Welcome to the June edition of MUCH in OAP

Student Happenings—"New Really Exciting Stuff in the College of Agriculture"

Spring Commencement May 12, 2012

If you have an article, or photo, relating to our undergraduate/graduate programs, please feel free to share; we will do our best to incorporate in the newsletter. We do want to try and keep it simple, yet informative. Please note the parameters: we will need any information, that you would like to see in this newsletter, one week prior to the first Monday of each month. Please forward to Janet Ward at janetward@purdue.edu.

Friendly reminder that this newsletter will be linked and archived to the OAP website.
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CHECK-IN .....for College of Agriculture’s Soon To Be — Newest Graduates .... Just a few more minutes. :-)
Orlando Garcia hard at work checking the students in.

Lineup for College of Agriculture’s Newest Graduates; the excitement is building.
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College of Agriculture Commencement
Line-up
Pamala Morris
Banner Bearer

College of Agriculture Commencement Reception
Left to Right
Donya Lester
Barry Delks
Allan Goecker
Study Abroad

Haiti Winter Break Course – Encourage students to apply now. Applications are due soon to AGAD 1. Students will work with Heifer International & a local university in a hands-on & interactive way. They will learn about sustainable food production & agriculture extension. Watch the YouTube video from last year – click ‘like’ to vote for this video in the American Society of Animal Science Video Competition.

Semester Exchange Programs – Students should apply now for the spring 2013 semester. There are numerous locations available for semester programs.

Agriculture Study Abroad Office is located in AGAD 1. Please direct students to the website or to AGAD 1 or email AgAbroad@purdue.edu.

International Ag Ambassadors for 2012-2013 are: Daniel Drees, Colleen Hartel, Rachael James, Annie Li, Ashley Norris, Kristy Oates, Justin Orme, Brittany Sievers, Anna Zhou, and Alexis Zobel.
College of Agriculture .... gearing up for STAR .... June 18—June 28

(Student Access, Transition and Success) Programs

Check out this link for more information: http://www.purdue.edu/sats/STAR

STAR is required for all new beginner and transfer students. The reason why Purdue University requires it is that students complete nearly everything they need for their first semester (including registration, ID, banking, etc.) early in the summer. This then gives students and parents time to prepare, change courses, change class times, ask questions, and get everything set for the first week of classes.

Students who do not attend this program will still receive advisement and can register for their fall courses, but they will not be able to do so until after STAR has ended (in late July).

The OAP Staff at an all day retreat held at ....

The Dick and Sandy Dauch Alumni Center

May 30, 2012

Kevin Eikenberry—Facilitator
The June Scoop....did you know?

1070 - Roquefort cheese created in a cave near Roquefort, France

1498 - Toothbrush invented

1613 - Shakespeare's Globe Theater burns down

1721 - Dr Zabdiel Boylston gives 1st smallpox inoculations in America

1820 - Tomato is proven non-poisonous

1848 - 1st pure food law enacted in US

1883 - 1st commercial electric railway line begins operation (Chicago El)

1885 - Statue of Liberty arrived in NYC aboard French ship 'Isere'

1889 - The Canadian Pacific Railway is completed from coast to coast.

1891 - Painter Gauguin arrives in Papeete, Tahiti

1894 - 1st US poliomyelitis epidemic breaks out, Rutland, Vermont

1906 - Pure Food & Drug Act & Meat Inspection Act adopted

1908 - Giant fireball most likely caused by the air burst of a large meteoroid or comet impacts in Siberia

1909 - Alice Huyler Ramsey, a 22-year-old housewife and mother from Hackensack, New Jersey, becomes the first woman to drive across the United States. With three female companions, none of whom could drive a car, in fifty-nine days she drove a Maxwell automobile the 3,800 miles from Manhattan, New York, to San Francisco, California.

1910 - Passenger on SS Arawatta throws bottle with note overboard (found June 6, 1983 in Queensland)

1928 - Velveeta Cheese created by Kraft
Any student engaging in research under a professor in Agriculture may apply for a $500.00 grant on behalf of her or his professor. Since professors may incur significant costs in hosting undergraduate researchers, this is an opportunity for students to help defray some of your expenses. Go to http://www.agriculture.purdue.edu/oap/undergraduateresearch.asp and look for a link to the application form under the “Office of Academic Programs Funding for Professors” heading. Applications must be submitted by the student. Questions—please contact Tim Kerr, Assistant Director for Academic Excellence (kerrtp@purdue.edu or 494-8470).
Instructor Resources ... Check out these web sites for more information on ... 

Technology in the Classroom
http://www.itap.purdue.edu/learning/facilities/tic/

Technology in the classroom locations
http://www.itap.purdue.edu/learning/facilities/tic/locations/

iClicker information
http://www.itap.purdue.edu/learning/tools/iclicker/

Reserving an Instructional Lab
http://www.itap.purdue.edu/learning/facilities/instructionallabs/resources/request.cfm

Assistive Technology Center (ATC)
http://www.itap.purdue.edu/learning/support/atc/

Instructional Labs
http://www.itap.purdue.edu/learning/facilities/instructionallabs/

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Summer 2012 Academic Calendar

MAY
Monday 14 Maymester Begins  7:30 a.m.
JUNE
Friday 8 Maymester Ends  5:30 p.m.
MAY
Monday 14 First Four-Week Module Begins  7:30 a.m.
Monday 28 MEMORIAL DAY (No Classes)
JUNE
Friday 8 First Four-Week Module Ends*  5:30 p.m.
Monday 11 Second Four-Week Module Begins  7:30 a.m.
JULY
Wednesday 4 Independence Holiday Observed (No Classes)
Monday 6 Second Four-Week Module Ends*  5:30 p.m.
Monday 9 Third Four-Week Module Begins  7:30 a.m.
AUGUST
Friday 3 Third Four-Week Module Ends*  5:30 p.m.
Saturday 4 COMENCEMENT (All Colleges/Schools)  9:30 a.m.

*Summer Grades due by 5:00 p.m. of the second working day after the end of each module.

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