


Campus E-Update

February 20, 2018
Students

Submit

your **announcement** by
8:30 a.m. Tuesday
to be included in that day's
Campus e-Update.
Example: events, FYIs, and campus
notices

Submit

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

Spring Volleyball League

Spring Volleyball League - NOW OPEN

Young Center Gym - Games start at 7:00pm

Women's Monday's March 19th - April 23rd

Co-Ed Wednesday's March 21st - April 25th (**2 women per team)

Sign-Up on IMLeagues.com/BHSU

Questions?

Amber.Rotramel@YellowJackets.BHSU.edu | Rec Sports GA

--Submitted by Amber Rotramel on 2018-02-20

Outdoor Gear Rentals Open Mondays & Fridays

You can rent snowshoes, cross country skis, and other outdoor equipment from the Outdoor Education Program. Hours are Mondays and Fridays from 2:00 - 5:30. We are located on the second floor of the Young Center, in the academic offices (located across the gym balcony).

For more information on prices, go to <http://www.bhsu.edu/colp/Home/Outdoor-Gear-Rentals>.

--Submitted by Chris McCart on 2018-02-19

Are you interested in a creative writing minor?

The Black Hills State English Department is currently working on a proposal for a minor in creative writing.

To help us justify this program addition, we are conducting a survey of BHSU students to determine interest.

If you might have an interest in this program, won't you please take a moment to select one of the following options in this linked poll at the bottom of the page?

I would have interest in a creative writing minor.

I would have strong interest in a creative writing minor.

I would add the minor if it were offered.

<https://doodle.com/poll/3mdqgnxwn6tr3pbr>

Thank you for your time and consideration,
Dr. Huse Wika

--Submitted by Courtney Huse Wika on 2018-02-17

Volunteers Needed March 5th BHSU Women in Science Conference

We are expecting over 300 middle school participants at the Women in Science Conference at BHSU Monday March 5th. For any students, staff, faculty or community members interested in volunteering at this event, we need people to help setup/take down the planetarium, give directions and/or help speakers with PCs & projectors. All volunteers get a free lunch on campus! Please spread the word and contact Raeann.Mettler@BHSU.edu if interested.

--Submitted by Raeann Mettler on 2018-02-15

Submit an Essay for the Stewart Bellman Writing Awards

A student may submit up to two total essays, and those must each be to different categories.

The three categories again this year are as follow, and the essays must have been submitted for a class from between March 1, 2017, and March 1, 2018:

- Composition I and II Essays (of any type for those classes);
- Literature (Literary Analysis);
- General Academic Writing (any discipline and type of essay).
- Uploaded essays must include a title, but all other identifying information (names, courses, running headers) must be removed.

Students will make their submissions via the Bellman Awards website: www.bhsu.edu/BellmanAwards no later than Friday, March 16, 2018, by 5:00 p.m.

Cash rewards and certificates are provided for the winners.

Winners will be announced on Wednesday, March 28, 2018, via the campus online newsletter.

The awards and reception will be from 4:30-6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 3, 2018, in the Jacket Legacy Room.

If you have any questions, please contact Professor David Cremean at David.Cremean@BHSU.edu.

--Submitted by David Cremean on 2018-02-20

20th BHRS: Call for Abstracts

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:
 - a. Background
 - b. Methods
 - c. Results
 - d. Conclusion
 - f. For research in an area of creative activity: A brief description of the body of work including:
 - e. Media
 - f. Technique and process
 - g. Purpose of the work: narrative, influence, and/or design qualities
 - h. 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 2018-02-20

Events

Splashing into Spring Break with REC SPORTS and RESIDENCE LIFE

02 | 27 | 2018

Pool Party ~ Young Center, Pool

7pm - 9pm ~ Open to All Students

Kickboard races, root beer floats, water volleyball, diving contest, underwater scavenger hunt & more!

Questions?

Amber.Rotramel@YellowJackets.BHSU.edu | Rec Sports GA

Taylor.Watkins@YellowJackets.BHSU.edu | Residence Life

--Submitted by Amber Rotramel on 2018-02-20

Learn-to-Swim Better, Stronger, Faster

BHSU Rec Sports Presents...

Learn-to-Swim BETTTER | STRONGER | FASTER

Meet at the Young Center pool Wednesdays at 5:00pm March 14th - April 4th.. Learn current drills and techniques to make you a stronger swimmer no matter what level you

are currently at. All abilities welcome - class will be taught by swimmer with years of experience coaching and training all ages. Improvement & fun in the pool GUARANTEED!
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Questions?

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--Submitted by Amber Rotramel on 2018-02-20

Carriveau and Van Benthuisen to participate in SDPB Panel

Political science professors Dr. Pamela Carriveau and Dr. John Van Benthuisen will participate in South Dakota Public Broadcasting's "Where Do We Go From Here?" Panel Wednesday, Feb. 21 at 12 noon in the South Dakota Community Foundation Gallery at the Black Hills Bureau. The topic they will be discussing is "Direct Democracy: Initiative and Referendum in South Dakota." The event is free and open to everyone. If you can't join in person, [watch online at SDPB.org](http://www.sdpb.org) More info: <http://www.sdpb.org/blogs/arts-and-culture/where-do-we-go-from-here-february/>

--Submitted by Kimberly Talcott on 2018-02-20

2018 BHSU Teachers Fair

The Teachers Fair will be held on February 28, 2018 from 9:30 until 12:30 in the Jacket Legacy Room, Student Union. We will have over 45 school districts from around the nation in attendance. There will be a Q&A with school administrators from various school districts before the fair in Club Buzz from 8:30 until 9:30. Please come professionally dressed with vitae in hand. Some districts will do interviews that same day.

--Submitted by Melissa Woodall on 2018-02-16

Annual Photo Exhibition | The Philippines, Through the Lens of Service Learning Reception Thursday, February 22

The Fine Arts Department invites you to join us in celebrating the Annual Photo Exhibition, The Philippines, Through the Lens of Service Learning on display at the Ruddell Gallery. This exhibition features some of the stunning photographs of BHSU students and Photo Professor Jerry Rawlings documenting the recent service trip to the Philippines. The International Service Learning Program provides experiential education opportunities for students to address human and community needs. This innovative BHSU program presents a unique opportunity for students to experience structured international opportunities intentionally designed to promote student learning and development. The exhibition will run from February 14 - March 16, 2018. There will be a reception from 5-7pm on Thursday, Feb 22.

--Submitted by Michael Baum on 2018-02-19

Hunting 101 Program with SD GFP

The Collegiate Outdoor Leadership Program (COLP) and SD Game, Fish, and Parks are partnering on a 4 session "Hunting 101" class to be held Wednesday nights Feb. 21, 28 & March 7 & 14 from 5:30 - 7:30 pm in Young Center 206. Lots of hands-on!

Many folks are realizing the ethic of hunting your own protein from your local area. Gain skills, make contacts with SD GFP, and have fun too. Taught by Keith Wintersteen, program specialist with SD Game, Fish, and Parks.

For more information, contact Rachel Dather, COLP host, at rachel.dather@yellowjackets.bhsu.edu or 402-640-5196.

--Submitted by Rachel Dather on 2018-02-19

Ice Fishing at Deerfield Lake: The 4 C's (Catch, Clean, Cook, Consume)

The Collegiate Outdoor Leadership Program (COLP) and SD Game, Fish, and Parks are partnering on an ice fishing program on Sunday, February 25th. Two vans have been reserved. Meet at the Young Center cul-de-sac at 8:00 am. One van will return by 2:00; the other by 5:30.

WHAT TO BRING: Each participant needs to purchase a fishing license ahead of time to participate (either a day pass or yearly). Those can be purchased online at <https://gfp.sd.gov/hunt-fish-license> If you are not a SD resident, you can get in-state rates if you go to Walmart and show your BHSU ID. You also need to bring **warm clothes**, at least 1 liter of **water**, and a **sack lunch** (hopefully, we will eat fish, but you never know).

All gear will be provided. At the program, Keith Wintersteen, program specialist with SD Game, Fish, and Parks, will give tips on Catching, Cleaning, Cooking, & Consuming, and participants will get to do all four things (that is, if the fish cooperate!).

For more information, contact Rachel Dather, COLP host, at rachel.dather@yellowjackets.bhsu.edu or 402-640-5196.

--Submitted by Chris McCart on 2018-02-19

Thinking about nursing?

Are you thinking about pursuing a nursing degree? Cassie Severson, from the SDSU College of Nursing, will be on campus March 1st from 10am - 2pm. Stop by Jonas Science 169 and get all of your questions answered!

--Submitted by Dana Weber on 2018-02-16

Evening with the Prez, sponsored by the Student Senate

Join the Student Senate and our President, Dr. Tom Jackson, for an evening of conversation on Tuesday, February 20th, at 6:00 PM in the Library by Einstein's. Coffee and cookies will be provided.

--Submitted by Warren Wilson on 2018-02-16

I SMELL REFUND!

Remember the "Chris Elliot Tostitos Tax Office" commercial? Check it out on YouTube!

IRS-Certified Tax Team will prepare your tax return for FREE.
Every Tuesday from now until Feb 27 @ 2 PM - 7:30 PM
BHSU Jonas Computer Room 205
Basic returns, income < \$54,000
Questions: call Robin @ 605-642-6002

--Submitted by Robin Meyerink on 2018-02-15

Take Ten Meditation

Meet us every Tuesday and Thursday at 1:00pm for 10 peaceful minutes of guided meditation. Happening now through March 29th. Sponsored by the Counseling Center, located at the far end of Club Buzz.

--Submitted by Tracy Hunt on 2018-02-16

Geek Speak: "A little more than kin and less than kind."

Please join us on Thursday at 4:00 p.m. in Jonas 305 for this week's Geek Speak, featuring Dr. Amy Fuqua:

"A little more than kin and less than kind."

The Bantu people of Nigeria say, "Umuntu ngumuntu ngabantu," a human being is human because of other human beings. The Lakota people of High Plains of North American say, "Mitakuye Oyasin," we are all related. This project will examine the idea of relation across religious and cultural traditions.

(BONUS! Dr. Fuqua will host an encore Geek Speak at the Jacket Zone at 617 Main St. on Friday, February 23, at 4:00 p.m. Join us at either location on either day.)

--Submitted by Courtney Huse Wika on 2018-02-17

S.A.S.S. Sexual Assault Survivors Support Group

S.A.S.S. Sexual Assault Survivors Support Group
Tuesdays at 3:30 pm to 5 pm in the Club Buzz Conference Room

For more information or to register contact

Alex Leclair at 307-315-1333
or contact the BHSU Counseling Center at 605-642-6520
Email: CounselingCenter@BHSU.edu

--Submitted by Chelsey Groseclose on 2018-02-14

News Releases

[BHSU student athlete will represent Scotland in the Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games](#)

Fraser Malcolm, physical education major at Black Hills State University and number 24 on the Yellow Jacket men's basketball team, has been selected to represent his home nation in the Gold Coast 2018 Commonwealth Games. Malcolm will join the 12-man team from Scotland for the international basketball tournament in Queensland, Australia, in April.

The Commonwealth Games is an annual, multi-sport event that draws teams from the 53 member states of the Commonwealth of Nations, including Australia, Canada, England, New Zealand, Scotland, and Wales.

Malcolm, originally from Falkirk, Scotland, has played for teams in Scotland, Britain,

Iceland, and the United States. He says he's been hoping for the opportunity to represent Scotland in the Commonwealth Games for a long time.

[Black Hills Food Hub receives Micropolitan Award at the 99th annual Spearfish Chamber Banquet and Awards Ceremony](#)

Black Hills Food Hub, an entity that has evolved to offer locally grown food from about 24 local producers to five cafeterias and restaurants in the region, received the Micropolitan Award at the 99th annual Spearfish Chamber Banquet and Awards Ceremony at the Spearfish Holiday Inn and Convention Center.

CAMPUS CALENDAR

Check out upcoming events on the [Campus Calendar](#)

YELLOW JACKET NEWS

Check out scores, upcoming games and other news at [BHSU Athletics](#)

[BHSU.edu/news](https://www.bhsu.edu/news)
