

# Calendar of Events

**22** Thurs

Astronomy Open House - 7:30p.m. Otto Behrend Science  
SPC Movie: "Scream/Scream 2" - 8+10p.m.

**23** Fri

Homecoming '98  
Live Music: Gathering Field - 8p.m. Ski Slope  
SPC Movie: "Scream/Scream2" - 8+10p.m.

**24** Sat

Homecoming '98  
Alumni Soccer Game - 10a.m.  
AMCC Cross Country Champ. - 11a.m.  
Soccer (M&W) vs. Brockport 1p.m./3:30p.m.  
SPC Movie: "Scream/Scream2" - 8+10p.m.

**25** Sun

Homecoming '98  
Faculty/Staff Trick-or-Treating - 1p.m. Lawrence Hall  
SPC Movie: "Scream /Scream2" - 7+9p.m.

**26** Mon

Amantes . International Film Series - 7:30p.m., Reed 117  
Volleyball vs. Pitt-Greensburg - 7p.m.

**27** Tues

**28** Wed

Volleyball vs. LaRoche - 7p.m.  
Women's Film Series - 7:30p.m. Reed 117

**29** Thurs

Louise Kaplan: Creative Writers Speaker Series - 7p.m. Reed 117  
Soccer (M) vs. Buffalo State - 3p.m.  
SPC Movie: "The Crow" - 10p.m.

All submissions for the calendar should be made available to the Beacon by 5:00pm 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.

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## Events

**Penn State Behrend Homecoming '98** will begin Friday, Oct. 23 at noon. In recognition of the College's year long 50th anniversary celebration, Ben Lane, professor of English, former dean of students, and author of the new publication, *Behrend Remembered*, will open the weekend with a lecture in Reed 114 about the history of Penn State Erie and the legacy of the Behrend family. Friday evening the fun continues on the ski slope with an outdoor barbecue at 6 p.m., traditional chariot race at 7:30 p.m., and a bonfire at 8 p.m. with music by "The Gathering Field." Saturday events include an alumni soccer match at 10 a.m., a cross country meet at 11 a.m., men's soccer vs. SUNY-Brockport at 1 p.m., and an admissions open house from 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. The annual alumni picnic

and general membership meeting begins at noon, and students will present a carnival from 12:30-3:30 p.m. and a student float display and competition from 12:30-3:30 p.m. The women's soccer team will play SUNY-Brockport at 3:30 p.m. Saturday evening events begin with a Provost's reception in the Reed Wintergarden at 6 p.m., followed by a choice of special events including the Athletic Hall of Fame Reception and Dinner, a Murder Mystery Dinner, and a Sock-Hop and Lantern Tours. On Sunday, alumni are invited to attend a buffet brunch at Damon's restaurant from 10 a.m. to noon or a brunch at Dobbins Hall from 11:30 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. Homecoming ends with a trick-or-treat celebration in the Lawrence Hall lobby from noon to 3 p.m. for faculty, staff, students, and alumni. This event is sponsored by the Residence Life staff. For more information about homecoming or to make reservations for a Saturday evening

event, please call the Penn State Erie Office of Student Activities at 898-6171.

**Behrend sets open house for Saturday, October 24.** From 11:30a.m. to 2:30p.m. with registration in the Reed Union Building. Open House includes sessions on general admissions information, financial aid, choosing a major, the Honors program, and academic programs. Campus and housing tours will be available throughout the session. Representatives from the Schools of Business, Engineering and Engineering Technology, Humanities and Social Sciences, and Science will be on hand at the Open House to answer questions. For more info, or to request a copy of Open House events, call the Admissions Office at 898-6100.

**Male or Female. Who is Superior?** Find out this weekend in *The Battle of the Sexes*. This homecoming

event is a competition of endurance and integrity. For more information, or to sign up a team of 4 same-sex members, go to the Student Activities Office.

**The International Film Series will conclude with the Spanish film Amantes.** The 1991 Spanish film *Amantes* (Lovers) will be shown on Monday, October 26 at 7:00p.m. Directed by Vicente Aranda, this film is the true story of an extraordinary romantic triangle that gripped an entire nation and shattered the lives of those it touched. The film takes place in Madrid during the Franco-dominated 1950's and focuses on the aimless youth, Paco (Jorge Sanz) becomes the object of desire of two very different women: Trini (Victoria Abril), his very proper virginal and doting fiancée, and Luisa (Maribel Verdu), his highly improper landlady. The Mary Behrend Cultural Fund and the School of Humanities and Social Sciences fund the International film Series. The film, which is free and open to the public, will be shown in the Reed Union Building Lecture Hall. For more info contact the Humanities and Social Sciences Office at 898-6108.

**Louise Kaplan, renowned author and feminist scholar, will speak** on Thursday, October 29 at 7:00p.m. in

the Reed Union Building Lecture Hall. Her appearance is free and open to the public, and continues the Creative Writers Series. This series is co-sponsored by the Mary Behrend Cultural Fund and The Clarence Baumann Smith fund. For more info, contact the Student Activities Office at 898-6171.

**The Office of Catholic Campus Ministry** invites all to attend their weekly Catholic mass every Sunday at 8:00p.m. in the Reed Commons.

## Notices

**To help make Behrend's United Way campaign** successful, names will be drawn at the conclusion of the campaign for prizes and gifts. Each employee who makes a contribution either by payroll deduction or a one-time contribution will have their names entered in the random drawing. Possible prizes are PSU football tickets, gift certificates to the Penn State Erie Bookstore, Behrend Golf Shirts, or Bruno Bucks. The ultimate goal that the school is hoping to reach is \$25,000.

**The office of Police and Safety, Alpha Sigma Alpha, and ODK,** are spon-

soring a clothing drive to benefit those in Erie County that are in need of some assistance. We have been collecting since the beginning of the year and will continue to do so until November 13, 1998. The items will be distributed on December 5, 1998 at Shiloh Baptist Church, 901 East 5th Street from 10 a.m. to 6p.m. If you have any clothes (men, women's, or children's in all sizes), sleeping bags, blankets, or toys, please bag or box them and bring them to the office of Police and Safety. We have received a tremendous response from the Behrend community and still need more. We do not want to have to turn anyone away. There is no charge for any of the clothes distributed. Please help us to make this a brighter Christmas for those families who are in need. If there are any questions, please contact Officer Sandi Smith at 898-6101. My voice mail number is 5598.

**Flu shots through the Health and Wellness Office** are currently being offered to any student. The cost of the injection is only \$10.00. Students can obtain the shot at any time, except Wednesday mornings, or Friday afternoons, and are welcomed on a walk-in or appointment basis. This injection fights the respiratory flu and combats fever, chills, headache, dry cough, and muscle aches. Restrictions may apply to individuals with particular allergies, or other medical conditions. To obtain further information on this injection, please contact the Health and Wellness Center at 898-6217.

**There will be a Halloween Bash** on Friday October 30, 1998. The party is sponsored by various organizations on campus and will take place in the Reed Commons from 9:30p.m. to 12:30a.m. The price is \$2.00 in advance or two can goods, or \$3.00 at the door or three can goods. Costumes are more than welcome, and there will be various games taking place throughout the evening. Contact the Office of Student Affairs for more information at 898-6111.

**The 1998 Alumni Fellow Award** was given to Mr. Mark H. Loevner on Thursday, October 15, in recognition of his leadership in his field. This distinguished award is a lifelong title and position awarded to Penn State Alumni who have excelled in their field, been involved in the community and volunteered with multiple organizations. Mr. Loevner and his wife established the Catherine and Mark Loevner Scholarship at Penn State Erie. Students from five public and private Allegheny County schools who have demonstrated a financial need and met a record of community service are eligible. Under Loevner's leadership, Trau & Loevner, a manufacturer of college merchandise, rose to become one of the top five companies manufacturing this type of product in the United States. Loevner is a 1954 Alumnus of Penn State and graduated first in his class of Commerce and Finance. Currently, Mr. Loevner is involved with organizations such as the Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh, the Pittsburgh Ballet, the Civic Light Opera, the United Way, WQED of Pittsburgh, and the Rehabilitation Institute of Pittsburgh.

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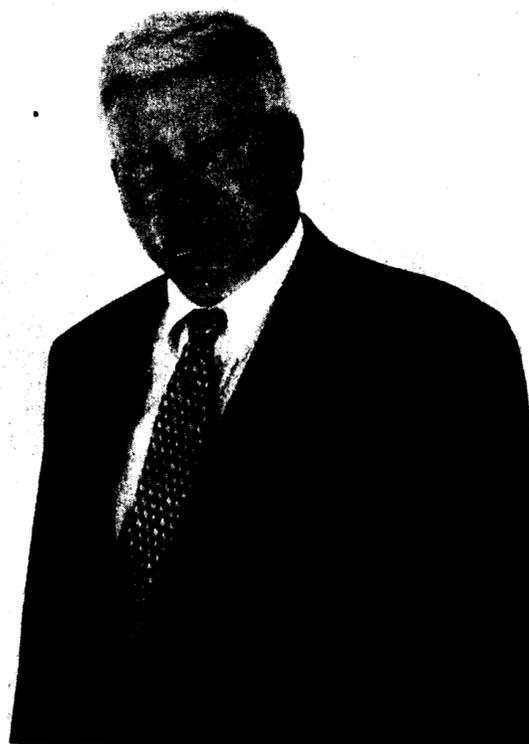


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