

Barry Hall groundbreaking held

Groundbreaking ceremonies for Richard H. Barry Hall, at the site of the former Pioneer Mutual Life building in downtown Fargo, were held Oct. 11. Barry Hall will house the College of Business and the Department of Agribusiness and Applied Economics.

Located at 811 2nd Ave. N., Barry Hall is named for the late R. H. Barry, a renowned financial consultant who was described as "Fargo's doctor of financially ill businesses." The \$15 million project includes a total of 135,000 square feet, with a three-story classroom wing and a 250-seat auditorium.

"This will be a remarkable addition to the teaching and research facilities of NDSU," said President Joseph A. Chapman, noting that The Barry Foundation made a significant gift to the building project. "This could not have happened without the leadership of the Barry Foundation and our friends in the Barry family."

Chapman said the building will provide a "learning environment for students that will be second to none" and offers opportunities for NDSU to partner with the community. In addition, through the North Dakota Trade Office and Center for Global Initiatives and Leadership, it will provide for global business connections. "This is a wonderful win-win for everybody," he said.

Founded in 1986, The Barry Foundation is based in Fargo. The foundation places emphasis on "proactive philanthropy where opportunity is created to benefit individuals and communities both locally and globally," according to its mission statement.

Speaking on behalf of The Barry Foundation, son John Barry said, "Our family has a feeling of responsibility to our roots and a responsibility to rural philanthropy. We are delighted to participate in what's going on here. Higher education is an important resource to North Dakota and obviously important to our foundation and family."

Representing fellow students, junior Alyssa Dehaan, an accounting major from Burnsville, Minn., said, "I would like to give a heartfelt thank you to President Chapman's vision for the college, the countless people that have supported this endeavor and John Barry and his family's foundation. You have given my college a home and I am extremely grateful."

"Barry Hall will provide an ideal setting for students to learn while being immersed in the downtown business community," said Jim Miller, executive director of the NDSU Development Foundation. "This is such an appropriate name since Richard H. Barry was a true visionary and leader in the business community."

Richard Barry (1909-88) was a banker, executive vice president for the Fargo Chamber of Commerce, official of the North Dakota Automobile Club and a leader in many business ventures. He was active in the Economic Development Commission, Cass County Republican Committee, American Cancer Society, Eisenhower Presidential Library, American Red Cross, Civil Defense Program, Fargo Elks Lodge and the Pelican Lake Property Owners Association.

Flakoll named NDSU Downtown coordinator

John Adams, vice president for finance and administration, has announced that Timothy Flakoll, Tri-College University provost, has been named to coordinate NDSU's downtown campus facilities. Those facilities include NDSU Downtown, plus the upcoming Klai Hall and Barry Hall.

"We have a growing presence in downtown Fargo, and it is important for there to be a point of contact for NDSU's existing building and the future Klai and *cont.*

NDSU Bookstore to hold Student Appreciation Days

On Thursday, Oct. 18, and Friday, Oct. 19, the NDSU Bookstore will offer pop, popcorn and 25 percent off most items in the store. Prestige Cosmetics makeovers also will be offered on Thursday. Discounts do not apply to textbooks, electronics, diploma frames and convenience items.

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Barry Halls," Adams said, noting that Flakoll's position title will be director of operations for NDSU's downtown facilities. "Tim Flakoll has a long-time association with NDSU and the Tri-College, and that makes him uniquely qualified as our downtown point person."

NDSU Downtown houses the visual arts department, major components of the architecture and landscape architecture department and the Tri-College University office. When Klai Hall is completed, it will become the home of the Department of Architecture and Landscape Architecture and the Richard H. Barry Hall project will house the College of Business and the Department of Agribusiness and Applied Economics.

Flakoll has served as a state senator representing District 44 since 1998. His previous work experience includes being marketing manager for R.L. Engebretson PC/CO and vice president and general manager for the Fargo-Moorhead RedHawks baseball team. He also was a lecturer and assistant animal scientist at NDSU from 1984-95.

Flakoll's new duties will be a part-time position, and he will continue in his duties as Tri-College provost.

Flakoll can be reached at 1-9733.

'Good Neighbor' campaign scheduled

NDSU's Alcohol and Drug Prevention Programs and Greek Life are scheduled to conduct the third annual "Good Neighbor" campaign at 5 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24. The campaign will be in conjunction with National Collegiate Alcohol Awareness Week.

During the Good Neighbor program, students will place informational door hangers at north Fargo residences. The material includes tips on respecting and communicating with neighbors, knowing the law, maintaining physical property and important telephone numbers. This year's campaign includes members of the Roosevelt Neighborhood Association in the distribution and planning process.

Students from the 15 chapters of NDSU Greek Life and Student Government are expected to visit 1,800-2,000 households during the campaign.

"Following the distribution of the door hangers, we are inviting those persons who assisted with distribution, residents from Roosevelt neighborhood, Fargo and NDSU Police Departments and any other interested persons to a panel discussion on the idea of community within the neighborhood," said Jane Vangsness, Alcohol and Other Drug Prevention Programs coordinator, noting the panel discussion is set for 7 p.m. at the Memorial Union Plains room.

The panel is expected to include Lt. Joel Vettel of the Fargo Police Department; Sgt. Jessica Jorgensen of the NDSU Police; Janna Stoskopf, dean of Student Life; a Roosevelt Neighborhood Association executive member; a student representative; and a Greek student. Vangsness and Josh Boschee, Greek Life coordinator, will serve as moderators.

"The Good Neighbor campaign is a way to get students out in the community," Vangsness said. "We want them to recognize that they are members of a larger community than NDSU or their Greek chapter."

For more information, contact Vangsness at 1-5478 or jane.vangsness@ndsu.edu or Boschee at 1-8565 or via joshua.a.boschee@ndsu.edu.

United Way campaign begins

NDSU's United Way of Cass-Clay 2007 campaign officially begins Oct. 18. Campaign information and pledge forms will be distributed to department representatives, and campus personnel can expect to receive United Way materials within one to two weeks.

President Joseph A. Chapman, in a letter to NDSU employees, encourages participation by faculty, staff and students. "NDSU has a long, proud tradition of service to our community and state," he wrote. "United Way of Cass-Clay is clearly having a positive impact on thousands of lives. Please consider a contribution to this year's campaign."

Char Goodyear, NDSU employee campaign coordinator, said this year's campus goal is \$109,800. In 2006, the NDSU campaign raised \$104,603.

She said there is a clear need in our community. Goodyear notes that in 2006, a total of 884 children stayed in homeless shelters funded by United Way of Cass-Clay, and United Way agencies provided more than 36,000 hours of counseling, more than 580,000 hours of childcare and in excess of 500,000 meals.

"I urge our NDSU employees to help as we work toward the United Way's community goal of more than \$4.3 million," Goodyear said. "Every contribution helps. Just \$1 per week, which is less than the cost of a bottle of soda, provides a total of 520 nourishing meals to hungry people in Cass and Clay Counties over the course of a year. Thank you to all the people who have contributed to past campaigns, and I encourage everyone to consider a gift this year."

For further information about the NDSU campaign, contact Goodyear at 1-1068 or char.goodyear@ndsu.edu. For information about United Way, visit www.uwcc.net or call 237-5050.

National labs' directors tour NDSU



Anthony Tether, (middle) director of Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency, learns more about scientific capabilities available at NDSU's Center for Nanoscale Science and Engineering from Bret Chisholm, (left) senior research scientist, and Shane Stafslie, (right) research specialist.

Anthony J. Tether, director of the Defense Advanced Projects Research Agency (DARPA), Arlington, Va., visited NDSU's Center for Nanoscale Science and Engineering (CNSE) for an overview of research capabilities available at NDSU. In another tour, Thomas Hunter, director and president of Sandia Laboratories, visited CNSE along with David Keese, director of technical programs at Sandia. The tours took place while Tether, Hunter and Keese were in Fargo giving keynote presentations at the Upper Great Plains Technology Conference, held Oct. 8-9.

Tether met with CNSE scientists to learn about research projects underway, including one current DARPA project with NDSU involving a direct power conversion boron carbide diode battery the size of a sugar cube. DARPA is the principal agency within the Department of Defense for research, development and demonstration of concepts, devices and systems that provide highly advanced military capabilities. As director, Tether is responsible for management of the agency's projects for high-payoff, innovative research and development.

Sandia Corp. manages Sandia National Laboratories, with principal sites in Albuquerque, N.M., and Livermore, Calif., for the U.S. Department of Energy's National Nuclear Security Administration. Hunter manages the laboratories' \$2.3 billion annual budget and approximately 8,700 employees.

"We greatly appreciate the opportunity provided to NDSU for Dr. Tether and Dr. Hunter to see first-hand the world-class research being conducted here, as well as the caliber of scientific talent and the student involvement in research in North Dakota," said Philip Boudjouk, NDSU vice president for research, creative activities and technology transfer.

Counseling Center, Disability Services separate

The Counseling Center and Disability Services were separated and became two distinct departments July 23, according to Barbara Lonbaken, associate dean for student wellness and director of Student Health Service.

"With the retirement of the Counseling Center and Disability Services director on July 20, the time was appropriate to separate the two units in recognition of the difference in their mission statements and philosophies," Lonbaken explained. "Disability Services is a federally mandated service and ensures equal access to educational opportunities for students with disabilities, while the Counseling Center is a value-added service that provides services and programs in a supportive environment to the campus community."

Lonbaken said Bunnie Johnson-Messelt, coordinator of Disability Services, was promoted to director of Disability Services, effective July 23.

Johnson-Messelt joined NDSU in 2004. She previously was the Academic Services Center director at North Dakota State College of Science in Wahpeton, where she also served in the positions of Disability Services coordinator and Study Services coordinator.

She is a member of the North Dakota Disability Services Council (NDDSC) and has contributed to a CD titled "Taking the Next Step: Helping Students with Disabilities Transition from High School to College." She has co-presented at various conferences on transition issues for individuals with disabilities entering higher education. She is vice-chair for the Region V Transition Steering Committee and is a member of the Partnership for Assistive Technology (PAT) statewide committee. She earned both her bachelor's and master's degrees from UND.

William Burns, hired as director of the Counseling Center, also started July 23.

Golden Key and Staff Senate coordinate service project

NDSU's chapter of Golden Key International Honour Society and the public relations committee of NDSU's Staff Senate are working together to collect supplies for two local agencies. Collected supplies will be given to the YWCA Shelter and Churches United for the Homeless. The project is in connection with Make a Difference Day, a national day of service sponsored by USA Weekend.

Collection points will be in the Student Activities Office of the Memorial Union, Old Main, the library, Research 1, IACC, Festival Concert Hall and Morrill Hall. Please drop items in the collection boxes Oct. 22-26. Donated items will be delivered to the agencies on Make a Difference Day, Oct. 27. Students, faculty and staff are encouraged to donate supplies from the agencies' wish lists below.

Churches United for the Homeless

- Shampoo and conditioner-individual sizes preferred
- Tearless shampoo
- Disposable diapers-sizes 4 and 5
- Children's socks
- Sanitary napkins
- Deodorant
- Bras-especially larger sizes
- Bar soap
- Cleaning supplies

YWCA Shelter

- Cleaning supplies
- Basic household items to start a household-i.e. silverware, toaster, can opener, dishes, dish towels and bath towels

Please note that we are collecting supplies, not monetary donations, for these United Way agencies.

For more information, contact Bonnie Cooper, Golden Key adviser and co-chair of Staff Senate public relations committee, at 1-7771 or bonnie.cooper@ndsu.edu or visit www.usaweekend.com/diffday/index.html.

PEOPLE

Koch, Crawford honored

Two NDSU communications professionals have received national recognition for their work.

Becky Koch, Agriculture Communication director, received second place in the National Federation of Press Women (NFPW) communications competition in the category of not-for-profit or educational Web site edited by entrant for her work on the NDSU Extension Service's "For Employees" site.

Ellen Crawford, Agriculture Communication information specialist, won first place in NFPW competition in the public service category for her role in the NDSU Extension Service/Bison Athletics "Eat Smart. Play Hard." campaign. Crawford also placed third for a news article written for the Web on Extension's "Fruit, Vegetable and Fitness Cyber Challenge."

The awards were announced during NFPW's recent conference in Richmond, Va.

In addition, Crawford was appointed the NFPW Education Fund board's northwest quadrant director.

Sylvester recognized for IRB service



Sylvester

Robert Sylvester, associate professor of pharmacy practice, was recognized by Phil Boudjouk, vice president for research, creative activities and technology transfer, for his 12 years of service to NDSU's Institutional Review Board (IRB).

Sylvester served as the board chair for five years. Prior to that time, he represented the College of Pharmacy, Nursing and Allied Sciences.

In presenting him with a plaque on Sept. 14, Boudjouk, NDSU's institutional official for the IRB, said, "Dr. Sylvester has helped NDSU take many of the challenging and difficult steps necessary for us to enhance our status as a national research university and as a potential model for other universities striving to do the same."

According to new IRB chair Dennis Cooley, associate professor of philosophy and ethics, "Sylvester's service to the board and the university has been an integral force in creating an IRB that the federal Office of Human Research Protections found to be excellent after a 2006 quality improvement assessment by that agency. His work guiding policy development to keep abreast of new federal requirements, equitably applying federal, state and university mandates, and setting a tone of collaboration and collegiality has moved NDSU's IRB toward achieving President Chapman's goal of NDSU being a world class research university."

Ohman, Anderson receive awards



Ohman

NDSU alumni Brenna Ohman, Bismarck, N.D., and Jacob Anderson, St. Louis Park, Minn., have been recognized by the North Dakota Society of Certified Public Accountants (NDSCPA) for receiving high scores on the Certified Public Accountant exam.



Anderson

Ohman is employed at EideBailly LLP as an audit associate. Anderson is employed at KPMG, Minneapolis, as an audit associate. They graduated with honors from NDSU.

NDSCPA is a professional organization that assists its members in providing the highest quality of services to the public by enhancing and promoting their professional competence, integrity and objectivity.

Naznin awarded UPE scholarship



Naznin

Mahmuda Naznin, who recently completed her doctoral dissertation at NDSU, has received a \$1,000 Upsilon Pi Epsilon (UPE) scholarship.

Each summer, the executive council of UPE evaluates a large number of scholarship applicants at both the undergraduate and graduate levels. All scholarship applicants are required to complete a comprehensive application form, which includes the applicant's college-level transcripts, UPE adviser statements related to their contributions to their respective UPE chapters and related student activities at their university and the applicant's long-term plans for the profession.

Naznin is an assistant professor at the Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology.

Sather-Wagstaff articles accepted for publication



Sather-Wagstaff

Sean Sather-Wagstaff, assistant professor of mathematics, has had two refereed journal articles accepted for publication.

An article titled "Stability of Gorenstein Categories," co-authored with Tirdad Sharif and Diana White, will appear in the Journal of the London Mathematical Society.

An article titled "Ascent of Module Structures, vanishing of Ext, and extended modules," co-authored with Anders J. Frankild and Roger A. Wiegand, will appear in the Michigan Mathematical Journal.

Sather-Wagstaff also had a refereed article, titled "Semidualizing Modules and the Divisor Class Group," recently appear in the Illinois Journal of Mathematics.

He recently submitted another article titled, "Complete Intersection Dimensions and Foxby Classes," to the Journal of Pure and Applied Algebra. All articles relate to his research known as homological commutative algebra.

Sather-Wagstaff is new to NDSU this year. He previously was a visiting assistant professor at Kent State University. He received his doctorate and master's degree from the University of Utah.

HD&E Activities listed

Faculty and students in the College of Human Development and Education recently received awards, gave presentations or participated in conferences.

Debra Pankow, assistant professor/Extension specialist of child development and family science, participated in the 2007 National Epsilon Sigma Phi where she was an invited panelist for a concurrent session on "Best Practices in Online Learning" and, along with Nancy Porter, Clemson University, and Erik Anderson, University of Idaho, presented "The Wonders of Working the Wiki Way." The session was selected as the first ESP Blue Ribbon Session award winner, and will be automatically included as a session at the Galaxy III conference planned for September 2008 in Indianapolis. The conference is a joint professional meeting held every five years that includes five Extension professional service organizations—National Extension Association of Family and Consumer Science, National Association of Extension Agents, Association of Natural Resource Extension Professionals, National Association of Extension 4-H Youth Workers and Epsilon Sigma Phi.

The article, "The Ability of the DETERMINE Checklist to Predict Continued Community-Dwelling in Rural, White Women," by Ardith Brunt, assistant professor of health, nutrition and exercise sciences, was published in the Journal of Nutrition for the Elderly.

Yeong Rhee, assistant professor of health, nutrition and exercise sciences, and Brunt are presenting at the American Dietetics Association Conference in Philadelphia this month. They will discuss the final scores of students who take a general education course online with those who take the same class face to face.

Gary Liguori, assistant professor of health, nutrition and exercise sciences, and Arupendra Mozumdar, research fellow, will present "The Wellcoaches Model In Community Based Health Promotion Programming" at the American College of Sports Medicine 2008 Summit in Long Beach, Calif.

Joe Deutsch, assistant professor of health, nutrition and exercise sciences, recently presented at Physical Best Health-Fitness Specialist Training in Minot, N.D. He also had the paper "From Hall of Shame to Hall of Fame: Transforming Traditional Elementary Activities" published.

Faculty, staff and students fare well at FutureCoat! and ICE conferences

Faculty, staff and students in the Department of Coatings and Polymeric Materials and Center for Nanoscale Science and Engineering (CNSE) participated in the recent FutureCoat! Conference held in conjunction with the International Coatings Exposition (ICE) in Toronto, Oct. 3-5.

NDSU contributed a total of nine oral presentations and 15 poster presentations to the conference and maintained its position as a pre-eminent university in the field.

An oral paper presented by graduate research assistant Xiaodong Shi and co-authored by Dilhan Fernando and Stuart Croll titled "Combined Physical Aging and Degradation of Two Crosslinked Coatings in Accelerated Weathering," won the John A. Gordon Award for the best technical paper.

A poster presented by graduate research assistant Stacy Sommer, co-authored by Abdullah Ekin and Dean Webster, titled "PDMS Macromer Synthesis and Siloxane-Polyurethane Coating Formulation for Marine Applications," won the first prize in the student poster competition.

In addition, posters were presented by graduate assistants Bobbi Jo Merten and Ankit Vora. Merten received third place and Vora received an honorable mention. NDSU received half of the poster session awards distributed at the conference.

As previously announced, Gordon P. Bierwagen, professor of coatings and polymeric materials, was presented the prestigious Mattiello Memorial Lecture at the meeting and an award symposium also was held in his honor.

EVENTS

YMCA of NDSU brown bags set

The YMCA of NDSU brown bag seminar "Botox and Beyond: Skin Rejuvenation in the 21st Century," is scheduled for noon-1 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 17, in the Memorial Union Hidatsa room.

Melissa Rogne, a licensed medical esthetician and owner of Rejuv Skin and Laser Clinic, will teach participants how to discover the key to looking great at any age and maintaining beautiful skin for life. She will discuss popular cosmetic treatments and how to choose treatments and products to best suit your skin type.

The brown bag seminar "The Federal Job Search," is scheduled for noon-1 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, in the Memorial Union Prairie Rose room.

Lisa Gulland-Nelson, NDSU career center, will talk about how to search for a federal job, qualifications of the job and how to apply for the position.

Brown bag seminars are held at noon Wednesdays in the Memorial Union. The events are free and open to the public. For more information, contact Sue Andrews at 1-5225.

Berglund retirement open house scheduled

An open house honoring Patricia Berglund, who will retire as director of Northern Crops Institute (NCI) in December, is scheduled for 9:30-11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 30, at the NDSU Alumni Center. A program is scheduled for 10 a.m.

Berglund has held the post since January 1996. She joined NCI after 30 years as a public school teacher, university faculty member at University of Minnesota Waseca and NDSU and an NDSU administrator. After being part of the NDSU Department of Food and Nutrition faculty, she served as associate dean of the NDSU College of Human Development and Education.

She earned her master's degree and her doctorate in cereal science from NDSU.

IT security conference scheduled

NDSU's Information Technology Systems (ITS) and EduTech are presenting the fourth annual K-20 IT Security Conference titled "A Call to Action for the Education Community."

The event is scheduled for a full day on Wednesday, Nov. 7, and 8 a.m.-noon Thursday, Nov. 8, at the Ramada Plaza Suites, Fargo. Optional post-conference sessions are scheduled for the afternoon of Nov. 8, and will provide opportunities to further explore security issues related to education and technology. Registered conference participants may attend the post-conference sessions at no additional charge.

The conference is designed to increase awareness of the risks associated with computer and network use in an academic setting. The emphasis of the conference is on leadership and end-users of technology.

Educational IT leaders and staff, including those responsible for policy development, are invited to attend. The conference also offers an opportunity for IT personnel from the private sector, including financial and medical institutions, to learn more about information security practices as well as policy development and enforcement.

Featured sessions include:

- Expectation Management: Overcoming Obstacles and Adversity in the World of IT Security
- Privacy and Security: An Update From Washington
- Internet Safety Tools: Teaching Children Safety in Today's Cyber World
- Information Safeguarding: How Do We Stop the Bleeding?
- Web Application Vulnerabilities
- Thwart your enemy: A hands-on session using tools to prevent listening and man-in-the-middle attacks
- Risk Management and Incident Response
- VoIP and Video End-Point Security and
- The Seven Habits of Highly Effective IT Security Officers.

The registration fee is \$110. Two continental breakfasts, a lunch buffet and an evening social are included with registration. For more information or to register for the conference, visit www.itsecurity.ndsu.edu. You may also contact Theresa Semmens, NDSU IT security officer, at 1-5870, or Jody French, EduTech director, at 1-7208.

Records Management Task Force to hold open forums

In May 2007, President Joseph A. Chapman established a Records Management Task Force to bring NDSU further into compliance with North Dakota Century Code per NDSU policy 713. As a state institution, all records produced in the daily course of business at NDSU are subject to state and federal laws and regulations, including retention and disposal.

An effective records management program requires four steps. The first step is the preparation of a records inventory. The second is the preparation of record series descriptions, specifying the content of a record series or unit of related records and also recommend a retention period. The third is determining retention value of the record or how long each record series should be kept in the office and in storage before final disposition. The final step is preparing a records retention schedule.

To learn more about records management at NDSU, the Records Management Task Force will hold an open forum at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, and at 10 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 25. Both open forums are in the Memorial Union Century Theatre and are expected to last approximately one hour. Individuals only need to attend one open forum.

For more information, visit www.ndsu.edu/recordsmanagement. You may also contact Barry Miller, Audit and Advisory Services, at ndsu.recordsmanagement@ndsu.edu or 1-9413; Mike Robinson, Records Management Task Force co-chair, at michael.robinson@ndsu.edu or 1-1017; or John Bye, Records Management Task Force co-chair, at john.bye@ndsu.edu or 1-8877.

Incubator dedication to be held

President Joseph A. Chapman and the board of directors of the NDSU Research and Technology Park Inc. have scheduled an open house and flag raising for the Technology Incubator, located at 1854 NDSU Research Park Drive, Fargo.

The event is planned for 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 23.

For additional information, contact Jan Sobolik at 499-3602 or jan@ndsuresearchpark.com.

World iView talk scheduled

"Summer 2007: Study Abroad Experiences in Uganda," a presentation by Margaret Khaita, assistant professor of veterinary and microbiological sciences, is scheduled for noon Thursday, Oct. 25, in the Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room. The presentation is part of the World iView speaker series.

Khaita will discuss the NDSU summer study abroad program experiences in Uganda in June and July. Four NDSU students who participated in the three-week program, "International Animal Production, Disease Surveillance and Public Health," also will share their own life-changing experiences. Khaita also will cover the summer study program, its course objectives and curriculum. A native of Uganda, Khaita came to the United States in 1994 to complete a doctorate in veterinary medicine.

The World iView speaker series is sponsored by the Office of International Programs.

Roesler to give job seeker presentation

Richard Roesler, principal scientist of Bayer Corp., is scheduled give a presentation at 5 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 23, in the FLC Room of Nations.

Roesler will describe what industry seeks in resumes and interviews, what advanced degree students should do to prepare for a career in industry and how the job seeker can tailor a resume to gain the attention of industry recruiters and have a successful interview.

The event is sponsored by the Department of Coatings and Polymeric Materials and the NDSU Career Center. For more information, contact Penny Aipperspach at 1-7237 or penny.aipperspach@ndsu.edu.

Bison Halloween Party scheduled

The NDSU Student-Athlete Advisory Council is sponsoring the annual Bison Halloween Party scheduled for 4-6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 28, in the Bison Sports Arena.

Designed as a family event, the party will include games, candy, a haunted house and prizes. Participants will have the opportunity to meet Bison players, coaches, trainers and athletic department administrators. All attendees are encouraged to wear Halloween costumes. The event is free and open to the public.

For more information, contact Linda Gangelhoff at linda.gangelhoff@ndsu.edu or 1-5614.

MU Breaks courses listed

MU Breaks has several skill-based, non-credit courses and seminars scheduled throughout the fall semester. The courses are available for NDSU students, faculty, staff and community members.

To register for a class, visit the Recreation and Outing Center on the lower level of the Memorial Union. Class sizes are limited and enrollment is on a first come, first serve basis.

"Intro to Printmaking" is scheduled for 6-8:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 25, in the Memorial Union Gallery. The cost is \$14 for students, faculty, staff and their spouses. The cost is \$20 for community members. Registration ends Thursday, Oct. 18.

Esther Hockett instructs the class which covers the art of simple printmaking. Participants experiment with a variety of paints, inks, fabrics, print patterns, textures and paper. Students are encouraged to bring leaves or other textured materials to create images, and a T-shirt, visor or golf towel to customize. All other materials will be provided. For more information, contact Hockett at esther.hockett@ndsu.edu.

"Indian Cooking" is scheduled for 6-9 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 1, at the University Lutheran Center. The cost is \$25 for students, faculty, staff and their spouses. The cost is \$30 for community members. Registration ends Monday, Oct. 29.

Joseph Moses teaches how to make a variety of Indian dishes along with Indian culture. All food and equipment is provided.

MU Breaks is offering a trip to the Mall of America scheduled for Nov. 10. The cost is \$27 for students, faculty and staff. Participants must be NDSU community members. The departure time is scheduled for 7 a.m. and the meeting location is the Memorial Union south entrance. The return time is scheduled for 11 p.m. Registration ends Thursday, Nov. 7. For more information, contact Philip Sarnoff at philip.sarnoff@ndsu.edu or visit www.ndsu.edu/mubreaks.

Student Health Service to sponsor Flu Shot Clinic

Student Health Service is scheduled to conduct a Flu Shot Clinic from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 8, in the Memorial Union Prairie Rose room.

The flu shot is available to all NDSU students, faculty and staff. Shots are \$20 each and may be paid for by cash or check. NDSU identification is required. Students may bill the cost to their student account. Students who are unable to attend the clinic, can make an appointment for a flu shot at the Student Health Service by calling 1-7331.

For more information about the Flu Shot Clinic, call Student Health Service at 1-7331 or visit www.ndsu.edu/wellness/shs.

LunchByte Series scheduled

The LunchByte series, presented by Information Technology Services (ITS), is scheduled throughout the fall semester. For one Monday, each month, ITS will present a series of informal demonstrations covering a wide variety of different technology related topics. All sessions are scheduled from 12:10-12:50 p.m.

"Get the 'Right Answers' You Need Now!" is scheduled for Monday, Oct. 22, in the Memorial Union Rose Room. The presentation introduces Right Answers, an important new knowledge management system which has been integrated with ITS's existing help ticketing system.

Right Answers is an easy-to-search solutions database containing more than 100,000 answers to many common questions and problems covering a wide variety of applications. The session covers topics including how to collect, download and grade student assignments in Blackboard.

Participants can bring their lunch. For more information and materials, visit www.ndsu.edu/lunchbytes or contact Lorna Olsen, instructional services consultant, at 1-6328.

Eder to give religious history presentation

Amanda Eder, managing editor in the history and religion department, is scheduled to present "The Role of Religion in the Farmworkers' Movement: Support and Opposition from Institutions, Religion and the Laity in the 1960s and 1970s" at 9 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, in the Memorial Union Prairie room.

Eder conducted research on the role of religion in the farm worker movement. She will present the movement in its historical context. She also covers the personality of César Chávez and his role in the movement that led to the creation of the United Farm Workers.

SHORTS AND REMINDERS

Correction

Due to incorrect information provided to the Office of the Vice President for University Relations, there was an error in the Oct. 10 issue of "It's Happening at State." To make an appointment for the lawn mower and snow blower clinic scheduled for 5 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 25, contact the Department of Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering at 1-7261.

Positions Available

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

Administrative Assistant/#00019761
Vice President for Student Affairs
\$34,000+/year
Oct. 19

Account Technician/#00020171
Information Technology Services
\$32,000+/year
Oct. 18

Teacher Technician (Infant-Toddler)/#00018736
Child Development and Family Science
\$21,000+/year
Oct. 22

Parking Coordinator/#00023867
Facilities Management-Parking Office
\$27,000+/year
Oct. 24

Pharmacy Technician
Family HealthCare Pharmacy
Salary commensurate with experience
Open until filled

Nutrition Education Assistant/#00018544
Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program
Office headquarters at the United Tribes Technical College
Bismarck, N.D.
9 months; 40 hours per week
\$16,740/year
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 in New Town, N.D.
12 months; 40 hours per week
\$22,318/year
Contingent on availability of Federal Funds
Open until filled

P.M. Custodian/#00021701
August-May
9 months; 40 hours per week
Monday-Friday, 1-9:30 p.m.
Dining Services - Memorial Union
\$8.45+/hour
Open until filled

Custodian/#00020733
12 months
Monday-Friday, 6:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Summer hours may vary
Dining Services - West Dining Center
\$8.45+/hour
Open until filled

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

Research Analyst
Institutional Research and Analysis
\$35,000+/year
Oct. 26

Staff Scientist
Chemistry and Molecular Biology
\$30,000+/year
Nov. 1

Academic Special Events Coordinator
Part-time, 20 hours per week
Center for Science and Mathematics
\$18,000+/year
Oct. 17

Assistant Director for Technology Transfer/
Licensing Associate/#00018514
Sponsored Programs Administration/NDSU Research Foundation
Salary commensurate with experience
Oct. 19

Assistant Director for Development
Intercollegiate Athletics
Salary commensurate with qualifications and experience
Oct. 19

Unix Systems Administrator/Programmer/#00021218
Library
Salary commensurate with experience
Open until filled

Database and System Services Manager/#00021790
Information Technology Services
Salary commensurate with experience
Open until filled

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

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site at www.ndsu.edu/jobs.

CALENDAR

October

- 17-21 Death Penalty Photo Exhibit—NDSU Memorial Union Gallery
- 17 Soil Science Seminar—Sarah Gegner, graduate student, “Is Strip Tillage Right for You?” 3 p.m., Loftsgard Hall, Room 114
- 18-Nov. 1 Baccalaureate exhibition—Leila Rastegar, Reineke Visual Arts Gallery. Reception 4:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 19.
- 18 Entomology Seminar—Rod Lym, NDSU professor of Plant Sciences, “Biological Control of North Dakota Weeds,” 10:30 a.m., Northern Crops Science Laboratory, seminar room
- 19 History Colloquium—Richard Miller, East Carolina University, “Conceptualistic Pragmatism,” 3 p.m., Morrill Hall 107
- 19 Animal and Range Sciences—Erin Windorski, graduate student, “Got Organic Milk? What it Takes to be Organic Milk,” 3-3:50 p.m., Hultz Hall 104
- 19 Psychology Colloquium—Charles Schroeder, Nathan Kline Institute for Psychiatric Research, 3:30 p.m., Minard Annex 138
- 19 Plant Sciences 790 Seminar—Zengcui Zhang, graduate student, “Genetic Improvement of Poplar Trees for Bioenergy Production,” 3:30 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

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