



Student Success Newsletter

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Academic Advising Services

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Office Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Wednesday 8:00 am – 7:00 pm

1st Saturday of every month 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Location: MLK – Welcome Center SWC – Bldg. 1-B172

The College will be closed on November 28-December 1 for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Alamo ENROLL Assistance:

MLK - NTB 305

SWC – Bldg. 1 –B172

Graduation Specialist

For more information, contact Margaret Houser @ 486-2411

Event: Registration

Date: November 11-January 2013

Time: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday

8 am to 5 pm and Wednesday 8 am to 7 pm

Location: Welcome Center

Summary: Students will be registering for classes based upon the time ticketing hours below.



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Important Dates

November 15	16 wk Last Day to Withdraw
November 21	Flex II Payment Deadline
November 22	Start II Last Day to Withdraw
November 28-Dec 1	Thanksgiving Weekend-College closed

Spring 2014 Registration Time Ticketing

	Spring 16 Week (16)	Spring Flex I (F1)	Spring Start II (14)	Spring Flex II (F2)
Registration Time Ticketing				
46+ hrs	November 11 - 12	November 11 - 12	N/A	November 11 - 12
31+ hrs	November 13	November 13	N/A	November 13
16+ hrs	November 14	November 14	N/A	November 14
1+ hrs	November 15	November 15	N/A	November 15
All Students	November 18	November 18	N/A	November 18

Tutoring Services and the Service-Learning Program

For more information, contact Kevin Schantz @ 486-2246.



Event: Jessica's Project - Undiagnosed

Date: November 12, 2013

Time: 9:15 am - 12:00 pm

Location: Heritage Room

Summary: Attend this event to learn about good nutrition and digestive health. Learn from experts as well as from student-led research. Refreshments will be served.

Tutoring Services	
Hours of Operation at the MLK Campus (NTB 116)	
Monday – Thursday	8:00am – 8:00pm
Friday	8:00am – 5:00pm
Saturday	10:00am – 3:00pm

Event: Mobile Food Pantry

Date: November 21, 2013

Time: 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Location: MLK Parking Lot #5

Summary: Vouchers are available beginning November 4 in NTB 116 (MLK Campus) or D143 in Building #1 (Southwest Campus). This event is underwritten by the Cooperative Ministries in Higher Education – Your Campus Ministries – and the Better Together Campaign.

Counseling Resource Center

For more information, contact Melissa Sutherland @ 486-2378.

Event: Mental Health and Alcohol Online Screening

Summary: Free, anonymous online screenings are now available 24/7 to all St. Philip's College students on the Counseling Resource Center webpage. Screenings are available for: Depression, Bi-Polar Disorder, Alcohol Abuse, Eating Disorders, Anxiety, and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD). The screening is provided so that you may find out, in a few minutes, whether or not professional consultation would be helpful for you. Click on "Counseling Services" under the Current Students tab of the SPC webpage, or go to <http://www.alamo.edu/spc/counseling-services/> for more information.

Event: The Jed Foundation - ULifeline Help

Summary: Search for online information for preventing suicide, reducing emotional distress, and other topics through ULifeline at www.ulifeline.org/. Once on the website, use the "Select your school" to locate SPC Counseling Resource Center events.

Career and Transfer Services

For more information, contact Shawnta Davis @ 486-2679.

Event: Career Fair

Date: Thursday, November 14, 2013

Time: 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Location: Heritage Room

POC: Meredith Bess @ 486-2147

Student Life

For more information, contact Dr. Angela McPherson Williams @ 486-2090.

Event: Meet Dr. Mac, Director of Student Life, during Spirit Fridays

Date: Friday, November 1, 2013 (MLK) and November 8, 2013 (SWC)

Time: 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Summary: Meet the new Director of Student Life, hear her vision and share activities you would like to see on campus.

Event: Toy Drive for the Battered Women's & Children's Shelter

Dates: November 1 – 30

Summary: Boxes will be placed in the: CHP Lobby (Allied Health), Welcome Center and Turbon Center

*Wish list will be provided on the boxes

POC: Jessica Cooper, Advisor-Early Childhood and Family Studies Student Club

Event: GAME NIGHT

Date: Wednesday, November 6, 2013

Time: 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Location: MLK Campus Health & Fitness Center

Summary: The SPC Women's & Men's basketball teams will host Southwest Texas Junior College.

Event: Join the African American Men on the Move (AAMM) for the Opening Night Performance of "Emmett Till"

Date: Friday, November 8, 2013

Time: 8:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Location: Watson Theatre (WFAC)

Summary: The men of AAMM invite students to join them for the production, "The Ballad of Emmett Till." The tragic death of Emmett Till and the courageous decision by his family to show the world the brutality he suffered inspired many to stand up against violence and injustice. If you would like to attend the play on this date as guests of the AAMM, please visit them in the Turbon Student Center 113 or contact them via Facebook: St. Philip's College - African American Male Initiative.

Event: SPC Theater Presentation-The Ballad of Emmett Till

Date: November 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 2013

Time: Fridays and Saturday at 8 pm, Sundays at 2:30 pm

Location: Watson Fine Arts Theater

Summary: Students can get free tickets to this event while they last! Sign up in the Student Life Offices on either campus.

Event: Wreath Laying at the SPC Veterans Memorial Monument and Veterans Day Ceremony

Date: Monday, November 8, 2013

Time: 9:30 am / Ceremony at 10:00 am

Location: Near the front entrance of the Welcome Center followed by a ceremony in the Heritage Room

Summary: Celebrating freedom and service with the theme, "Everyone Who Served is a Veteran."

Event: "This is How We Do It!!" (Students and SPC Employees)

Date: Wednesday, November 13, 2013

Time: 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Location: MLK Heritage Pavilion

Summary: Do you know the most popular line dances? Join us while we "work it" and get fit. No judgment!!! **Start working on the Official SPC line dance, with a name and signature song. Get all of the contest details when you sign up on either campus during the November 1st Spirit Friday.**

Student Life (continued)

For more information, contact Dr. Angela McPherson Williams @ 486-2090.



Event: Dodge Ball

Date: Wednesday, November 20, 2013

Time: 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Location: MLK Health & Fitness Center (GYM)

Summary: This is not your school yard game. Dodge Ball has grown up. Students that participate in this activity will learn the National Amateur Dodge Ball rules, engage in fitness activity and have a lot of fun. Visit the Turbon Student Center Room 115 to sign up.

INTRAMURAL/RECREATIONAL SPORTS SCHEDULE

Event: Intramural Volleyball

Date: Every Monday & Wednesday (November 4, 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25)

Time: 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm

Location: MLK Health and Fitness Center (Gym)

Summary: In an effort to engage students in ongoing physical activity, the Department of Student Life is offering co-ed volleyball. Students of all skill levels and experience are invited to participate. Students can develop their own teams or come by the gym and be matched with other student to form a team. Refreshments provided.

Event: Rec Sports (Indoor and Outdoor Sports to include Ping Pong, Billiards, Horsehoes, Basketball and Volleyball)

Date: Every Tuesday & Thursday (November 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26)

Time: 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Location: SWC Student Center

Summary: In an effort to engage students in ongoing physical activity, the Department of Student Life is offering opportunities to have fun while exercising.

SPIRIT FRIDAYS!!!!

Every **FRIDAY** at St. Philip's is Spirit FRIDAY!

Wear your favorite St. Philip's shirt, or wear the school colors – royal blue and white. Stop by the Heritage Pavilion on the MLK Campus or the Crossroads on the SW Campus for **FREE** refreshments from **11:00 am-1:00 pm**. Prizes will be awarded each week to the student showing the most school spirit. Every FRIDAY, we will also give out a fun fact about the college. Stop by to show your school support! All students, faculty and staff welcome!

DISABILITY RESOURCE CENTER

For more information, contact Lydia Hannawi @ 486-2295.

Event: Disability Resource Center

Date: Monday- Friday

Time: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Location: Norris Technical Building, Room 100

POC: Coordinator Lydia Hannawi, 486-2295 or Maria Botello, 486-2199

Summary: The Disability Resource Center offers guidance and services to students with disabilities. The Center is also a resource for staff and faculty seeking guidance on services to students.

PHI THETA KAPPA

For more information, contact Maria Botello @ 486-2199.

Event: PTK Bake Sale

Date: Tuesday, November 5, 2013

Time: 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Location: Heritage Pavilion

Summary: The chapter will be selling baked goods to raise funds. Donations and volunteers are always welcome.

Event: Texas Phi Theta Kappa District V Meeting

Date: Saturday, November 9, 2013

Time: 8:30 am – 3:30 pm

Location: SLC Bowden Alumni Room

Summary: The Psi Kappa Chapter welcomes all Texas local community Phi Theta Kappa chapters as we host the District V meeting. The meeting includes a general session, workshops, and closing session.

Event: Competitive Edge Workshop

Date: Tuesday, November 19, 2013

Time: 4:30 pm – 5:15 pm

Location: CLR 108

Summary: The Chapter is offering an opportunity for all students to learn more about competitive edge. Learn about competition for scholarships, transferring, and your dream job. Your college classes are only part of your education. Soft skills - such as communication, professional etiquette, team building and critical thinking - are just as important and can give you an advantage over others.

Event: Phi Theta Kappa Information Session

Date: Wednesday, November 20, 2013

Time: 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm

Location: Heritage Room

Summary: Students who met the criteria to join the organization are invited to attend this information session to learn about the benefits of accepting membership, obtain general information, and get answers to your questions. If you have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 and have completed 12 college hours, join us at this event. Refreshments will be served.

Student Services @ Southwest Campus

For more information, contact Regina Horne-Espree @ 486-7199.

Office Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00am – 5:00pm
Wednesday 8:00 am – 7:00 pm
Location: SWC Bldg. 1, Room B172

SWC Advising hotline: 210-486-7281

Financial Aid: Representative available on Wednesdays from 8:00am-7:00pm

Bursar's Hours of Operation

Monday	8:30 am to 1:30 pm	Tuesday	8:30 am to 1:00 pm
Wednesday	1:30 am to 6:30 pm	Thursday	9:00 am to 2:00 pm

Tutoring Services and the Service-Learning Program

Hours of Operation at the Southwest Campus (Room C123, Building #1)

Monday	1:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Math	Tuesday	11:00 am – 1:00 pm	Math and English
Thursday	4:00 pm – 5:30 pm	Physics and Math			

Counseling

Event: Counseling Services offered at Southwest Campus

Date: September 9 – December 14, 2013

Time: Mondays 11 am – 5 pm and Wednesdays 4 – 7pm (subject to change)

Location: LIFEspace Center, Building 1, A-135 (486-7275, 486-7281)

Summary: The Counseling Resource Center will be providing counseling services to students at Southwest Campus during the Fall 2013 semester. Students please come by and visit. We would love to hear from you about topics of interest for creating counseling groups.

Disability Services

Event: LIFEspace Center at Southwest Campus (A resource for students in need of information on disability services, counseling, community referrals, and general VA information.)

Date: Tuesday and Thursday

Time: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

Location: SWC Building 1, Room A-135

POC: Maria Botello, 486-7175 (Tuesday) and Lydia Hannawi (Thursday)

Summary: The LIFEspace Center offers guidance and services to students with disabilities.

Student Life

Event: SWC Recreation & Fitness

Date: Every Tuesday

Time: 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Location: SW Campus

Summary: In an effort to engage students in ongoing physical activity, the Department of Student Life is a variety of activities for the students. They will range from group calisthenics, outdoor sports to recreational tournaments. Visit D- 143 to sign up to participate in the upcoming activities.

Event: SGA SWC Thanksgiving Lunch

Date: Monday, November 25, 2013

Time: 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

Location: Crossroads Cafeteria

Summary: Give thanks, share a meal, food, have fun!

International Education Week Activities

For more information, contact [Patrice Ballard@ 486-2876](mailto:Patrice.Ballard@486-2876).

Event: Kick Off

Date: Monday, November 18, 2013

Time: 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Location: Heritage Pavilion – MLK Campus

Summary: Join us for refreshments and the following activities: Flags for Peace, Global Quiz, world music. International student displays of photographs, clothing, and artifacts from their home countries, and tell us your thoughts-Write a thought provoking question on a piece of butcher paper and ask students to write their opinion/thought.

Event: Ten Thousand Villages

Date: Tuesday, November 19, 2013

Location: MLK Campus-Heritage Pavilion

Time: 9:00 am- 2:00 pm

Summary: Overview of Ten Thousand Villages

Event: Ten Thousand Villages

Date: Tuesday, November 19, 2013

Time: 11:00 am-1:00 pm

Location: SWC

Crossroads, Bldg. 1 lobby

Summary: Join us for refreshments and the following activities: Flags for Peace, Global Quiz, world music. International student displays of photographs, clothing, and artifacts from their home countries, and tell us your thoughts-Write a thought provoking question on a piece of butcher paper and ask students to write their opinion/thought. There will also be an overview of Ten Thousand Villages.

Event: Foreign Film Series featuring “No More Tears, Sister,” “Lost Boys of Sudan,” “Hell of a Nation,” and “Democracy Afghan Style”

Date: Wednesday, November 20, 2013

Location: CHP Room 115

Time: 10:00-11:00, 11:00-12:00 and 12:00-1:00

Popcorn and sodas will be served. **Seating is limited**

Event: Hunger Banquet

Date: November 21, 2013

Time: 10:35 am - 12:00 pm

Location: CLR Breezeway

Summary: This interactive event will delve into the issues surrounding hunger in our world. Local, national, and international issues will be explored. Come prepared to fill your brain, if not your stomach. Tickets are available in NTB 116.

Event: Foreign Film featuring “Lost Boys of Sudan “

Date: November 21, 2013

Time: 10:00- 12:00

Location: Southwest Campus Cafetorium

Popcorn and sodas will be served

Event: Luncheon for international students.

Date: Friday, November 22, 2013

This event is not open to the campus community or public.