



The Currents

A Newsletter for Student Organizations

VOLUME 4, ISSUE 7

OCTOBER 12, 2007

In this issue of The Currents:

- Looking for Exceptional Student Leaders!
- Interested in Becoming a 2008 Orientation Leader?
- Undergraduate Student Government Funding Board-Remaining Funding Sessions For October
- Husky Print Now Open!
- Want to Earn Cash and Have Some Fun?
- Verizon Wireless Campus Tour featuring Gym Class Heroes with special guests The Pack!
- Law & Business Society Workshops
- Showcase your Organization
- Featured Student Organization Advisor: Amanda Burgess
- Featured Student Organization Advisor of the Week
- Deadline for the next issue of *The Currents*

"Action may not always bring happiness; but there is no happiness without action."
-Benjamin Disraeli

University of Connecticut
Department of Student Activities
Involvement Office
Student Union Room 302
www.getINVOLVED.uconn.edu
Phone: (860) 486-3423

Check out this week's announcements !!!

Looking for Exceptional Student Leaders!

The University is proud to invite faculty and staff to recognize and nominate outstanding students who have demonstrated academic commitment, exceptional character, contribution to the community, and an overall level of extraordinary personal achievement as candidates for the 2008 Leadership Legacy Experience. Nominations are being accepted now through November 7, 2007, and you are encouraged to recognize and nominate one or two of your most outstanding undergraduate students today! The Legacy Experience is a year-long leadership enhancement program that is immersive, comprehensive, substantive, and builds on students' legacies as leaders while helping them prepare for lives of commitment and contribution beyond graduation. Past experiences have included special guest speakers, outdoor adventures, outreach/mentoring opportunities and much more! The 2008 Leadership Legacy cohort will begin their experience in January, 2008. For more information about this exciting leadership experience and to obtain information/ nomination material, please visit www.leadership.uconn.edu and click on "Legacy Experience" on the left.



Husky Print Now Open!

Husky Print, a quick copy service center, is now open in the Student Union. Husky Print is located on the second floor Room 230, next to Anthony's Hair Salon and just around the corner from the Information Center. Husky Print is able to accept all department projects as well as individual copying requests. The Husky Print phone number is 486-4596 and the fax is 486-4111. You can also send your projects via email to huskyprint@uconn.edu. Visit them on the web at <http://web.uconn.edu/print/huskyprint.html>.

Verizon Wireless Campus Tour featuring Gym Class Heroes with special guests The Pack!

Don't Miss Gym Class Heroes this Saturday, October 13th, 8 p.m. at Jorgensen Center. Tickets are still available at the Jorgensen Box Office. Cost is \$10 UConn Student / \$20 General Public.



Showcase Your Organization!

The Currents will be highlighting student organizations in the "Featured Organization" section appearing in the every issue. This section will include information about the organization's mission statement, goals, members, upcoming events, honors, awards, updates, and any photos. If you would like to feature your organization in *The Currents* please send information to student0516@ad.uconn.edu.

Featured Student Organization Advisor of the Week

Think your advisor is doing a great job? Want to thank him/her for all of their hard work and dedication? Well then feature your advisor in *The Currents*!!! It's easy, just e-mail student0516@ad.uconn.edu with you advisor's email address and name. Your advisor will be sent an e-mail stating that he/she has been nominated to be the Featured Student Organization Advisor of the Week. The e-mail will include a quick questionnaire that the Advisor can fill out and email back. It's a quick simple way to say Thanks and recognize your advisor.

Interested in Becoming a 2008 Orientation Leader?

Orientation leaders serve as the first point of contact for new undergraduate students and their families. As an orientation leader, you will develop valuable professional skills in leadership, public speaking, organization, problem solving, public relations and issues awareness which prepare you for any future career. Students will have the opportunity to form long-lasting friendships with a diverse and close-knit group of students who are on the orientation team. October is the only time of the year that applicants are recruited for the summer orientation program. All prospective applicants must attend one of the ten information sessions to obtain an application. Do not miss this opportunity to be a part of the 2008 Summer Orientation Staff!

Oct. 14	5:00 PM	CLAS, Rm. 108
Oct. 15	5:00 PM	CUE, Rm. 122
Oct. 16	4:00 PM	Student Union, Rm. 304B
Oct. 16	7:00 PM	CLAS, Rm. 108
Oct. 17	7:00 PM	CLAS, Rm. 108
Oct. 22	4:00 PM	Student Union, Rm. 304C
Oct. 22	7:00 PM	CLAS, Rm. 108
Oct. 23	4:00 PM	Wilbur Cross North Reading Room
Oct. 23	7:00 PM	Asian American Cultural Center
Oct. 24	7:00 PM	CLAS, Rm. 110

Undergraduate Student Government Funding Board-Remaining Funding Session For October

Monday, October 22

Application deadlines are Monday one week prior to the funding session (unless otherwise noted). Online application system available at <http://usg.uconn.edu/necs/newt/index.php>



Want to Earn Cash and Have Some Fun?

Freaky's Funhouse, at the Lebanon Fair Grounds, is currently looking for staff to assist with the attraction for the month of October. The funhouse will be open for 15 days this month. Any club that can commit to at least 5 people for 4 days will receive \$500 and free tickets. The organization that provides the most people/number of days will receive a ride to and from the haunted house in the Freaky's Funhouse limo! If you have any questions or would like to participate please contact tammy.mcintyre@snet.net and check out www.freakysfunhouse.com.

Law & Business Society Workshops

Career Services will be coming to the Law and Business society twice this semester. On October 15th they will conduct a seminar on Résumés and Cover Letters. On November 11th they will conduct a seminar on Interviewing Skills. Both meetings will be held in the School of Business, Room 218, at 6:30 p.m. Any questions can be sent to uconnlawsociety@gmail.com

Featured Student Organization Advisor: Amanda Burgess

Amanda Burgess is the Assistant for the African American Cultural Center. Currently she advises the Black Students Association. What she enjoys most about advising is seeing many of the students of the organization really use their leadership skills, work together as a team and create great events for their members as well as the university community. She also states that "The most rewarding part of being and advisor is the great relationships I develop with students."

Although being an advisor takes a lot of commitment, Amanda says that it is worth it to help students. Great work!

Deadline for the next issue of The Currents

The next issue of *The Currents* will be sent out on Friday, October 19th. Please have all inclusions for the next issue sent to Connie at student0516@ad.uconn.edu by noon on Thursday, October 18th.