

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

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## **Christmas on 5th Street Concert Tickets on Sale!**

Tickets are still available in the SUB Ticket Office or online at [www.baylor.edu/studentactivities/ticketoffice](http://www.baylor.edu/studentactivities/ticketoffice). Student tickets are \$10, general admission is \$15 or \$20 at the door. For additional information, visit [www.baylor.edu/studentactivities/ticketoffice](http://www.baylor.edu/studentactivities/ticketoffice).

## **Bearathon Early Registration**

For additional information or to register, visit [www.baylor.edu/studentfoundation](http://www.baylor.edu/studentfoundation). Early registration for the 13th Annual Bearathon is open. The race includes the Toughest Half Marathon in Texas as well as a 5k. The student and faculty prices are \$45 for the half-marathon and \$15 for the 5k. Both races will be held on *Saturday, March 21*. They will end outside McLane Stadium.

## **Baylor NAACP World AIDS Day**

Monday, December 1, 7 p.m. on the 5th floor of Cashion. This will be an information session about HIV/AIDS. You may earn member points if you are in an organization that offers points for attending events on campus. It is very important to educate ourselves about this topic. Help promote and increase awareness. There will be free food, guest speakers, and more. For additional information, contact [Lillian\\_Byas@baylor.edu](mailto:Lillian_Byas@baylor.edu).

## **Latin Dance Society Meetings**

Every Monday, 9 p.m. in Marrs McLean Gym. No experience necessary. Graduate students are welcome. Partners will be provided. On Monday, December 1, come learn New York Style Salsa (Salsa on two). For additional information, contact [Alex\\_Newman@baylor.edu](mailto:Alex_Newman@baylor.edu).

## **American Medical Student Association Meeting**

Tuesday, December 2, 7:30 p.m. in the Baylor Sciences Building, Room D110. Come out and see who the new officers are, and for the announcement of the top 10 members. For additional information, contact [amsa@baylor.edu](mailto:amsa@baylor.edu).

## **2015 BU Missions Trips**

The last day to apply online for a domestic spring break or international May/June mission trip is *Wednesday, December 3*. Spots are still available on select teams. For additional information or other BU Missions and opportunities for 2015, visit [www.baylor.edu/missions](http://www.baylor.edu/missions) or contact [missions@baylor.edu](mailto:missions@baylor.edu).

## **Baylor Dining Services Events**

**Wednesday, December 3:** The Gingerbread House Competition, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at Penland Crossroads. Teams of three are welcome. Space is limited.

**Wednesday, December 10:** Midnight Breakfast, 10 p.m.-12 midnight at Penland Crossroads. Enjoy free food, prize giveaways, karaoke, a photo booth, and a tacky

Christmas sweater contest. Be sure to come dressed in your favorite tacky Christmas sweater to enter. This year's menu will include Mexican breakfast tacos, grilled breakfast sausage, tator tots, biscuits and gravy, and of course pancakes with assorted toppings. By popular demand, they have added a hot chocolate bar with all the extras. For additional information, visit [dining.baylor.edu](http://dining.baylor.edu).

***Other announcements:***

- The East Village Bakery is taking preorders for Christmas desserts. Homemade orders include: Cranberry orange walnut bread, banana nut maple bacon loaf, zucchini carrot raisin bread, and homemade apple pies. Note: Bear bucks, dining dollars, and credit and cash payments are accepted. To preorder, call 254-710-6418 or contact [lee-tonya@aramark.com](mailto:lee-tonya@aramark.com). Hours are Monday to Friday, 7 a.m.-2 p.m.
- The Christmas season begins the last Thursday night with Christmas on 5th. Visit [www.baylor.edu/dining](http://www.baylor.edu/dining) for Christmas on 5th retail hours.
- Don't you love that you can eat everything on your plate and without having to wash the dishes? Baylor Dining Services love feeding Baylor Bears. For additional information on the Spring 2015 meal plans and meal plan options, visit [www.baylor.edu/dining](http://www.baylor.edu/dining) under Meal Plans. For questions, call 254-710-3606 or contact [tyson-stefanie@aramark.com](mailto:tyson-stefanie@aramark.com).

### **Santa's Workshop Volunteer Opportunity**

Helping to bridge the gap between Baylor and the Waco community for many years, Santa's Workshop is a one-day Christmas event where hundreds of kids ages three to five from all over Waco come to Baylor Campus to see Santa and get a present. No sign-up required, just show up to help out.

- **Wednesday, December 3:** Wrapping Party, 6-10 p.m. at the SUB Den. Help wrap hundreds of gifts for children who will attend the event. Free food will be provided.
- **Friday, December 5:** Santa's Workshop, 10 a.m.-12 noon at McLane Student Life Center (SLC). Help children work on arts and crafts and deliver food to tables. Volunteers are also needed from 8-10 a.m. and 12-1 p.m. for set-up and tear-down.

For additional information, contact the Santa's Workshop Leadership Committee at [santasworkshop@baylor.edu](mailto:santasworkshop@baylor.edu).

### **Holidays Around the World**

Wednesday, December 3, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Bobo Spiritual Life Center. The Multicultural Leadership Cabinet and the Department of Multicultural Affairs are proud to present the 3rd Annual Holidays Around the World. Come and enjoy free entertainment, food, desserts, and hot chocolate, all while learning about different holidays and cultures across the world. This is a come and go event, so coming in even for a small five-minute study break is completely acceptable. For additional information, contact [Margaret\\_Odunze@baylor.edu](mailto:Margaret_Odunze@baylor.edu) or [Sufeena\\_Choan@baylor.edu](mailto:Sufeena_Choan@baylor.edu).

### **Active Minds Candy Cane Sale**

Friday, December 5, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Hankamer Lounge. This organization is dedicated to reducing the stigma surrounding mental health on college campuses. For additional information, contact [Julian\\_Aliche@baylor.edu](mailto:Julian_Aliche@baylor.edu).

### **The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC) Student-Athlete Talent Show**

Monday, December 8, 7 p.m. in Bennett Auditorium. There will be a reward in the form of a gift-card for the winning team. All donations/proceeds will be donated to the Waco Abuse Center. The show is open to the public and student body, with the athletes as performers and certain coaches as judges. For additional information, contact [Jonathan\\_Tijerina@baylor.edu](mailto:Jonathan_Tijerina@baylor.edu).

### **My HEALTH**

My HEALTH is your online portal for access to the Health Center. Go to [www.baylor.edu/health\\_center](http://www.baylor.edu/health_center) and click on MY HEALTH in the upper right corner. Log in using your Bear ID (firstname\_lastname) to make appointments, receive secure messages, print immunization records, and sign up to receive a reminder text message one hour before your next appointment. Give it a try today.

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### **Monday Healthy Tip from Monday Campaigns**

Research for the road. There's no reason you can't eat well while you travel. Plan your meals the way you would plan your wardrobe or lodging: go online to find local eateries and menus, pack healthful snacks, or schedule a supermarket trip when you arrive at your destination. Then come up with a plan for how you will fit healthful meals into your itinerary. If you're planning an upcoming vacation or business trip, take time to consider your meals. Having an idea of what's available will help you feel in control and reduce your chances of overdoing it.

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### **SUPPORT BAYLOR ATHLETICS**

#### ***Men's Basketball vs. Texas Southern***

Monday, December 1, 8 p.m., Ferrell Center

#### ***Women's Basketball vs. UTPA***

Wednesday, December 3, 7 p.m., Ferrell Center

#### ***Football vs. Kansas State***

Saturday, December 6, 6:45 p.m., McLane Stadium

*For additional information on gameday for students, including Baylor student tickets, visit [www.baylor.edu/students/gameday/index.php?id=867021](http://www.baylor.edu/students/gameday/index.php?id=867021).*

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**Sic 'em Bears!**

If you have items you would like to see appear in *On the Baylor Horizon*, submit them for consideration by *Wednesday at 8 a.m.* to StudentLife@baylor.edu. You can find the most up-to-date calendar information at <http://www.baylor.edu/calendar/>.

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