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# Campus E-Update

January 26, 2017  
Students

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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

**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

### Memorial service set for Brittany Thompson

After a courageous and unwavering fight against cancer, BHSU Student Senate President Brittany Thompson passed on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 2017. BHSU students are gathering Thursday, Jan. 26 at 4 pm in Club Buzz as we honor and celebrate the life of Brittany. Please join this candlelight vigil as the BHSU community gathers to honor her legacy and impact on campus.

A memorial service to celebrate the life of Brittany Thompson will be held Monday, Jan. 30 at 10:30 am at BHSU in the Donald E. Young Center. Fidler-Isburg of Spearfish is assisting with the arrangements. [Read more about Brittany here:](#)

--Submitted by Corinne Hansen on 2017-01-26

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### Alternative Spring Break Coupon Cards

Alternative Spring Break is still selling coupon cards! There are 16 awesome deals on the card. It will pay for itself after only a few visits! Support our local businesses while helping 15 of us fundraise for our trip to Colorado in March. The cards are \$15 for one, or \$25 for two. Stop by the Residence Life office between the hours of 1-5pm or contact [Chad.Bischoff@BHSU.edu](mailto:Chad.Bischoff@BHSU.edu) to set up a time to meet!

--Submitted by Chad Bischoff on 2017-01-25

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### Student Food Pantry

Are you in need of food or personal/household care items? Visit the BHSU Pantry. Located at the ROTC entrance of Humbert Hall, the pantry is open M-F, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., excluding holidays. There are various food options, as well as household and personal care items. Also, we currently have hats, gloves, and coats, for these cold winter days. Please take what you need. If something you need isn't available, or if you have questions, send a quick

note to Dr. [Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu](mailto:Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu).

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-01-25

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## **JURY**

Submit your work for peer review and publication by February 1 to JUR(Y), a high-quality, interactive, interdisciplinary journal catering to undergraduate research and creative activity. Published submissions undergo double-blind review by a faculty review board; texts are finalized by the University Honors student editorial board. The review board is interested in seeing traditional research and scholarly papers, creative writing, art work and photographs, podcasts, performances, debates, musical compositions, graphic design, animation and digital shorts, debates, and comics/cartoons. For submission instructions, visit [www.BHSU.edu/JURY](http://www.BHSU.edu/JURY) or contact Dr. [Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu](mailto:Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu)

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-01-25

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## **Recycling Myth Busters**

### **Recycling Myth #1- Recycling is not easily accessible - BUSTED!**

As the University works to expand its recycling program, more recycling bins are being placed around campus. The recycling webpage, [BHSU.edu/recycling](http://BHSU.edu/recycling), has detailed information on which bin each item should be placed in. At Facility Services, our campus even takes more nonconventional recyclables such as e-waste, batteries, motor oil, and old computers and phones. The ultimate goal is to make recycling easier than throwing items away in the trash, and we are well on our way to accomplishing that task. Facility Services even has the capability of providing recycling at all campus events, both on and off campus. For any questions about where recyclable goods go, check out the website, [BHSU.edu/recycling](http://BHSU.edu/recycling).

--Submitted by Petrika Peters on 2017-01-24

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## **Present at TEDxRapidCity**

Students, faculty and staff are you interested in presenting at TEDxRapidCity? The event is set for June 28th, 2017 with a new venue. The Call for Speakers is now live! Anyone with an idea related to this year's theme, Connected, is invited to apply. We're looking for talks ranging from human connections to technology, and everything in between. Applications are welcome through Feb. 22nd and must include an example of you speaking. Apply to speak here: <http://tedxrapidcity.com/speakers>.

--Submitted by Corinne Hansen on 2017-01-25

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## **Events**

### **International Service Learning Program Presents an African Adventure!**

Please join us as we celebrate the International Service Learning Program that traveled to

Botswana. Come learn about their adventure and life-changing experience in the Jacket Legacy Room at 4:00 on Monday, 1/30/17.

If you are an instructor interested in leading a future trip, please come to learn more!  
*--Submitted by Kaitlin Schneider on 2017-01-26*

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### **WHOA! That's Cold! Polar Plunge 2017**

One month until we'll be 'Freezin' for a Reason' at the Polar Plunge 2017 benefiting Special Olympics South Dakota. The Plunge will be held Saturday, Feb. 26 at the Spearfish Rec Center. Prizes/incentives are offered at several donation levels. More details at [PlungeSD.org](http://PlungeSD.org).  
*--Submitted by Kimberly Talcott on 2017-01-25*

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### **Legislative Cracker Barrels - Jan. 28 & Feb. 5**

This weekend is the first Lawrence County District 31 Legislative Cracker Barrel: Saturday, Jan. 28, 9 a.m. at the High Plains Western Heritage Center in Spearfish. BHSU will host a Cracker Barrel Saturday, Feb. 25, 9 a.m. at the BHSU Joy Center.

Cracker Barrels are a way to interact with your state legislators during the legislative session. The District 31 Lawrence County Cracker Barrels are organized by the Spearfish and Deadwood Chambers to give the community an opportunity to meet with our elected officials.

Representative Turbiville, Representative Johns and Senator Ewing sit as a panel to give updates on the current legislative session. Our legislators are also available at that time to answer questions from the audience. All are welcome to attend.  
*--Submitted by Kimberly Talcott on 2017-01-25*

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### **Geek Speak Panic! At the Meat Department. Food Scares as Moral Panics by Dr. Trenton Ellis**

Food is paradoxically a life-giving nutritious necessity and a potential vehicle for death. Whether by allergen, adulteration, contamination, or diet-related disease, food can kill you slowly or perhaps rather abruptly. Normally, these facts are lingering far from our minds as we satisfy our appetites. Occasionally, this normalcy is disrupted by a fleeting moment of collective fear. Collective anxiety over food is the distinguishing characteristic of a food scare. Food scares are periods of time during which a large number of people are all sensitized to potential dangers of a food item. These blips of mass culinary terror are distinguished by their sources, whether from an immediate illness or death (food poisoning) or potential for harm through exposure (e.g. health risks). The risks showcased in a food scare are not translated in a political vacuum. Various competing actors have interests in framing perceived risk of the questioned food. The ultimate goal of the actors frame work is to establish their narrative as the dominant narrative. Thus food scares are also subjective projects, or social constructs. Our shared dietary distress is a manufactured experience.

Through this gustatory Geek Speak, Dr. Trenton Ellis, Assistant Professor of Human Services and Sociology, examines food scares through the concept of moral panic. Dr. Ellis uses the case of the 2012 "Pink Slime" or "lean finely-textured beef" food scare to explore the social

construction of food scares, especially how different actors assemble and work to control public perception of the food item embodying a scare. This Geek Speak coincides with Dr. Ellis' personal mission to demonstrate our shared experiences and encourage people to use sociology to play with their food. Whether you're a vegan, pro-GMO, beet enthusiast, or a meat-gobbling, free-ranging, bacon aficionado, this Geek Speak should satisfy your hungry mind!

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-01-25

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### **Geek Speak Stunde Null: The Holocaust and Memory after 1945 by Dr. Adam Blackler**

National Socialism is a burden for all of us. It does not disappear and in some dark corners you can see that the notion of the Volksgemeinschaft (people's community) still has an appeal. The crimes are part of general memory, the question 'how was it possible?' will not fade with the years and any shift to 'normality' is in vain."

Fritz Stern's indictment on the consequences of Nazism remains as true now as it did when he first delivered it at the opening of the Haus der Wannsee-Konferenz in Berlin. The Holocaust is one of the defining tragedies of the twentieth century. Between the years 1939-1945, Nazi Germany orchestrated the murder of nearly twelve million men, women, and children living in Europe and the western expanse of the Soviet Union. Both the crime and its memory have indelibly shaped the lives of those it affected and forever transformed the cultural and political make-up of the European continent. This presentation will discuss how victims, perpetrators, bystanders, and national populations on both sides of the former "Iron Curtain" remember the crimes committed by the Third Reich. I will also show how the Nazis' quest for racial purification and territorial expansion continue to affect our world today overseas and in the United States.

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-01-25

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### **BHSU SAAC Food War**

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 2017-01-24

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### **Open Mic Night**

Attention all music lovers! BHSU Jacket Zone is hosting Open Mic Night beginning this Thursday night from 5-7 pm. This will be a monthly event on the last Thursday of every month, January thru April. Musicians, vocalists, comedians & poets are invited to come and perform, and all are invited to come enjoy the show!

Free admission, includes snacks and nightly door prizes! Call 717-5801 for more details.

--Submitted by Donnelle Culver on 2017-01-24

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## Kayak Pool Night

The COLP kayakers will host an informal paddle night at the pool Feb. 1 at 6pm in the Young Center Pool. Bring your gear if you have some, or we have some to lend. Practice paddling, wet exits, and rolls. COLP members available to assist.

--Submitted by John Bohlinger, COLP President on 2017-01-24

## In The Media

Sustainability commitment leads BHSU to many 'firsts'

Read the [WAPA Energy Services](#) bulletin

BHSU considers solar panel project

Read [The Daily Progress](#), [Scholarships News](#), [Illinois Business Journal](#), [Capital Journal](#), [Energy News Cyprus](#), [The Daily Republic](#) articles

In the Moment: Holocaust BHSU-RC Lecture

Listen to the [South Dakota Public Broadcasting](#) interview

BHSU photography student to be featured in Dahl Arts Center Emerging Artists Gallery

Read the [KOTA News](#) article

Kenadi Jean Weis Foundation donates 100 books to Little Free Libraries in Spearfish:

BHSU student Shenae LaCroix

Read the [Black Hills Pioneer](#) article

Local students make college's honors lists

Read the [Hot Spring Star](#), [The Bismarck Tribune](#), [News Letter Journal](#), [Adams County Extra](#), [The Sheridan Press](#) articles

SHS wins state championship, will represent SD at national 'We the People' competition

Read the [Black Hills Pioneer](#) article

BHSU-RC lecture series returns

Read the [Rapid City Journal](#) and [Custer Free Press](#) articles

'Powering Homestake' tells history of Spearfish's hydroelectric plan: BHSU alum Paul Higbee

Read the [Black Hills Pioneer](#) article

Ground Works Midwest partners with South Dakota Ag in the Classroom

Read the [Tri-State Livestock News](#) article

BHSU professor speaks on pop culture cowboys: Dr. Tim Steckline

Listen to the [South Dakota Public Broadcasting](#) interview

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