**College President Search Update**

Washington D.C. based Academic Search Inc., which is facilitating the Presidential search, is developing a recruitment, advertisement and position profile, outlining The College’s key institutional needs and priorities and defining the desired set of characteristics for the next President. For more on a special letter from Council President T. Baswell Donaldson on the Presidential search click on: http://www.cob.edu.bs/Administration/PresidentSearch/News.php

**NOTICES**

**Faculty Research Day - Survey Extension**

There is a new deadline for faculty to complete the survey to inform the Faculty Research Day on the 6th of May 2010. The organising committee would like for faculty to complete the survey at the following link: http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/JB2PZ3B

The information you provide will be used to inform the presentations on the 6th May and the work of the Research Advisory Board. Please complete the form by the 23rd April 2010. For more information email Mr. William Fielding at wfielding@cob.edu.bs.

**Faculty Writing Day**

The Office of RGP&IR will be hosting a faculty Writing Day on the 7th May 2010 to help faculty hone their writing skills. This will be an opportunity for faculty to put aside distractions and come together to write research papers, research proposals, book outlines etc. We shall have faculty from the School of English Studies on hand to give you one-on-one help in Room A111.

If you wish to take advantage of support from the English professors, please email Natasha Pyfrom (npyfrom@cob.edu.bs) to book your 30min slot. We hope that you will be able to take part in this great opportunity. The Writing Day extends from 10am until 2p.m.

**Call for Submissions**

You still have time to submit papers, 20-25 pages in length, to the School of English Studies for publishing in ‘Lucayos’, a peer review journal. The theme of this issue is ‘Water’. Submissions are also invited of creative pieces, specifically poetry, life writing and short stories. Submissions may be made directly to the journal’s website (www.cobses.info/ojs) or by email to lucayos2010@cob.edu.bs. For more information contact 302-4381.
Athletics

The College of The Bahamas Summer Sports Camp
Sign up your kids today for this year’s exciting sports camp at COB, June 28–July 23, 2010. Camp times: 9:00a.m.-2:00p.m. $180.00 for the duration which includes a T-shirt.

For four weeks kids will be taught basketball, track & field, swimming and soccer. Students at the camp will also go on field trips to places including Mario’s Place, Ardastra Gardens and RND Cinemas. They will also be taught about fire prevention and safety. For more info contact Sean Bastian 302-4591 or sbastian@cob.edu.bs.

Collegiate Track and Field Relays
The College track team is hosting a track meet on Saturday, April 24th, 2010 @10:00am with two sessions:

-10:00am – 2:30pm with under 7 through under 15 categories
-2:30pm until under 17 and open athletes

The visiting team this year is Bethune Cookman College -

Men: Martin Embry, Kenson Nicholas

Women: Analisa Austin, Nickeshia Williams, Maketa Ruffin

Coaches: Donald Cooper, Tempest Vance, Alexis Avery

Interested in Protocol?
College employees interested in providing Protocol services should contact the Council Secretary at ext. 4366 or email: csecretary@cob.edu.bs.

Grant Applications - Summer 2010 Research, Creative & Artistic Projects
Submissions of grants must be received by Natasha Pyfrom (npfrom@cob.edu.bs) in the Office of Research, Graduate Programmes and International Relations no later than 4:00 pm on the 6th May 2010. Results will be available by the 18th May 2010. Grants will be awarded on a competitive basis and will be tenable through December 2010. All projects must start before 30th June 2010. It is expected that grants will be in the order of $500-$1,500, but larger requests will be considered. For more information call 302-4455.

Extended Library Hours for Finals
COB’s main campus library has temporary extended its hours of operation to accommodate studying for finals.

EXTENDED HOURS:-
April 19th - 9p.m.-11p.m.
April 20th - 9p.m.-11p.m.
April 21st - 9p.m.-11p.m.
April 26th - 9p.m. -11p.m.
April 27th - 9p.m. -11p.m.

EVENTS

VIOLATION OF IMAGINATION, April 23rd
The students of Art 400 are hosting a special art exhibition entitled Violation of Imagination that opens on Friday, April 23rd at New Providence Arts and Antiques on East Street North. The paintings will feature the students’ interpretations of womanhood and family dynamics, among other things. The exhibit ends on May 1st.

STANDING WITH HAITI CONCERT, May 6th & 9th
Two evenings of music, dance, drama and poetry in aid of the recovery efforts in Haiti. The concert will feature performances by Freddie Munnings Jr., The Bahamas National Children’s Choir, The Dicey Doh Singers, Justilien Trio, The National Dance Company, the COB Band, Shaback and many more.

Tickets are $20 for each evening. The concert starts at 7:00 p.m. on May 6th and 5:00p.m. on May 9th. For more information call 302-4342.

All information to be considered for placement in the Bulletin should be sent to the address below NO LATER THAN 12 noon on Fridays.

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