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Halloween Fact
 Halloween is second only to Christmas in spending. Consumers will spend over \$2.5 Billion during Halloween!



Honors Events

UAA and Career Fair

Did you know that UAA has over 850 Masters/ Certificate students and over 100 Doctoral level students participating in 27 Master's degree programs, 17 Graduate and Post-Graduate Certificate programs, and 4 collaborative Doctoral programs? To learn more about UAA's graduate programs, please visit the UAA/ UAF Graduate Schools booth at the 2009 Alaska College and Career Fair in the Dena'ina Convention Center. It will be taking place Monday, October 12, 2009 9am – 12:30pm and 3pm– 8pm, also on Tuesday, October 13, 2009 from 9am– 12:30pm. You can also visit the UAA Graduate School website at <http://www.uaa.alaska.edu/graduateschool/index.cfm>.

Leadership Honors

Leadership Honors are awarded to University of Alaska Anchorage students upon graduation as recognition of high academic achievement and outstanding leadership contributions to the campus community. This honor is the only non-academic dis-

inction which the University endorses and identifies as part of the annual commencement celebration in May. Recipients of Leadership Honors are named in the UAA Commencement Program and receive crimson honor cords to be worn during Commencement to identify this accomplishment. Visit the Student Leadership website for additional application criteria and download your application today! Submit your application by 5pm on Friday, October 23rd to Student Life and Leadership.

Undergraduate Research

The Office of Undergraduate Research and Scholarship offers several competitive Undergraduate Research Grants each year to support undergraduate research and creative activity. Proposals are solicited in the fall and spring semesters.

The award funds the actual costs of the project up to \$2,000 plus a \$500 student stipend. The fall 2009 deadline is 5pm on October 23 and the spring 2010 deadline is 5pm on February 26..

Community Service Award

The University of Alaska Anchorage prides itself in being a partner with the Anchorage community as illustrated through its University as a Public Square philosophy. The Seawolf Community Service Award is bestowed upon a who exhibits an exemplary commitment to volunteer service. The intent of this award is to publicly recognize and honor individuals for their dedication and recognize the importance of community involvement. Applications are due Monday, October 19, 2009 by 5pm to the Student and Greek Life staff Student Union Room 210.

AK Heart Institute

The Alaska Heart Institute Fellowship award funds significant undergraduate biomedical research projects under the guidance of a faculty mentor. The Fall 2009 deadline is 5pm on October 16 and the Spring 2010 deadline is 5pm on February 5. For more information on this or any other Undergraduate research opportunity visit www.uaa.alaska.edu/ours/opportunities/research

University Events

Homecoming Week

Homecoming week will be October 9-16, 2009. There will be events throughout the week including the UAA Kendall Hockey Classic October 9, at 8:07 at the Sullivan Arena. On Monday and Tuesday if you get caught wearing green and gold you could win a \$6.50 voucher for any dining establishment on campus for

that day. For more information on Homecoming week visit the UAA website and click on the Homecoming link.

Winterizing your Bike

A bicycle winterizing clinic is scheduled for Monday, October 19, at 7pm downstairs in the UAA Student Union. Meet with experienced winter riders to talk about gear, routes and

techniques. Place your order for wholesale studded tires and lights. Free food will be provided to student. For more information, check out the UAA BikeClub Website.



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