

Gateway Football Conference considers NDSU

The Gateway Football Conference is considering NDSU in its expansion plans. Gene Taylor, athletic director, said the conference has asked for institutional profiles, along with information on football budgets and facilities, from NDSU and South Dakota State University.

Taylor said NDSU would be considered if Gateway member Western Kentucky University moves its football program to NCAA Division I-A and joins the Sun Belt Conference.

Taylor has had about a half-dozen conversations with Gateway Conference commissioner Patty Viverito. He said the Gateway is attractive to NDSU because the conference has an automatic qualifier bid to the Division I-AA playoffs.

"We are certainly interested to see what happens," Taylor said, noting that the Bison football team now competes in the five-team Great West Conference. "The Great West is an outstanding conference, but the Gateway provides some positives that we need to consider."

According to published reports, the Western Kentucky board of regents is scheduled to meet Nov. 2 to decide if the university will leave the Gateway Conference. If Western Kentucky leaves, the conference would have seven members: Illinois State University, Indiana State University, Missouri State University, University of Northern Iowa, Southern Illinois University, Western Illinois University and Youngstown (Ohio) State University.

The Gateway Conference considers nine teams as the ideal number of teams, because that allows for four home and away games and three non-conference games.

Taylor said there is no definitive timeline for action by the Gateway Conference.

On Aug. 31, NDSU announced it had accepted an invitation to join the Mid-Continent Conference, which does not include football.

Fire damages University Village

One University Village apartment was damaged and one resident was treated for minor burns to his hands following a fire Sept. 21. The two-alarm fire is believed to have been caused by an unattended candle.

The Fargo Fire Department responded to the call at 10:30 p.m., and had the fire under control in about 10 minutes. Primary damage was confined to the upstairs of one apartment unit.

According to William Frazier, Residence Life assistant director of apartments and facilities, the four residents of the unit and two residents of an adjoining apartment were placed in other apartments or made their own housing arrangements. In addition, he said Residence Life personnel contacted the Red Cross to assist the residents with lost personal items.

Frazier said the damaged unit needs renovation before it can be reoccupied.

Memorial Union holiday hours announced

The Memorial Union has announced the following hours for the upcoming Veteran's Day weekend:

Thursday, Nov. 9—Closes at 6:30 p.m.
Friday, Nov. 10—Closed
Saturday, Nov. 11—Closed
Sunday, Nov. 12—1 p.m.-11 p.m.

For the Thanksgiving holiday, the Memorial Union's hours are:

Wednesday, Nov. 22—Closes at 5 p.m.
Thursday, Nov. 23—Closed
for Thanksgiving
Friday, Nov. 24—8 a.m.-5 p.m.
Saturday, Nov. 25—Closed
Sunday, Nov. 26—1-11 p.m.

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NDSU receives grant for scanning electron microscope

Thomas Freeman, professor of plant pathology and director of the NDSU Electron Microscopy Center, has been awarded \$287,690 from the National Science Foundation to improve instrumentation needed for quality electron microscopy imaging and analysis.

The grant allows NDSU to acquire a new low-vacuum scanning electron microscope (SEM) that permits remote imaging and control. "Acquiring this state-of-the-art microscope will strengthen ongoing research projects in the NDSU Electron Microscopy Center," said Freeman.

It will allow completion of significant portions of research that previously were unachievable because of lack of instrumentation. It also will stimulate new research efforts in nanoscience, biological sciences, engineering, and polymers and coatings.

The instrument has Web-based operation capabilities, which will maximize on- and off-campus use and benefit the largest possible number of scientists and potential scientists. "With this Web feature, schools across the state could potentially access the equipment," Freeman said. The microscope will provide a new level of hands-on experience, broadening opportunities for research, training and outreach for faculty, graduate students and undergraduates from NDSU and other area colleges, as well as elementary and high school teachers and students, according to Freeman.

The remote access also will strengthen the NDSU Electron Microscopy Center's participation in the North Dakota EPSCoR NATURE program, a collaborative program with North Dakota's five tribal colleges to generate interest in science, technology, engineering and mathematics among American Indian high school students.

The microscope will be incorporated into existing graduate and undergraduate electron-microscopy courses; added to new courses currently being developed; and integrated into NDSU's collaborative nanotechnology education effort with the North Dakota State College of Science, Wahpeton, N.D.

NDSU receives grant to study RFID in healthcare

NDSU has received a grant of \$75,000 from Dakota Medical Foundation to study establishing a consortium for radio frequency identification (RFID) in healthcare.

With funding from Dakota Medical Foundation, the NDSU Office of Research, Creative Activities and Technology Transfer will establish an advisory board and retain a consulting firm to conduct a technical and business evaluation and assess the feasibility of creating an RFID Healthcare Consortium. The project will address segments of healthcare that can best benefit from RFID technology. Fast Track Technologies projects the market for RFID-based applications in hospitals may grow to more than \$8.8 billion by 2010.

Potential RFID applications in healthcare include tracking equipment, positively identifying patients to ensure correct care, monitoring the integrity of biopharmaceuticals in the supply chain, preventing counterfeit medications from entering the supply chain, enhancing security and serving as portable medical records in emergency situations.

Objectives of the RFID Healthcare Consortium include conducting advanced research to promote the development of comprehensive, practical applications of RFID technology in healthcare, and establishing the Fargo area as a leader in the development and commercialization of RFID in healthcare.

A feasibility assessment, report and plan will be developed for the RFID Healthcare Consortium. The proposed consortium's mission includes fostering collaboration among healthcare providers, public sector organizations, academic and research institutions, governments and technology companies.

"There are hundreds of possible RFID applications in the healthcare environment," said Philip Boudjouk, vice president of research, creative activities and technology transfer. "This potential consortium could lead the development of many new, cutting-edge applications of RFID technology, implementing them as pilot projects and later as full-scale projects in many of the region's healthcare facilities."

Dakota Medical Foundation, Fargo, focuses its efforts on improving access to medical and dental care. Since its inception in 1995, the foundation has invested nearly \$27 million in more than 275 non-profit organizations to help them improve health and access to healthcare. For more information, see www.dakmed.org.

New online transcript ordering service offered

NDSU, in partnership with the National Student Clearinghouse, now offers a new online transcript ordering service. The service provides students with timely notices regarding their transcript requests and order status history. Individuals who have both a major credit card and a valid e-mail address should request official transcripts through the service.

The standard fee for each official transcript is \$5. While NDSU has charged for special order requests in the past, expanded delivery options and special order fees have been standardized for consistency and efficiency in online ordering.

Currently enrolled students may order official transcripts through their Campus Connection secured sign-in. In addition, students with Campus Connection access may continue to view and print unofficial transcripts free of charge via the Campus Connection portal.

Former NDSU students may order transcripts directly through the National Student Clearinghouse secured Web site. First-time visitors will need to create a personal profile and user ID/password, which may be used for future orders as well.

Ordering instructions and information is available online at www.ndsu.edu/registrar.

Student dies in accident

Anthony John Trask, a first-year student in civil engineering, was killed Oct. 19 in a rollover crash on Interstate 29 about 30 miles north of Fargo. He was 18.

Trask, who was from International Falls, Minn., was the son of David and Marianne Trask.

Water Institute secures commitment for mapping project

The International Water Institute, an affiliate of Tri-College University, has received commitments of more than \$660,000 for a Red River Basin Mapping Initiative Project. The local partners who have committed funds include the Red River Watershed Management Board, the Buffalo-Red Watershed District, and the cities of Fargo and Moorhead.

The project is expected to cost \$5 million and includes three main components—developing a high-resolution topographic map for the United States portion of the Red River Basin, collecting digital aerial photography and setting up an online system where the public can freely access the information.

The institute began working on the Red River Basin Mapping Initiative project in 2000 following the International Joint Commission report that documented a number of basin wide needs that arose from the 1997 flood event. Manitoba invested in developing high-resolution topographic maps for a large portion of the province shortly after the 1997 flood.

The initiative would incorporate Light Imaging and Ranging Technologies (LIDAR) to generate high-resolution topographic maps. LIDAR uses aircraft, Global Positioning Systems and lasers to efficiently collect the data used to develop maps that are highly accurate with two-foot contour lines. The information is expected to greatly enhance the decision-making capacity of local, state and federal officials, and reduce the cost of future control projects, road construction and drainage projects.

For more information, contact Charles Fritz at 1-9747 or visit www.internationalwaterinstitute.org.

Water Resources Research Institute seeks fellowship applications

The North Dakota Water Resources Research Institute (ND WRRI) has announced its 2007 Graduate Research Fellowship program. NDSU and University of North Dakota students who are conducting or planning research in water resources areas may apply for fellowships varying from three summer months to a full year in duration.

Typically in the past fellowship awards for master's degree students have been in the \$800-\$1,000 range and for doctoral students \$1,000-\$1,400 per month. The fellowship funds must be utilized between March 1, 2007, and Feb. 29, 2008.

Projects proposed for fellowship support should relate to water resources research issues in the state or region. Regional, state or local collaborations or co-funding will strengthen an application. Fellowships have a matching requirement of two non-federal dollars to one federal dollar. Applicants should have a plan of study filed and should have a thesis research topic chosen at the time of applying. Applications need to be prepared in consultation with advisors. Advisors of the applicant should co-sign the applications.

Applications are due in the office of the director by 5 p.m., Nov. 17. The proposals will be reviewed by a panel of faculty and state water resources research professionals. Announcement of awards will be made by early January.

Consult the ND WRRI website, <http://www.ndsu.edu/wrri>, for information on the program and guidelines for preparation of applications. Applicants and advisers who are new to the program are urged to contact, G. Padmanabhan, ND WRRI director, at 1-7043, or G.Padmanabhan@ndsu.nodak.edu.

Send applications to G. Padmanabhan, Director, N.D. Water Resources Research Institute, NDSU, CIE 201E, Department of Civil Engineering, P.O. Box 5285, Fargo, ND 58105.

PEOPLE

Anderson receives Remele Award

Gerald Anderson, associate professor of history, received the prestigious Larry Rowen Remele Award at the Northern Great Plains History Conference Oct. 6 in Sioux Falls, S.D.

During 25 years of participation, Anderson has served as arrangements chair for two conferences and is a member of the conference's council.

The award honors the memory of Larry Rowen Remele, a long-time editor of North Dakota History. It is presented annually to an individual who has made significant contributions to the conference.

Previous NDSU recipients of the award include David Danbom, professor of history, and the late Archer Jones.

Strand receives Honor Award

Bradford Strand, professor and head of health, nutrition and exercise sciences, has received the Honor Award from the North Dakota Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance (NDAHPERD). The organization's top state award was presented to Strand on Oct. 13 at the joint conference of the Minnesota and North Dakota Associations of Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance held in Moorhead.

Strand, who was recognized for his outstanding work with the association, has twice served as a member of the Department of Public Instruction Physical Education Standards Writing Committee. He also has served as chair and chair-elect for the College Division; as awards chair; as vice president general, vice president-elect, president and past president; and as a sectional planning chair for the North Dakota Education Association Instructional Conference.

Strand also serves as a member on the Governor's Healthy North Dakota Advisory Board and is the North Dakota voting delegate for the John Wooden Trophy.

In 2001, Strand secured an \$80,000 grant from the Centers for Disease Control for NDAHPERD, which was used to provide physical education standards training across the state along with a small grants program for K-12 schools.

He previously was recognized with Honor Awards from the Utah Association for Health, Physical Education Recreation and Dance; the Central District Association for Health, Physical Education Recreation and Dance; and the American Alliance for Health, Physical Education Recreation and Dance.

Volleyball players named to all-academic team

NDSU placed two student athletes on the Division I independent women's volleyball all-academic team announced Oct. 26. Senior outside hitter Sheila Parrish of Fargo and senior middle hitter Lindsay Rogers of LaMoure, N.D., both earned their third straight selections to the team.

Parrish maintains a 3.92 cumulative grade point average in human performance and fitness. Rogers, a pre-dentistry student, has a 3.86 grade point average.

EVENTS

Burgum to give presentation

Doug Burgum, senior vice president of the Microsoft Business Solutions (MBS) group, a part of the Microsoft Business Division, is scheduled to address NDSU business students at an open forum at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 15, in the Memorial Union Century Theater.

Burgum, the sixth "Distinguished Speaker" to address the school since the program's creation in 2002, is part of a full day of interaction with the business students. His discussions throughout the day are expected to cover a wide range of issues from industry trends, service philosophy and market strategy. In addition to the public presentation, Burgum will take part in a Services Marketing class on customer relations management, attend a luncheon with Management Information Systems (MIS) majors and be recognized at reception following the afternoon presentation.

A North Dakota native, Burgum earned his bachelor's degree from NDSU in 1978 and his Master of Business Administration from the Stanford University Graduate School of Business in 1980. Before joining the then startup company Great Plains in 1983, Burgum was a consultant at McKinsey and Co. He received honorary doctorate degrees from NDSU and the University of Mary in 2000 and 2006, respectively. He currently serves as a member of the advisory council for the Stanford Graduate School of Business.

The college's Distinguished Speaker program was designed to bring individuals to campus whose spirit of determination and visions have resulted in an American success story. For more information, contact Roxann Williams at 1-8235 or *Roxann.Williams@ndsu.edu*.

Career planning workshop set

The NDSU Counseling Center has scheduled a career planning workshop for students who are undecided, questioning their major or not sure how they would like to use their major. The workshop is set for 3-5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 1, at the Counseling Center (Ceres 212).

For more information or to register, call 1-7671 or e-mail *Heidi.Frie@ndsu.edu*.

Cloning pioneer to give presentation

James Robl, a pioneer and leader in the field of transgenic cloning and biotechnology who is known worldwide as the first person to clone a calf from an adult cell, will present a seminar entitled, "Human Polyclonal Antibodies From Cows," at 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 3, in Hultz Hall 104.

Robl is the co-founder of Hematech Inc., a biotechnology firm located in Sioux Falls, S.D., and currently serves as its president and chief scientific officer. Research being conducted at Hematech may eventually produce cloned calves that would produce large quantities of human antibodies that could be used in medicines to treat human immune deficiencies, infectious diseases and autoimmune disorders. In addition, research on producing cows that are immune to BSE (Mad Cow Disease) is in progress at Hematech.

Robl earned his doctorate at the University of Illinois and conducted post-doctoral research at the University of Wisconsin. He was on the faculty at the University of Massachusetts for 15 years.

The public is invited to attend the seminar.

Megaconference scheduled

"Megaconference VIII—Breaking Down the Barriers: Global Connections," is scheduled for 6:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 2, in IACC 422.

The Megaconference is the world's largest videoconference. Last year, 430 locations around the globe participated. Organizers say the event's goal is to connect people everywhere who choose to participate in order to further the use of videoconferencing in education and research and to advance the state of the art in videoconferencing technology.

NDSU is participating in two presentations. Ann Rathke, telepharmacy project coordinator, is scheduled to present "The North Dakota Telepharmacy Project" at 12:45 p.m., and Jaclynn Davis Walette, director of Multicultural Student Services, is scheduled to present "Native American Artifacts" with the Library of Congress and the American Art Museum at 3 p.m. In addition, NDSU will give greetings to the world at approximately 2 p.m.

Other presentations include "Congratulatory songs and dances from China," "Unveil the Mystery of Taiwanese Culture," "Cell phone tour of the Chateau de Chillon on the Rhone," "Virtual College Tour," "Demonstrate the TAP pedagogical distance piano system between Ottawa, Canada, and Kuhmo, Finland," "Seeing the tall ships—Discovery World," "Indianapolis Art Museum," "Moon, Mars and Beyond" and "Great Barrier Reef underwater—Australia."

The Megaconference also is available via streaming. More details can be found at <http://www.megaconference.org>. Contact Sandy Sprafka at 1-8688 or *sandy.sprafka@ndsu.edu* for further information.

Harvest Bowl activities set

The 33rd annual Harvest Bowl program at NDSU will be held Nov. 10-11. Highlights of the event include a Harvest Bowl awards dinner on Nov. 10, and the Harvest Bowl football game between NDSU and California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, on Nov. 11.

“NDSU is dedicated to recognizing agriculture, education and great people in the region by hosting a banquet and dedicating a football game each fall to the Harvest Bowl theme,” according to Eddie Bernhardson, NDSU Harvest Bowl chair.

The NDSU Harvest Bowl program recognizes the success, dedication and hard work of outstanding agriculturists in 53 counties in North Dakota and five counties in Minnesota. More than 1,800 agriculturists have been recognized and more than \$76,000 in scholarship dollars have been awarded to NDSU student athletes with agricultural backgrounds.

An annual agri-business award recognizes individuals who have distinguished themselves in the field of agriculture and business. John Bollingberg, Bremen, N.D., will receive the 2006 award. For more than 50 years, Bollingberg has been working energetically to promote agriculture and agricultural research.

Six scholarships also are awarded to outstanding male and female athletes. The 2006 Harvest Bowl scholarship recipient is Inger Hodgson, a guard for the women's basketball team. Hodgson is from Barneveld, Wis. The recipient of a Harvest Bowl scholarship in memory of Robert Johansen is Justin Frick, a senior defensive tackle from Yankton, S.D.

The Bob and Darlene Yaggie football scholarship is awarded to Ryan Foster, a sophomore offensive lineman from Eleva, Wis. Receiving the Bob Lauf Memorial Scholarship is Katie Dahlen, a senior guard on the women's basketball team. Dahlen is from Fargo. The Ron Offutt scholarship goes to Gerald Ebel, a sophomore offensive lineman from Yankton, S.D. Jacob Bryce, a sophomore wrestler from Glennwood, Minn., is the recipient of the Titan Machinery scholarship.

For tickets and information on Harvest Bowl activities, visit www.ndsualumni.com/coe/harvest/index.htm or call the NDSU alumni office at (800) 279-8971 or 1-6800, or e-mail marilyn@ndsualumni.com.

Baseline Safety Training schedule announced

The schedule for upcoming Baseline Safety Training sessions has been announced. The annual training is mandatory for all NDSU employees and must be documented with the University Police and Safety Office.

Training also is available online at www.ndsu.edu/ndsu/police_safety/safety/safetyoffice.htm for out-state employees as well as those housed on campus. Complete the quiz for documentation and return it to the University Police and Safety Office.

The schedule includes the following sessions:
 Nov. 2—3 p.m., Memorial Union, Meadow Lark
 Nov. 8—9 a.m., Memorial Union, Meadow Lark
 Nov. 16—3 p.m., Memorial Union, Meadow Lark
 Nov. 22—9 a.m., Memorial Union, Meadow Lark
 Nov. 30—3 p.m., Memorial Union, Meadow Lark

Former NCAA champion to speak

Landon Turner, former champion collegiate basketball player, is scheduled to present “The True Champion Lies Deep Within My Heart” at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 7, at Beckwith Auditorium. The event is free and open to the public.

Four months after leading Bobby Knight's Indiana Hoosiers team to the 1981 NCAA championship, Turner was in a one-car accident that left him paralyzed from the chest down. The same determination that won his distinction as MVP of the final championship game was applied to his new challenges off the court. Landon will share his personal experiences and demonstrate his wheelchair basketball skills.

He stays active with basketball by playing on the Pacers wheelchair basketball team, coaching in the Nike league and partnering to sponsor TNT Dynamite Basketball Camps. Landon's book, “Landon Turner's Tales from the 1980-81 Hoosiers,” will be available for purchase.

The event is sponsored by Bison Athletics, Cooperative Sponsorship, Counseling Center-Disability Services, Memorial Union and the Office of Equity and Diversity. Persons needing accommodations may contact Disability Services at 1-7671.

Rolling Plains Art Gallery to visit NDSU

The Rolling Plains Art Gallery's exhibition “Creative Tradition—Living Culture” is scheduled to be at NDSU Nov. 13-17.

The gallery is the signature outreach program of Plains Art Museum, Fargo, and is housed in a 48-foot semi-trailer. Each school year, the gallery alternately tours the states of Minnesota and North Dakota.

The exhibition portrays powerful affirmations of American Indian image and identity. Artists include David Bradley, Keith Bear, Frank Big Bear, Ken Greywind, Edgar Heap of Birds, Rosilie Little Thunder, Fritz Scholder, Star Wallowing Bull, Laura Heit Youngbird and unknown traditional artists.

This year's tour is supported by the National Endowment for the Arts. Sustaining support is provided by the Plains Art Museum Foundation's William Randolph Hearst Endowed Fund for Education.

The NDSU organizer is Malika Carter, who can be contacted at 1-7383. More information is available at www.plainsart.org.

American Indian Heritage Month events scheduled

Here is a list of some of the upcoming events associated with American Indian Heritage Month.

Nov. 1

Jan Morely presentation

11 a.m., Memorial Union-Peace Garden

Morely, an Assistant U.S. Attorney and enrolled member of Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa, is scheduled to present information on the prosecution of crime in the federal jurisdiction within Indian lands.

YWCA at NDSU brown bag

"White Privilege: What Does It Mean For Me?"

Noon, Memorial Union-Peace Garden

Panelists: Jan Morely, Assistant U.S. Attorney; Greg Gagnon, University of North Dakota professor of Indian Studies; Robert Pieri, NDSU professor of mechanical engineering
Co-sponsored with NDSU Anti-Racism Team.

Greg Gagnon presentation

1 p.m., Memorial Union-Peace Garden

Gagnon, a UND professor of Indian Studies and enrolled citizen of the Bad River Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, is scheduled to present "American Indians in the 21st Century."

Nov. 2

Monte Yellow Bird presentation

10 a.m., Memorial Union-FLC 319

Yellow Bird is an Arikara/Hidasta artist who grew up in White Shield, N.D. His presentation will incorporate the artistic nature of American Indians or First Nation expressionism and the evolution of the Indigenous cultures.

Opening Ceremony

"What is a Pow-Wow?"

2:30 p.m., Memorial Union-Century Theater

The ceremony will feature drummers Victor Herral and Alvin Thunder III, dancer Marita Abe and the Indian Club from Circle of Nations School, Wahpeton.

SHORTS & REMINDERS

Positions Available

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

Administrative Secretary/#00019627

Physics

\$26,000+/year

Nov. 6

Office Manager/#00021688

10 months, 40 hours/week

The Spectrum

\$20,000+/year

Nov. 1

PM Custodian/#00021701

10 months, 40 hours/week

M-F, 2-10:30 p.m. (weekends as necessary)

Dining Services-Memorial Union

\$7.95+/hour

Nov. 8

Lead Food Service Worker/#00020578

12 months, 40 hours/week

M-F, 11:30 a.m.-8 p.m.; weekend and summer hours may vary

Dining Services - Residence Dining Center

\$9/hour

Open until filled

Data Entry Technician/#00023967

Office of Human Resources/Payroll

\$23,500+/year

Nov. 9

Library Acquisitions Receiving Clerk/#00021349

NDSU Libraries

\$17,000+/year

Open until filled

Research Specialist

Entomology

\$30,000+/year

Nov. 15

Research Specialist/#00025275

North Central Research Extension Center (NCREC)

Minot, N.D.

\$31,000 minimum/year

Open until filled

Engineer Apprentice

One-year, temporary benefited position

Center for Nanoscale Science and Engineering (CNSE)

\$36,000+/year

Open until filled

Research Engineer/#00021664

Center for Nanoscale Science and Engineering

Salary commensurate with experience

Open until filled

Computer Technician/#00019248

Chemistry and Molecular Biology

\$35,000+/year

Nov. 1

Communications Coordinator/#00021692

Information Technology Services

Salary commensurate with experience

Nov. 3

Help Desk Consultant/#00021357

ITS

Salary commensurate with experience

Nov. 9

Assistant Director for Administrative and Financial

Services/#00022839

Center for Nanoscale Sciences and Engineering (CNSE)

Salary commensurate with experience

Nov. 10

Assistant Director of Student Financial Services/#00019209

Student Financial Services

\$40,000+/year

Open until filled

Staff Writer/#00025229

Vice President for University Relations

Salary commensurate with experience

Open until filled

Pastry Chef/Bakery Manager/#00025019
Dining Services
Salary commensurate with experience
Open until filled

Information Technology Specialist (EduTech)#00019247
Information Technology Services
Bismarck, N.D.
\$38,000+/year
Open until filled

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

CALENDAR

November

- 1 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “White Privilege: What Does it Mean for Me?” noon, Memorial Union Peace Garden Room
- 1 Soil science—undergraduate student seminars, 3 p.m., Walster 217
- 1 Women’s basketball vs. Minnesota State University Moorhead, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 2 World I View Speaker Series—Tiansheng Wang, NDSU graduate student, “Chinese Kungfu,” noon, Memorial Union, Prairie Room
- 2-12 Baccalaureate exhibition—Dave Lewellyn, NDSU Downtown Gallery. Reception 5 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 4.
- 3 Entomology—Timothy Craig, University of Minnesota Duluth, “Evidence for Parapatric Speciation in *Eurosta solidaginis*,” 2 p.m., Northern Crops Research Center
- 3 Biological sciences—Holly Brown-Borg, University of North Dakota, “The Role of Growth Hormone in Stress Resistance and Aging,” 3 p.m., Van Es 101
- 3 Plant sciences—Neerja Tyagi, “Receptors in the Auxin Signaling Pathway of Plants,” 3:30 p.m., Loftsgard 114
- 3 Psychology—Daniel P. Cervone, University of Illinois at Chicago, “Personality Architecture: Building a Personality Psychology of Individual Persons,” 3:30 p.m., Minard Annex 138
- 3-9 Baccalaureate exhibition—Lori Lofgren, Reineke Fine Arts Center Gallery. Reception 4:40 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 7.
- 4 Women’s basketball vs. Bemidji State University, 6 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 4 Men’s basketball vs. Minnesota State University Moorhead, 8 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 6 University podcasting—open session on podcasting concerns and questions, 2 p.m., Library 14A-C
- 8 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “Make it Happen! Life Lessons on Leadership and Wellness,” noon, Memorial Union Century Theater
- 8 Soil science—undergraduate student seminars, 3 p.m., Walster 217
- 8 Lively Arts Series—Chicago Boys Acrobats, 7 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$5 for the public and free with NDSU ID. Call 1-9442 for tickets.
- 10 Veteran’s Day holiday—holiday observed
- 10 Volleyball—National Independent Tournament, 9 a.m.-8 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 11 Bison Open wrestling tournament, 10 a.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 11 Football vs. California Polytechnic State University (Harvest Bowl), 1 p.m., Fargodome
- 11 Volleyball—National Independent Tournament, 2-8 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 11 Baroque Festival chamber concert, 7:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$12 for seniors and \$8 for students. Call 1-9442 for tickets.
- 12 Baroque Festival student concert, 2 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$5 for adults, and \$2 for students and seniors. Call 1-9442 for tickets.
- 13 Woodwind chamber concert, 7:30 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall. Free.
- 14 Career Center—“Tri-College Career and Internship Fair,” noon-4 p.m., Ramada Plaza Suites, Fargo
- 14 Saxophone Quartet concert, 7:30 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall. Free.
- 15 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, “HIV/AIDS,” noon, Memorial Union Peace Garden Room
- 15-19 Little Country Theater—“The Recognition of Shakuntala,” 7:30 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 2 p.m. Sunday, Askanase Auditorium. Tickets are \$12 for adults; \$10 for seniors, NDSU faculty, staff and alumni, and non-NDSU students; and \$4 for NDSU students. Call 1-9442 for tickets.
- 16 Geosciences—Scott Korum, University of North Dakota, “Aquifer (Denitrification) Assessment: Whose Job is it Anyway?” 9:30 a.m., Sudro 22
- 16 World I View Speaker Series—Joseph Membah, student, “Kenya: A Land of Contrasts,” noon, FLC 319
- 16-23 Baccalaureate exhibition—Amy Johnson, NDSU Downtown Gallery. Reception, 5 p.m., Friday, Nov. 17.
- 17 Entomology—Becky Simmons, University of North Dakota, “Applying Molecular Data and Systematics to Lepidopteran Pests (Noctuidae),” 2 p.m., Northern Crops Research Center
- 17 Animal and range sciences—Tom Brooking, professor of history, University of Otago, Dunedin, New Zealand, “Transformation of New Zealand’s Grasslands,” 3 p.m., Hultz Hall 104
- 17 Biological sciences—Marsha Sovada, Northern Prairie WRC, “The Saga of the American White Pelican Colony at Chase Lake, North Dakota,” 3 p.m., Van Es 101
- 18 Football vs. South Dakota State University (Dakota Marker), 6 p.m., Fargodome

- 19 Women's basketball vs. Northern Arizona, 2 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 19 Little Country Theater—"The Recognition of Shakuntala," 2 p.m., Askanase Auditorium. Tickets are \$12 for adults; \$10 for seniors, NDSU faculty, staff and alumni, and non-NDSU students; and \$4 for NDSU students. Call 1-9442 for tickets.
- 20 Percussion Ensemble concert, 7:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$5 for adults, and \$2 for students and seniors.
- 21-Dec. 8 Baccalaureate exhibition—Arion Poitra, Reineke Fine Arts Center Gallery. Reception 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 22.
- 21 Brass chamber concert, 7:30 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall. Free.
- 22 Soil science—Jasper Teboh, graduate research assistant, "Nitrogen and Phosphorus Contribution of Potato Residue and Buckwheat to a Subsequent Crop Rotation," 3 p.m., Walster 217
- 22 Biological sciences - Jonathan Raetzman, graduate assistant, "Blackbird Use and Damage of Wildlife Conservation Sunflower Plots," 3 p.m., Van Es 101
- 22 Men's basketball vs. Furman University, 7 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 23 Thanksgiving holiday—university closed
- 25 Men's basketball vs. University of Wisconsin-Green Bay, 2 p.m., Bison Sports Arena
- 28-Dec. 6 Baccalaureate exhibition—Rebecca Kirtz, NDSU Downtown Gallery. Reception 5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 29.
- 29 YMCA of NDSU—brown bag seminar, "Spirituality: A Pathway to Peace," noon, Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room
- 29 Soil science—Don Tanaka, "Agricultural Systems Work @ Mandan for Cropping and Livestock Production," 3 p.m., Walster 217
- 30 Geosciences—Jamey Jones, University of Minnesota Morris, "Timing and Style of Proterozoic Deformation in Southern Colorado: Constraining Tectonic Models for ca.1.4 Ga Granitic Magmatism Across the Southern Rocky Mountains, U.S.A.," 4 p.m., Van Es 101. Refreshments at 3:30 p.m.

December

- 1 Biological sciences—Mike Caruso, graduate assistant, "The Good, the Bad and the Ugly of Insulin/Insulin Receptor(s) in Fish," 3 p.m., Van Es 101
- 1 Entomology—Michael A. Wall, San Diego Natural History Museum, "Biogeography and Functional Morphology of the Solomonius-group of stinkbugs," 2 p.m., Hultz 272
- 1-3 Madrigal dinners, 6:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall lobby. Tickets are \$35. Call 1-9442 for tickets.
- 3 Winter choral concert, 2 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$5 for adults, and \$2 for students and seniors. Call 1-9442 for tickets.
- 4 Jazz Ensemble and Lab Band concert, 7:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$5 for adults, and \$2 for students and seniors. Call 1-9442 for tickets.

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