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This Week at Stony Brook Southampton

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“Welcome to the Fall 2009 semester on behalf of the Department of Recycling and Resource Management. We run the recycling programs both here and at the West Campus. Our programs include bottle and can recycling, mixed paper and corrugated cardboard recycling, inkjet and toner cartridge recycling, clothing and shoe recycling through Goodwill and Reuse a Shoe, ceiling tile recycling, recycling of woody debris to mulch, reuse of asphalt, brick and concrete as sub base in roads on campus, recycling of gently used office supplies and small appliances through ROSE and Freecycle!, and more! Our programming includes RA/E Rep training, America Recycles Day pledges, participation in the national RecycleMania competition, Earthstock, and recycling and sustainability presentations. Questions? Contact me.”

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Tuesday, 9/29

Correction Day: Classes follow Monday Schedule

Live Burn, 6 p.m., Business Center Parking Lot. Learn about fire safety while watching a simulated residence hall go up in flames.

Board of Finances Meeting, 6 p.m., Library Rm. 132. If you’re interested in budgeting or starting a club, stop by!

Scribes Creative Writing Club, 7:30 p.m., Library Writing Center. Explore your creative side through writing!

Wednesday, 9/30**Homecoming begins at West Campus**

Conservation Club Meeting, 1:30 p.m., Special Events Room . Discuss field trips and other activities; attend to sign up! For questions or comments, email enviroclub@hotmail.com .

Writers Speak: Scott Snyder, 7 p.m., Duke Lecture Hall. Writers Speak is presented by Southampton's MFA in Writing and Literature program. Events are free and open to the public.

Southampton Gaming League Meeting, 8 p.m., LL Shelter Island . Get your game on!

Various Voices, 10 p.m., LL Greenport. Listen to the works of your peers, or read your own. *Hosted by R.A. Dominick*.

Thursday, 10/1

Meditation, 2 p.m., LL Southold . Take time out of your busy schedule to relax and get some peace of mind.

Movie Night: "The Hangover," 7:30 p.m., Avram Theater. If you missed it in the theaters and you are looking for a late night laugh, stop by Avram Theater with some friends.

Friday, 10/2

Last day to Drop-down or Move-up from select CHE courses.

Petitions due for B.O.F.

Battle of the Buildings , 10:30 a.m., All Day Event. Represent your building for bragging rights in the ultimate campus battle! Amagansett is the undefeated champ-can they hold their title? With the new team additions of Sagaponack and Commuters, things should be interesting. See your R.A. or contact Michael Geddes at mgeddes@stuy.edu for information on how to get involved.

Board of Finances Meeting, 6 p.m., LL Sagaponack. If you're interested in budgeting or starting a club, stop by! Eligible students pick up packets in the Wellness Center.

SoMAS Lecture: " Life Without Oxygen in Venezuela's Cariaco Basin: A Modern Analog of Ancient Seas ," 7:30 p.m., Duke Lecture Hall. The ocean has fluctuated in and out of anoxic states throughout geologic history. Today, anoxic (oxygen devoid) and oxygen stressed marine environments appear to be expanding as a consequence of global climate change. Dr. Gordon Taylor, Prof. of Marine Science, speaks of a long-term observation program of the permanently anoxic Cariaco Basin.

Saturday, 10/3

Tour of the Hamptons Bicycle Event. Bike along flat terrain and rolling hills past farmland, beaches and scenic East End. Meets at Southampton High School, 141 Narrow Lane in Southampton village. Tour-day registration fee is \$35.

Sunday, 10/4

Movie Night: "The Hangover," 9 p.m., Tree House Lounge. If you missed your chance both in theaters and Avram, make sure you don't miss this showing of *The Hangover* .

Did You Know?



From Prof. Stephanie Wade : "The Open M.I.C. Writing and Study Center -- a place for multimedia, interdisciplinary collaboration -- is now open. Our staff of writing consultants and peer study leaders are available to support academic, extracurricular and community projects. Stop by room 201 in the new library or sign up on-line, <http://www.rich37.com/stonybrook/>."

Flu Shots are available in the Student Health Center in the LL Southold, M-F 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Doses are limited; there is a \$15 fee which will be charged to SOLAR for vaccinations. The H1N1 vaccine is currently unavailable on campus.

Upcoming movie showings:

10/25, 10/28 Orphan

11/5, 11/8- Harry Potter

Be sure to sign up for the **Homecoming Celebration** this weekend! Sign-up is in the Wellness Center.

Boating Safety Course -- at Southampton Marine Station -- four Tuesday evenings 6 to 9 p.m. - starting Oct 6th. Receive a NY State Certificate, cost \$10. Contact CHARLES.MCINTYRE@SUNYSB.EDU if you are interested. This certificate is needed to take out kayaks and sail boats from the Marine Station.

The SBS Student Affairs Team is looking for student volunteers to assistant with the Family Weekend Activities on Saturday October 10, from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. If you are interested please contact Sherrille Shabazz by Wednesday October 7th at (631) 632-5114 or sherrille.shabazz@stonybrook.edu .



Skateboarding Indoors is not only against the rules and unsafe; it also takes hours to clean up the scuff marks. Be courteous to SBS staff. Don't skate indoors.

In the News

Yolanda Kakabadse, incoming president of WWF International, addressed an audience of approximately 70 people in Duke Lecture Hall on Friday. She talked about a unique program that she helped create in her home country of Ecuador where the country agrees not to dig for oil in the Yasuni National Forest in return for environmental credits. Nations and even, soon, individuals can buy *Certificados de Garantia Yasuni*, protecting millions of acres -- more species live in one hectare in Yasuni than in all of North America -- and keeping 850 million barrels of oil underground. The idea took some time to grow, but has been a terrific success. "You don't change the world by following protocols. You change the world through crazy ideas and hope they work," Kakabadse said. "I will ask Dr. Mary Pearl to invite me back, and I will have certificates to sell to you for \$25-35. ... We have to invest in recreating the world; to go against the rules, to break out of the box, and come up with solutions to save our world." Pictured with Dr. Pearl (r.) and Prof. Nay Htun.



Contact: Darren.Johnson@stonybrook.edu to include your news and events in next week's edition of "This Week at Stony Brook Southampton." **Have a great week!**

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