
Campus E-Update

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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.

Policy/Updates

2017-2018 Scholarship Application Priority Deadline

The priority deadline for 2017-2018 scholarship applications is February 1st. The on-line application can be found at www.BHSU.edu/Scholarships

--Submitted by Kanda Guthmiller on 2017-01-30

Announcements

19th Annual Black Hills Research Symposium

BHSU announces the 19th Annual Black Hills Research Symposium to be held on 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

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 Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu.

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-01-30

BHSU Theatre wins 1st KCACTF Design Expo Award and 3 Certificates of Merit

BHSU's theatre department recently returned from KCACTF, the Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival, and BHSU earned three Certificates of Merit and our university's very first KCACTF Design Expo award. This year Francesca Romano (BHSU senior) received the certificate for her Hair & Makeup Design for BHSU's production of "One Man, Two Guvnors". For BHSU's production of "Moonchildren", Kayla O'Neal (BHSU senior) was awarded for her poster design, and Melissa Mason (BHSU senior) for her lighting design. These certificates are nominated by respondents who view each university's selected KCACTF plays. Each year at KCACTF there is the annual Design Expo where students submit their technical work for further response and critique from regional judges. At the end of the week the judges present awards for those who showcased outstanding achievement in their technical category. Kyle Graves (BHSU sophomore) received second place, the Honorable Mention Certificate for Achievement in Regional Poster and Publicity for BHSU's 2016 Spring production of "One Man, Two Guvnors". Graves' win marks the first Design Expo award for BHSU.

--Submitted by Kyle Graves on 2017-01-30

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 2017-01-30

Website Changes

Some of the initial website changes have been made live. Most of the top level navigation has been moved into the "Menu" button. Simply click on the button and select the page you are looking to go to. [See Image](#). The "A-Z Index" and "Directory" have been moved to the right column of the footer at the bottom of the page. [See Image](#).

The search function works best with Chrome, Firefox and Safari. Functionally of search is less effective in Internet Explorer. We are working to resolve those issues.

I will continue to include details about changes in the Campus e-Update.

Contact me at Ryan.Shippy@bhsu.edu if you have questions or concerns.

--Submitted by Ryan Shippy on 2017-01-31

New video promotes BHSU's accomplishments

A new video, created by the Marketing & Communications office highlights BHSU's recent accomplishments and recognitions, including our three national athletic champions, our recognition as the #7 university for outdoor adventurers, and many more! [Watch the video](#).

--Submitted by Adam Roosa on 2017-01-31

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 or contact Dr. Courtney.HuseWika@BHSU.edu.

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-01-30

Events

Geek Speak: Prejudice, Privilege, & Perseverance Through the Lens of Disney's Zootopia by Erica Whitiker

Since the very beginning, marginalized groups have been fighting for the right to live, work, and exist in a society free from oppression and prejudice. Every generation has had trailblazers who pave the way for the next generation to have more access than previously acquired. While we have come a long way as a society, current events have proven we still have quite a ways to go. Using Disney's Zootopia, this presentation will discuss the parallels between the film and current events in regards to prejudice and privilege in our society and the astounding similarities as portrayed throughout the film. We will also explore the overarching theme of perseverance displayed by "Officer Hops" and how that parallels with today's bold and pioneering leaders. These lectures are free and open to the public.

--Submitted by Dr. Courtney Huse-Wika on 2017-01-30

Parents Night Out

BHSU Reading Council is hosting a parents night out fundraiser. Saturday night the 11th from 6-9pm we will watch your children and provide dinner, crafts, movies, and games. Cost is \$20 per child and \$10 per sibling. There will be around 10 CPR Certified BHSU Elementary Education majors watching the children, they will be in great hands! RSVP by Feb 9th to Karley at karley.lafountain@yellowjackets.bhsu.edu. Funds raised will go towards purchasing books for the members' future classroom libraries.

--Submitted by Karley LaFountain on 2017-01-27

Jackson Blvd. Public Input Mtg - Thursday

You are invited to the Jackson Blvd. Public Input Meeting Thursday, Feb. 2, 5:30-7 p.m. City Council Chambers, 2nd floor City Hall. This is your opportunity to help create the vision for our community's most prominent corridor and gateway. All ages welcome.

--Submitted by Kimberly Talcott on 2017-01-30

Women In Networking

The South Dakota Center for Enterprise Opportunity (SD CEO), the Women's Business Center at Black Hills State University, will host their monthly Women In Networking Luncheon(WIN) at the Spearfish Holiday Inn Swarm Room on Tuesday, Feb. 14 from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Maryanne Darling-Reich, a junior at BHSU and full time employee of Black Hills Energy, is February's Spotlight Speaker. WIN meetings are regularly held on the second Tuesday of the month at the Spearfish Holiday Inn. Members are welcome from any community in the Black Hills and may bring a door prize to promote their business. BHSU students are welcome! No commitment to membership is needed to attend the first meeting. Register by February 9 by calling 642-6435 or visiting www.BHSU.edu/SDCEO. Registration for each monthly meeting is \$15 and includes lunch.

--Submitted by Mela Cosme on 2017-01-26

Press Releases

[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.

[Disney's 'Zootopia' to be discussed in upcoming Geek Speak lecture at BHSU](#)

Prejudice, privilege, and perseverance through the lens of Disney's 'Zootopia,' a 2016 computer-animated film about species who peacefully coexist, will be discussed in the next Geek Speak lecture at Black Hills State University.

[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



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

BHSU.edu/news