

Reminder: Check Up for Health and Safety

What should you do if there is an emergency on campus? Do you know your building's pre-designated meeting area if you have to evacuate?

These questions and others are answered in the new Employee Health and Safety pamphlet which covers general, campus-wide safety topics.

The pamphlet was created by the ONU Safety Committee and endorsed by the ONU Board of Trustees. A copy of the bright yellow pamphlet was sent to each employee on campus by the Office of Human Resources at the beginning of September.

Supervisors are asked to review the information in the pamphlet with each current employee and every new employee thereafter. After the pamphlet has been reviewed, the training checklist on the last page is to be signed by both supervisor and employee and returned to Human Resources. The form will be retained within each employee's personnel file.

It is also suggested that the information be shared with student workers, although they are **not** required to sign and turn in the checklist.

In some cases the instruction page inside the supervisor's copy



may have been overlooked and, consequently, the signed checklists have not returned to Human Resources. If that was the case, please take time to review the pamphlets and send in the signed checklists. Additional copies are available from Human Resources if needed.

If you have already reviewed the Employee Health & Safety pamphlet, the ONU Safety Committee is interested in your evaluation of the effectiveness of the training. An evaluation form was sent via e-mail, or contact Kristin Daws, chair of the ONU Safety Committee for the form.

Grants Received

Catriona Macphie-Hynds, managing director and development officer for the Freed Center for the Performing Arts, has been awarded two grants to support children's programming at the Freed Center.

A \$1,000 grant from Procter & Gamble Manufacturing Co., Lima, Ohio, will support Turtle Day, a program modeled after last year's successful Polar Bear Day. The day will combine storytelling, art, music and theatre for children, giving them the opportunity to explore the world of turtles. The event will be held in November.

A \$2,000 grant from Pennsylvania Performing Arts on Tour (PennPAT) will be used to support the performance of *The Adventures of Harold and the Purple Crayon* at the Freed Center in January.

Dr. Vicki Motz, visiting assistant professor of biological sciences, is the recipient of a \$500 grant from the United Plant Savers to enhance the teaching of medicinal herbs and herbal practices and raise awareness of medicinal herbalism. The team of Motz, Dr. David Kinder, professor of medicinal chemistry in the College of Pharmacy, and Dr. Linda Young, professor of biological sciences, will use the funds to purchase plants and materials for a new garden, maintenance of the existing garden located on the south side of Hakes-Pierstorf Family Pharmacy Center and to print self-guided tour pamphlets for the gardens.

Due to the efforts of Melanie Weaver, director of financial aid, and her staff, Ohio Northern University is the recipient of a \$24,144 grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to train health professionals. The funds, made available under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, will be used for scholarships for disadvantaged students.

President Meyer Remembered

Dr. Samuel L. Meyer was Ohio Northern's seventh president, serving from 1965 to 1977. After retirement to Florida, he continued to share his love of ONU and the community until his death in 2000.

Robert M. Porter of the Tallahassee Capital Rotary Club spoke of Meyer in a presentation to the club this week. He says, "Dr. Meyer, ever the consummate professional, but with a deliciously droll sense of humor, was president of our Rotary Club in 1982-83 and provided outstanding leadership and service. I note that a scholarship has been established at ONU in honor of he and Mrs. Meyer. Some years ago our club also created a scholarship in his name at the Tallahassee Community College.

"Dr. Meyer's legacy lives on in our club. Almost 30 years ago, he was 'educating' Rotarians about Ada, Ohio, and we came to learn of the high reputation of Ohio Northern University."



Assistant Coach

Michael W. Scott has joined ONU as assistant coach of the men's and women's track and field and cross country teams.

He holds a Bachelor of Science in animal science and did graduate study in animal science and agriculture at the University of Missouri, Columbia. He received a Bachelor of Arts in education from Columbia College, a Masters of Education in

health education and promotion from the University of Missouri, Columbia, and a Masters of Science in sports and fitness business administration from the University of Central Missouri. His Ph.D. is in health education and promotion from the University of Missouri, Columbia.

He comes to Ada from the University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, Mo., where he was assistant track and field coach. He has also coached at Southern Boone County Schools, Ashland, Mo., and Columbia Public Schools, Rock Bridge High School, Columbia, Mo.

Dean Presents Paper

Dr. Catherine Albrecht, dean of the Getty College of Arts & Sciences, has just returned from a conference in Prague, the Czech Republic, where she presented a paper on "Two Transitions: The Origins and the End of the Business University in Prague, 1919-52."

The conference was held at the Prague University of Economics to celebrate the 90th anniversary of the institution. Read more at <http://tinyurl.com/ktt8s>

Book Published

Michael W. Lewis, assistant professor of law, is co-author of a new book, "The War on Terror and the Laws of War: A Military Perspective."



A part of the terrorism and global justice series published by Oxford University Press, the book is authored by Geoffrey S. Corn, Vicor M. Hansey, Dick Jackson, Eric Talbot Jensen, Lewis and James A. Schoettler Jr.

The 214-page book is available online at amazon.com

Sign Up For Text Messages

ONU has a cell phone text messaging service to alert faculty, staff and students of campus closings or emergencies.

Sign-up is voluntary.

To subscribe, log on to Luminis and follow the link at the bottom of the page. You can unsubscribe in the same manner at any time. Depending on your cell phone plan, charges to receive a text message may apply.



International Admissions

Jennifer K. Briggs has joined ONU as advanced administrative assistant in international admissions.

A graduate of Bellefontaine High School, she has 16 years experience in banking as a commercial loan coordinator, administrative assistant and mortgage loan officer with JPMorgan Chase Bank at offices in Sidney, Wapakoneta and Lima.

She is president of the Parent-Teacher Society at Bath schools and actively supports the school.

Hall of Famer

Retired ONU engineering professor Les Thede is officially in the Hall of Fame - the Iowa Rock 'n Roll Hall of Fame.

Before he made his mark in the classroom, Thede was the drummer for the

XLs, an Iowa band that built a regional reputation, opening for such headliners as Herman's Hermits, Lovin' Spoonful, The Yardbirds, ? and the Mysterians, The New Vaudeville Band, the Byrds, Mamas and Papas, and Paul Revere and the Raiders.



The six band members got together in June for a local Iowa event, then over Labor Day weekend were inducted into the Iowa Rock 'n Roll Hall of Fame in Arnolds Park Iowa.

Diane Thede, senior administrative assistant in the College of Business Administration, says she's the drummer's "biggest fan and groupie." Pictures are available on the band's Web site: www.thexls.com

Art and Design Calls for Entries

In celebration of the 50th anniversary of the department of art and design, the department is inviting its more than 250 alumni to submit artwork for a postage stamp design.

One winning artwork will be selected on the basis of concept and design by a panel of ONU faculty and students. Other submitted artwork will be on display in the Wilson Art Center during the 50th anniversary celebration.

Deadline for consideration is Jan. 29, 2010. For full details, see www-new.onu.edu/node/21857



Rockapella to Perform

Rockapella, the world-renowned contemporary a cappella group, will perform at the Freed Center for the Performing Arts at 8 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 26.

Rockapella is an original, five-man powerhouse of vocal talent. They blend soul, rock, rhythm and blues as one of the most accomplished contemporary a cappella groups in the world.

Since 2003, Rockapella has traveled across the country with their annual "A Rockapella Holiday" tour. They also have collaborated with the Boston Pops orchestra in sold-out venues throughout the U.S. The group is currently touring the globe and laying the foundation for their next recording.

Ohio Northern's own Northernaire ensemble will open the show.

Northernaire members include Molly Howard, a senior music education major from Coudersport, Pa.; Sydney Kuhlman, a senior communication arts major from Ada, Ohio; Virginia Harrod, a senior music education major from Fairfax, Va.; Brianna Bizzaro, a sophomore music education major from Port Allegany, Pa.; Eric Smith, a junior music performance major from Toledo, Ohio; Kyle Roby, a senior social studies major from Bluffton, Ohio; Michael Bizzaro, a senior music education major from Port Allegany, Pa.; and Tim Smith, a senior music education major from Westerville, Ohio.

Tickets are \$35 for general admission and are available online at www.freedcenter.com, or by calling the box office at 419-772-1900.

Books as Art

Melissa Eddings-Mancuso, associate professor of art, has curated an exhibition of artists' books now on display at the ArtSpace/Lima Gallery in Lima, Ohio through Oct. 31.

The exhibit, "Undercover: 6 Artists/24 Books," is sponsored by The Book Club, Books in the Hood and The Argonne Literary Society and Adventure Club.

According to Eddings, this exhibit at ArtSpace is a diverse sampling. "The six participating artists are an extremely versatile, dedicated and talented group who continually push themselves and their craft to new levels."

"Yes, a book can be an object that sits on a shelf. It can also embody what this exhibition highlights—in the hand of an artist, a book is an intimate vehicle for expression through words, text, time, space, sound, past, present and future."

Admission to the Ellen Nelson Gallery at ArtSpace is free and open to the public.

Award-winning Choreographer Brings 'Games' to ONU

"Games," a production by award-winning choreographer Donald McKayle, comes to Ohio Northern University's Freed Center for the Performing Arts on Saturday, Oct. 3, at 8 p.m. and Sunday, Oct. 4, at 2 p.m.

Under the supervision of McKayle, seven ONU students will perform "Games," a production that observes city children at play and the serious business of being a child. "Games" premiered in May 1951 at the Hunter Playhouse in New York City as Donald McKayle's initial full-scale choreographic offering for his concert dance group, "Donald McKayle and Company." "Games" has since been recognized as a modern dance classic.

Internationally known as a teacher, director and choreographer, McKayle, along with assistant Stephanie Powell, is on Ohio Northern's campus Sept. 14-18 rehearsing with student dancers and vocalists in preparation for the opening in October.

A grant funded by three organizations, Dance/USA, the New England Foundation for the Arts and the National Endowment for the Arts, helped bring "Games" to ONU.

Tickets are \$25 and go on sale Monday, Sept. 14. The Freed Center box office is open Monday through Friday from noon to 5 p.m. and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Phone orders are accepted with American Express, MasterCard, VISA or Discover by calling 419-772-1900. Tickets are also available online at www.freedcenter.com

Health Screenings

6:30 -8:30 a.m.

Thursday, Oct. 15

and

6:30-8:30 a.m.

Saturday, Nov. 14

McIntosh Activities Room



Open to all employees and spouses whether enrolled in ONU health insurance plan or not. Open to retirees at no charge; retiree spouses who are not part of ONU retiree insurance plan are welcome but must pay a fee.

Hemocult test kits and specimen samples containers can be picked up at the Student Health Center.

A 12-hour fast is required before the blood draw.
(Do not eat for 12 hours prior to the testing.)

Seasonal flu shots available to all participants at no charge.

Bring stamped envelopes to the health screening, addressed to where you want results forwarded, such as your doctor and yourself.

Questions? Contact the Office of Human Resources.

Northern Events Sept. 24 -30

Campus Events

Sept. 25

7:00 p.m., Open Doors Concert, Jason and DeMarco, English Chapel

Sept. 27

8:30 a.m., Catholic Mass, English Chapel

6:00 p.m., TNT Worship Service, English Chapel

Sept. 28

4:00 p.m., College of Engineering Faculty Meeting, Biggs 239

Sept. 29

11:25 a.m., Law Faculty Meeting, College of Law, Room 124

Sept. 30

11:00 a.m., Chapel Worship Service, English Chapel

Arts and Lectures

September – Oct. 2

Noon – Deeper Than Dreams, paintings and drawings by Tom Connelly, Elzay Gallery of Art and Stambaugh Studio Theatre Gallery



Sept. 26

8:00 p.m., Rockapella, Freed Center

Sept. 29

6:00 p.m., Art and Design Film Series, Broken Flowers, Wilson Art Center, Room 115

For more events, go to:

www-new.onu.edu/event

Athletics

Sept. 24

Noon, Men's Tennis at ITA Regionals hosted by Washington, Mo., St. Louis, Mo.

5:00 p.m., Women's Tennis vs. Saint Francis, Ind., ONU courts

7:00 p.m., Volleyball vs. Wittenberg, ONU Sports Center

Sept. 25

Noon, Men's Tennis at ITA Regionals hosted by Washington, Mo., St. Louis, Mo.

Sept. 26

6:45 a.m., Volleyball at Mount St. Joseph Fall Classic, Cincinnati, Ohio

10:00 a.m., Women's Tennis at Northwestern Ohio, Lima

10:00 a.m., Women's Golf at Heidelberg Fall Invitational, Tiffin, Ohio

10:30 a.m., Men's and Women's Cross Country at Otterbein Invitational, Westerville, Ohio

Noon, Men's Tennis at ITA Regionals hosted by Washington, Mo., St. Louis, Mo.

1:30 p.m., Football at Otterbein, Westerville, Ohio

5:00 p.m., Women's Soccer at Case Western Reserve, Cleveland, Ohio



Sept. 27

6:45 a.m., Volleyball at Mount St. Joseph Fall Classic, Cincinnati, Ohio

10:00 a.m., Women's Golf at Heidelberg Fall Invitational, Tiffin, Ohio

10:00 a.m., Men's Golf at Mount Union Invitational, Tannenhau/Alliance Country Club

Noon, Men's Tennis at ITA Regionals hosted by Washington, Mo., St. Louis, Mo.

Sept. 28

4:00 p.m., Men's Soccer JV at Ohio Wesleyan, Delaware, Ohio

Sept. 29

4:00 p.m., Men's Soccer vs. Defiance, ONU Soccer Field

Sept. 30

5:00 p.m., Women's Soccer vs. Denison, ONU Soccer Field