College President Search

Learn more about the search process for the next College of the Bahamas President and find out how you can be a part of the process by visiting the College’s website www.cob.edu.bs. Share your views on what you think the profile of the next College President ought to look like. For more information you may email or telephone Gabriella Fraser, VP, External Affairs: agfraser@cob.edu.bs, 302 4304.

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Please forward any questions to Theominique Nottage or Catherine Archer at Ext. 4554.

Day of Absence - February, 11th

To celebrate this year’s Day of Absence, bookmarks will be available on that date for the College community, free of charge! The bookmarks will feature poems, quotes and artwork by Bahamian artists. Pick up your FREE bookmark from the Office of Communication and the Chapter One bookstore. For more information contact Maelynn Seymour-Major at 302-4353 or mmajor@cob.edu.bs.

Lunch with The President

Only three dates left! Every Friday in February from 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m., President Hodder will invite 12 students to have lunch with her and share in discussions about The College and the students’ personal development. This can be your first step to making a change at The College! If you’re interested send your full name and telephone contact to prescob@cob.edu.bs. On Thursday morning 12 names will be randomly selected and we will notify the persons selected on Thursday. Mark these dates in your calendar: February 12, February 19 and February 26.

NOTICES

Counselling & Health Services Seminars

Series consists of either 4x1 hour or 2x2 hours. For a complete list of seminars, contact the Counselling & Health Services Department.

Improving Your Health Seminar Series

Day: Wednesdays; Time: 1p.m.-1:50p.m.; Venue: Dance Studio, Wellness Centre; Facilitators: Bradley Cooper/Keith Cox
Feb. 17 - Exercise and You; Feb. 24 - Weight Management; March 3 - What is Diabetes?; March 10 - Weight Lifting 101

Navigating Relationships

Day: Fridays; Time: 9a.m.-9:50a.m.; Venue: Room G7; Facilitator: Teorah Ferguson
Feb.19 - History of Dating; March 5 - Dating vs. Hooking Up; March 12 - Healthy vs. Unhealthy Relationships; March 19 - Navigating a Break-up

Call for Research Submissions

Faculty are invited to forward submissions for The Stanley Wilson Award for Excellence in Research 2010. The research must enhance the reputation of COB as an institution of excellence, make a significant contribution to international as well as Bahamian research literature, support national or curriculum development, and should involve collaboration. Applications are available at www.cob.edu.bs and from the Office of Research, Graduate Programmes & International Relations. For more information contact: 302-4455. Deadline is March 14th, 2010.

Call for Research on Violence

Faculty members are invited to participate in a proposed research thrust on “Violence in The Bahamas” involving a number of research teams. A series of interconnected studies would allow each study to support and enhance the other and also encourage interdisciplinary teams to be formed across departments and academic units. Interested faculty are invited to contact Natasha Pyfrom (npyfrom@cob.edu.bs) or Valdez Russell (valdezzrussell@gmail.com) in the ORGPIR at 302-4455 no later than February 26th, 2010. For more information on the proposed areas of violence related research and potential lead or collaborating academic units please go to www.cob.edu.bs.
ATHLETICS

Intramurals Results:
The Ultimate Board Games Challenge

Backgammon—After an intense one game battle Perry McHardy, Decory Gray, Mario Tinker, Shadell Williams and Franz Moss all advance to this week’s playoffs.

Connect 4 (Best out of 3)—Franz Moss, Mario Tinker, Charles Nottage, Philip Dorestt, Decorey Gray and Leonardo Dorsett all advanced to this week’s connect 4 playoffs.

5 on 5 Intramural Basketball—The Show Stoppers defeated 3&0 32-14; EA Sports defeated Heats 27-14. The next round is scheduled for this Thursday, when the Show Stoppers will take on EA Sports and Heats vs. 3&0.

Flag Football—Regular Season

In a fierce round of competition back in January, the Wild Cats defeated the A-Team 7-6. However; last week the A-Team came back all fired up and defeated the Wild Cats 7-6. Both teams are tied 1-1. Round three will take place this Thursday at the COB Field.

All games will take place this Thursday, Feb. 11, 2010 in front of the Wellness Centre.

Table Tennis
Campus Life and Athletics is organising a table tennis tournament for February 10th. Interested persons should contact Latifa Forbes (ext. 4576) in campus Life or Sean Bastian (ext. 4591) in Athletics.

Women’s Basketball @ DW Davis Gymnasium
- Feb. 9th @ 8:30 pm vs. Angels
- Feb. 11th @ 7:30 pm vs. Cheetahs
- Feb. 13th @ 7:30 pm vs. All Stars

Men’s Basketball @ KI & CI Gymnasium
- Feb. 8th @ 8:00 pm vs. Real Deal Shockers (CIG)
- Feb. 24th @ 8:00 pm vs. Real Deal Shockers (CIG)

Men’s Soccer @ BFA Soccer Field
- Feb. 24th @ 7pm vs. United FC

Track & Field—International Meets
- Feb. 23rd -28th in Kingston, Jamaica

Women’s Softball
A meeting will be held this Thursday @ 2:30 pm in the Athletics Department for all females interested in softball. For more information contact the office at 302-4349.

EVENTS

FUNDRAISING CONCERT, Feb. 18th
The College of The Bahamas Chamber Choir will be featured in a fundraising concert, 7 pm at Rhodes Memorial Methodist Church on Montrose Ave. Guest artists include Clay Jolly, internationally acclaimed opera singer from Atlanta, Georgia, and COB faculty members Christian Justilien and Christy Lee. Tickets are $10 and will be available at the door. Proceeds from this event will go towards the Choir’s Spring Tour to Atlanta in March. Additional donations will be accepted. For more information, contact Dr. Christy Lee at 302-4508.

WORLD HARMONY TORCH RUN, Feb. 20th
The run will begin at the JFK roundabout at the airport at 9a.m. and end at the Fish Fry at Arawak Cay. A cultural performance from schools and a presentation by the World Harmony Committee will follow. The committee is scheduled to bring the torch and deliver a presentation on The College’s campus on Thurs. Feb. 18th, 2010 at 2:30p.m. Students interested in representing our team in the relay run from Ridgeland Mall to the Mall at Marathon on Feb. 20th at 9:45a.m. and again at 11a.m. from Bay Street to Arawak Cay. For more information contact Bradley Cooper at Ext. 4592.

SIDNEY POITIER CONFERENCE, Feb. 23rd-27th
Critics, historians, filmmakers, artists and cultural practitioners are invited to participate in an international conference and film festival dedicated to the artistic achievement and life of acclaimed actor, director, author and diplomat Sidney Poitier. For more information e-mail poitierconference@gmail.com or call 302-4381.

LUNCH AND THE LAW 2010, Feb. 26th
The Law Library will host Lunch And The Law on Friday, Feb. 26th on the topic: Crisis of Confidence: The State of Relations Between The Public and The Bahamian Legal System. British Colonial Hilton, 8:30a.m.-3:30p.m. Also a silent auction of local art. Register today. For more information call Evania Thompson at 323-5804 Ext. 2247 or email: evaniathompson@cob.edu.bs.

LINGUISTICS CONFERENCE, Aug. 2010
The Society for Caribbean Linguistics (SCL) will meet at the Amaryllis Beach Resort in Barbados from Mon. 9 to Fri. 13 August 2010. The Conference is hosted by UWI, Cave Hill under the theme “Caribbean Languages and Popular Culture”.

Deadlines: ABSTRACTS-15 February 2010
NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE-15 April 2010
HOTEL BOOKING-30 April 2010
FULL PAPERS 30 August 2010
for more details please check: http://www.scl-online.net/conference2010/.

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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