Explorer Café with Dr. John Hymers in the Holroyd Atrium
There’s Too Much to Read!

Learn active reading strategies to better handle the reading for all your classes. All students welcome!

- Tues., Feb. 8 at 5:00 p.m., Library 212
- Thurs., Feb. 10 at 12:30 p.m., Olney 209
Family Game Night
for families affected by Autism

Friday, February 18, 2011
5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
La Salle University
33 University Drive
Newtown, PA 18940

This is a free open house event for children with autism and their families. Enjoy a night of
games
Legos
hands-on activities
art and crafts
movies
refreshments
networking
FUN!

Registration is recommended, but not required. Register before February 16 to be entered in a drawing to win a Family Gift Basket

To register or for more information:
e-mail lasallegamenight@gmail.com or call Kim in the Graduate Education Department at 215.713.3919
JUST A REMINDER!

HUMAN RESOURCES IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE
INDIVIDUAL COUNSELING SESSIONS WITH TIAA-CREF.

TIAA-CREF will be offering Individual Counseling Sessions on:

Tuesday, February 22, 9 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. – Union 308
Wednesday, March 9, 9 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. – Union 310
Tuesday, April 21, 9 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. – Union 312

At these sessions, you can discuss your personal retirement options with a TIAA-CREF consultant on a confidential basis.

Sign Up Today:

To schedule a counseling session, please call 800.732-8353.
Featured Photos
Activities Fair—January 28
COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

Graduating seniors from the day and evening divisions are encouraged to apply for selection as the Student Speaker for the Commencement 2011 Ceremony. A committee of students, faculty, and administrators will choose the speaker.

The content and style of presentation of the speech will be the primary criteria used by the selection committee. The delivery time of the speech must be no longer than five (5) to eight (8) minutes. A suggested norm is one typed (double-spaced) page per speaking minute.

E-mail the typed speech as an attachment to Maureen Doyle @ doylem@lasalle.edu by Wednesday, March 16, 2011. Members of the selection committee will then review unidentified copies of the speeches and they will determine the final pool of students to be invited for in-person auditions, which will be conducted in the Rodden Theater on Tuesday, April 5, 2011 from 2-5p.m. Students will be notified as early as possible if they are among those selected for auditions.

Thanks for your attention and response to this invitation. Writing a Commencement Speech is a challenging and rewarding task. If you have additional questions or concerns about appropriate content or the selection process, please do not hesitate to contact University Life @ 215-951-1374.
February 2011

Student Affairs is pleased to welcome three new members to our staff and the University. Jeanine Cohill is the new Administrative Assistant II in the Career Services Center (Lawrence Administration Building). Jeanine is responsible for monitoring employer job postings, assisting with the logistics of job fairs, scheduling appointments and supervising student workers.

TiRease Holmes is the Director of Off-Campus Communities and is responsible for overseeing services supporting commuter and off campus students. TiRease will reside in the Brother Augustine Center and support campus needs after office hours. TiRease returns to Philadelphia and joins La Salle after 6-1/2 years at UCLA and two years at the University of Maryland, College Park. TiRease completed her M. A. degree in Student Affairs in Higher Education at Indiana University of Pennsylvania in 2002 and her B.A. from IUP in 2000.

Kathryn “Kati” Owsianiecki is the Community Coordinator for Greek Life and will work with the social and service fraternities and sororities and is also a member of our “live-in” residential staff. Kati joins La Salle following completion of her M. A. in Student Affairs in Higher Education at Indiana University of Pennsylvania in 2010 and her B. A. at Davis and Elkins College in West Virginia.

Please join us in welcoming these new colleagues to La Salle campus community.

Dr. James E. Moore
Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students
Free Practice Exams!

Thinking about GRADUATE SCHOOL?
Need to prepare for the Nursing Exam?
Take advantage of free practice exams
given by Kaplan at La Salle University!
Kaplan will provide you with a sample
test as well as your results.

Tests Offered:  Wednesday, February 9
- GRE  3:00 - 6:30 p.m.
- LSAT  Olney 100
- MCAT  Advanced Sign Up at www.kaptest.com
- NCLEX  (select your test, click on “find free event”)
          On-site Registration also available

Sponsored by the Career Services Center
409 Administration Center  215.951.1075  careers@lasalle.edu
WHO AM I?

CLUE: "Here I am in my first professional photo taken in Long Island, New York where I was born. However, most of my life has been spent in the Philadelphia area—and the last 16 years have been spent working at La Salle. Some people think I’m connected with the Religion Department, though, in fact, I work in departments related to business.”

Do you know who this person is? Send the name along with your name to campusnews@lasalle.edu. [Her identity will be announced in the next issue.]

If you have a photo of yourself from the past and would like to be featured, please send it along with a clue to the above e-mail address or to Campus News, Box 187. All prints of photos will be scanned and returned.
BENTON SPRUANCE: CITY VIEWS
DECEMBER 17, 2010 – MARCH 4, 2011

RECEPTION
February 10, 2011
5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS GALLERY

COMMUNITY EVENT
February 10, 2011
4:00 p.m.
Renaissance Room

SPRUANCE IN CONTEXT LECTURE
BY DOUG PASCHALL
March 3, 2011
12:30 p.m.
290 Holroyd Hall

PROGRAMMING IS FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

The La Salle University Art Museum is located on the lower level of Olney Hall
1900 W. Olney Avenue
Philadelphia, PA 19141
215.951.1221
www.lasalle.edu/museum

Courtesy of the Print and Picture Collection, Free Library of Philadelphia
February Health Tip: Eating Disorders and A Healthy Body Image

In the United States, as many as 10 million females and 1 million males are fighting a life and death battle with an eating disorder such as anorexia or bulimia.

Some Warning Signs:
* Odd behavior with food (example: denial of hunger)
* Person always saying he or she is on a diet
* Extreme weight loss
* Intense fear of weight gain
* Prolonged exercise despite fatigue and exhaustion

How to Get Help if Suspected:
* Help is available on campus through La Salle’s Student Counseling Center (215.951.1355) or the Student Health Center (215.951.1565).

** Off Campus support is available through the NEDA Information and Referral Helpline available from 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m..

Brought to you by SNAP and the Health Advisory Committee
The Vanishing Square, the Fibonacci Sequence and the Golden Ratio

Stephen Andrilli, Ph.D., Math and Computer Science

Wednesday, February 9, 3:00 p.m.
Holroyd Lobby (Free Food)

The Golden Ratio has generally been revered as the most aesthetically pleasing relationship that exists between two numbers. The Fibonacci Sequence is a famous collection of integers occurring unusually often in nature, with many amazing properties, and is intimately related to the Golden Ratio. An intriguing puzzle (“The Vanishing Square”) will set the stage. Then we will examine the origins of both the Golden Ratio and the Fibonacci Sequence and discover how their histories are intertwined. But….does the Golden Ratio really live up to its reputation?

Explorer Cafés are every Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. Open to all.

Questions or comments?

Contact Julianna Gwiszcz
(gwiszczj1@lasalle.edu)
Please join us for the 8th Annual Auction
benefitting the Lasallian Service Trips

Friday, February 11
(Snow date: Friday, February 18)
Dinner and Auction Event begins at 5 p.m.

$15 per person • $5 per student
Price includes dinner, refreshments, and dessert
$10 extra for Happy Hour—drinks and appetizers

All Proceeds from this event will benefit the communities served by Blackfeet Montana, Project Appalachia, Habitat for Humanity, Estudiantes Unidos, and Project Mapendo.
The Project on Justice announces the 6th Annual
BROTHER ROUSSEAU JUSTICE AWARD

Each year, during Heritage Week, the Project on Justice honors a faculty or staff member for his/her commitment to creating a more just society. The honoree receives a Brother Rousseau plaque presented at a reception in the Chapel, open to the entire community.

Members of the La Salle community may nominate La Salle faculty or staff for this award. To nominate someone, please send a letter that details the reasons why this individual should be considered for this honor. The letter should specifically address how the individual:

• challenges societal structures, public attitudes, and/or policies that cause people to be excluded, impoverished or disempowered and,
• demonstrates respect for the dignity of all people but particularly those who suffer from poverty and injustice.

Nominations are due on February 11, 2011

Send them to Louise Giugliano, Chair of the Project on Justice, giuglian@lasalle.edu

Brother Rousseau

Brother Scubilion left France in 1833 to dedicate the remaining thirty-four years of his life to the enslaved natives on the island of Reunion in the Indian Ocean. Remembered as the "catechist of the slaves," he inaugurated evening classes for them, which were well attended, even after a long day of exhausting labor. He devised special programs and techniques, suited to their needs and abilities, in order to teach them as effectively as possible. At his death he was venerated everywhere on the island as a saint.
Upcoming Home Games
February 5 – February 12

Men’s Basketball @ Tom Gola Arena
Sat., Feb. 5  Dayton  6:00 p.m.

Women’s Basketball @ Tom Gola Arena
Sun., Feb. 6  Fordham  12:00 p.m.
Wed., Feb. 9  Rhode Island  7:00 p.m.

GO EXPLORERS!
First 100 Students In
The Door Get A FREE
Explorer Bobblehead

Women’s Basketball
vs.
Fordham
Sun. Feb. 6
12 p.m.
Gola Arena

PLUS...
Faculty/Staff receive two FREE tickets.
Contact the Ticket Office at 215.951.1999
Department of Mathematics & Computer Science
One-Year Computer Science Faculty Position

La Salle University’s Department of Mathematics and Computer Science invites applications for a one-year faculty position in Computer Science. Candidates should have a Ph.D. in Computer Science or a related field, although candidates holding a Master’s degree will be considered. The successful candidate will be expected to teach 12 undergraduate hours per semester. Other duties involve advising students, serving on departmental committees, and aiding in curriculum development. Candidates from all fields of Computer Science and Information Technology will be considered.

Please submit cover letter, curriculum vitae, statement of teaching philosophy, three letters of recommendation, at least one of which addresses the applicant’s teaching experience and effectiveness, and copies of graduate and undergraduate transcripts to the following:

Dr. Jonathan C. Knappenberger, Chair
Department of Mathematics and Computer Science
La Salle University
1900 W. Olney Ave.
Philadelphia, PA 19141-1199
cscsearch@lasalle.edu

Electronic submission in MSWord or PDF format is preferred.

Review of applications will begin on February 15, 2011 and will continue until the position is filled.

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La Salle University is a Roman Catholic university in the tradition of the De La Salle Christian Brothers and welcomes applicants from all backgrounds who can contribute to our unique educational mission. For a complete mission statement, please visit our website at www.lasalle.edu.
The Economics Department of La Salle University invites applications for a one-year non-tenure track position with the department beginning fall 2011. The successful candidate will have teaching experience/abilities in macroeconomics and economic development or international economics. An interest in economies of Latin America is a plus. We seek applicants who are committed to excellence in teaching and active research efforts in a liberal arts setting. Ph.D. is preferred but ABDs will be considered.

JEL Classifications: F – International Economics  
E – Macroeconomics and Monetary Policy

**Application Instructions:** Interested candidates should send a letter of interest, a curriculum vitae, and teaching evaluations (if available), samples of writing/publications (if available), and letters of recommendation to the following:

**Chair, Department of Economics**  
La Salle University, Box 328  
1900 W. Olney Ave.  
Philadelphia PA, 19141

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Procedures for Submitting Items for Inclusion in the Campus News

All information for the General, Academic, Minutes, or Athletic sections—with or without graphics and photos—must be submitted electronically either:

- via the “Submit an item” form in the Media and Publications channel on the News and Media tab of the portal,
- via e-mail to campusnews@lasalle.edu. (The article title must be included in the subject line of the e-mail), or
- via CD sent to Campus News, Box 187.

Submissions can be sent with graphics and photos laid out with the text or sent with the text and graphics separately. Please submit flyers and circulars as attachments in Microsoft Word or as PDF files. Please submit photos as JPEG files.

Letterhead or logos with submissions must conform to the approved standards explained and illustrated in the Brand Book published and distributed by University Communications.

All photos and graphics (clip art, logos other than La Salle’s) must have their owners’ permission to be reproduced. If you submit them with your information, you are responsible for gaining this permission.

All employment listings must be submitted first to Human Resources for approval (for more information, contact Chris Mickel at 215.951.1052).

Deadlines for Submission

- General News, Meeting Minutes, Events, and Other News: Wednesday at 4 p.m.
- New Positions of Employment at La Salle University: Monday at 2 p.m.