UPCOMING EVENTS

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November 2nd—Make a Child Smile
November 7th—14th—Turkey Basket Competition
November 14th—Fire & Ice Night

LOOK FOR EVENTS IN THE UPCOMING WEEKS

You’re Invited To the President’s Open Forum

When: Wednesday Nov. 2nd
Where: 31 St. James Rm 230 and 231
Time: 11:00 — 12:15pm

Here’s your chance to share what you think is working, voice your thoughts for improvement, and listen to future plans for Bay State College!

Happy Halloween from the Office of Student Affairs
**History of Halloween Night**

Originally Halloween was set for November 1st, its marked the end of the summer and the harvest and the beginning of cold winter nights. The time of year is associated to the human death. In Ireland the Celts believed that on October 31 the spirits came alive and roamed the Earth.

Halloween didn’t come to America until the late 19th century. When the Irish flooded America they brought their traditions with them. Americans started to dress up and go from house to house asking for food or money which became the “trick or treat” tradition.

In the late 1800's Americans decided to make Halloween more about the community and not so much about ghosts and pranks. The community was encouraged to take anything death related to Halloween out of the tradition. This caused Halloween to lose more of its tradition.

The originally tradition of ghost and witches still exist today. Many people tend to make a big deal out of this holiday whether its haunted houses, or other scary features associated with the holiday.

Halloween is considered one of America’s favorite holidays. October 31 is when all the ghost zombies and werewolves come out for a good scare. *Courtesy of http://www.history.com/topics/halloween*

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**Bay State College Begins Partnership with Our Place**

Bay State’s student community service group, the Community O’s, decided at the end of last academic year that they would like to focus their efforts for this year in and around homelessness. In order to help bring about that focus, they have decided to partner with Our Place, the daycare center for homeless children run by the Salvation Army in Cambridge. Megan Gelinas, the president of the Community O’s, is completing an internship there this semester. They are planning many community service projects in the coming months to help this inspiring organization! Contact Megan at megan.gelinas@baystate.edu for more information and to help out!

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**Safety Tips for Halloween Weekend**

Halloween can be an exciting time of year especially in a city. However it is important to be safe during the Halloween weekend especially if it is your first one in Boston. There are some safety precautions that you should take into account when enjoying the holiday.

**Safety Tips**

- When wearing a costume make sure if it something you are comfortable with
- If you go out in a group come back with a group
- Make sure your cell phone is charged before going out
- If you go out make sure you know where you going

- If your roommate(s) stay home make sure they know where you are

Remember on Halloween you can have fun, but it is important to be safe.

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**Brian’s Top Ten Scariest Movies**


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**Kaitlyn’s Top Ten Non-Scary Movies**

Want to Get Involved? 
Come to a Meeting!

Student Government Association:
Meets every Monday at 5pm in 35 Comm Ave Student Lounge

Community O’s: Meets every Tuesday at 4pm in 35 Comm Ave Student Lounge

Campus Activities Board: Meets every Tuesday at 5pm in 35 Comm Ave

Audio Engineering Society Travels to New York
Bay State College Audio Engineering Society students attended the 131st AES Convention in New York this past week and it was a fantastic experience! Students helped loud speaker company PMC (Professional Monitor Company) set up their presentation rooms, and attended many lectures. Many professionals were met and amazing connections established. AES students also held an education table promoting Bay State College's AES organizations involvement in the Boston community. Some of the best news from this convention is that Bay State College was voted on by AES officials and we are now an officially recognized Chapter of the Boston AES Section! Bay State College's AES program is making great strides to be recognized in its community and expects to become further involved!

Parker Woods, Bay State AES Representative

Career Services Corner
The Career Services team can help you with resume writing, work study, part time jobs and internships.
Call or email to schedule an appointment!

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Date: October 31

Time: All day!

This bake sale is to benefit Habitat for Humanity. Help 10 students get to North Carolina to help build houses for the homeless. EVERY PENNY COUNTS!

If you are interested in baking something for the bake sale or just buying and donating to it, please contact either:
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Where to drop off donations; Student Grad Office in 35 Com. Ave Garden level.

LOCATION: 35 Commonwealth Ave and 31 St. James!