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## December Calendar

- 1 Women's Basketball vs. Kentucky Christian University, Shoemaker Center, 6:00 p.m.
- 2 Women's & Men's Basketball vs. UC-Clermont, Shoemaker Center, 1:00 and 3:00 p.m.
- 3 Bazaar & Craft Show, Shoemaker Center, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- 4 Human Services Association (HSA) meeting, Bennett Hall Room 110, 12:00 to 1:30 p.m.
- 6 Peggy Jameson, Human Resources, Bennett Hall Room 105, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
- 6 Customer Service Training, 1:00 to 4:30 p.m., Shoemaker Center Room 215/217
- 8 Customer Service Training, 1:00 to 4:30 p.m., Shoemaker Center Room 215/217
- 9 ACT, Bennett Hall, 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
- 11 Customer Service Training, 1:00 to 4:30 p.m., Shoemaker Center Room 215/217
- 15 Winter Quarter Student Orientation, Advising and Registration (SOAR), Bennett Hall,  
8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- 18 Women's & Men's Basketball vs. Sinclair Community College, Shoemaker Center, 5:30 and  
7:30 p.m.
- 20 Brown Bag Lunch "Learn Librarian Secrets", Bennett Hall Room 105, Noon to 1:00 p.m.
- 22 Holiday Carry-in, Bennett Hall Room 134, 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- 23 Women's & Men's Basketball vs. Clark State Community College, Shoemaker Center, 1:00 and  
3:00 p.m.

# Faculty/Staff News

On November 11 at the Ohio Shakespeare conference, **Veena Kasbekar** chaired a panel on violence in Shakespeare's tragedies.

**Ruth McClain** attended the National Council of Teachers of English Annual Convention in Nashville, Tennessee where she co-presented a session concerning building and maintaining state English Language Arts affiliates through technology.

**Linda Mohr** was selected the October 2006 Classified Senate Employee of the Month. Here are a few quotes from individuals who nominated Linda for the award.

*"Linda has had many innovative ideas, such as development of the OUC Snow hotline, class cancellation site on-line plus notifies students by email when an instructor cancels class – saving the students a drive to campus."*  
*"She has a lot of integrity, professionalism, communication and credibility skills."* *"Linda greets everyone with a smile."*



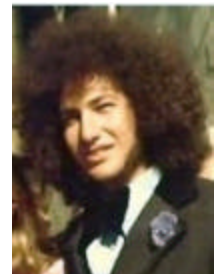
## News Around Campus

### Win a Grill!

A raffle will be held in the CPC for all staff, faculty, administrators, and student assistants to win a George Foreman Grill! The winner will be drawn on December 20 and there is a limit to one entry per employee. The grill was given to Ohio University-Chillicothe by Pitney Bowes.

### Brown Bag Lunch

Dr. Allan Pollchik will lead a session on "Learning Library Secrets" as part of the brown bag lunch series. If you are frustrated with the internet and want to learn library search secrets, you won't want to miss this! Bring a sack lunch to Room 105 in Bennett Hall on December 20 at Noon.



*This man has answers!*

### On the Road

The Italy Education Abroad Program is on the road! Barbara Trube, Director, and Margaret McAdams, chaperone, are excited about the Italian trip (Parma, Bologna, Venice, Florence, and Reggio Emilia). 21 students have joined Barbara and Margaret for the November 30 to December 10 trip. Three two-hour orientation sessions were held at the Chillicothe Campus and "beamed" to Athens, Lancaster, Southern, and Zanesville campuses, through the OULN system. These sessions helped the students better prepare for their Italian experience: an overview of what they'll see and experience and what they need to bring with them, the art and architecture of the area, and the pre-school educational system. The students now are more acquainted with each other and are expectantly packing for the trip. Diane Diekroger, who is the coordinator of the Italy trip, has been busy answering individual email questions!

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Have you heard the Hilltop Cafe has gift certificates available! Hilltop Cafe gift certificates would make a GREAT stocking stuffer item.

# Athens News

## University Outreach and Regional Campus (UORC) Meeting Notes

### Regional Campus Deans Meeting Agenda

Thursday, October 12, 2006, Lower Level Cutler, Athens

10:00 – 10:15    Agenda Review

10:15 - 11:00    Guests: Bill Willan, Susan Sarnoff (Chair of Social Work), and Karen Carlson (SW Undergraduate Chair) to discuss a proposed regional campus 3+1 Bachelor of Social Work Degree. Susan and Karen distributed packets of material explaining the BSW (and MSW). Regional deans were given an opportunity to ask questions about each program and discussed the feasibility of offering the BSW on each of the campuses.

11:00 – 12:00    Old Business

- Vision Ohio Revisions (All) – Dan distributed a copy of the regional campus Vision Ohio goals.
- Communication with Campuses (All) The deans discussed various options for communicating information to all campuses.
- Organizational Charts (MaryAnn) Discussion tabled until the next meeting.
- OACHE Proposal to rotate Grant (Dan) Discussion tabled.
- Guest Speakers for Future Meetings (Requests to address the Regional Deans by Jack Bantle, Marc Cutright, and Tom Shostak)

12:00 – 2:00    New Business

- Luncheon Discussion

Charlie updated the deans on various OU topics, including recent media coverage of campus issues. He also talked with the deans about the upcoming search for a Director of Workforce Development.

- Early Tenure (Jim—Bill Willan, guest) Discussion tabled until the next meeting.
- Faculty Searches (Bill W. and Steve F.) Bill distributed a chart listing all faculty searches (and the rationale for each position) for 2006-07 on the regional campuses. The deans reviewed the information and summarized their respective campus needs.
- Budget Items. The deans decided to put this rather large item at the beginning of the agenda at the October 26 meeting.
  - Base Budget Allocation to Chillicothe (Rich)
  - Eastern Issues (Paul)
  - Profit Sharing Pool
  - Central Pots-OTO
- Faculty Release Time Proposal, OUZ (Jim). The deans discussed creative ways to offer and support faculty release time for research.
- UORC Classified Staff Retreat
- UORC Staff Development Program

Both retreat ideas were approved by the deans. Bill and Steve will follow up on organizing each program.

2:00 Meeting Adjourns

2:00 – 3:00 ADN Issues (OUC, OUZ, OUS Deans only with Kathy Rose-Grippa, Bill Willan)

*Note: Working Lunch: Bill Willan and Steve Flaherty to join Deans*

## **Regional Campus Deans Meeting Agenda**

### **Thursday, October 26, 2006**

### **Lower Level Cutler, Athens**

8:00 – 10:00 Academic Leadership Meeting with President and Cabinet, Baker 334.

Charlene Smith presented a report outlining recommendations and actions needed to pursue the major university goal of diversity.

10:00 – 10:15 Agenda Review and Announcements

10:15 - 12:00 New & High Priority Agenda Items

- Budget Items
  - Base Budget Allocation to Chillicothe (Rich). A proposal to add staffing at Chillicothe was approved by the Deans.
  - Eastern Issues and Planning Strategies (Paul) Paul shared a draft of a plan his faculty and staff are developing to address enrollment concerns at Eastern.
  - Profit Sharing Pool Discussion tabled for a future meeting.
  - Central Pots-OTO Discussion tabled for a future meeting.
- Faculty Release Time Proposal, OUZ (Jim). The proposal has been sent to the UORC Curriculum Committee for review and comment.
- Faculty Coordinator Compensation Proposal. A new draft of the proposed compensation plan for Faculty Division Coordinators was distributed for discussion. Deans will share with campus faculty and report back at the next meeting.

12:00 – 2:00 Lunch and Continuing Discussion

- Reports/Discussions with UORC Staff as Needed
  - Campus Bookstore Proposal (Steve). The Deans accepted a proposal to bid bookstore services at all the regional campuses (including limited services at Proctorville and Pickerington).
  - Campus Security Audits (Steve). The Deans discussed the recently completed Security Audit conducted by ADT. Individual Campus Security Plans are to be completed by the end of Winter Quarter 2007.
- Life Long Learning Opportunities (Tom). Tom encouraged Deans to work with his staff around courses to be offered at a distance.
- Workforce Development Proposal. MaryAnn attended a meeting of the Governor's *Ohio Workforce Education and Advisory Council* and shared the most recent proposal of that group with the Deans.

2:00 - 3:00 Previous Agenda Items for Continuing Discussion and Other Items Agenda. These items were tabled for future discussion.

- Update: Vision Ohio Revisions
- Communication with Campuses
- Organizational Charts
- OACHE Proposal to rotate Grant
- Guest Speakers for Future Meetings (Requests to address the Regional Deans by Jack Bantle, Marc Cutright, and Tom Shostak)
- Agenda Items for Future Meetings

3:00 Meeting Adjourns

### Next Meetings

November 9	UORC Deans
November 16	Academic Leadership
November 30 & December 1	UORC Faculty Retreat (UORC Deans?)
December 7	Academic Leadership & UORC Deans

## Athletics

### Women's Basketball Schedule

December 1	vs. Kentucky Christian University	Home	6:00 p.m.
December 2	vs. UC Clermont	Home	1:00 p.m.
December 18	vs. Sinclair Community College	Home	5:30 p.m.
December 23	vs. Clark State Community College	Home	1:00 p.m.
January 4	vs. MU Hamilton	Home	5:30 p.m.
January 6	vs. OU Eastern	Home	2:00 p.m.
January 13	vs. OSU Lima/Rhoades	Home	1:00 p.m.
January 23	vs. Ohio Christian University	Home	5:00 p.m.
January 24	vs. OU Zanesville	Home	5:30 p.m.
January 31	vs. OSU Newark	Home	5:30 p.m.
February 3	vs. Southern State	Home	1:00 p.m.
February 10	vs. Akron Wayne	Home	1:00 p.m.
February 11	vs. OSU Marion	Home	1:00 p.m.

### Men's Basketball Schedule

December 2	vs. UC Clermont	Home	3:00 p.m.
December 18	vs. Sinclair Community College	Home	7:30 p.m.
December 23	vs. Clark St. Community College	Home	3:00 p.m.
January 4	vs. Mu Hamilton	Home	7:30 p.m.
January 6	vs. OU Eastern	Home	4:00 p.m.
January 13	vs. OSU Lima/Rhoades	Home	3:00 p.m.
January 23	vs. Ohio Christian University	Home	7:00 p.m.
January 24	vs. OU Zanesville	Home	7:30 p.m.
January 31	vs. OSU Newark	Home	7:30 p.m.
February 3	vs. Southern State	Home	3:00 p.m.

February 10	vs. Akron Wayne	Home	3:00 p.m.
February 11	vs. OSU Marion	Home	3:00 p.m.

## Health and Wellness

### Fitness Classes

Several fun and challenging fitness classes will be offered to Ohio University-Chillicothe students, faculty, staff and local community members beginning in January 2007. All classes are FREE to Health and Wellness members. What are you waiting for?

Classes will include:

#### Cardio Combo

This class is a combination of pilates, kickboxing, arms and abs workout.

Begins Thursday, January 4

Monday's 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Thursday's 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

#### Cardio Wellness

This class offers a variety of different workouts designed to keep the heart pumping.

November 28 through December 26

Tuesday's 5:15 p.m. to 6:15 p.m.

#### Group Cycling

Enjoy an indoor cycling workout in which the intensity of the workout is at your control. Each workout includes a warm-up, a heart pounding workout and a slow cool down/stretch.

Begins Friday, January 5

Friday's 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

#### Personal Trainer

Take advantage of a personal trainer! The session will be custom-fit to your goals of fitness. Training can include muscle gain, increased cardio endurance and more! Times will be arranged at your convenience over winter break and winter quarter.

#### Strength and Tone

This is a low impact strength and tone class. Great for a lunchtime energy boost.

Begins Monday, January 8

Monday's 12:10 to 1:00 p.m.

#### Yoga

Eclectic blend of Hatha and Ashtanga yoga provides proper alignment to the body & mind, muscle strengthening, increased flexibility and a deepening level of relaxation.

Wednesday's 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

For more information contact Allan Hurtt at 774.7716 or email [hurtt@ohio.edu](mailto:hurtt@ohio.edu).

## **Need a Back Massage?**

Phyllis Uhrig licensed massage therapist offers back massages locally. The prices are \$30 for 30 minutes and \$45 for 60 minutes. The Health and Wellness Center will take your payment and issue you a receipt of payment, then you can schedule a time for your massage. More information is available at the Health and Wellness Center or e-mail Carla Comer at [comerc@ohio.edu](mailto:comerc@ohio.edu)

# **Student Enrollment News**

## **Upcoming Events:**

### **Student Orientation, Advising, and Registration (SOAR)**

**Date:** December 15, 2006

**Location:** Bennett Hall - OUC Campus

**Time and Room:**

8:30-9:00 - Registration and Continental Breakfast—Room 134

9:00-3:00 - Bennett Hall Auditorium, Class Rooms

SOAR is an opportunity to learn about your upcoming college experience and the resources that Ohio University-Chillicothe has to offer.

### **Winter Quarter Admissions Applications:**

Through November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 139 freshman and transfer applications have been received. This represents an 8.6% increase over the same date last year when 128 freshman and transfer applications had been received.

### **Bursar:**

#### **WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20**

Last day to pay fees for Winter Quarter to avoid late payment charge for students who registered by November 30, 2006.

**Reminder:** Fees must be paid by the due date. Students who have not paid their fees will not be cancelled but will be charged a \$100 late payment charge. If you do not plan to attend Winter Quarter, you must cancel all of your classes by accessing the Office of the University Registrar Web site, [www.ohio.edu/registrar](http://www.ohio.edu/registrar), and selecting Register for Classes under Quick Links to Online Services.

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