

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

Special Edition: Thanksgiving Holiday 2016

Provided below is information on events, activities, and hours of operation of dining areas on campus.

Deadline to Apply for Spring Break and International/Domestic May-Minimester Mission Trips

Last Chance to apply for domestic Spring Break and International/Domestic May-Minimester Mission trips through Baylor Global Missions. There are still openings on teams. Don't miss out on the opportunity to serve in 2017. Applications are due *Wednesday, November 30*, for most remaining teams. For a full list of trip openings, visit www.baylor.edu/missions/stillaccepting or contact missions@baylor.edu to ask about specific trips for your major or areas of interest.

Christian Pre-Health Fellowship Presents "Mission-Focused Medicine: Connecting Domestic and International Service"

Monday, November 21, 7-8 p.m. in the Baylor Sciences Building, Room D109. Benjamin Anderson, the Chief Executive Officer of Kearny County Hospital, and a panel of distinguished doctors, will speak about their full-spectrum rural healthcare delivery complex serving about 20 counties in Kansas, Colorado, and Oklahoma. This specialized program allows physicians to serve in Zimbabwe and Tanzania for medical missions in addition to their rural ministry, and emphasizes a strong incorporation of faith in the medical field. Reception will follow. For additional information, contact Cheryl_Aguas@baylor.edu.

Multicultural Affairs "What's Next" Event Series

In light of recent events on our campus and in our nation, the Department of Multicultural Affairs will be supporting and partnering with student organizations to address issues diversity and inclusion through their "What's Next" Event Series. Below you will find a number of events hosted by a diverse group of multicultural student organizations that will cover a range of important topics relevant to promoting a culturally competent student experience.

Monday, November 21:

- "Campus Convos" with International Justice Mission, 8 p.m. in Draper, 349. Apart of the Department of Multicultural Affairs #WhatsNext Event series, this event will be a productive dialogue on micro-aggression, privilege, and implicit biases in American Higher Education.
- Baylor Mixed Martial Arts and Department of Multicultural Affairs' Self Defense Clinic, 9:30 p.m. on the 3rd floor or the McLane Student Life Center. Join this Department of Multicultural Affairs #WhatsNext event that will be free of charge for all students in attendance.

Texas Tech Football Tickets

Purchase your Texas Tech football student tickets at the SUB Ticket Office between 10 a.m.-3 p.m. today, *Monday, November 21*, and *Tuesday, November 22*! The 5 p.m. game is *Thanksgiving Friday, November 25*, at the AT&T Stadium in Arlington, Texas. Student tickets are \$30/each and may be purchased for family members. For additional information, contact bdsc tickets@baylor.edu.

Dining

Residential:

All residential dining locations will close at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, November 22, and remain closed through the holidays – reopening on Monday, November 28.

Retail:

All retail locations, except for Penland POD and Moody Starbucks, will be closed on Wednesday, November 23, to Sunday, November 27 – reopening on Monday, November 28. Penland POD is the only location that will be open every day.

For a complete listing of Retail Dining hours, visit <http://baylor.campusdish.com/>.

Buildings

All residence halls will remain open with limited front desk services.

Baylor Health Center and Pharmacy

- Closed Wednesday, November 23, to Sunday, November 27
- Opening at 8 a.m. on Monday, November 28

Bill Daniel Student Center (SUB)

- Closed Wednesday, November 23, to Sunday, November 27
- Opening at 7 a.m. on Monday, November 28

McLane Student Life Center (SLC)

- Closed November 23, to Saturday, November 26
- Open Sunday, November 27, 4-10 p.m.

Moody/Jones Libraries

- Open Wednesday, November 23, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Closed Thursday, November 24, to Saturday, November 26
- Open Sunday, November 27, 1 p.m.-1 a.m.

Moody Starbucks

- Closed Wednesday, November 23, to Saturday, November 26
- Open Sunday, November 27, 2 p.m.-1 a.m.

Baylor Athletics

Women's Basketball vs. Southeastern Louisiana

Tuesday, November 22, 7 p.m., Ferrell Center

Volleyball vs. Iowa State

Wednesday, November 23, 6 p.m., Ferrell Center

Football vs. Texas Tech

Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Shootout

Friday, November 25, 5 p.m., AT&T Stadium - Arlington

*Student tickets available at SUB Ticket Office

Volleyball vs. Kansas

Saturday, November 26, 1 p.m., Ferrell Center

A few tips...

- If traveling over the break, be safe. If you're staying here or going to be in the Waco community, this information will help you know more about available facilities and services.
- The Baylor Police Department reminds you of these pointers to help you remain safe:

- Be aware of your surroundings. Know where you are, where you are going and what is going on around you. Pay attention to people, events and potential exit routes.
- Do not carry large sums of money.
- Be prepared. Little details like a fully-charged cell phone, an extra house key, and emergency cab fare can really come in handy if things go wrong.
- Travel as a group. If possible, travel with another person. This is especially true after dark.
- Plan ahead, whether your agenda includes a night out on the town or a long evening studying at the library, make a safety plan in advance. Mention your plan to your friends and let someone know if your plans change.
- Do not go to an ATM at night.
- Travel on well-lighted and well-traveled streets at night. Walk in the middle of the sidewalk and never loiter in deserted areas.
- Act confidently. Pay attention to everything around you, and stand or walk confidently like you know where you are going even if you don't. Walk with your head up; look around; notice everything. Always scan your immediate surroundings. In addition, keep your distance when walking past strangers on the street or in dark areas.
- Hide valuables. When walking in a parking lot keep your purse inside your coat or tucked close to your body. Do not carry a loose bag or backpack.
- Be aware of people who approach asking for directions or the time of day. Keep a polite but safe distance.
- If you are confronted with a dangerous situation, YELL, do not scream. Screaming can be mistaken for "joy" instead YELL "No" or "Get Back" to attract attention.
- Keep an eye out for anyone who is loitering or hanging out around your home/campus, after school/work.
- When you get home, particularly after dark, do not hang around at the entrance of your residence. Make a quick check for mail and go in right away. If you feel something wrong, do not go in; go to a friend or neighbor's house and call for police assistance. Install photocells on your porch lights to ensure your light is on before you arrive if after dark.
- Trust your intuition. When attending holiday activities with strangers and you begin to feel uncomfortable, pack up your stuff and get out of there. Your safety is more important than being polite.
- Do not hesitate to call the police when you see something that does not seem right.

If you have a need, please call:

- Baylor Police Department: 254-710-2222
- Mental health: 254-710-2467
- Physical health: 254-710-1010

Happy Thanksgiving!