Announcements

Please join us for the next Staff Council meetings, September 13, 2005 and October 11, 2005. Meetings are open to anyone and they are held in room 224 IG Greer at 1:30pm. If you would like to represent your building, come to the next meeting and find out how you can become a part of Staff Council.

Convocation is September 8, 2005. Come out and hear the guest speaker, Mark Salzman. He is the author of the Summer Reading book, Iron and Silk. Lots of events are planned around Convocation and this book so if you haven’t read it, go get it!

Support the ASU Mountaineers as they take on Coastal Carolina at the first home football game, September 17th. Other home games are October 15th, 29th (Homecoming) and November 12th. Get in the spirit with Yosef and support your Mountaineers!

The new physical addresses for Smith Wright and DD Dougherty are:

Smith-Wright Hall - 222 Joyce Lawrence Ln
D. D. Dougherty Building - 226 Joyce Lawrence Ln

Staff Profile

To describe Brook Greene, I’d have to say she is outgoing, loves the arts, a sculptural ceramic artist, avid runner and passionate cat lover. When she isn’t creating something in the refurbished cabinetry studio she calls home, Brook is admiring the works of talented artists from all over the world. Her full-time job as assistant curator for the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts keeps her very busy. Along with being assistant curator, Brook is acting preparator and acting registrar. These positions allow her to be intimately involved in all aspects of the exhibitions; she plans, catalogs and installs each piece of work that comes in and is responsible for Appalachian State University’s permanent collection, about 1300 pieces. You may see her painting, building and dusting by day then working the crowd at night. She whole-heartedly loves what she does, and how many people can really say that? Brook has a BFA in Ceramics and a BS in Art Management and is a graduate from Appalachian. She didn’t want to be a full-time artist but enjoys being around art all day and this makes her pieces all that more special to her.

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Performing Arts Season 2005-2006

Thursday, September 22
The Count Basie Orchestra
Co-presented by the Hayes School of Music and the Performing Arts Series, with funding by the Hayes Endowment for Musical Excellence

Wednesday, October 5
FREE EVENT: United States Marine Band
Co-presented by the by Hayes School of Music and the Performing Arts Series

Friday, October 21
Capitol Steps

Thursday, November 3
American Chamber Players
Residency program with the Hayes School of Music, funded in part by the Hayes Endowment for Musical Excellence

Tuesday, November 8
Parsons Dance Company

Tuesday, November 15
Pat Metheny Trio with Christian McBride & Antonio Sanchez

Saturday, December 3
Paul Winter Consort

Tuesday, January 24
Flying Karamazov Brothers

Wednesday, February 8
Aquila Theatre Company: “Jekyll and Hyde”

Thursday, March 23
Peking Acrobats

Friday, March 31
Shapiro and Smith Dance: “Anytown”

All performances will be held at 8 pm in Farthing Auditorium, except for the November 3rd performance by the American Chamber Players, which will take place in Rosen Concert Hall of the Broyhill Music Center. For additional details, or to request a season brochure, please call the Farthing Auditorium Box Office at 800.841.2787.

Fall Break Schedule

Health Promotion will be closed for exercise classes on Monday, October 10th and Tuesday, October 11th. The facility will be open on a limited schedule from 10am to 2pm on these days.

Food Services Closing Schedule Friday, October 7th
The Cafeteria will close at 2pm
The Food Court will close at 8pm
McAlister’s Deli will close at 4pm
Cascades Café will close at 5pm
The Market will close at 6pm
The Pizzeria will not be open on Friday, October 7th

Student Health Services will close on Friday, October 7, 2005 at 12 midnight and will reopen October 10th & 11th for limited services from 8 AM - 11 AM.
Full services will resume at 8:00 AM on Wednesday, October 13, 2005.

UREC Fall Break Closings
Saturday, October 8th and Sunday, October 9th the Quinn Center, Mt. Mitchell Fitness Center and the Broome-Kirk Pool will be closed.

Monday, October 10th
The Quinn Center will be closed
Broome-Kirk Pool will be closed
Mt. Mitchell Fitness Center will be open from 9am to 4pm

Tuesday, October 11th
The Quinn Center will be open from 4pm to 12am
Mt. Mitchell Fitness Center will be open from 9am to 4pm
Broome-Kirk Pool will be closed.

Greenbriar Films

September and October
All Shows at 7:00pm — Admission is Free

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Contact: Phil Arnold 262-2471
Health Promotion

Labor Day Holiday Schedule
Health Promotion will open at 7am and will close at 1:00pm on Friday, September 2nd for the Labor Day Holiday. Health Promotion will re-open Tuesday, September 6th.

Give the Gift of Life at the Health Promotion Blood Drive! The date of the upcoming blood drive is Friday, September 9th from 10am to 2:30pm. Appointments are recommended, but walk-ins are welcome. Call extension 6314 with questions.

*Reminder*
The Employee Health and Benefits Fair is scheduled for Friday, November 4th. The Health Promotion facility will be closed. We open to see all of you there at this informative and fun fair.

For the rest of Health Promotions activities, events and screenings, check out www.healthpromotion.appstate.edu.

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Staff Happenings

Congratulations to:
The 2005 Staff Award winners:
Wanda Coles, Child Development Center
Darrell Dollar, Post Office
Phyllis Yates, Housing and Residence Life

Staff are encouraged to attend the Fall Convocation, September 8, 2005, to support these award winners.

Jayne Fletcher, C&I, winner of the Chuck and Robin deKrafft Scholarship.
Charlie Wallin, Food Services Administration, on his recent marriage.
Julie Hutchens, Political Science, on her recent marriage.

The winners of the basket drawings from Picnic in the Park June 29th are:
Perfume Basket: Mario Litrenta, Food Services
Sports Basket: Dana Millsaps, Physical Plant

Condolences to:
Bob Hite, ACS, on the death of his mother

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Staff Update

Committee Members
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Traditional Apple Pie

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Preheat oven to 375 degrees.

In a medium bowl combine the apples, sugars, cinnamon and flour until well coated.

In a medium mixing bowl cut the shortening and salt into the flour by hand or with a pastry blender until it’s the texture of cornmeal. Sprinkle 1 tablespoon of ice water over the mixture and mix just until the dough is moistened. Repeat by adding 6-8 tablespoons water (one at a time) until all the dough is just moist.

Divide the dough in half and roll into a ball. Roll 1 ball into a circle to fit a 9 inch pie plate. Transfer the pastry to the pie plate, trimming the edges. Pour the pie filling into the pastry, dotting with small pieces of butter. Roll remaining pastry into a 12 inch circle and place on top of the filling. Trim off 1 inch beyond the edge of the pie plate. Crimp the edges together cutting slits in the top to allow steam to escape. Bake 25 minutes.

Fundraising Updates:
Staff Council has made the holidays brighter for local children with the Give a Child a Christmas program. The program, in its twenty-fifth year, allows volunteers to take 84 local children (10 from each Watauga County elementary school and 4 from the high school) shopping for necessities such as coats, hats, boots, and gloves. Many local stores typically aid in this effort by offering special discounts to program participants. Additionally, backpacks have already been purchased to present to each child and hand-knit scarves are being collected for distribution as well. Watch your e-mail for information about upcoming fundraisers, including a doughnut sale. Envelopes will also be distributed to departments and we encourage you to donate an amount that you are comfortable with. As soon as a date for the big day is set, we will also ask for volunteers.

Staff Council does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, nationality, age, disability, sex, marital status, familial status, parental status, religion, sexual orientation, genetic information, or political beliefs. We encourage everyone to participate in this worthwhile program. If you wish to serve on the planning committee for this event, please contact chairs, Dianne Dula, Computer Science, duladl@appstate.edu or Deborah Brown, General Studies, browndj@appstate.edu.

Tiny Doubles Photo Shoot Update:
The Tiny Doubles shoot scheduled for October 22, 2005 has been cancelled. We’ll let you know in upcoming issues if the shoot will be rescheduled.