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CAMPUS NEWS

LA SALLE UNIVERSITY'S WEEKLY INFORMATION CIRCULAR

Oct. 27th, 2000



LA SALLE UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF THE PROVOST
PHILADELPHIA, PA 19141 • 215-951-1015 • FAX 215-951-1602

October 27, 2000

TO: The La Salle Community

FROM: Richard A. Nigro

RE: Provost's Distinguished Faculty Award Installation and Reception

As you know, Dr. Samuel Wiley received the Provost's Distinguished Faculty Award at our Opening Convocation in August.

We wish to recognize this award again by an informal unveiling ceremony for Dr. Wiley's nameplate on the permanent plaque in the Connelly Library foyer. I cordially invite you to join Dr. Wiley and me for this occasion at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 2. Refreshments will be served in the staff lounge area on the second floor of the Library immediately following the unveiling.

Thank you and I hope you will be able to join us in this additional recognition of Sam Wiley's distinguished contributions to the welfare of La Salle and its students.

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Division of Student Affairs

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Student Affairs Committee * October 12, 2000 * Meeting Minutes

Present: Joseph Cicala (chair), Sharon Armstrong, Ray Bonnette, Jessica Fenchel, Doug Kukta, Bruce Leaby, Georgina Murphy, Nicole Snyder, Matt York.

1. New and returning members were introduced.
2. The committee charge and composition statement was distributed and reviewed. Also distributed were an updated Division of Student Affairs staff list, a document detailing Division of Student Affairs 1999-2000 accomplishments and 2000-2001 priorities, and a memorandum outlining 2000-2001 renovation plans for public areas in the La Salle Union and the student residences.
3. The Fall, 2000 meeting schedule was discussed. Remaining meetings are scheduled for Thursday, November 9 and Thursday, December 7. Both meetings are scheduled to begin at 3:30 p.m. in Room 308, La Salle Union.
4. The committee's 1999-2000 work was reviewed, focusing on our consideration and approval of the new weapons prohibition policy, our discussions of and actions in response to diversity issues, and our discussion and approval of improvements to the IBC Fitness Center and the new Day One program, as well as our ongoing review of the Division of Student Affairs reorganization.
5. Discussion of 2000-2001 goals and objectives.
 - a. Review of Disciplinary Policies and Procedures. Specifically, review this year will focus on our code of conduct, to be followed by review of our judicial policies and procedures during 2001-2002. Sharon, Doug, and Nicole volunteered for this sub-committee, which will be chaired by Associate Dean of Students Alan Wendell. Student representatives will be selected by SGA officers from the student members of our committee once all appointments have been made.
 - b. Review of Club Sports, in conjunction with Athletics and Recreation. This will be undertaken by an *ad hoc* group consisting of representatives from the Student Affairs Committee, the Athletics Committee, staff members from both the Division of Student Affairs and Intercollegiate Athletics and Recreation, and representative leaders and advisors of club sports. Jess and Bruce volunteered for this group. Father Dave Beebe, Student Affairs representative to the Athletics Committee, also will be asked to serve. Student representatives will be selected by SGA officers from the student members of our committee once all appointments have been made.
 - c. There also will be a short-term *ad hoc* group formed, with representatives of our committee, Student Affairs staff, Parents Association members, and others, to help shape the University's response(s) to the options provided in the recent revisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) to notify parents and families when students are found responsible for violations of alcohol and other drug policies. Doug and Georgina volunteered for this group, which will be chaired by Dean Cicala. Student representatives will be selected by SGA officers from the student members of our committee once all appointments have been made.

Each of these groups will be called to meet and begin their work once all representatives have been appointed.

6. Further discussion of diversity and communication issues and needs, carried from the 1999-2000 agenda, was tabled, save for the good news that our work, centering on the identification of both issues and avenues/programs through which they might be addressed, helped contribute to increased focus on diversity issues in both the new Day One program and Opening Weekend.
7. New business, announcements.
 - a. Campus parking. The committee was apprised of student concerns and agreed that the following recommendations be made, on behalf of the committee, to Safety and Security: that enforcement emphasize the identification and towing of vehicles without permits, to alleviate somewhat the lack, or perceived lack, of available spaces, in the main lot; that consideration be given to the revision of conditions under which permit holders may park (e.g. specific lots for specific types of permit holders, identification of specific lots for residents, commuters, freshmen, etc.); and that, to the extent possible, revised conditions be put into effect with new permits purchased as soon as January, 2001.
 - b. Maintenance needs in the student residences. This and related issues currently are under discussion between Academic and Student Affairs and Business Affairs. An update will be provided at our next meeting.
 - c. Commuter student issues. Matt and Jess brought us up to date on initiatives to involve commuter students in University life to a greater degree. SGA officers and Student Affairs staff members have been meeting informally, and soon will meet formally, with representatives of the commuter student population to plan for deeper involvement in University governance and programming, as well as improvements to the Williamson Lounge.
 - d. The genesis and current status of the conditions that led to the currently over-capacity population in our student residences was reviewed.
 - e. The committee discussed the upcoming opening of the IBC Fitness Center. It was decided that, because the committee approved last year the use of Student Activity Fee funds to purchase the new exercise equipment in the center, representatives of Intercollegiate Athletics and Recreation should be invited to an upcoming meeting so they might apprise us of and discuss with us formally the results of the renovations, the hours of operation, health precautions, etc. Dean Cicala will extend this invitation.



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MEMORANDUM

TO: The University Community

DATE: October 27, 2000

SUBJECT: New Members of Our Community

Please join all of us in the Division of Student Affairs as we welcome to La Salle the newest members of our staff:

Brandyn Muller joined the **University Life** staff in mid-October as an **International Education Associate**. She received her BA in Political Science from Rowan University in 1998 and is a candidate for an MA in Central and Eastern European Studies at La Salle University. Her studies and experience in international relations and global economics, coupled with her own travel experiences, create an opportunity for her to assist our students as they prepare to travel abroad. Brandyn will assist individual students and groups of students and faculty as they plan international experiences to enhance their education. Brandyn's office is located in the Multicultural and International Center.

Corey Robert Harris joined the **University Ministry and Service** staff on October 25. As **Administrative Assistant**, Corey will provide support for his fellow staff members, including correspondence, managing files and other office systems, preparing promotional materials, assisting in the supervision of student workers, and interacting with visitors to the De La Salle Chapel office on the lower level of College Hall. Corey earned his BA in Business/Economics and Religious Studies at Lafayette College, and has been active in football, Greek life, and fund-raising for the American Cancer Society. He plans to pursue an MA in Theology at La Salle.

Taya Abrahamian will join the **University Life** staff on November 1. Taya's responsibilities as an **International Education Associate** include assisting and advising all international students with immigration and adjustment issues. She will provide orientation to all new international students each semester and create ongoing opportunities for international students to be fully integrated into the La Salle experience. Her background as an international student, her fluency in Persian and English, her knowledge of Arabic and German, and her MBA in Organizational Behavior from La Salle University create an opportunity for continued improvement of the La Salle experience for international students. Taya's office is located in the Multicultural and International Center.

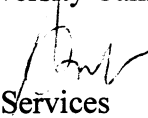
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LA SALLE UNIVERSITY

Food Service Department
Philadelphia, PA 19141-1199
(215) 951-1388 Fax: (215) 951-1830

To: The La Salle University Campus Community

From: Stephen C. Greb 
Director of Food Services

Date: October 27, 2000

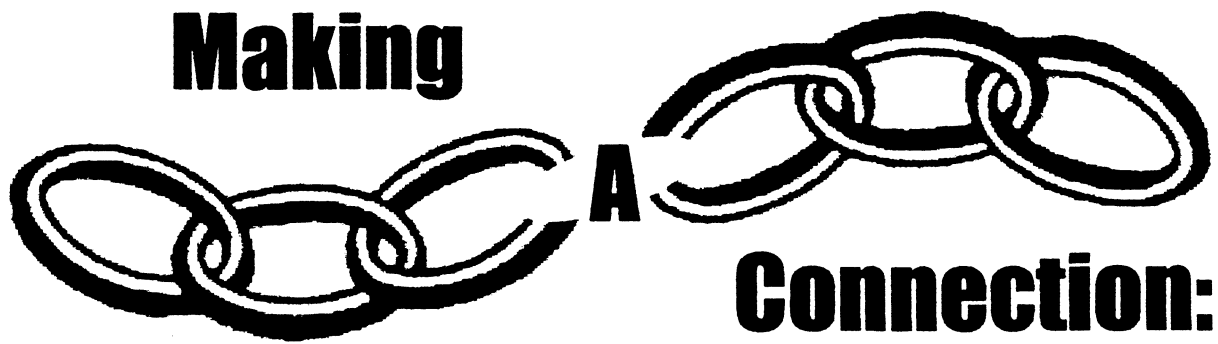
RE: New Catering Manager

It is my pleasure to announce to the campus community that **Kathryn Murphy** has joined the Food Services staff as the **Catering Manager**. Katie will report to David Walsh, our Executive Chef, and will oversee the planning and execution of catered events on campus.

A graduate of St Mary's College, Indiana, Katie trained at the *Ritz-Escoffier Ecole de Gastronomie Francaise* in Paris. Her professional experience includes positions with a catering company in Oregon and more recently as Catering & Conferences Manager at The National Hotel in Miami.

Katie's desk will be in the Food Services office located in the lower level of the La Salle Union building. She is available to assist the campus community at ext -1419.

I would also like to take this opportunity to express my sincere gratitude to **Carol Hoeke** for all of the hard work she has put into Catering during this transition period.

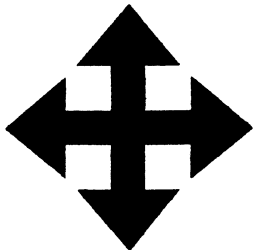


Creating Community in the Spirit of St. La Salle

A half-hour of Prayer & Reflection celebrated monthly in the De La Salle Chapel for the entire Lasallian community — Faculty, Administration, Students & Staff

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7th
@ 4:30 PM

“Many Ministries — the Same Spirit”



University Ministry & Service

PLAN AHEAD: Final session of the Fall Semester will be held on Thursday, December 7th, at 12:30 PM.

Permission to Post — University Ministry & Service

*Let us remember in prayer
all who have passed from
death to life.*

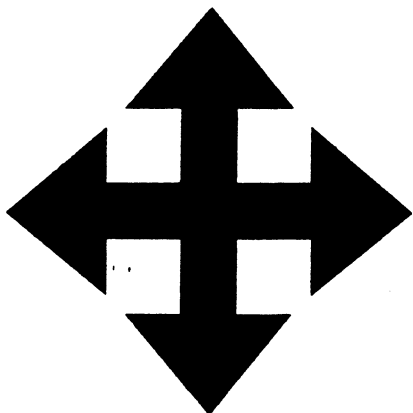
November is traditionally the month during which Christians remember, in prayer, those who have gone before.

Cards have been placed throughout the campus on which you can record the name of a person whom you would like to be remembered in prayer.

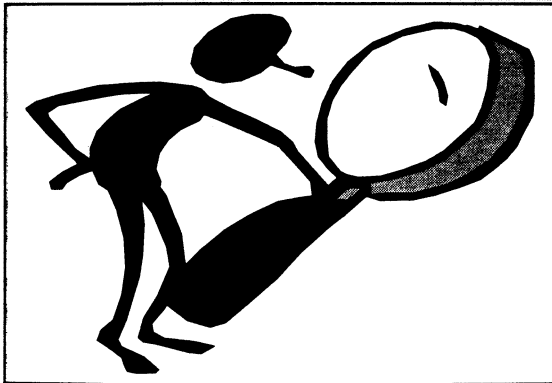
If it is more convenient, please write a name in the space below and return this form to us at Box 841, Campus Mail.

(Please write name here.)

You are also invited to participate by stopping by the De La Salle Chapel in College Hall, taking a card or two from the basket, and praying for the person(s) for whom another member of the University Community has asked prayers.



**UNIVERSITY
MINISTRY & SERVICE**



EXPLORE THIS!!

La Salle University Student Affairs

Events Calendar

Friday, October 27 to Saturday, November 4, 2000

<p>FRIDAY 27</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Liturgy in Chapel @12:30PM *MEN'S SOCCER GAME against Rhode Island @3:30PM in McCarthy Stadium *Campus-Wide Reading Group Monthly Meeting (all welcome) -- meet in St. Miguel D9 @4:30PM Union@max.cap: * RSA \$5 Night – Haunted Hayride co-sponsored by Katharine's RSA leave Union Station @6PM *Horror Movie Night in the Dan Rodden Theater: "Freaks" @6PM; "Rosemary's Baby" @7:15PM; "Exorcist" @9:30PM 	<p>SATURDAY 28</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *MEN AND WOMEN'S HEAD OF THE SCHUYLKILL RACE on the Schuylkill River Union@max.cap: *Movie: "Scream 3" in the Dan Rodden Theater – 2 showings – 7:30PM and 9:30PM *REMINDER: CHANGE CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR!!! 	<p>SUNDAY 29</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *National Society for Collegiate Scholars in the Ballroom from 11AM – 4PM *MEN'S SOCCER GAME against Massachusetts @1PM in McCarthy Stadium *Liturgy in Chapel @6:30PM
<p>MONDAY 30</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Seniors Spring Pre-Registration *Liturgy in Chapel @12:30PM 	<p>TUESDAY 31</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *HAPPY HALLOWEEN!! *Seniors Spring Pre-Registration *Confession in Chapel @3:30PM; Vigil Liturgy for All Saints Day @4:30PM 	<p>WEDNESDAY 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Seniors Spring Pre-Registration *All Saints Liturgies in Chapel @9:30AM and 12:30PM *ALANA & INTERNATIONAL STUDENT RECEPTION from 3:30-5PM in the Hayman Ctr. Mezzanine – all are welcome to attend!
<p>THURSDAY 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Liturgy in Chapel @12:30PM *WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL GAME against Temple @7PM in the Tom Gola Arena *SigmaPhiEpsilon Juvenile Arthritis Dinner 	<p>FRIDAY 3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Juniors Spring Pre-Registration *Liturgy in Chapel @12:30PM UNION@max.cap: "Simple Gifts" a folk music group in the Music Room @8PM *Honors Formal at Regency Caterers 	<p>SATURDAY 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *MEN & WOMEN'S CREW -- ATLANTIC 10 HEAT RACE on the Schuylkill River

SPECIAL NOTES: Any campus-wide events you want posted? Call x1374. Coming next semester -web calendar/reservation process



La Salle University

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19141

Philosophy Department

“The Place of Humanity in the Cosmos”

October 31, 12:30 PM

Holroyd 329

Dr. Massimo Robberto, an astrophysicist and member of the European Space Agency, will discuss how the universe has evolved from the Big Bang to states of increasing complexity, including the formation of primeval galaxies. This process made possible the appearance of consciousness and human freedom. His presentation will include spectacular slides and computer projections employing the latest technology for the processing of information from the Hubble space telescope. Dr. Robberto works at the Space Telescope Science Institute in Baltimore, which is responsible for servicing the Hubble telescope.

This talk is sponsored by the Department of Philosophy and organized by Communio, a group on campus dedicated toward exploring the relationship between faith and culture.

La Salle University
Teaching and Learning Center

COMING SOON!

Tuesday, October 31st
12:30 p.m. - 1:45 p.m.
College Hall 205

for an interactive panel discussion

*Teaching the Doubles:
How to Develop Joint Sessions*

It can be said that the backbone of a quality educational experience from the pairing of two courses in different disciplines is the collaborative effort given by the faculty members involved in the doubling. Come and hear how two pairs of faculty members involved in two different doubles worked together to develop their courses. Our panelists will include:

Stuart Leibiger, History and Joyce Hunley, Education
Mary Robertson, English and Bruce Leaby, Accounting

If you are already involved in a doubles experience, or are considering becoming involved in the future, you will find this discussion very informative.

Join us for the sharing of information, collegial discussion, and Halloween snacks and treats (no tricks.)

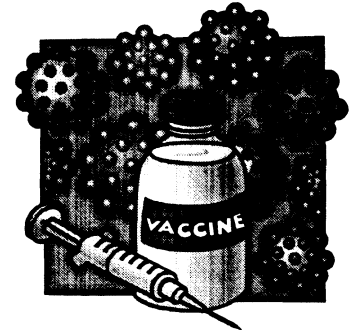
To ensure sufficient seating and treats, please RSVP to Kathi McNichol at 951-1824 or email: mcnichol@lasalle.edu.

Hope to see you there!

Sponsored by the New Core Curriculum and the Teaching and Learning Center



AAAA-CHEEWWW!!!!



FLU SHOTS

FREE

For all Faculty and
Staff of La Salle
University

Date: Thursday November 2, 2000

Time: 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Place: 2nd Floor Student Union
Building**

**Flu shots will be given in the Music
Room (next to the faculty dining room)
in Student Union Building.**

Any Questions, Contact
Cynthia Krapels, CRNP

(215) 951-5051

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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19141

AAUP

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE PENNSYLVANIA CONFERENCE OF THE AAUP

The annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Conference of the AAUP will be held in the Music Room of the Union on Saturday, November 4th, from 9:00 A.M. until approximately 3:00 P.M.

The keynote speaker will be Dr. Jane Panek from the National who will speak on "Governance in Crisis." Her talk will be followed by a Panel Session on the topic of faculty handbooks. Participants from attending colleges and universities have been invited to bring their handbooks for discussion. The afternoon will conclude with an open Executive Board Meeting

We are waiting to be informed about the exact time of Dr. Panek's talk and the Panel Session for the benefit of members of the La Salle community wishing to attend just part of the day's events. Anyone wishing such information should feel free to contact Mark Ratkus (ext. 1575) or David George (ext. 1185) sometime over the next week.

Faculty Members, Save the Date: **Monday, November 6**

Would you like to attend the Fall Semester
Faculty-Student Dinner Party
hosted by students in their **St. Miguel Townhouses?**

5:30: Stop 1: All participating faculty members gather for Hors d'oeuvres in the Faculty-In-Residence House (D-9)

6:00: Stop 2: Individual faculty members are escorted to hosting townhouses for dinner with 5-8 students.

7:15: Stop 3: All participating students and faculty members reconvene for coffee and desserts in the St. Miguel Community Room.*

*The students are prepared to do all of the cooking, but if you have a favorite dessert you'd like to share, you are welcome to bring it.

Please join us! To ask questions or reserve a space, call Mia Grogan at x2610 or e-mail: grogan@lasalle.edu.

You may also fill in the form below and send it campus mail to Box 162.

Faculty-Student Dinner Party Reservation

(mail to box 162)

Name: _____ Department: _____

Phone/e-mail: _____ Dietary restrictions? _____

Planning to bring Dessert? _____

Please join La Salle University's
Electronic Commerce Institute
e-Commerce Lecture Series
featuring a presentation by VerticalNet

**“Doing business in the new economy
using the vertical marketplace”**

Wednesday, November 15

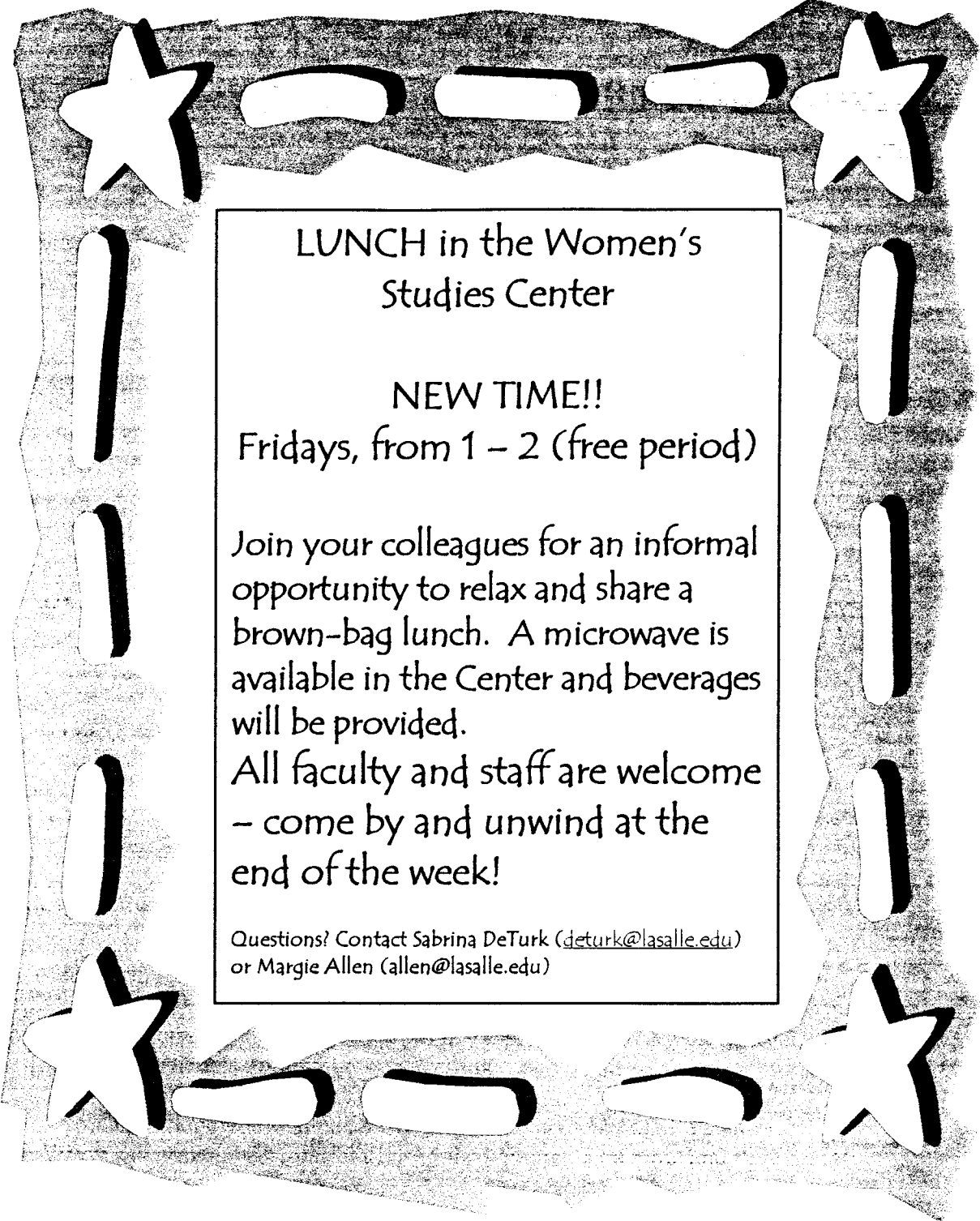
7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Dan Rodden Theatre

Union Building

VerticalNet, based in Horsham, PA, provides e-commerce solutions targeted at distinct business segments through three Strategic Business Units: VerticalNet Markets, VerticalNet Exchanges, and VerticalNet Solutions.

Sponsored by:
The Electronic Commerce Institute
and the School of Business Administration



LUNCH in the Women's
Studies Center

NEW TIME!!

Fridays, from 1 – 2 (free period)

Join your colleagues for an informal opportunity to relax and share a brown-bag lunch. A microwave is available in the Center and beverages will be provided.

All faculty and staff are welcome – come by and unwind at the end of the week!

Questions? Contact Sabrina DeTurk (deturk@lasalle.edu) or Margie Allen (allen@lasalle.edu)



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Faculty Senate

La Salle's Faculty Mediation Committee

What is Mediation?

Mediation is a form of conflict resolution that attempts to arrive at a mutually agreeable solution for both parties involved. It does not attempt to determine what actually happened or if one report is more accurate or reliable than another. Mediation starts with the reports of both parties and, in as neutral a fashion as possible, focuses on what should happen in the future to resolve the conflict. Mediation is not a legal proceeding. It is a non-adversarial opportunity for people to get together and collegially solve their problems. Individuals who bring their concerns to the Faculty Mediation Committee should be assured of the confidentiality and respectfulness of this process.

What is the purpose of the Faculty Mediation Committee?

The purpose of the La Salle Faculty Mediation Committee is to offer an alternative form of conflict resolution for faculty who believe they have grounds for grievance as described in the La Salle University Faculty Mediation and Grievance Policies and Procedures approved by University Council. When a conflict is not resolvable through established procedures, an individual may choose to contact the chair of this committee who will appoint mediators to meet with the parties involved. Once both parties have expressed their concerns the focus will shift to resolution. Ideally, at the conclusion of the process a written agreement will give tangible evidence that the parties have successfully worked together to resolve the conflict.

Who is on the Faculty Mediation Committee?

The Faculty Mediation Committee met for the first time on August 21. Committee members are as follows: Jim Butler, Joe Cicala, Evie Cogan, Rich DiDio, Dave Falcone, Br. Gerry Fitzgerald, Marybeth Haas, Pat Haberstroh, Mike Kerlin, Tom McPhillips, Jackie Pastis, and Mike Smith. Mike Smith, Department of Communication, will serve as convener pro tempore until a committee chair is elected.

For More Information

An Open Forum sponsored by the La Salle University Faculty Mediation Committee has been scheduled for **Wednesday, November 29, 1:00-2:30**, in the Board Room, 2nd Floor Union, to inform the La Salle community about this new committee. Lunch will be provided.



ARE YOU CURRENTLY
ADVISING A STUDENT
ORGANIZATION?
ARE YOU INTERESTED IN
BECOMING AN ADVISOR?
THEN THIS PROGRAM IS
FOR YOU!

THE DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS PRESENTS:
HOW TO GET YOUR GROUP GOING &
GUIDE THEM RIGHT

A WORKSHOP FOR ABOUT ADVISING STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS FOR
CURRENT AND POTENTIAL ADVISORS.
LEARN HOW EFFECTIVELY ADVISE YOUR GROUP.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2000
12:30 - 2:00 PM
UNION MUSIC ROOM
RSVP: CAROLYN LEMONGELLI
X1916



LA SALLE UNIVERSITY

DIPLOMAT-IN-RESIDENCE PROGRAM

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Diplomat-in-Residence 2001

**will be held
March 26, 27, and 28**

A session on women
will precede the Conference
as part of Women's History Month.



Detailed information will follow.

EXPLORER SPORTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Friday, October 27

Field Hockey at Rhode Island	3:00 PM
Men's Soccer vs Rhode Island	3:30 PM
Women's Volleyball at Dayton	6:30 PM
Women's Soccer at Rhode Island	7:00 PM

Saturday, October 28

Men and Women's Crew at Head of the Schuylkill	
Women's Volleyball at Xavier	7:00 PM
Cross Country Atlantic 10 Championships at Duquesne	10:00 AM
Swimming vs Navy (W)	1:00 PM

Sunday, October 29

Field Hockey at Massachusetts	12:00 PM
Men's Soccer vs Massachusetts	1:00 PM
Women's Soccer at Massachusetts	1:00 PM

Thursday, November 2

Women's Volleyball vs Temple	7:00 PM
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Fri.-Sun., November 3-5

Men's Soccer Atlantic 10 Tournament at Rhode Island	
Women's Soccer Atlantic 10 Tournament at Xavier	

Sunday, November 5

Women's Basketball vs LEGACY AAU (Exhibition)	12:00 PM
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Home events in bold.

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