

### Basketball Hour

Come to the WAC for some rounds of H-O-R-S-E, 3 v 3, Around the World, and any other basketball-related game!

### The Curious(er) Case of the West Memphis Three

Ever since their 1993 conviction for a particularly brutal murder, the so-called West Memphis Three have staunchly maintained their innocence. This case has gained nationwide notoriety and has become the cause de jour for many famous personalities, while native Arkansans are left to closely examine their notions of justice.

### Bagpiping Demonstration

Acclaimed bagpipers and leaders of the Lyon College Pipe Band will demonstrate bagpipe techniques and then play traditional pieces like "Scotland the Brave" and "Cock of the North."

### Entrepreneur Series: Growing a Tech Business in Arkansas

Everyone knows how large a part technology plays in our everyday lives. Everyone also knows how viable many fields of technology are as a career path. What everyone doesn't necessarily think of is how an entrepreneur can start his or her own tech company right here in Arkansas. In this session hear from two guest speakers about two important technologies (web design and 3D printing) that will shape future business landscape. Food will be served!

The guest speakers are:

*Shan Pesaru* - Shan is CEO at SharpHue, Inc. SharpHue is a web design and web hosting company based in Springdale, Arkansas. At SharpHue, they provide a variety of services including design, hosting, code, CSS, SEO, and analytics.

*Nathan Myers* - Nathan is part of the startup QU-BD which is a "little indie 3D printing and milling company" that is committed to being 100% open source. QU-BD's flagship product is their Rapid Prototyping Mill (RPM).

### Dance Studio (Monday, Wednesday)

The Dance Studio will be open for your use from 6 to 7 PM. Soft dance shoes or socks only, please!

### Were Bugs Bunny, Popeye, and Superman Racist?

Not long ago, these icons promoted racial stereotyping. We will use them to talk about issues such as the responsibility of mass media and censorship. Please note: the examples to be explored do involve old, but still likely offensive, stereotyping.

### Mindfulness Experience and Stress Management

Introduction to stress management based upon mindfulness meditation to manage stress emotionally and physically.

### Math Movie Monday: Hunting the Hidden Dimension

The third installment of Math Movie Monday features *Hunting the Hidden Dimension*, a BBC documentary focusing on fractal geometry and its applications in the real world and nature.

### Karaoke Night

Come to Worsham to belt out your favorite song for your fellow students! Sign-ups start at 7:15 pm, so come a little early if you want to perform.

### Fútbol

Soccer? What's that? Come out to the WAC field for a bout of 20 v 20 and two balls! It'll be a hectic and awesome time!

### Yoga (Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday)

A class for all levels of yoga students, including beginners, who want to explore a variety of yoga postures and breathing techniques; instructions are given to modify postures for more advanced levels of practice -- a great way to get moving in the morning! Bring a yoga mat or towel to stand on; we have a few extra mats, but not enough for everyone.

### Ask the Governor

AETN (Arkansas Public Television) will be taping the quarterly episode of "Arkansans Ask: Governor Beebe". Students should be seated in Staples at 10 AM. Please come directly to Staples and sit in your assigned areas. You are encouraged to ask Governor Beebe questions. Area II/III C classes will meet from 1 p.m. to 2:20 p.m.

### Water Balloon Battleship

Heave water balloons at the opposing team to sink their players! Meet in the center of campus to cool off and enjoy some good laughs on a giant scale.

### What the Frack? Hydraulic Fracturing and the Arkansas Natural Gas Industry

Guest speakers Paige Miller, of the Arkansas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners, and Ethan Carter, of Southwestern Energy, will provide a basic overview of the process of hydraulic fracturing or "fracking." The controversial process has revolutionized the natural gas industry and had a massive economic impact on the state of Arkansas. The speakers will also address some of the safety measures undertaken by natural gas companies. Fracking features prominently in this week's film, *Promised Land*!

### Justice, Religion, and Medical Ethics

In this talk, we discuss various meanings of justice and the role of religion in framing what health care means for patients, particularly for patients with scarce resources, for children, and for patients at the end of life. We analyze whether or not health care is a right and examine the benefits and burdens of an agency-based model of health care, questioning what it means to "deserve" care and looking to different schools of thought in ethics for why one might be denied treatment. We also look to the concept and practice of hospitality to the stranger in religious texts for insight about the possibility of an economy of care distinct from the transactional model of care we have in the U.S. today.

### Natural State Brass Band

In existence since 2003, the Natural State Brass Band is composed of 30 central Arkansas musicians, most of whom do not have professional careers in music. The Band has performed all across the state of Arkansas as well as regionally. In 2010, it held a performance tour in England. It was named the North American Brass Band Association Champion in 2009. You are sure to enjoy this annual performance at AGS.

### Dress Theme: Twinkie Day

Always wished for a twin? Today's your chance!! It's time to go samesies with a friend!

### Faculty/Staff v. Students Basketball Game (sign-ups)

Heat v. Spurs was just the sideshow. This is for all the glory. Sign up to prove your mettle and teach the faculty and staff how to shoot some hoops.

### Dodgeball Tournament

Dodge, duck, dip, dive, and dodge! Get your troops together into teams and register during lunch for weekly epic showdowns. As dodgeball-great Patches O'Houlihan would say, "If you can dodge a wrench, you can dodge a ball!"

### Page Turners

Join our discussion on this week's selections!

### Seeds of Truth: Forensic Botany

Hendrix professor Dr. Joyce Hardin will be examining the use of plant evidence in police investigations. She will discuss some of the famous cases that relied on botanical evidence, as well as the different types of plant materials that one could use and how the evidence could be used to solve a crime. This kind of "planted" evidence may just crack the case!

### Running through the Glass Ceiling: Women and Politics

It's no secret that women, who make up more than half of the US population, are vastly underrepresented in Congress and state legislatures across the country. Guest speaker Stephanie Harris, Communications Counsel for the Arkansas Supreme Court, will be discussing the lack of women in politics today and what we can do to overcome it.

### Comedic Outtakes: Ten Minute Play Performances

At 4:10 and 6:10, AGS Drama students will be performing comedic ten minute plays. Come get a laugh from your friends!

### Community Choir Practice (Wednesday, Sunday)

Rehearsal for our choral group open to all AGS students, faculty, and staff. We will be singing fun and interesting music in a relaxed setting.

### Unlocking Genius: 10,000 Baby Steps to Mastery

What do Chris Rock, Bill Gates, and Tiger Woods all have in common? Find out what separates amateurs from Olympians. We'll take a look at both and see how to become an expert in any field.

### Creative Session

Let's make some art using different types of media: printmaking, mixed media, watercolor, and charcoal drawing with materials provided.

### AGS Idol: Round Two

Who will be the next AGS Idol? Come watch, listen, and vote. See which contestants will make it to next week!

### From Babylon to Washington: The Insight of the Talmud in Current Events

Pulitzer Prize winner Paul Greenberg of the Arkansas Democrat-Gazette will take as his text *Pirkei Avot*, or Ethics of the Fathers, the treatise of the Talmud that deals with ethics, or "the law above the law," and apply it to current events.

### Ostracism Online: Facebook, Social Anxiety, and Social Bait

Jenn Daniels, professor of psychology of Lyon College, will present recent work on social behaviors on Facebook. She will discuss how social media satisfies some needs while creating other problems.

### Tracing the Roots of Political Theater

What do a German Marxist director, a Brazilian political prisoner, and an American street performer have in common? Trace the roots of political theatre from Bertolt Brecht to Reverend Billy.

### Writing Japanese

We will learn how to write in hiragana, katakana, and kanji!

### Jazz Improvisation Jam

For all instrumentalists of any level. We'll learn and improvise on Freddie Hubbard's "Little Sunflower" and Herbie Mann's "Memphis Underground." Instruments of any kind (guitars, harmonicas, accordion, etc.) and interested observers/listeners are welcome!

### Amazing Grace Café Volunteer Trip

The Amazing Grace Café is a small, local soup kitchen run semi-monthly out of a Methodist church nearby. Sign up to help prepare, serve, and clean up the meal.

### Promised Land

Promised Land (2012) Starring Matt Damon and Frances McDormand as representatives of a large natural gas company who arrive in a small town in an economically depressed region of Pennsylvania offering money to residents for drilling rights. Their efforts are opposed by a handful of citizens and an environmentalist (John Krasinski) who warns citizens about the immediate and long-term dangers of fracking. In addition to environmental themes, the film touches on corporate ethics, economic decline in rural America, and personal accountability to a larger community. Directed by Gus Van Sant (Good Will Hunting) with screenplay by Damon and Krasinski.

### Knitting for Noggins

Help make a difference in the lives of the patients and families of Arkansas Children's Hospital. Knit or crochet hats for children of all ages. No advanced skill necessary! Patterns, needles, hooks, and yarn provided, but feel free to bring your own. You can also drop by and pick up materials, work on a project on your own time, and drop finished hats off to Madison's desk in the AGS Office anytime!

### Playground Games

It's here again! Come out for some good elementary fun.

### Keep Arkansas Beautiful

Hate litter? Love recycling? Want to help keep Arkansas beautiful? Come to this session with guest speaker Elizabeth Philpott to learn about exciting volunteer opportunities with Keep Arkansas Beautiful!

### More Than Just Victor Krum: A Look Into Bulgaria

Experience a look into the current political situation in Bulgaria. This will be an all-inclusive tour, featuring regime change, unhappy citizens, and political unrest.

### AGS Choir in the Chapel

Come to Greene Chapel for a brief evening concert of sacred and secular choral music.

### When Justice Rolled Down: The Power of Religion in 20<sup>th</sup> Century Social Movements

This talk will examine the role of a religious ideology and language in two competing movements: The African American Freedom Movement and the Pro-Jim Crow movement in the South. Specifically, we will ask questions about how religion is used to critique perceived injustices and how religion is used to construct alternative realities that can be lived out in specific historical contexts.

### Armadillo Rodeo Improv Show

Founded in 2007, Armadillo Rodeo is Arkansas's only professional teen improv troupe. Now in their fifth season, the improvisors specialize in long-form Harolds. Armadillo Rodeo has been in the Chicago Teen Comedy Fest multiple times and is coming to Cabe to perform for you!

### Hybrid Reality Part 2: What is Good Technology?

People probably thought the Matrix was great when it started too! Where do we draw the line between good and bad types of technology?

### Student Talent Show

As we've discovered, you are a class full of students with interesting talents. Your fellow students will put on a variety show that is sure to entertain.

### Riddle Elephant Farm

Riddle's Elephant and Wildlife Sanctuary (Quitman, Arkansas) is home to the largest, privately-owned elephant herd in North America. It was established by Scott and Heidi Riddle in 1990 as a home for elephants needing one for any reason and is the only internationally recognized sanctuary that accepts any elephant regardless of species, gender, or disposition. Student visitors will have the opportunity to tour the sanctuary, visit with elephants, and participate in a voluntary work project for Riddle's.

### Much Ado About Nothing

The 1993 movie version will be shown. See Kenneth Branagh and Emma Thompson match wits and verbal barbs as Benedick and Beatrice. Keanu Reeves, Kate Beckinsale, and Denzel Washington also star. We guarantee this performance will not be rained out.

### Giant Games

Come to the Brick Pit to play some 4 square, Giant Sudoku, and paint the campus grounds with sidewalk chalk!

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### Four Square

Come be the master at one the oldest and coolest playground games out there.

### Blood Drive

Wanting to give, but you don't know how? The answer is pumping through your veins! The Red Cross will be on campus for blood donations. Sign up in the cafeteria and make sure to wear your ID. **If you are 16 or younger, you must provide a signed parent consent form (in the AGS Office).**

### Independent Movie Night: *Stingray Sam*

CALLING ALL FILM BUFFS! Come enjoy indie film at its finest! Stingray Sam is a 2009 space-western/musical serial film, directed by and starring Cory McAbee. Come and marvel at the quirky adventures of Stingray Sam and his Side Kick, Quasar Kid! Follow these two space-convicts on a dangerous mission as they earn their freedom in exchange for the rescue of a young girl who is being held captive by the genetically designed figurehead of a very wealthy planet.