

1996 Miss Penn State-Erie Pageant & Fashion Show



FEATURING

- Live Music by My Olde Habit
- A cappella group Harmony
- Pianist Crazy Jay Simmons
- Prize give-a-ways
- Light show
- And much, much more!

"The place to be!"

This Thursday

7pm in Reed Commons

\$3 General Admission

Benefitting

the Erie Rape Crisis Center



A Production of Kappa Delta Phi Psi Alpha Chapter

Take Back the Night planned

ERIE-Take Back the Night 1996 will focus on women's safety, in efforts to raise community awareness about violence against women.

The series of events throughout April will culminate with the annual Take Back the Night rally and march, scheduled for Thursday, April 25 at 7 p.m. in Perry Square.

The rally will be held in Perry Square, followed by a downtown march, a speakout session and a reception at Gannon University's Beyer Hall lounge. The musical group Jon and Denny will perform, and free refreshments will be provided.

Take Back the Night began in England in 1977 as a women-only protest against the violence and fear encountered by women walking the streets at night.

Locally, the event was first held on the campus of Penn State-Behrend a few years ago.

Since then, a community coalition made up of representatives from Penn State-Behrend, Gannon University, Mercyhurst College, Saint

Vincent Women's Diagnostic Center, Hamot Women's Health Connection, Erie County Rape Crisis, Womens Services, Inc. the YWCA, the National Organization for Women and Hospitality House Services for Women has been formed to expand the program.

Other planned events include:

* A child abuse rally at Erie City Hall on Saturday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

* A sexual assault discussion by Republican State Senate candidate Jane Earll, who will discuss present and future legislation related to sexual assault. The discussion will be held at the Edinboro Borough building Monday, April 15, at 7 p.m.

All Take Back the Night programs are free of charge and open to the public.

Previous events included a film, "A Reason to Believe," focusing on rape and fraternity life yesterday at Gannon University. Also held yesterday was an open forum on date rape at Behrend College.

Police & Safety Report

April 3: Charges of possession of drug paraphernalia are pending against two students as the result of an investigation into an incident in Niagara Hall.

April 8: A student reported having \$6.00 taken from his wallet.

Student Events

Thanks in part to the recent collaboration between Behrend's Health and Wellness Center and the Erie County Health Department, AIDS testing will be provided totally free of charge. Testing is done by appointment through the Health and Wellness center, 898-6217.

University Scholars

It's not too late for sophomores to be nominated to participate in the University Scholars Program. Third and fourth semester students with excellent academic abilities interested in undertaking independent study and research at the junior/senior level may be considered. Only as a Scholar can a student earn a Penn State honors degree. Contact Mari Trenkle at x6140.

11 - Thursday

Study Skills Workshop
Reed 3 - 5:15 - 6:00 pm
"Helpful Hints for Objective Tests"
Ellen Reynolds - Presenter
Free and Open to all Students

Biology Club
Reed 3
5:30 pm

12 - Friday

Intervarsity Christian Fellowship
Band/Choir Room
6:30 - 8:00 pm

German Club
12:30 pm
Reed 114

13 - Saturday

14 - Sunday

Rite of Passage Celebrations
with Bishop Trautman
Reed Commons
8:00 pm

a reception will follow in the Wintergarden

15 - Monday

Deadline for Student Events Calendar Information

16 - Tuesday

Eco-Action
Reed 114
12:00 - 1:00 pm

RASO (Returning Adult Student Organization)
10:00 am
MCC Lounge

17 - Wednesday

SGA
Reed 112
5:15 pm

In need of a date?
Singled Out is Coming!!
Co-sponsored by SPC & NSBE
One lucky male and female will win the chance to pick from 50 contestants to go on a paid dinner for 2 at the Olive Garden.

Questions? Contact: Shana Johnson or Jennifer Cockrell @ x7047

Official rules and entry guidelines will be posted around Reed

Free Tutoring: In the Learning Assistance Center
203 Library 898-6014

HAVE A PROBLEM? WANT YOUR OPINION HEARD?

Write your student leaders and drop it in on-campus mail addressed to SGA, ATTN: Public Relations.

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