Announcements

Third Module Academic Calendar
January 4—February 26, 2011

Registration…………………………January 4
Classes begin…………………………January 5
Late Registration w/ fines………………January 5
Last day to add classes………………January 11
Mid-Year Opening Convocation…………January 14
Martin Luther King Holiday………………January 17
Last Day to Drop Course (3rd Module)……January 20
Dead Week—no activities……………February 22-26
Final Exams (3rd Module)………………February 25-26
Module Break begins after last class…………February 26
Module Break (Residence Halls close at 5:00)……February 26
Residence Halls reopen……………………March 2

Attention Graduating Seniors!!!
It’s Time to Take Your Cap and Gown Pictures!

When: January 19, 2011
Where: Brown Mass Communications Building, Room 103
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

If any underclassmen (freshmen, sophomores, juniors), faculty or staff members have NOT taken a yearbook photo for the “2010-2011 Rust College Bearcat”, this is your last chance!

Attention Campus Organizations!!
It’s that time to take your photos for the 2010-2011 Yearbook!

January 25-26, 2010, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Please call Adrienne Phillips @ ext. 4917 to schedule an appointment.

Brad A. Bernard
Rust College Lyceum Series Presents “Blues Routes”

Authentic Blues music can be viewed as a cathartic form of expression, in an attempt to release the burdens of life and essentially “freeing” one’s soul. “Blues Routes” collectively celebrate the regional genre of blues musicians and their individual identities. Each painting is a mixed media collage that depicts a candid portrait combining the musicians represented.

“The development of this body of work serves as a visual documentation of hill country, delta blues and gospel musicians and that I have met, befriended, or seem perform over the course of seven years while residing in the state of Mississippi”, said Brad A. Bernard.

Bernard’s art presentation will be held in the Rust College McCarty - Varnell Business, Computer & Social Science Building, Room 103, on Thursday, January 6, 2011 at 7:00 p.m. The event is sponsored by the Rust College Lyceum Series and is open to the general public without charge.

Bernard received a Masters in Fine Arts from the University of Mississippi, and is currently serving as Assistant Professor of Arts at Mount Mary College in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

“Although many blues musicians have been known and performed internationally, they often choose to remain or reside close to their place of birth. Never once forgetting where they came from and always returning home from where they have been”, said Bernard.

Spring 2011 Lyceum Series Schedule

Wednesday, February 9, 2011—7:00 p.m.
Memphis Waltos-Musical Performing Arts Theatre Company
Doxey Building

Tuesday, February 15, 2011—2:40 p.m.
General Assembly
Ida B. Wells Symposium, Dr. Linda Coats
Doxey Building

Thursday, March 3, 2011—7:00 p.m.
Dr. Tony Caldwell-Hall, Concert pianist
Doxey Building

Wednesday, March 9, 2011—7:00 p.m.
Shirley E. Oglesby-Smith-Johnson presents
Harriet Tubman: A Musical Story
Doxey Building

Wednesday, March 30, 2011—7:00 p.m.
Michelle Andrea Bowen Book Review
B.C.S., Heard Auditorium

Tuesday, April 5, 2011—2:40 p.m.
Synthia Saint James—Visual Artist
Leontyne Price Library
President's Mid-Year Convocation Scheduled

Dr. David L. Beckley will host the annual President's Mid-Year Convocation on Tuesday, January 11, 2011—welcoming students back from Christmas vacations, and to provide inspiring words to help push them to excellence as the second semester begins.

During Convocation, Dr. Beckley will also present awards to Holly Springs Police Chief Robert Pearson and Dr. A. J. Stovall, Division of Social Science chairperson. The Eddie L. Smith, Jr. Extra-Mile Award will be awarded to Chief Pearson for the outstanding service of the Holly Springs Police Department to Rust College. Dr Stovall will receive the same award for his leadership of the National African American Student Leadership Conference, in which he directed for 16 years.

The President's Mid-Year Convocation will be held in Morehouse Auditorium of the Doxey Alumni Fine Arts Communication building at 2:40 p.m.

Spring 2011 Assembly Schedule

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Student Wins Christmas Basket

Congratulations to Ms. Danielle Caradine, who was awarded a Christmas basket just before the holidays.

The basket was presented by the members of Phi Beta Lambda and the Division of Business.

The following guidelines should be adhered to if you desire a grade for Academic Enrichment.

1. To receive a grade for Academic Enrichment, you must be registered. Please check the class list in the Dean of Students Office to make sure you are registered for the course. If your name does not appear on the class list, please go to the Registrar’s Office to register. Students earn AEP points by attending assemblies and participating in other AEP approved events (Lecture programs, Sunday school, etc.).

2. AEP cards are not issued to students after 2:50 pm during weekly assemblies. If you are late due to a conference with an instructor, a statement from the instructor is required.

3. Students are not permitted to stand in the doorway or sit in the aisles or on the steps.

4. Sleeping is not allowed during assembly and other AEP events. Students must sit up and be attentive.

5. DRESS CODE FOR ATTENDING ASSEMBLY: Males should wear suits with shirt and tie or slacks with a shirt and tie. Females should wear business attire (suits, dresses, or pant suits). Blue Jeans, jogging suits, hot pants, short shorts, sneakers, or halter tops should not be worn by females or males. Males should remove their hats/hand bags before entering the auditorium. Students who are not properly dressed will not be given an AEP card, nor will they be permitted to enter the auditorium while assembly is being conducted. This policy will be strictly enforced. NO EXCEPTION.

6. Loitering in the lobby is not allowed. If you are not attending the program, you must vacate the venue. Cards will only be accepted from students in attendance. Each student should turn in his or her own card. If two cards are turned in, neither card will be accepted.

7. If you are a participant in an AEP program you must pick up your card before the event begins. Cards will not be issued after the program is over. Please print your name on your card.

8. If you leave before the program is over, you will not be given credit for that date. Students leaving the program for practice of any kind without prior approval will not be given credit.

9. The grading system is as follows:

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<th>Semester Attendance</th>
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<td>15 Points = A</td>
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<td>12.1-14 Points = B</td>
<td>points to be given credit for the semester</td>
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<td>9-11 Points = C</td>
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<td>6-8 Points = D</td>
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<td>5 or Below = F</td>
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10. If you miss assembly due to illness, please submit a doctor statement to the Dean of Students Office. All excuses must be in before grades are computed.

Academic Enrichment is a requirement. All students must complete and pass four (4) semesters of Academic Enrichment to graduate. If you receive an “F” for any semester, you must repeat that semester. If you are unsure of the number of semesters of AEP you have completed, please check your transcript in the Registrar’s Office.