



February 20, 2009

Northern Recruits at 9C Tournament



The District 9C Basketball Tournament is in town and MSU-Northern was on hand to get names and answer any questions people might have about attending

Northern. Special thanks to everyone who signed up to help run the booth. We gave away two Official Northern Basketballs signed by the Lights and Skylights players.

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Beauty And The Beast Opens Next Week



Months of hard work will be coming together next week as 62 people will take to the stage to present Disney's "Beauty and the Beast". The show is the result of the collaborative effort of Montana Actor's Theatre and the Havre High Drama Program. Several of Northern's students and staff have helped with the set and Northern's Student Senate President Kristiny Lorette will be playing the part of Mrs. Potts. This production was part of Lorette's student teaching assignment.

This project is clearly one of the biggest local musical productions ever to hit Havre and will be well worth the wait and the effort. You will not want to miss it. It is being Directed by Casey Pratt, Musical Direction by Angela Pratt and Technical Direction by Jay Pyette

Shows will be February 26, 27 at 7:00 p.m. Saturday, February 28 at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. and March 1st at 2:00 p.m. Tickets are available at the door for \$8/Adults, \$6/Students & Seniors and \$4/Children. MSU-Northern Students are Free with current student ID.

Staff Dependents Take Classes

A great benefit Northern employees can enjoy is the Faculty/Staff Dependent Tuition Waiver. This benefit is available to all permanent employees who are at least .75FTE and who have worked for Northern for at least 5 years. It waives 50% of tuition for one of the employee's family members, so all they pay is half tuition and the mandatory fees. With the summer schedule due out soon, your spouse or college-age children might want to take a few classes this summer. Remember that we can use either the Faculty/Staff Tuition Waiver OR the Faculty/Staff Dependent Tuition Waiver each semester, but not both in the same semester.

National Trio Week

Next week is National Trio Week so Northern's Student Support Services (SSS) will be having three drawings for a daily prize T,W,TH. The participants have a question every day and those who answer correctly will enter the daily drawing. Students that sign up at SSS during next week will enter a separate drawing. The students that participate in the daily drawing will enter a drawing on Friday for a grand prize. Thursday is the National Trio Day, so to celebrate the SSS will provide cookies and punch. The prizes will be exhibited in the show case in Cowan.

New Website - CareerExpress



The MSU-Northern Career Center is excited to announce the launch of our new CareerExpress website.

Links are available for students (including alumni), employers and faculty to sign on to the system at www.msun.edu/stuaffairs/career/.

This new site will help students find a great job by enabling them to:

- Search for and apply for job opportunities online
- Schedule on-campus interviews
- View and RSVP for on-campus Employer Information Sessions
- Maintain an online Personal Calendar
- Manage multiple resumes, cover letters, and other employment related documents
- Much more!

Participating employers will have the ability to:

- Visit one centralized online location to post and manage an unlimited number of jobs
- Set parameters for job openings

- about to expire
- Conduct a student search for qualified applicants
- Manage student applicants for on campus interviews
- Much more!

This new service is available now so please contact us with any questions or register and begin using the new system today!

Two brown bag lunch training sessions will be offered:

- Wednesday, February 25th @ Noon, Brockmann 214 (SIFE will be selling chili dogs as usual)
- Thursday, February 26th @ Noon, Cowan Hall

Northern Alum Excels

Michele VanDyke, a second team All Frontier Conference basketball player for the Skylights in 2006 and 2007 returns to Northern this Saturday as an assistant coach for the Montana Tech Orediggers women's basketball team. This season is Michele's first with the Orediggers. Before joining the Tech staff, Michele played professional basketball in Germany.

Someone Who'll Watch Over Me

Montana Actors' Theatre is pleased to present for two nights only, Frank McGuiness' "Someone Who'll Watch Over Me" This play explores the relationship among three men trapped together as hostages in Lebanon. An American, an Irishman, and an Englishman are by turns agonized, bitter, hilarious and brave as they buck one another up, tear on another down, and try desperately to pass the time without losing hope. The play will be in the MAT/MSU-Northern Little Theatre Jan 20 and 21 at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are available at the door for \$12/Adults and \$10/Students & Seniors MSU-Northern Students are Free with a current student ID.

Job Openings at Northern

Assistant Professor of Chemistry and Physics (tenure track) - responsibilities include teaching chemistry and physics at an undergraduate level to students majoring in biology, pre-pharmacy, and technical sciences. PhD or ABD in Chemistry required. Date available August 2009.

Assistant Professor of Music (tenure track) - responsibilities include teaching music theory, music methods, music appreciation, and vocal ensemble at the undergraduate level. Master's in Music or Music Education (ABD, PhD preferred). Date available August 2009

For complete vacancy announcements see www.msun.edu/hr/employment

College Goal Sunday

MSU-Northern will be host to College Goal Sunday which is a nationwide event held every year in February. Financial Aid experts and other volunteers will be on hand to help current and future students complete their financial aid applications (FAFSA) on-line for the upcoming school year. Students and parents can come this Sunday, February 22nd from 1pm-4pm in the computer lab in the basement of the VandeBogart Library. Students who participate are eligible to win a \$500 Scholarship so spread the word and plan to attend!

Computer Tips

By Marianne Hoppe

Word 2007 Keyboard shortcuts (part 2)

You can speed up your work by avoiding reaching for the mouse if you are familiar with keyboard shortcuts. If you forget one of these, use the mouse and go to the menus and when you hover your mouse over the action you want, the keyboard shortcut will be displayed. Here are some of the less common shortcuts:

CTRL+Shift+W	Underline words but not spaces
CTRL+E	Center a paragraph
CTRL+J	Justify a paragraph
CTRL+1	Single space lines in a document section
CTRL+5	1.5 line spacing
CTRL+2	Double space lines in a document section
CTRL+M	Indent a paragraph from the left
CTRL+Shift++	Apply superscripting select text
CTRL+=	Apply subscripting to select text
CTRL+End	move the cursor to the end of the document
CTRL+Home	move the cursor to the beginning of a document

Tidbits

By Bill Lanier

What do the following have in common? Anna Bateman, Leo Bullchild, Kyle Fisher and Kyle Samson have in common? All are assistant coaches here at Northern and have received the Student Excellence Award.

Upcoming Events

Feb. 20

Step Aerobics 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Yoga 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Skylights Basketball vs. UM-Western 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Lights Basketball vs. UM-Western 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Feb. 21

Skylights Basketball vs. Montana Tech 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Lights Basketball vs Montana Tech 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Feb. 22

College Goal Sunday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Feb. 23

Step Aerobics 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Yoga 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Guest Lecture: Terry Brockie 12:00 PM - 12:50 PM

IOC Club Meeting 5:00 PM - 5:15 PM

ASMSUN Senate Meeting 5:15 PM - 7:00 PM

I/R Coed Volleyball 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Feb. 24

Wall Climbing 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Threw With Chew Week speaker: Rick Bender 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
I/R Coed Volleyball 8:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Feb. 25

20th Annual Big Sky Career Fair (U of M) 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Step Aerobics 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Yoga 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM
Guest Lecture: Terry Brockie 12:00 PM - 12:50 PM

Feb. 26

4th Annual "Almost" Spring Job & Internship Fair (MSU-Bozeman) 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Skylights Basketball @ Rocky Mountain College 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
ChiAlpha Meeting 7:00 PM
MAT presents "Disney's Beauty & the Beast" 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
HBO DEF Poets "Death From Below" 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM
Lights Basketball @ Rocky Mountain College 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

Feb. 27

Deadline for American Cancer Society's Daffodil Days Order
Get your Northern Showcase Concert Association tickets half off
Step Aerobics 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Yoga 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM
MAT presents "Disney's Beauty & the Beast" 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Feb. 28

MAT presents "Disney's Beauty & the Beast" 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Skylights Basketball @ Carroll College 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
MAT presents "Disney's Beauty & the Beast" 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Lights Basketball @ Carroll College 8:00 PM - 9:30 PM

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