

On the Baylor Horizon.....a publication of the Division of Student Life

Special Study Days

Tuesday, December 4, and Wednesday, December 5, are the designated special study days before final exams begin.

Finals Week

For additional information about study tips, check

www.baylor.edu/support_programs/index.php?id=36267. For the complete final exam schedule, visit www.baylor.edu/registrar/index.php?id=84416.

Summer Classes

The upcoming holidays are a good time to begin thinking about taking summer classes if you wish to:

1. take prerequisites to be ready for the following fall,
2. take courses needed to earn a minor or secondary major, or
3. retake courses in which less than a "C" was earned so that progress to the next level continues.

It is smart to take these courses at Baylor to maintain the same level of academic challenge that you've had in the fall and spring. To view what was offered last summer, visit www.baylor.edu/summer. The new listing of courses for 2013 will be available in early February 2013. About 300 different courses are offered each summer. Taking summer classes can definitely help you stay on track or get ahead to ensure that they will graduate on time. Also, check out the summer Web site for information on the tuition break that is available, and be ready to talk to your academic advisor about the right choices to make when it is time to register.

McLane Student Life Center Hours of Operation

Monday, December 3, to Wednesday, December 5, 6 a.m.-12 midnight

Thursday, December 6 and Friday, December 7, 6 a.m.-10 p.m.

Saturday, December 8, 9 a.m.-10 p.m.

Sunday, December 9, 1-10 p.m.

Student Health 101

In December's issue:

- 4 Steps to Successful Finals
- Is It Love?
- Eat Well In Hectic Times
- Manage Stress Now

Check it out at <http://readsh101.com/baylor.html>. For additional information, contact Lori_Genous@baylor.edu.

THIS WEEK IN STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Vacancies

- Interested in the Student Government Web master position, contact Kelly_Rapp@baylor.edu

- Interested in impacting the lives of elementary students by mentoring and reading in the Waco School District, contact Kristyn_Miller@baylor.edu
- Interested in serving the Waco community, Big XII, and Baylor Alumni by joining the External Vice President's cabinet, contact Briana_Treadaway@baylor.edu

For additional information, visit www.baylor.edu/sg/index.php?id=65000.

Senate Meetings

Thursdays, 5 p.m. in Cashion, Room 203. Meetings are open to the public.

Open office

If you ever have any questions or comments, we would love to hear them. Come by the Student Government office in the SUB. No appointment needed.

Passport Waco is Coming Soon!

Tweet at @baylorsg and @passportWaco your favorite restaurants and shopping venues in the Waco Area!

Peer Nutrition Educators

Next time you want something sweet after eating lunch, try a piece of fruit. Try grabbing a tangerine, banana, or grapes from the salad bar in the dining halls. Individual containers of fruits like peaches or applesauce are easy and convenient options while on the go. If you are interested in learning more about nutrition, contact Van_Davis@baylor.edu to set up an appointment with one of the Peer Nutrition Educators, or sign up on the 3rd floor of the McLane Student Life Center, Room 305.

Hot Opportunities

Beta Theta Pi's Men of Principle Scholarship

Applications are available online at <http://my.betathetapi.org/ors/scholarshipapp.aspx?chap=100243>. Beta Theta Pi is offering \$1,000 in scholarships, designated for non-Greek male students at Baylor. This scholarship is designed to reward individuals who demonstrate devotion to academic achievement and a commitment to making Baylor University and the surrounding Waco community better places to live. Most importantly, we seek those who desire to develop skills that will not only help them become successful in college, but will also carry over to their professional and personal lives. Applications are due on *Saturday, December 15*. For additional information or to learn more about Beta Theta Pi Fraternity, visit www.betathetapi.org.

Baylor Global Missions Applications

For all 2013 trips and applications, visit www.baylor.edu/missions. Thinking about going on a mission trip with Baylor in 2013? Whether it's Kenya or Alabama, spring break or summer, learn more about opportunities for you to serve in discipline-specific missions all around the world. For additional information or for help applying, contact missions@baylor.edu. Applications are due *Wednesday, December 12*.

Baylor Urban Missions Spring Break Trip

Applications are available online at www.baylor.edu/missions. Are you interested in doing something awesome for spring break? This spring students involved in Baylor

Urban Missions will be taking a Mission Trip to Eagle Pass, Texas. We will be partnering with Literacy Connexus and other organizations and churches. We will engage in literacy missions and there will be many opportunities to serve and to learn. Applications are due *Wednesday, December 12*. For additional information contact UrbanMissions@baylor.edu.

Civil Rights Tour Applications

Applications are available online at www.baylor.edu/engage/index.php?id=89366 or at Martin House. The annual Civil Rights Tour is scheduled to take place over spring break 2013. Applications are due on *Friday, December 14*. For additional information, contact Chloe_Toohey@baylor.edu.

Steppin' Out Steering Committee Applications

Applications are available online at www.baylor.edu/engage. Are you looking for a place to serve and lead next semester? Steppin' Out is looking for new committee members. For additional information, contact Erika_Sherhart@baylor.edu.

SUPPORT BAYLOR ATHLETICS

Men's Basketball vs. Northwestern

Tuesday, December 4, 8 p.m., Ferrell Center

Log onto www.BaylorBears.com for all the latest information about Baylor Athletics.

Sic 'em Bears!

If you have items you would like to see appear in *On the Baylor Horizon*, submit them for consideration by *Friday at noon* to StudentLife@baylor.edu. You can find the most up-to-date calendar information at <http://www.baylor.edu/calendar/>.

View past issues of *On the Baylor Horizon* at http://www.baylor.edu/student_life/index.php?id=34626.