

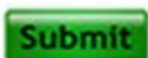
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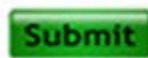
# Campus E-Update

February 27, 2018  
Students



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

### 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](http://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](mailto:David.Cremean@BHSU.edu).

*--Submitted by David Cremean on 2018-02-27*

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### **Spirit of BH Award**

The BHSU Alumni Association is sponsoring the 26th annual Spirit of BH award and is requesting nominations for this year's recipient. This award will be presented at the Student Volunteer Awards Celebration on Wednesday, April 25.

On behalf of the alumni association, I am requesting your help to identify a student who has demonstrated an enthusiasm for learning while making significant contributions that reflect favorably on the university and larger community. The selection committee is made up of faculty, staff and board members.

Please use [this nomination form](#). Deadline to submit an entry for the Spirit of BH award is Thursday, March 22.

For more information please contact [Tom.Wheaton@BHSU.edu](mailto:Tom.Wheaton@BHSU.edu) or 642-6446.

*--Submitted by Tom Wheaton on 2018-02-27*

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### **Take Ten Meditation Group**

All Campus Welcome!

Meet us Tuesdays and Thursday at 1 pm for our TAKE TEN guided meditation in Club Buzz! Join us for 10 minutes and get your zen on! Can't wait to see you there!

*--Submitted by Chelsey Groseclose on 2018-02-26*

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### **S.A.S.S. Sexual Assault Survivors Support Group For Students**

S.A.S.S. Sexual Assault Survivors Support Group  
Tuesdays at 3:30 pm in Club Buzz

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](mailto:CounselingCenter@BHSU.edu)

*--Submitted by Chelsey Groseclose on 2018-02-26*

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### **Do you like to write? Add a creative writing course this fall.**

Exciting news! A new creative writing course has been added to fall 2018: **ENGL 483: Advanced Creative Writing**. In this course, we will focus on the elements of craft and major genre conventions in the first half of the semester. **In the last half of the semester, you will work on a project of your choice, such as a collection of poetry, a novella, a graphic novel, or a collection of short stories, etc.**

The course is being offered MWF from 10:00-10:50 a.m. Sign up on WebAdvisor or contact Dr. Huse Wika for more information: [Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu](mailto:Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu)

*--Submitted by Courtney Huse Wika on 2018-02-26*

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## **Volunteers Needed March 5th BHSU Women in Science Conference**

We are expecting over 300 middle school participants at the first BHSU Women in Science Conference, being held Monday March 5th (during Spring Break). For any students, staff, faculty or community members interested in volunteering, we are still in need of some people to provide campus directions during this event. All volunteers get a free lunch on campus! Please spread the word and contact [Raeann.Mettler@BHSU.edu](mailto:Raeann.Mettler@BHSU.edu) if interested.

*--Submitted by Raeann Mettler on 2018-02-26*

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## **Summer Financial Aid**

The summer aid application is now available in the Financial Aid Office (Woodburn Hall 114), at BHSU-RC, or at [www.bhsu.edu/financialaid](http://www.bhsu.edu/financialaid) under the summer tab. Students must complete the 2018-19 FAFSA at [www.fafsa.gov](http://www.fafsa.gov) using 2016 tax information and the summer aid application to be considered for summer financial aid, including federal work-study funds. Please contact the Financial Aid Office at 642-6145 or [BHSUfinancial@BHSU.edu](mailto:BHSUfinancial@BHSU.edu) if you have any questions.

*--Submitted by Kim Nida on 2018-02-22*

## **Events**

### **Coffee with the Counselors**

Percolate, Caffeinate, and Participate!

Tuesday at the beginning of the month from 9am -10:00am!

3/13/18, and 4/3/18 in the Student Union

Join the BHSU Counseling Center Staff for free coffee, scones, and conversation!

Learn about what events are coming up on campus

Access free resources

Learn more about counseling services provided to BHSU students

Ask the counseling staff questions and learn more about us!

*--Submitted by Chelsey Groseclose on 2018-02-26*

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### **Women's Basketball Playoff Game Tuesday 2/27/18**

The women's basketball team has secured a home playoff game for the first round of the RMAC tournament on Tuesday, February 27. The game will start at 6 p.m. Being that it is a post season contest, all attendees have to pay. Cost for the event is as follows:

Adults (23 and up): \$10

Seniors (65 and up): \$5

Students (w/ valid ID): \$5 [First 100 will get in FREE!!]

Children (6-12): \$5

Children (5 and under): Free

Lets pack the Young Center! Please come out and support the Yellow Jackets!

*--Submitted by Melissa Christensen on 2018-02-26*

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### **Geek Speak: Thriving in the Age of Accelerations**

Please join us for this week's Geek Speak at 4:00 p.m. in Jonas 110 on Thursday, March 1! Hosted by Dr. Jami Stone: "Trash Has Two Parents: The Person Who Threw It and the Person Who Walked by...Thriving in the Age of Accelerations

Thomas Friedman claims that three areas in our world are accelerating: technology, globalization, and global warming. As global citizens, Friedman charges readers to do

more to reuse, recycle, and implement clean energy to halt the conditions that currently exist on earth.

In this Geek Speak learn about Friedman's return to his hometown of St. Louis Park to see how the community is addressing the three accelerations and what lessons we can learn from his visit.

*--Submitted by Courtney Huse Wika on 2018-02-26*

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### **Interested in nursing?**

Don't miss this opportunity!

Cassi Severson, the Diversity Outreach & Engagement Coordinator with SDSU College of Nursing, is coming to campus! Cassi will be here March 1st (Thursday) in Jonas Science 169 from 10am - 2pm.

If you're thinking about a nursing degree upon completion of your Associates at BHSU, she wants to talk to YOU! Take advantage of this great resource! First come first serve!

*--Submitted by Dana Weber on 2018-02-26*

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### **Multicultural Mosaics Radio Features Discussion on Madagascar**

Listen to Multicultural Mosaics Radio at 89.1 FM or at BHSUmedia.com streaming for discussion about Madagascar, featuring student Jessia Raheisoanjato. Multicultural Mosaics is supported through the University Multicultural Committee and the Mass Communication program at BHSU. Start-and-end times may vary slightly depending on other radio programming.

**Sundays, 10-11 a.m. MT** : Feb. 25, March 4, March 11

**Wednesdays, 6-7 p.m. MT** : Feb. 28, March 7, March 14

*--Submitted by Mary Caton-Rosser on 2018-02-23*

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### **SharePoint/OneDrive Training**

The training will be held in the GEC - Library 009 at 9am on March 16th. We will go over what these two systems are and what they can do. Demonstrations on sharing files internally and externally, adding apps (calendars, to-do lists, etc.), using these systems with day-to-day tasks. Q&A at the end. Faculty, staff, and students are welcome to join.

*--Submitted by Ryan Delzer on 2018-02-23*

## **News Releases**

### [Nearly 50 school districts to recruit BHSU students at annual Teachers Fair](#)

Black Hills State University education students are preparing to meet with future employers during the Teachers Fair to be held on campus Wednesday, Feb. 28.

### [BHSU Geek Speak lecturer examines how empathetic beliefs can bind a](#)

## [globalizing humanity](#)

The Lakota people of North America say, "Mitakuye Oyasin": we are all related. The Bantu people of Nigeria say, "Umuntu ngumuntu ngabantu," meaning that a human being is human because of other human beings.

In her Geek Speak, "A little more than kin and less than kind," Dr. Amy Fuqua, dean of the College of Liberal Arts and professor of English at Black Hills State University, will examine the need for connectedness in light of increased diversity and globalization. Fuqua's will be held at the Jacket Zone at 617 Main St. Friday, Feb. 23 at 4 p.m. All Geek Speaks are free and open to the public.

## [Student reflects on experience at BHSU-RC from high school through college](#)

McKayla Stratmeyer is gearing up to graduate from Black Hills State University-Rapid City in May 2018 with an Applied Health Sciences associate's degree. Once she has completed her degree at BHSU-RC, McKayla plans to apply for a nursing program in South Dakota. McKayla says that the people at BHSU-RC were formative in her decision to pursue nursing.

## [BHSU students named to fall 2017 Dean's List](#)

The Office of Academic Affairs at Black Hills State University has released the Dean's List for the fall 2017 semester. A total of 733 students maintained a grade point average (GPA) of 3.5 or higher while taking at least 12 credit hours. Students are listed by hometown or current place of residence. Students that achieved a 4.0 GPA are recognized with an asterisk (\*).

The Office of Academic Affairs at BHSU has also released the part-time Dean's List for the fall 2017 semester. A total of 159 students maintained a grade point average (GPA) of 3.5 or higher while taking less than 12 credit hours. Students are listed by hometown or current place of residence. Students that achieved a 4.0 GPA are recognized with an asterisk (\*).

## [First annual Women in Science Conference to be held at BHSU](#)

The Black Hills State University Women in Science Group will hold its first annual Women in Science Conference at BHSU in Spearfish Monday, March 5th. The goal of this free one-day conference is to encourage middle school girls to pursue careers in Science,

Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM).

### [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](http://BHSU.edu/news)

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