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1) Coffee Hour: Valentine's Day Celebration

It is that time of the year when we celebrate Love! Come and join our unique twist for the celebration of this Valentine's Day with a treasure hunt. This classic game of clues will help you find treasure for you or your significant other on the Valentine's Day. Join us for this coffee hour in the celebration of "Agape".

When: Friday, February 10, 2012

Where: E190 SU

Time: 3PM

Presented by: UCIE





2) Valentine's Dance 2012

You are invited to the Valentine's Dance!!!

Free to all students and one guest each
Free dance lessons before the event
Refreshments will be provided

When: Sunday, February 12th, 2012

Where: Endeavor Room, E156 SU

Time: 7:00 P.M

Hosts: Student Government and ICE



3) TAX FACTS – What are the W-2 and 1042-S?

W-2 is the form that an employer must send to an employee and the IRS at the end of the year. The W-2 form reports an employee's annual wages and the amount of taxes withheld from his or her paycheck.

1042-S is the form used to report all non-employee payments made to non-resident aliens and payments made to nonresident employees who claim exemption from federal income taxes due to a tax treaty. Types of income reported on this form are scholarships, fellowships or grants awarded to students.

A student may receive both the forms W-2 and 1042-S respectively or he/she may receive only one. You will be receiving both the forms by the end of January 2012 either electronically and by mail. Therefore it is necessary for you to ensure that your current local mailing address is accurate in WINGS EXPRESS located in the WSU WINGS portal.

If you have any questions regarding taxes, you can email the UCIE Tax Information Coordinator, Jiao Li at ucie9@wright.edu





4) Invitation -- Gathering for English Partners

The staff of Campus Bible Fellowship International and the Xenia Area Liaison Committee would like to invite all interested Wright State University international students to a gathering to meet with conversational English partners. This will be an opportunity to practice the English language in an informal, friendly setting with students from nearby Cedarville University, to make new friends, and to learn more about American culture. Refreshments will be served.



Meeting times will be Monday evening , February 13, and Wednesday evening, February 15, from 6:00 PM until about 7:45 PM. Two different times have been planned, so that you might attend one or the other, but you can attend both if you would like. The meetings will be held on the WSU campus; room location will be announced soon. If you plan to attend, please notify Gary Holtz at gholtz.cbf@juno.com or Claudia Espinoza at claudia.espinoza@wright.edu .

5) Celebration of Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activities

The Celebration of Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activities is a salute to the scholarly explorations of an incredible variety of Wright State's **undergraduate and graduate students**. Open to all disciplines, this daylong event showcases lectures, posters, videos, slideshows, and other presentations of research, scholarship, and creative activities produced during the past year. Presentations are 20 minutes in length, which includes a brief question-and-answer segment with the presenter. **Deadline to register is March 16th.**

<http://www.wright.edu/urop/news.html>





6) International Friendship Affair (IFA) is here!!!!

Come represent your country at the **2012 IFA Event** on **April 21st**? This year's theme is "**Arts around the World**". Please view the message below to learn how you can get involved:

Performance – if you want to put on an artistic performance you may dance, play instruments, sing a song etc. Please contact **Nam** at uci-e11@wright.edu and she will provide you with the information that you need. The performance slots are expected to be no longer than 15 minutes.

Table Display – you can help to create the most colorful and interesting features of the IFA, the Table Displays. This is the opportunity for you to present your culture and traditions of your home country by using interactive media, posters, books, or any artifacts that you may have brought from your country. You are more than welcome to talk **Belinda** (Belinda.grody@wright.edu) and we will provide you with the information that you need. The table displays need to be ready by 12:30 pm on April 21 and the displays are expected to be open until 4:30 pm.

The University Center for International Education organizes the Annual International Friendship Affair (IFA) to give the WSU and surrounding communities an opportunity to learn about the cultural heritage of WSU students. The event includes an entertainment program featuring performances from a wide variety of international groups, flag parade, table displays featuring various artifacts, and a variety of door prizes donated by local ethnic restaurants.

For more information contact Nam, Joe or Dammy at nam_ucie@yahoo.com or joe_ucie@yahoo.com or dammy_ucie@yahoo.com

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