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#### Spirit celebration

Save the date of Sept. 9 for <u>Spirit Celebration</u>. The special Mass and ice cream social is part of a long Jesuit tradition dating back to 1548 which honors the beginning of the academic year. This year's Spirit Celebration is on the Academic Mall and includes a blessing of Alter Hall. So that all may attend, classes and meetings will be suspended and offices will be closed from 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

#### Parking permits

Adjunct faculty can renew their parking permits for the 2015-2016 academic year by visiting <a href="https://www.xavier.edu/parking">www.xavier.edu/parking</a>. Click on the On Sale Now link and log in using your Xavier username and password. The 2014-2015 permits expired on Aug. 15. Faculty and staff currently holding the FS16 permit type do not need to acquire a new permit, as this permit is valid until August 2016.

#### E/RS interviews

In the first of six E/RS interviews, Michael Graham, S.J., and Philosophy Professor Paul Colella discuss dimensions of the American experience based on both their personal experiences and academic pursuits. The E/RS interviews provide an opportunity for people at Xavier to get to know each other in a more informal fashion. The interview takes place in the Cintas Center's Duff Banquet Room at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 10.

### E/RS speaker: Benjamin Barber

Benjamin Barber of the City University of New York is the first speaker in the Ethics/Religion and Society lecture series for fall 2015, presenting "Consumption Justice, Sustainability Day" on Monday, Sept. 14, at 3:00 p.m. in Kennedy Auditorium in CLC and "If Mayors Ruled the World" at 7:00 p.m. in the Cintas Center's Duff Banquet Room. The author of *If Mayors ruled the World. Dysfunctional Nations and Rising Cities*, Barber argues that cities have in the age of globalization "once again become democracy's best hope." Learn more at the <u>E/RS Lecture Series</u>.

## Campus climate survey

The results of the <u>Spring 2015 Survey</u> for Sexual Harassment and Sexual Violence and the <u>2012-2015 Multivear Comparison</u> are now available for viewing. The spring survey had the highest participation rates to date. View the Title IX survey results and the comparison.

#### Non-discrimination notice

In compliance with Title IX of the Education Amendments Act of 1972, Xavier University does not discriminate, exclude from participation in, or deny benefits of its educational programs, admission policies, activities or employment policies and opportunities on the basis of sex. Questions about Title IX may be submitted to Xavier's Title IX Coordinator Kate Lawson at <a href="mailto:lawsonk1@xavier.edu">lawsonk1@xavier.edu</a>, GSC RM 332, by phone at 3046, and/or the Office of Civil Rights, Cleveland Office, U.S. Department of Education, 1350 Euclid Ave., Suite 325, Cleveland, Ohio 44115, 216-522-4970 or

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#### Events for Thursday, Aug. 27

CTE Week of Welcome-Donuts & Bagels

Time: 8:00 AM

Grant Thornton LLP Information Table – Internships and Jobs Available

Time: 10:30 AM

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Time: 5:30 PM

eXplore CFJ - for First Year Students

Time: 6:30 PM

**WoW Navs Ultimate Frisbee** 

Time: 9:00 PM

SAC: Jurassic World Outdoor Movie

Time: 9:00 PM

# EMPLOYEE SERVICES











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#### Tenure and promotion session

Faculty are invited to an information session on the tenure and promotion process for the 2015-2016 academic year with the University Rank and Tenure Committee and Provost and Chief Academic Officer Scott Chadwick from 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 14, in the Conaton Board Room in Schmidt Hall. The rank and tenure calendar, as well as instructions and forms for the tenure and promotion process, can be accessed on the <a href="NeXus Tenure site">NeXus Tenure site</a> on the left hand navigation bar within the Tenure and Promotion Instructions and Timeline.

#### Outdoor library garden

The garden area behind McDonald Library is now available for all members of the University community to enjoy. Please access the garden through the first floor of the library using the glass doors along the back wall. The garden is open weekdays from 7:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. during warm weather. For more information, visit the library.

#### Studio portraits

The new academic year is a good time to update your photo for the Xavier directory. The Office of University Communications offers studio sessions for faculty and staff to have portraits made or updated. The next session is on Wednesday, Sept. 2, from 11:00 a.m. to noon and 3:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. The new photography and video studio is located in Alumni Center Room 114. No appointment is necessary.

#### Visitor's fliers

The Campus Map/Visitor's Guide and Just the Facts fliers are available for departments to purchase. Visit the <u>printing Store Front</u> in the Office of University Communications, enter through Catalog Items and go to Campus Resources to place an order.

#### Xavier.edu update

The Office of University Communications has made additional updates to xavier.edu, including new academics and admission sections and a new web presence for undergraduate and graduate admission, all launched last week. Previous updates were made to the home page and the about and athletics sections. All primary navigation links on the home page have also been updated. Up next: an upgraded presence for the undergraduate and graduate academic programs, which are being rolled out over the next few weeks. Marketing partners are working with the appropriate colleges and academic departments to coordinate this implementation.

## Manresa volunteer sign-up

Faculty and staff who have been at Xavier for more than a year are invited to serve as table hosts at the Manresa for New Faculty and Staff luncheons hosted by the Center for Mission and Identity. Please Please sign up to be a table host. For more information, contact Joe Shadle at <a href="mailto:shadlej@xavier.edu">shadlej@xavier.edu</a>.

## Warrior Run Challenge

Members of the Xavier community are invited to participate in the Warrior Run College Challenge on Saturday, Oct. 10, to raise awareness about mental health issues. The Warrior Run, in memory of former Xavier staff member Jim Miller, is a 5K race and one-mile walk that benefits Children's Hospital's Surviving the Teens program. Last year Xavier won the inaugural College Challenge and received \$5,000 to fund wellness initiatives at Xavier. Students can register for this year's challenge and race for a reduced rate of \$10 before Sept. 5. Faculty and Staff may also register and participate in the race or volunteer. Learn more at <a href="mailto:the Warrior Run">the Warrior Run</a>.

#### Pope Francis resources

In recognition of Pope Francis' visit to the United States from Sept. 22-27, information is available on the <u>Jesuit Resource</u>, including his principles, tips for leadership and happiness, quotes, and a brief biography. For more information, visit <u>Jesuit Resources</u>.

## Hiring student employees

All student employee positions must be advertised to all students. Please send student position

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openings to be filled to Vicki Clary using the <u>position posting form</u> to ensure the position can get posted on Hire-A-Muskie, Xavier's online job posting board. Students are being notified this week to search on Hire-A-Muskie for on-campus student positions still available. Contact Vicki Clary at <u>claryv@xavier.edu</u> or 4880 with questions.

#### Poetry reading

The English Department's Ryan Writers Series presents a poetry reading by Claudia Keelan on Tuesday, Sept. 15, at 7:30 p.m. in CLC's Kennedy Auditorium, Room 412. Keelan is the author of seven books of poetry, including *Utopic* (Alice James Books), *Missing Her* (2009) and the verse-drama *O, Heart* (2014). Honors include the Beatrice Hawley Award from Alice James Books and the Jerome Shestack prize from the *American Poetry Review*. Keelan is director of Creative Writing programs at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, and editor of *Interim* (<a href="www.interimmag.org">www.interimmag.org</a>). For more information, <a href="www.interimmag.org">wisit Facebook</a>.

#### Fall safety training

The Xavier Police Department has posted the fall safety training calendar on the <u>safety website</u>. Classes take place at Flynn Hall. Please register by clicking on the link on the calendar. Training for a campus group or department can be scheduled by contacting Sgt. Bryce at <u>bryces@xavier.edu</u> or 2010.

#### CINCO award

Nominations are now open for the CINCO Innovative Educator of the Year Award, presented by CINCO Family Financial Center Credit Union. An award of \$2,000 will be presented to one winner and two finalists at the Xavier-Western Kentucky men's basketball game on Dec. 5. Nominations are open through Oct. 12, 2015. To nominate a faculty member, visit <a href="www.goxavier.com/CINCO">www.goxavier.com/CINCO</a>. For more information, contact Jennifer Reilly at <a href="mailto:jreilly@xaviersportsproperties.com">jreilly@xaviersportsproperties.com</a>.

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