, a significant economic impact for the community and region.

BHSU Dennis Kirk Jacket Ride to be featured on Travel Channel's 'Secret Eats'

The Black Hills State University Dennis Kirk Jacket Ride, an annual event during the Sturgis Motorcycle Rally which supports veteran scholarships, will be featured on the Travel Channel's 'Secret Eats' television series Feb. 1.

BHSU staff members visit Miles City Community College to discuss future collaborations

Black Hills State University staff members visited with representatives from Miles City Community College (MCCC) in Miles City, Mont., recently to discuss future collaborations.

BHSU mourns loss of Student Senate President Brittany Thompson

Determined, bold, tenacious - that's how Brittany Thompson's friends and mentors describe the Black Hills State University Student Senate President who passed away Tuesday after a courageous and unwavering fight against cancer.

BHSU students earn degrees during 2016 fall commencement ceremony

More than 200 Black Hills State University graduates were awarded master, bachelor, associate degrees and certificates during the University's 172nd commencement ceremony in December.

BHSU announces spring music performances

The Black Hills State University music department announces its spring concert series that will include a guest voice recital by Kendra Iverson, a BHSU graduate now pursuing a Masters in voice at North Dakota State University.

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