

The Splinter



Information for ACC Students – 11/2118

Look for a new Splinter every week of the semester - it contains information about all things ACC: processes, deadlines, department information, club activities, policies, and other items that are of interest to students. A link is posted on our website www.alpenacc.edu in the Calendar & Events section and sent to all ACC email addresses. Several copies are distributed around campus. Please take a few minutes during the week to review it.

Spring 2019 Graduation Application deadline is Friday, February 1. Graduation applications are available in the Registrar's Office in Alpena, the ACC Oscoda Office, or on WebAdvisor.

Early Registration for Returning Students began Monday, October 29 and goes through December 7. Tuition is due **December 7**. The Spring 2019 schedule of classes is now available for viewing through WebAdvisor.

Food Drive - The Student Leadership Commission is doing a food drive during the month of November. Drop boxes are located in VLH and BTC commons, CTR building near the library, and NRC entrance. All proceeds will be donated to the ACC Student Food Pantry. Personal hygiene products are also welcome.

State Theater Discount - One of the SLC members worked hard to get a student discount at the State Theater in Alpena. **All students will receive \$2 off the price of admission with proof of ACC I.D.**

The last workshop of the semester, This is Only a Test, will take place on Tuesday, November 27 at 2pm in CTR 115 and Thursday, November 29 at 9am in BTC 209 and OSC 213.

Student Leadership Commission is hosting a FREE Laser Tag Night! Wednesday, November 28 from 6-9 pm at Laser Team Challenge, 205 Water Street, Alpena. Students can fill out the waiver form in advance by visiting laserteamchallenge.com, but players **MUST** be there at 6pm to go over the rules and fill out paperwork. For more information, contact Meghan Cameron at cameronm@alpenacc.edu.

ACC Nursing Raffle Tickets for Sale - Tickets are \$5 each or \$20 for 5, with proceeds going towards the Student Nurses Association. Prizes include Red Wings tickets, a spa package, 18 holes of golf, an Up North gift bundle, and a membership to the APlex. To purchase tickets, contact any nursing student or the Nursing Department Office. The drawing will be held November 29.

Final Instructional Week for Fall 2018 begins Monday, December 10. Exam schedules are available in the Registrar's Office, Student Services Center, and the Switchboard in Van Lare Hall. The schedule is also available on ACC's website by clicking on the tab for Calendar & Events.

ACC Bookstore Holiday Sale – December 3-21 – 1/3 off Regular Priced Clothing, 25% off Regular Priced Christmas & Gift Items. Ornaments, plush, jewelry, books, candles, glassware – all make great stocking stuffers. Free gift wrapping!!!!

ACC Bookstore is open Monday-Thursday 8:30am–5pm, Friday 8:30am–2pm.

ACC Fall Book Buyback – Alpena Campus - 12/10-12/13 from 9am-5pm; **Oscoda Campus** - 12/14 from noon-2pm.

Is your Technology giving you Problems?

Every Tuesday from 1-3pm and Wednesday from 12-2pm in room CTR-110D, the ACC Student Help Desk is here to help with all of your technology related questions/needs. Services provided include consultation / education, troubleshooting, maintenance, upgrades, cleaning, and repair of desktops, laptops, tablets, cell phones, software issues and more. If you have questions, we can help.

College Transfer Representatives on ACC Campus

University transfer reps will be available to meet with interested students & staff in the Besser Technical Center (outside the Bookstore unless otherwise noted).

- *University of Michigan – Flint, Jennifer Spenny* – Thursday, November 29, 11am-3pm



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Costa Rica/Summer 2019 – BIO 129 Field Biology (no prerequisites) or BIO 215 Field Botany (has prerequisites) – class size limited to 15. Class begins Tuesday, May 21, 5-7pm. Costa Rica Trip is June 13-27. Register for class and pay tuition March 25-May 13 prior to the beginning of the class. **Estimated** cost is \$3,800 plus tuition for 3 credit/4 contact hour class. The deadline for minimum payments for registration is January 18, 2019, to reserve a seat in class and buy a plane ticket (non-refundable). Other payments are due 2/15/19 - \$700; 3/15/19 - \$800; 4/19/19 - \$800; 5/10/19 - \$500 or remainder. There is an ACC Foundation Scholarship available for students for a portion of the cost. Questions contact: Deb Hautau at (989) 358-7309 or hautaudj@alpenacc.edu.

ACC Auto Service and Repair Program asks: does your vehicle need a little help or maybe a lot? We are available to lend a hand. Email eastwoop@alpenacc.edu or phone (989) 358-7241.

@myacc.alpenacc.edu All ACC students receive a college email address and Office 365®. Official communication will be sent to this email account. Be sure to get yours set up and check it regularly.

ACC Photo ID Card Stop in the Student Services Center VLH 101 with photo identification and get your ACC ID card. Then flash it around town to receive your special discounts!

ACC Testing Center, VLH 122

Mondays 11am–3pm, Tuesdays 3–7pm, Wednesdays 8am–12pm, Thursdays 2–6pm, and Fridays 9am–1pm. Hours are subject to change. Please call ahead to make an appointment whenever possible. Photo ID is required for testing. Contact Beth Matzke at (989) 358-7209 or matzkeb@alpenacc.edu.

ACC Oscoda Campus Student Services Center, Testing Center, Computer Lab Room 206

Mondays 12–7pm, Tuesdays 8-9:30am and 12–5pm, Wednesdays 12–7pm, Thursdays 8-9:30am and 12-4:30pm. Schedule testing appointments as computer space is limited and hours may occasionally vary. Contact Patrice Billiel at (989) 358-7445 or billielp@alpenacc.edu.

Student Services Center VLH 101 Your place for tutoring, workshops, and general question-answering. Also, get help with WebAdvisor, BlackBoard, and Microsoft Office 365.

Stephen H. Fletcher Library, Newport Center Building Room 111

Monday-Wednesday 7:30am-8pm; Thursday 7:30am-5pm; Friday 7:30am-4pm; Saturday & Sunday 12-4pm. Contact the library for information on requesting special hours or sessions.

Fredrick T. Johnston Wellness Center is open Monday-Thursday 6:30am-7pm; Friday 6:30am-2pm; Saturday 8am-1pm.

WebAdvisor is YOUR student information & record. Set up (or reset) your account by selecting the **W** icon on ACC's website and following the directions in the "I'm New to WebAdvisor" link. Stop in the Registrar's Office VLH 108 or the MIS Department CTR 108 if you need assistance.

Parking Permits are free – but required. Be sure to get yours from the Facilities Office BTC 101. Parking permits are now mandatory at the Oscoda Campus. Students can get their student IDs and parking permits in Room 206 at the Oscoda Campus, and they are valid at both campuses.

Class Cancellation & Campus Closure Information - Get the scoop on communication methods, notice locations, and more at <http://discover.alpenacc.edu/calendar/cancellations.php>