CONCORDIA WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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International Orientation

Tuesday, September 2nd - 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. Room: HA015. For more information, email Agathe Lairy at agathe.lairy@concordia.ab.ca

Weekly Update With Brett



CSA Pancake Breakfast Sept. 3rd Tegler Centre



IMPORTANT DATES

- ⇒ Sept. 2 Student Orientation
- Sept. 3 -Regular University Classes Begin. Fees are Due
- Sept. 9 Census Day. Last Day to Add or Drop Classes.
- Sept. 20 -Last day to Opt Out of the CSA Health & Dental



Join the Student Association, between 1:00-6:00 pm on the Buffalo Patio (outside Upper Tegler) to kick off Fall Semester!

- ⇒ Drinks ⇒ Wear Blue and Gold
- ⇒ Bring Gov I.D and Student I.D ⇒ Prizes
- ⇒ After Party at <u>Squires</u> \Rightarrow Food

Contact CSA VP, Mitch Jones for more info! Email: csavpstudentlife@student.concordia.ab.ca

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INTERESTED IN BUYING OR SELLING USED TEXT BOOKS?

You passed your class now get some cash! MORE INFORMATION ON PAGE 2.

Student Life publishes the "Concordia Weekly" E-Newsletter that Concordians receive by email. If you wish to submit information to be included in the publication, you can do so by emailing Student Life at studentlife@concordia.ab.ca by 4:00 p.m. the Thursday prior to publication.

Student Athletes interested in participating in any of the following sports are asked to attend at the appropriate time and place listed below. Please show up prepared with appropriate shoes and athletic wear for all sports except Golf (information session only).

WOMEN'S SOCCER

Tuesday September 2 @ 4:00 PM, Concordia Soccer Field

MEN'S SOCCER

Tuesday September 2 @ 5:30 PM, Concordia Soccer Field

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Wednesday September 3 @ 4:00 PM, Ralph King Athletic Centre Gymnasium

CROSS COUNTRY RUNNING

Wednesday September 3 @ 5:30 PM, Ralph King Athletic Centre Gymnasium

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Wednesday September 3 @ 6:30 PM, Ralph King Athletic Centre Gymnasium

GOLF

Thursday September 4 @ 4:30 PM, Ralph King Athletic Centre Gymnasium

BADMINTON

Thursday September 4 @ 5:00 PM, Ralph King Athletic Centre Gymnasium

MEN'S & WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL

Thursday September 4 @ 6:30 PM, Ralph King Athletic Centre Gymnasium

HOCKEY

Contact Coach Dan Glegloff @ (780) 708-2399 or daniel.glegloff@concordia.ab.ca

CURLING

Tuesday September 9 @ 5:00 PM, Ralph King Athletic Centre Gymnasium



Interested in Buying or Selling Used Text Books?

You passed your class now get some cash! SEPT. 3-12

The **Student-Led Used Book Marketplace** is organized by the Concordia Students' Association (CSA) and Student Life for students to buy and sell used textbooks. The market will operate from September 3-12 during Fall Semester, and will be located in Tegler Centre. Tables will be set up with listing pages, lists will be identified by: Which class/course the textbook is for, textbook title, asking price of the book and contact information. Please refer to http://concordia.ab.ca/student-led-used-book-marketplace/ for more information.

Making Tuition Payments Online

https://onlineservices.concordia.ab.ca/student/

Check your **Statement of Account online**:

Your online statement will include payments, billing adjustments due to course changes and credit of scholarships/bursaries, if applicable.

You will be notified by email instructing you to check your statement online when your billing changes or, if scholarships and/or bursaries are credited to your account.

Paying with Credit Card:

Credit card payments can also be made through online student services.

Paying by Online Banking:

In your online bank account, set up Concordia University College of Alberta. Use your <u>student id</u> <u>number as your account number</u>. Allow 2-3 business days for online or bank payments to be receipted to your Student Account.

NEW!

Students & Campus Printing

Students can now use the Konica-Minolta multi-function printers on campus to print, copy, and scan documents, (in labs, library, etc.) on top of the lab printing they had access to in the past.

Students will be provided with a complementary \$10* printing credit each semester, which you are free to use for any type of printing on-campus. Additional information on the new printing set-up is available online.

Advertising on Campus Bulletin Boards

Concordia has several posting boards on campus. Staff, students, alumni and guests can post notices with approval. You can get approval from the Welcome Centre (HA 107) or Student Life & Learning (HA 114). In order to keep the boards organized, we ask that you adhere to the following guidelines.

- ⇒ Posters must be stamped "Approved for Posting" and have an expiry date.
- ⇒ Do not use tape on any surface for any reason. Use sticky tack only (available at Student Life, or for purchase at the Bookstore) for the posting boards in the Hole Academic building.

Questions? Contact Student Life at: studentlife@concordia.ab.ca who oversees the bulletin boards.

MODIFIED BOOKSTORE HOURS:

To accommodate students the Bookstore will stay open until 6:30 p.m. on the following days:

- ⇒ Wednesday, September 3
- ⇒ Thursday, September 4
- ⇒ Monday, September 8
- ⇒ Tuesday, September 9



Trade & Car Show Sat. Sept 6th 7308-112Ave Bellevue Hall

Students living on campus can walk to this event! Drop in and check out all the display at the community sponsored trade show. Car Show, Carnival Food Door prizes.

THE SECRET GARDEN-AUDITIONS

Adaptation of the book by Francis Hodgeson Burnett, Michael Shamata and Paula Wing

directed by Michelle Rios

Theatre at Concordia presents a theatrical adaptation of the children's classic *The Secret Garden*. When 10 year old Mary Lennox loses her family in a cholera epidemic in India she is sent to live with her last remaining relative at Misselthwaite Manor on the bleak Yorkshire moor. The rambling old manor house holds dark secrets but there is life and hope to be found in the gardens. Nature, friendship and perhaps a little magic transform the lives of everyone at Misselthwaite.

Auditions in the Tegler Auditorium Tuesday, Sept. 9 & Wed. Sept. 10th 3:30 to 6:00 p.m.

For more information contact Caroline Howarth in the Greenroom or caroline.howarth@concordia.ab.ca

CAREER SERVICES INFORMATION

Career Services has moved to the second floor of the library, drop by and say hello!

STUDENT DROP IN HOURS

Discover our career and employment services during Student Drop-In times, 11am-1pm Mondays-Thursdays. Room: L358. Phone: 780-378-8461

CAREER SERVICES IS HIRING PART TIME!

Are you strong in marketing with superior English writing and Speaking skills? Then submit a resume during student drop in hours.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR CONCORDIA'S VOLUNTEER FAIR!

September 30th. 10am-2pm. Tegler Centre Plan to attend!

For more information, contact Philipa at philipa.hardy@concordia.ab.ca



Find out more and enter the September drawing for \$1,000 in Concordia Student Health 101...

Inside This Edition:

- 30 seconds to make an impression
- Take charge of your credit
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- Active Listener or problem solver?
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Did you know that if you are a full time undergrad student with Concordia, or an International Student, that you now have a Health & Dental Plan?!

Your plan is effective Sept. 01, 2014 right through to Aug 31, 2015. However, if you already have extended health care coverage on your own, through your parents, or a spouse, then you can opt out of your CSA plan.

It's simple to opt out at www.mystudentplan.ca but you must-already have other extended health care insurance and you must Opt Out by September 20! You can also add family members such as a spouse or children into the plan, and they too must be added by the September 20, 2014 deadline. Returning students who have already opted out last year do NOT need to opt out again, your opt out will carry over from the previous year.

Questions? Drop by to visit Heather Holubowich, Student Benefit Coordinator, in room A212 Alumni Hall. Office hours are Mon-Fri from 8:30 until 4 p.m. Heather can also be reached by calling 780-378-8459. Or email: concordiaplan@mystudentplan.ca.