Communication Policy

The Office of Communication is responsible for coordinating all external communications regarding official College of The Bahamas business with news media. This includes press conferences, press releases and interviews by authorized College representatives whether by telephone, computer, fax transmissions or in person. Individuals, offices and departments must coordinate all proposed communications with the news media regarding official College business through the AVP, External Affairs or designee.

Student Identification on Campus

Students are reminded that they are required to wear their ID badges at all times while on campus. Students without a current ID may present a current semester bill to Security to access campus, other college areas and services.

Graduation Cap and Gown/ Fitting Exercise

All COB 2012 graduates are asked to download and complete the graduation cap and gown form and return it to Chapter One Bookstore on or before Friday, March 2nd, 2012. Fitting exercises will be held on Thursday, March 1st and Friday, March 2nd, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. on the second floor of Chapter One Bookstore.

Conference of Youth Leaders

Minister of Youth, Sports and Culture Hon. Charles Maynard was the keynote speaker at the opening ceremony of the Conference of Youth Leaders (COYL) on Thursday, February 23rd, 2012 at the Harry C. Moore Library. COBUS has been hosting the conference for the last 27 years to hone the leadership skills of high school students.

Sidney Poitier Film Festival

The 3rd Annual Sidney Poitier Film Festival, hosted by The College of The Bahamas and the School of English Studies, begins Wednesday, February 29th. Keeping with this year’s College Theme of Migration, the Festival will host a special discussion on "Migration and World Cinema". Visit our Web site www.cob.edu.bs for schedule of events and other details.

Acting COBUS President

Please note that effective Tuesday, February 22nd, 2012 Mr. Alphonso Major is the Acting President of The College of The Bahamas Union of Students (COBUS).

2012 Commencement Guest Speaker

The College Community is asked to submit names for potential commencement guest speakers along with their biographies to the Office of Student Affairs by Thursday, March 1, 2012.
Migration Presentation

Presentation Title: Migration of Music throughout the Caribbean

Dr. Christy Lee, Dr. Christine Gangelhoff and Mr. Chris Justilien, music faculty, will perform musical pieces that have migrated throughout the Caribbean. They will also showcase their research on the classical music styles that have influenced Bahamian composers.

Date: Wednesday, March 7th
Time: Noon - 1 p.m.
Location: Auditorium, HCM Library

Meet the Writer

The College of The Bahamas School of English Studies invites you to an Evening of Poetry with Ms. Sonia Farmer, Mr. Phillip Armbrister and Ms. Janice Lynn on Thursday, March 8th, 2012 at 6 p.m., Upstairs in Chapter One Bookstore. For more information, contact 302-4381.

Library Seminar Series

The Library Seminar Series (for the COUN 100 students) begins on Friday March 2, 2012. Topics are below:

March 2, 2012 - Internet Research Skills, presented by Catharine Archer [Rm D2]

March 9, 2012 - Evaluating & Citing Information, presented by Antoinette Pinder-Darling and Special Collections – What is it all about? presented by Berthamae Walker [Auditorium, HCM Library]

March 16, 2012 - Plagiarism, presented by Holly Morganelli [Rm D2]

March 23, 2012 - Copyright: What It Means For You, presented by Thomas Lundstrom [Auditorium, HCM Library]

Pool Facilities

Please be advised that the Athletics Department operates The College’s pool at the Oakes Field Campus. For bookings, please call: 302-4349 or email: petularussell@cob.edu.bs

Women’s Suffrage Symposium

As 2012 marks the 50th anniversary of the Women’s Suffrage Movement in The Bahamas, The College of The Bahamas and the Bureau of Women’s Affairs, Ministry of Labour and Social Development are co-hosting a special symposium, March 6th-9th, 2012 under the theme “Commemorating the Past, Reflecting on the Present, Envisioning the Future: 1962 and Beyond.” Visit www.cob.edu.bs for more information.

Faculty and Staff Annual Fund

We appreciate your support of the Faculty and Staff Annual Fund! What is most important is your participation. Even a one-time gift of $20.12 for the current Annual Fund counts you as a donor and helps dramatically increase our Faculty & Staff Giving Percentage. Contact Nakessa Beneby (x4464) or Peter McWilliam (x2632) to help yourself, your department and your College.

PUBLIC WORKERS CO-OPERATIVE CREDIT UNION PRESENTATION

The Public Workers Co-operative Credit Union Limited will present on “Introducing you and your staff to a better way to save and invest your funds” scheduled for Wednesday, March 7, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. in the auditorium of the Harry C. Moore Library & Information Centre.

REAL Night of Love

REAL NIGHT OF LOVE - An evening of poetry, acoustic music, coffee and desserts. This Thursday, March 1st, 7:00 p.m. Student Union Building. Free admission.

March - Cake & Conversation

President Boze continues the monthly initiative - Cake & Conversation. The March Cake & Conversation will be held on March 27th, 2012 at 1 p.m. A-Block boardroom. Please call or email Sandra Dean-Smith to confirm attendance at 302-4301 or email sdeanssmith@cob.edu.bs. Cake compliments of the CHMI chefs.

Chinese Government Scholarships

The Chinese Government will grant 16 full scholarships to Bahamian students for the academic year 2012-13. For more information http://www.csc.educn/laihua.

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