

Walk North Dakota to begin Sept. 9

Walk North Dakota, a program sponsored by the NDSU Extension Service, is scheduled to begin Sept. 9 and run through Nov. 3.

Walk North Dakota challenges participants to walk at least 10,000 steps per day, which is the equivalent of walking five miles per day, five days per week, or 200 miles during the eight-week session. On average, people take 2,000-4,000 steps per day.

"Using a pedometer to keep track of the number of steps each day seems to motivate participants to work toward increasing the number of steps they take each day," program coordinator Linda Hauge says.

Participants can walk on a treadmill, in a shopping mall, on a walking path, in a community facility, around their home or in the building where they work.

This is the 11th challenge since the program started in May 2004. Participants have walked a total of 1.1 billion steps.

To participate, register and record your steps each day, and then report those steps on the Walk North Dakota Web site at www.walknd.com every two weeks. Participants who report the required four times receive incentive prizes. They'll also have their name placed in a drawing for a Walk North Dakota jacket.

Walkers can sign up as individuals or in groups. People who want to form a group should contact Hauge at linda.hauge@ndsu.edu

The registration deadline is Sept. 22. The registration fee is \$10 for adults and \$5 for 18 years of age and younger. 4-H club members can participate free of charge.

Technology Fee Advisory Committee seeks proposals

The student Technology Fee Advisory Committee (TFAC) is currently soliciting action plans and funding requests from faculty, staff and students aimed at improving the quality of education and campus life at NDSU through technology. Proposals specifically addressing innovative uses of technology to improve instruction and student learning are encouraged.

To receive consideration, deliver 15 paper copies of the action plan to the TFAC, in care of Bonnie Neas, vice president for Information Technology, IACC 206A. Also, submit an electronic version to Jeff Gerst, director of Information Technology Services and chair of the TFAC, at jeffery.gerst@ndsu.edu.

Members of the committee will meet to review the proposals and submit recommendations to Neas, who makes the final decision with regard to funding.

Instructions and submission forms are available on the committee's Web site at www.ndsu.edu/tfac. Previous proposal submitters should note revisions to the proposal requirements. Proposed projects are due by 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 1. Call Gerst at 1-8349 if you have questions.

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TCU Film Library has new location

The Tri-College University Film Library is now located at Minnesota State University Moorhead's library, room 123. The TCU Film Library is sponsored by the Tri-College University Library Consortium.

It is a free, instructional resource for faculty members of Concordia, MSUM and NDSU. It houses more than 4,600 titles and is comprised of films selected by TCU faculty members. There are deliveries to Concordia and NDSU Libraries twice per day. An online catalog is available at www.mnstate.edu/tcufilm.

Reservations can be made by calling 477-2976, e-mailing tcufilm@mnstate.edu, ordering through the online catalog or visiting the film library in person.

PEOPLE

Katti recognized as a top cited author



Katti

Kalpana S. Katti, professor and graduate program coordinator in the Department of Civil Engineering, was named a top cited author of Elsevier publisher, a leading publisher of science and technology journals.

"Biomaterials in total joint replacement," an article Katti published in 2004 in *Colloids and Surfaces B: Biointerfaces* journal, was one of

the top 50 most cited articles published in Elsevier's colloids journals from 2004-07.

The colloids journals are accessible by institutes worldwide. Nearly 5,000 institutes have access to the journals via ScienceDirect, an online resource offering scientific, medical and technical information. Almost 2.7 million full-text articles were downloaded from the journals in 2006.

Katti earned her doctorate from the University of Washington, Seattle, and joined the NDSU faculty in 2000. She received the NDSU Peltier Award for Innovation in Teaching in 2007, the NDSU College of Engineering Researcher of the Year Award in 2003 and a National Science Foundation CAREER Award in 2002. She is a fellow of the Faculty Institute for Excellence in Learning. She is responsible for more than 80 peer-reviewed publications.

Bromley work featured in two exhibitions

Kimble Bromley, associate professor of visual arts, is scheduled to have art work featured in exhibitions at the Heritage Hjemkomst Interpretive Center and the Plains Art Museum this fall.

Bromley plans to have a number of pieces in The Big Art Show, an exhibition sponsored by the Fargo-Moorhead Visual Artists that will run through the end of October at the Heritage Hjemkomst Interpretive Center.

Bromley's piece, "A Fresh Day," will be featured in the Plains Art Museum's exhibition titled "Fargo-Moorhead Visual Artists Studio Crawl Preview." The exhibition runs through Oct. 7, and offers the public the opportunity to see representative works of the Fargo-Moorhead Visual Artists.

Sailer honored for best presentation



Sailer

Robert A. Sailer, graduate student in mechanical engineering, received an award for best presentation in the Mechanical Engineering Seminar Series of the 2007 spring semester. His presentation was titled "A Review of Nanolithography."

The Mechanical Engineering Seminar Series is aimed at providing graduate students and faculty with a venue to present and discuss their research and introduce new areas of research through lectures given by invited distinguished speakers. All mechanical engineering graduate students are required to present their research in the seminar series as part of their graduate studies.

The Best Presentation Award was established last spring and Sailer is the first recipient. A graduate student in the Mechanical Engineering Seminar Series receives the award in recognition of the most outstanding presentation at the end of each semester based on audience evaluations. The winner receives a certificate and a \$100 prize.

Sailer earned a bachelor's degree in chemistry with an emphasis in polymers and coatings from NDSU in 1996. He received a master's degree in the same field from NDSU in 1998.

After graduation, he worked for Valspar, a leader in coatings for the food packaging, industrial and architectural markets. Sailer worked in both long-term product development and application engineering groups.

Sailer joined the Center for Nanoscale Science and Engineering in 2004 as a research specialist. Sailer's current responsibilities include supporting research on durable hybrid coatings, center for surface protection-hard coatings, gun barrel coatings and various other research projects. He recently completed his master's degree in mechanical engineering.

For more information about the Mechanical Engineering Seminar Series, contact seminar coordinator Yildirim Bora Suzen, assistant professor of mechanical engineering, at 1-8302 or bora.suzen@ndsu.edu.

Halbur and Frenzel present at district meeting

Kimberly Vess Halbur, associate dean for student affairs, and Jeanne Frenzel, assistant professor of pharmacy practice, gave a presentation at the District V meeting of the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy on Aug. 16-18, in Deadwood, S.D.

The presentation was titled "Use of An Electronic Medical Record and Simulated Patient Cases to Develop Critical Thinking and Documentation Skills in Pharmacy Students." It described the implementation and learning outcomes of NDSU pharmacy students while completing pharmaceutical care lab courses. The research project was funded by a district study grant from the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy.

Gupte presents research on India's energy security

Manjusha Gupte, assistant professor of criminal justice and political science, gave an invited presentation titled "India's Energy Security: Challenges for a Growing Economy" at the Institute of South Asian Studies at the National University of Singapore on July 9.

Gupte's presentation analyzed the geopolitical implications of the energy debate, the need to focus on renewables and the recommended institutional reform and conservation policies as goals for the future.

He says the Indian economy is the second fastest growing economy, with a current gross domestic product growth rate of 9.2 percent. He found that the growth rate is expected to continue at the same rate, which means India's energy supply must grow by 12 percent to keep up with the current growth rate. Therefore, Gupte says India's challenge is to come up with a comprehensive energy policy and an assured supply energy.

Gupte received his doctorate from Purdue University, West Lafayette, Ind. He joined NDSU in 2003.

EVENTS

Animal science department to hold first Animal Showcase

The Department of Animal and Range Sciences is scheduled to hold the first Animal Science Showcase on Sept. 14-15 on the NDSU campus.

The showcase is an opportunity to honor alumni and the NDSU legacy as one of the oldest and strongest animal science programs in the upper Midwest. It is a chance for alumni, parents and supporters of the department to get reacquainted with departmental faculty and staff. It also offers a chance to display the achievements of the faculty and students over the past year and to meet new faculty, including new department head David Buchanan.

Alumni from the dairy, meats and livestock judging teams from 1957, 1982 and 1997 also will be honored.

Activities are scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 14, with a social at Oak Grove Park, Fargo. On Saturday, Sept. 15, an alumni judging contest is planned for 9 a.m. in Shepperd Arena. Games for the entire family are scheduled to begin at 10:30 a.m. Lunch is at noon. Activities culminate with a tailgate party and the NDSU Bison vs. Sam Houston State Bearkats football game. The cost for meals and activities is \$10 per person and \$30 per family.

The event is open to all NDSU animal science, judging team and Saddle and Sirloin Club alumni as well as prospective students, parents, livestock producers, friends and supporters of the department.

Football tickets can be purchased by calling the NDSU Bison Ticket Office at 1-6378 and asking for the animal science block. For more information and a complete schedule, contact Travis Maddock at 1-8107 or travis.maddock@ndsu.edu. To download a schedule, visit the animal and range sciences Web site at www.ag.ndsu.edu/ars.

Counseling Center to offer 'Mindfulness Workshop'

The NDSU Counseling Center is set to offer an "Introduction to Mindfulness Workshop" for students, faculty and staff. The eight-week workshop is scheduled for 3:15-4:45 p.m. Thursdays from Sept. 20-Nov. 8 in the Counseling Center, located in Ceres Hall 212.

The workshop is geared toward those persons who are either new or relatively new to mindfulness. The workshop can be completed as a stand-alone course, or serve as a precursor for those who would like more familiarity with mindfulness before attending the Counseling Center's weekly meditation for stress management group.

Each week will address a different facet of mindfulness through the use of discussion, readings, handouts and a variety of experimental mindfulness meditation practices.

Planned weekly topics include:

- Introduction/Automatic Pilot
- Mindfulness of the Body
- Mindfulness of the Breath
- Staying Present
- Radical Acceptance
- Mindfulness of Thoughts
- Vipassana (Insight) Meditation
- Anger and Other "Difficult" Emotions

Attendance at the first session is mandatory in order to attend the remainder of the sessions, since the first session introduces mindfulness and is the foundation on which all the following sessions are based.

There is no fee for the workshop, but advance registration is required by 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 14. Registration is limited to 12 participants. To register, call the Counseling Center at 1-7671. For more information, visit www.ndsu.edu/counseling.

NDSU to participate at Marketplace

NDSU faculty and staff are encouraged to participate at this year's Marketplace for Entrepreneurs at the Alerus Center, Grand Forks, N.D. The annual event is scheduled for Jan. 15-16 and is sponsored by Sen. Kent Conrad and Agriculture Commissioner Roger Johnson.

Faculty and staff are invited to attend a brainstorming session from 8:30-10:30 a.m., Tuesday, Sept. 25, in the Alumni Center Klefstad Room. Individuals will consider ways to make connections with the public through Marketplace.

If you cannot attend the meeting, but want to participate, e-mail Becky Koch at becky.koch@ndsu.edu. More information is available at www.marketplaceforentrepreneurs.org/.

Distance and Continuing Education to offer two workshops

Distance and Continuing Education has two workshops scheduled for the month of October. "Big Shoes to Fill: How to Select and Guide a Guardian for Your Minor Children" is scheduled for 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 9, in Loftsgard 380.

The presentation teaches participants what to consider when selecting a guardian for their minor children. It also teaches how the participant should guide a chosen guardian or trustee to follow their instructions.

The workshop addresses the subjects of custody, control of the child's money, who serves as the child's trustee, managing the child's assets and what instructions to give the trustee about how the child's money should be spent.

"Elder Law 101" is scheduled for 6:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 11, in Loftsgard 380.

The presentation covers the area of law referred to as "Elder Law." The presentation covers the basic form and function of legal documents, which protect and assist individuals if they become incapacitated. It provides pointers on selecting an agent and what an agent can and cannot do.

The workshop also covers traditional estate planning, guardianships and conservatorships, long-term care, nursing home planning and Medicaid.

Each workshop is \$25 per session plus \$10 for a guest or spouse. To register, contact NDSU Distance and Continuing Education at 1-7015 or visit www.ndsu.edu/dce.

NDSU Art Cinema Series announced

The NDSU Department of Visual Arts, in partnership with the Fargo Theatre, has announced the 2007-08 Art Cinema Series. Beginning at 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 10, films will be shown once per month at the Fargo Theatre. Admission is \$5.

The scheduled films include:

- Sept. 10 The Wonder Boys
- Oct. 8 Night Watch
- Nov. 5 Fur: an Imaginary Portrait of Diane Arbus
- Dec. 3 Russian Ark
- Jan. 7 Yield to Total Elation: The Life and Art of Achilles Rizzoli
- Feb. 4 Man in the Sand: Bill Bragg and Wilco
- March 10 Downtown 81
- April 7 Klimt

Fall intramural programs at Wellness Center

The registration deadline for the first session of fall intramural programs at the Wellness Center was Sept. 4. Programs include men's flag football, coed flag football, women's volleyball, women and staff basketball. A captains' meeting is scheduled for 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 6, at the Wellness Center.

Registration for the second session of fall intramural programs is Oct. 1-16. Programs include coed basketball, men's basketball, women's basketball and staff volleyball. A captains' meeting is scheduled for Oct. 18.

For more information on intramural programs at the Wellness Center, go to wellness.ndsu.nodak.edu/sports/.

SHORTS AND REMINDERS**Correction**

In the story titled "Two chosen for McNair Scholars program," printed in the Aug. 29 issue of "It's Happening at State," there was a misuse of gender pronouns. We apologize for this mistake.

Linzey Crockett, a senior majoring in management communication, was chosen for the McNair Scholars program. Paul Nelson, professor and chair of the communication department, is Crockett's faculty mentor, while Fran Fisher, humanities librarian, is his library mentor.

Positions Available

Positions open and screening dates through the Office of Human Resources, Room 205, Old Main:

Police Officer/#00025597
University Police and Safety Office
\$30,000+/year
Sept. 5

Nutrition Education Assistant
Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program/#00018544
NDSU Extension Service-Bismarck
Office headquarters at the United Tribes Technical College
\$16,740/year
9 months; 40 hours per week
Contingent on availability of federal funds
Open until filled

Nutrition Education Assistant
Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program
NDSU Extension Service-Fort Berthold
Office headquarters located in New Town, N.D.
\$22,318/year
12 months; 40 hours per week
Contingent on availability of Federal Funds
Open until filled

PM Custodian/#00021701
August-May
9 months; 40 hours per week
Monday-Friday, 1-9:30 p.m.
Dining Services-Memorial Union
\$8+/hour
Sept. 12

Supervisor-Athletic Facilities/#00020635
Monday-Friday, 3:30 p.m.-midnight
Facilities Management
\$25,000+/year
Open until filled

Unix Systems Administrator/Programmer/#00021218
Library
Salary commensurate with experience
Sept. 12

International Student Adviser/Programming Specialist
Office of International Programs
\$28,000+/year
Sept. 28

Finance Business Analyst
NDUS ConnectND
Preferred worksite is Fargo
Salary commensurate with experience
Sept. 17 (re-opened)

Junior Programmer Analyst
NDUS ConnectND
Fargo
\$41,500+/year
Open until filled

Position openings also are available through the NDSU Web site at www.ndsu.edu/jobs.

CALENDAR**September**

- 5 Supervisor Safety Training—Memorial Union, Badlands Room, 2 p.m.
- 5 Soil Science Seminar—Adam Lewis, assistant professor of geosciences, "A Terrestrial Record of Antarctic Climate Change from Glacial Deposits and Extinction of Tundra Biota," 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 5 Physics Seminar—Artem Levandovsky, Department of Chemical Engineering, University of Pittsburgh, "Structure and Dynamics of Interfaces in the Epitaxial Growth and Erosion on Crystal Surfaces," 3:30 p.m., South Engineering 221
- 6 USDA-ARS Center Seminar—Melvin Bolton, research plant pathologist, USDA-ARS Plant Science Research Unit, St. Paul, Minn., "Application of Newly Emerging Tools for Investigating Host-Microbe Interactions," 10:30 a.m., Northern Crop Science Laboratory, large conference room
- 7 Psychology Colloquium—Marta Kutas, University of California, San Diego, "An Electrophysiological Analysis of Language Context Use for Prediction, Inegration and Learning," 3:30 p.m., Minard Annex 138
- 7 Chemistry and Molecular Biology seminar—Steffen Jockusch, Columbia University, New York, "Fluorescent Hybridization Probes for Sensitive and Selective DNA and RNA Detection," 3:45 p.m., Dunbar 152
- 7 Women's soccer vs. University of Mary, 4 p.m., Ellig Sports Complex
- 8 Wellness Center—Golf Scramble, 10 a.m., Osgood Golf Course
- 8 Football vs. Stephen F. Austin University, 6:35 p.m., Fargodome
- 9 Women's soccer vs. Oakland University (Michigan), noon, Ellig Sports Complex
- 10 Art Cinema Series—"Wonder Boys," 7 p.m., Fargo Theatre, admission \$5
- 11-13 Northern Crops Institute—"Exploring Whole Grain Foods" short course
- 12 Lab and chemical safety course—Ted Jirik, 9 a.m., Dakota South, Memorial Union

- 12 Soil Science Seminar—Shawn DeKeyser, assistant professor of range science, “Assessment of Wetland Conditions in North Dakota,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 13-Oct. 7 Mitch Hoffart, art exhibit, Downtown Visual Arts Gallery, 650 NP Ave.
- 14 Volleyball vs. Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 14 Women’s soccer vs. Creighton University, 4 p.m., Ellig Sports Complex
- 15 Football vs. Sam Houston State University (Family Weekend), 6 p.m., Fargodome
- 17 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “Religious Background of the Constitution and Bill of Rights,” noon, Memorial Union, Dakota South
- 19 Baseline Safety Training—Memorial Union, Dakota North, 9 a.m.
- 19 Soil Science Seminar—Ron Wiederholt, nutrient management specialist, Research and Extension Center, Carrington, N.D., “Manure as a Profit Center: Paradigm Shift or Sign of the Times?” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 20 Baseline Safety Training—Memorial Union, Union Studio, 3 p.m.
- 20 Career Center—“Meet the Firms,” 4 p.m.-7 p.m., Memorial Union Ballroom
- 20 Lab and chemical safety course—Ted Jirik, noon, Research 1
- 26 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “What’s that _____?? De-cluttering Your Office,” noon, Memorial Union, Prairie Rose
- 26 Student Health Services—Meningitis Clinic, noon-5 p.m., Dakota North, Memorial Union
- 26 Career Center—Engineering and Tech Expo, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Fargodome
- 26 Soil Science Seminar—Greg Vanderberg, Department of Geography, University of North Dakota, “The Use of Geographic Information Systems in Environmental Investigations, 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 28 Volleyball vs. University of Missouri-Kansas City, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 29 Volleyball vs. Western Illinois University, 6 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 5 Women’s soccer vs. Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis, 4 p.m., Ellig Sports Complex
- 6 Football vs. University of California, Davis (Homecoming), 1 p.m., Fargodome
- 7 Women’s soccer vs. Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne, noon, Ellig Sports Complex
- 8 Art Cinema Series—“Night Watch,” 7 p.m., Fargo Theatre, admission \$5
- 10 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “Gender, Violence and Homophobia,” noon, Century Theatre
- 10 Soil Science Seminar—Chris Augustin, graduate student, “Relationships of Carbon Sequestration and Soil Texture,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 12 Women’s soccer vs. Utah Valley State College, 4 p.m., Ellig Sports Complex
- 14 Women’s soccer vs. New Jersey Institute of Technology, noon, Ellig Sports Complex
- 16 Career Center—Agriculture Career Fair, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Memorial Union Ballroom
- 17 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “Botox and Beyond: Skin Rejuvenation in the 21st Century,” noon, Memorial Union, Dakota South
- 17 Soil Science Seminar—Sarah Gegner, graduate student, “Is Strip Tillage Right for You?” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 19 Bison Stampede Rodeo, 7 p.m., NDSU Equine Center
- 20 Bison Stamped Rodeo, 1 p.m. and 7 p.m., NDSU Equine Center
- 20 Women’s soccer vs. Western Illinois University, 1 p.m., Ellig Sports Complex
- 20 Volleyball vs. South Dakota State University, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 22 Advising week begins for spring semester
- 24 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “The Federal Job Search,” 12:30 p.m., Memorial Union, Prairie Rose
- 24 Soil Science Seminar—Jason Riopel, graduate student, “Evaluating Carbon Sequestration in CRP,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 26 Volleyball vs. Oakland University, Mich., 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 27 Football vs. Southern Utah (Harvest Bowl), 1 p.m., Fargodome
- 27 Volleyball vs. Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 29 Spring registration begins online
- 29 Graduate student fall commencement deadline
- 31 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “Masculinity, Men and Boys,” noon, Memorial Union, Prairie Rose

October

- 3 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “Media Literacy and Responsibility,” noon, Memorial Union, Dakota North
- 3 Soil Science Seminar—Heather Matthees, graduate student, “Soil Properties Affecting Roadbed Restoration,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114

- 31 Soil Science Seminar—Dale Enerson, North Dakota Farmers Union, “Carbon Sequestration in CRP,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 31 Men’s basketball vs. Bemidji State University, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

November

- 2 Men’s basketball vs. Minnesota State University Moorhead, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 3 Football vs. Illinois State University, 6 p.m., Fargodome
- 5 Art Cinema Series—“Fur: an Imaginary Portrait of Diane Arbus,” 7 p.m., Fargo Theatre, admission \$5
- 5 Women’s basketball vs. University of Minnesota-Crookston (Exhibition), 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 7 Soil Science Seminar—Chris Perleberg, graduate student, “Correlation of Iron Chlorosis and Salinity Tolerance in Soybean Cultivars,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 9 Volleyball vs. Oral Roberts University, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 10 Volleyball vs. Centenary College, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 12 Veterans Day holiday observed—university closed
- 13 Career Center—Tri-College Career and Internship Fair, noon-4 p.m., Ramada Plaza Suites
- 14 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “N.D. State Government and N.D. American Indian Tribal Government Relations,” noon, Memorial Union, Prairie Rose
- 14 Soil Science Seminar—Keith Anderson, graduate student, “Ghost Natives and Poor Man’s Fargo: Soils with no Home in Taxonomy,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 14 Men’s basketball vs. Minot State University, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 16 Women’s basketball vs. University of Idaho, time to be determined, Bison Sports Arena
- 17 Men’s basketball vs. North Carolina Central University, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 21 Soil Science Seminar—Roxanne Johnson, graduate student, “Mineral Toxicosis: The Research of Tolerable Levels in Livestock Water,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 22 Thanksgiving holiday—university closed
- 28 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “HIV/AIDS,” noon, Memorial Union, Prairie Rose
- 28 Soil Science Seminar—Dan Sawatzky, undergraduate student, “The Red River Basin Riparian Project: Helping Minimize Environmental Pollution,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114

- 28 Soil Science Seminar—Deven Styczynski, undergraduate student, “Deep Tillage Analysis,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 29 Men’s basketball vs. Mayville State University, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

December

- 3 Art Cinema Series—“Russian Ark,” 7 p.m., Fargo Theatre, admission \$5
- 5 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “Camera Ready, 24-7,” noon, Memorial Union, Prairie Rose
- 5 Soil Science Seminar—Ben Crockett, undergraduate student, “Residual Nutrient Levels Using Precision Agriculture,” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 7 Last day of fall semester classes
- 10-14 Finals week
- 14 Commencement at Fargodome, 5 p.m.
- 15 Women’s basketball vs. Valley City State University, 6 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 15 Men’s basketball vs. Colorado State University, TBA, Bison Sports Arena
- 30 Women’s basketball vs. Montana State University, 2 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

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