

CALENDAR

THE BEHREND BEACON

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Calendar of Events

14 **Fri**

- LEB Movie: *The House on Haunted Hill* — 10 p.m.
- Bruno's Band: Cherylann Hawk and the Clay Band — 8:30 p.m.

15 **Sat**

- LEB Movie: *The House on Haunted Hill* — 10 p.m.
- Bruno's Karaoke — 8-11 p.m.

16 **Sun**

- LEB Movie: *The House on Haunted Hill* — 9 p.m.
- Sunday Mass — Reed Commons, 8 p.m.
- MLK Candlelight Vigil — Reed Commons, 5:30-7 p.m.

17 **Mon**

- MLK Bruno's Family Breakfast — 7:15-8 a.m.
- Creative Writers Session with Sonia Sanchez — Reed 114, 2-3:30 p.m.
- MLK All-College Celebration — Reed Commons, 4-5 p.m.

18 **Tues**

- MLK Forum — Reed 117, 6-8 p.m.

19 **Wed**

- Basketball (W&M) vs. Frostburg — 6&8 p.m.
- SGA Meeting — Reed 114, 5:20 p.m.

20 **Thurs**

- WWF Smackdown
- Deadline for all SAF proposals for 2000-2001 academic year

21 **Fri**

- IM Deadline: 3-Point Shootout

All submissions for the calendar should be made available to the Beacon by 5:00 p.m. on the Monday before publication.

Please send via inter-office mail to the Beacon Calendar Editor, drop it off at the Beacon office, or send it to BEHRCOLL3@aol.com.

The Beacon cannot guarantee publication of events due to space constraints. The Beacon also reserves the right to edit any material submitted for publication. The calendar is intended for Behrend notices and events.

Events

BEHREND RUGBY CLUB MEETING

The Behrend Rugby Club will be holding an informational/organizational meeting this Thursday, January 18, at 7 p.m. in Reed 3. Officers will be elected for the coming school year, the budget will be discussed, and practices and games in the upcoming season will be worked out.

In addition, there will be information about the sport of rugby for anyone who was unable to attend the first

meeting.

MLK CANDLELIGHT VIGIL

Ms. Dorothy Smith, president of the NAACP Erie Branch, will be the guest speaker for the candlelight vigil on Sunday, January 16, at 5:30 p.m. Penn State Behrend's Inspirational Mime and Ultimate Praise groups will also perform. All are invited.

CREATIVE WRITERS SESSION WITH SONIA SANCHEZ

Ms. Sonia Sanchez will lead a creative writers session with students, faculty and staff interested in the writing process on Monday, January 17, from 2:30-3:30 p.m. She will talk

about where she finds inspiration and passion for her own work. This session is limited to 25 people. Please RSVP to the Dean of Students Office at 898-6111.

MLK ALL-COLLEGE CELEBRATION

All classes are encouraged to relocate to the Reed Union Commons to join in the MLK celebration on Monday, January 17, at 4:00 p.m. The featured speaker for the event is Ms. Sonia Sanchez. Ms. Sanchez is an internationally recognized poet, activist, and lecturer. A cake reception in the Wintergarden immediately follows the lecture.

Event of the Week

MLK All-College Celebration
Monday, January 17th
4-5 p.m., Reed Commons

COME AND HELP CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF A GREAT AMERICAN!

2000-01 STUDENT ACTIVITY FEE ALLOCATION COMMITTEE



WHERE WILL YOUR \$74 GO??

Request for Student Activity Fee Funding Suggestions

A committee of seven students and three faculty/staff members is currently developing a plan for use of 2000-2001 student activity fee revenues. We invite your suggestions. Available funding for next year is estimated to be \$240,000. Please complete a Funding Proposal Request Form and return it to the Dean of Students Office, by Thursday, January 20, 2000. Funding guidelines are summarized below. **FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE RUB DESK, STUDENT ACTIVITIES OFFICE, SGA SUITE, AND DEAN OF STUDENTS OFFICE AND ON-LINE AT www.pserie.psu.edu/affairs/saf/index.htm.**

GUIDELINES

Excluded from funding consideration are salaries, major building renovations, and construction of new facilities. Student activity fee revenues cannot be used to replace activities currently supported through general University funds. Student activity fee revenues may be used for the following purposes.

GENERAL STUDENT ACTIVITY FEE FUNDING CATEGORIES

- **CAMPUS ACTIVITIES** which enhance out-of-class experiences for students.
- **EQUIPMENT** which facilitates opportunities for student involvement and campus-wide programming.
- **FACILITIES UPGRADES** in direct support of out-of-class experiences.
- **PROGRAM SUPPORT** to meet campus-wide programming needs, such as lecture series, music programs, cultural events, and entertainment.
- **RECREATION**, including support for club sports, intramurals, open recreation, and facilities and equipment which support these needs.
- **DIVERSE POPULATIONS AND ISSUES**, including programs and activities which support and/or enhance diversity and non-traditional activities.
- **SELECTED SUPPORT SERVICES**

Please return your requests to the Dean of Students Office, 115 Reed Union Building, no later than Thursday, January 20, 2000. Questions may be directed to Mr. Ken Miller, Interim Dean of Student Affairs (ext. 6111) or Andrea DiPlacido, SGA President (ext. 6220). Thank you in advance for your input.

What's Going on In Student Government?

***Three Open Senate Seats!!!** We are looking to fill the three open seats on the SGA senate. If you are interested in becoming an SGA senator, call the SGA office, or stop in to read the constitution; senators are required to have two hours of office time a week and be on at least one committee. They also must be able to attend SGA meetings every Wednesday at 5:20 p.m.

***Tell Us What You Want!!!** Student Government *can* make changes on campus, but we need to know what you, the student body, want to see happen. What needs to change or improve at Behrend? What could make your college experience better? Call us with ideas at x6220, come by the office or accost a senator in the halls or at a meeting. Also, keep your eyes out for the SGA forum at the beginning of February. (Date to be announced)

Your Student Government:

President: Andrea Di Placido
Vice President: George Leshnock
Secretary: Rita Camillo
Treasurer: Jennifer Miles

Senators:

Michael Ames	Kolby Baker
Damien Blair	Jennie Ellison
Michael Frawley	Keenan Hansen
Audrey Kowal	Melody Sherosky
Charles Testrake	Jenny Zhang

The SGA office is located in the Reed Building, next to the Backroom, and meetings are held every Wednesday at 5:20 p.m. in Reed 114. Drop by the office with any concerns, questions or ideas!!