

Weekly Log



August 12, 2024

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

- MONDAY, AUGUST 12
- TUESDAY, AUGUST 13
- WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14
 - KBTO Live Break, 8:30 am
- THURSDAY, AUGUST 15
- FRIDAY, AUGUST 16
 - KKWZ & KZZJ Dakota College Weekly, 8:30



HAPPY MONDAY!



It's hard to believe, but this is our **last week of summer hours** for Dakota College at Bottineau (DCB). Next week, faculty and staff will spend

time together, preparing in earnest for the new academic year. In addition to our traditional introductions of new faculty and staff on Monday, 8/19, we will also host our first Open Forum of the year on the following Tuesday morning. Although a TEAMS connection will be available, please try to join us in person for this conversation.

Many thanks to the team that has worked so hard the last several weeks to spruce up our campus. Besides the continued painting on first floor Thatcher, Financial Aid has moved into a new Student Services space on the second floor (TH 210). This space has been transformed from a nursing classroom into a public place for greeting family and friends of prospective students. This has become the most welcoming Financial Aid space we have ever had at DCB.

Not to be outdone, the Greenhouse now hosts a beautiful space to sup-

plement the relaxation room in Molberg. The cactus garden and tropical jungle are creative and welcoming. Please stop by to see these new developments before our students arrive. The first day of fall classes is nearly here.

Hope you have a great week!

Best,

Carmen

Carmen M. Simone,
Campus Dean/CEO

ND CONFERENCE SCHEDULED FOR FALL



North Dakota Conference to examine 'Being Human and Working in the Age of AI'

Researchers, industry practitioners, educators and thought leaders comprise a list of presenters scheduled Sept. 26 for the inaugural North Dakota AI Conference hosted at Valley City State University (VCSU) at the Larry J. Robinson Center. Attendees will have the opportunity to hear about the evolving relationship between humans and AI in the context of work, society, personal development and what it will mean for all North Dakotans.

The event theme is "Being Human and Working in the Age of AI." Presenters will explore how users can leverage the transformative power of AI while maintaining human connection across all sectors of society.

"Every day, we see the advancement in AI technologies and the expansion of its uses. AI is here and is altering how we live, work and interact with one another," said North Dakota University System Chancellor Mark Hagerott. "It's important for all North Dakotans to understand the implications for AI use and development, particularly how it will challenge the

use of our humanity, creativity and compassion for one another. This conference will be a great opportunity to have these conversations so we can better prepare for the future ahead."

The North Dakota AI Conference is \$60 for early-bird registrants until Sept. 9, after which registration will be \$80. To register and for more information, visit dda.ndus.edu/2024-north-dakota-ai-conference

Keynote speakers for the conference include the [Honorable James E. Baker](#) who is the director of the Syracuse University Institute for Security Policy and Law and professor at the Syracuse College of Law and the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs.

[Dr. Eman El-Sheikh](#), associate vice president and professor for the Center for Cybersecurity at the University of West Florida, also will present. El-Sheikh's talk, titled "Building an AI-enabled Future Workforce," will focus on how AI is transforming the workforce and how academic institutions can prepare skilled professionals who recognize AI's benefits and pitfalls and are ready to use technologies across all sectors & work roles.

Also joining the event during a "fireside chat" will be [Chancellor Hagerott](#) and [Monsignor James Patrick Shea](#), University of Mary president. They will share the stage to focus on the conference's theme of "Being Human and Working in the Age of AI."

Additionally, several panels will feature presenters from multiple professional disciplines, including those in business, government, education, health science and technology.

The statewide conference is a partnership between Valley City State University, University of Mary, the Dakota Digital Academy, North Dakota University System, North Dakota Information Technology and North Dakota Department of Public Instruction.

WHAT: North Dakota AI Conference

WHEN: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, 2024

WHERE: Larry J. Robinson Center, Valley City State University 101 College Street SW





WELCOME

We are excited to welcome a few new folks to DCB

Lynn Bristol, Advising Specialist, ACE
She will advise students, work with disability services and ASPIRE program. She has working in the Bookstore part time and moved to full-time in Student Services.

Hannah Hoffert, Mental Health Counselor starts today, Monday August 12th. Her office is located on the main floor of Thatcher Hall next to the elevator.

Michael Leader, Help Desk Technician started this summer in IT. He assists IT with special projects.

You can find Michael in the IT office with Jacob on 2nd floor of Thatcher Hall.

Please welcome them to campus and to their new roles.

The directory is being updated as we speak with phone extensions and email addresses.

BEWARE OF EMAILS “PHISHING” FOR INFORMATION

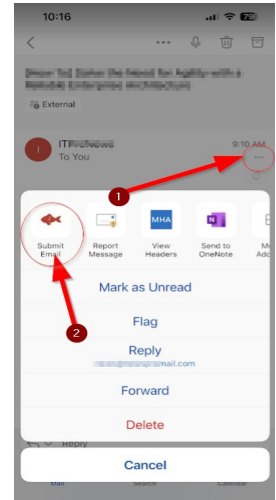
Be cautious with suspicious emails! There have been a large volume of fake job emails recently.

Spammers will often forge the From: address and web links to be someone you know or trust. Be suspicious of all messages including those that seem too good to be true, contain files that you weren't expecting, or have a sense of false urgency!

Please do not accept a push or phone call on your DUO account if

you did not initiate the login yourself. If DUO pops up asking you to accept and you are not logging in anywhere, please deny it, change your campus connection password, and contact Jacob Nelson to report the incident. Note that NDUS will NEVER call you to bypass DUO or to have you enter a password.

You may report phishing messages to NDUS security with the “Submit Email” option in webmail or outlook mobile app:



HEADSHOTS

I am reaching out to ask that if you have not had a headshot done in the last couple of years, please come by during in-service or schedule an appointment with me.

Also if anyone requires a new email signature, name tag, and business cards, send all of those to me. The forms for the signatures, name tags, and business cards are on the website under quicklinks, faculty/staff, forms, and just search for the forms.



LOGGER APPLAUSE

Here's to Chris Nero & the entire Greenhouse staff/student team! If you see them give them a high-five and a big thanks. And if you haven't seen the updated Greenhouse—take a look for yourself—the Greenhouse is turning into an incredibly welcoming & educational environment for students, staff and faculty alike—and its just beginning! I'm so impressed with the work they have done this summer—it's impressive!

- Michelle Cauley



Recognition to Dr. Linda Burbidge and Michelle Cauley presented at the 2024 CTE Professional Development Conference. The session was titled "Prepare for Take Off: Incorporating Drones into STEM and CTE Education."
- Heidi Hauf

Shout Out and a big thanks to Linda B & Angie B—what a great tema to travel with and learn from at the Hi

-Tech convention. I felt immediately welcomed into the event and didn't feel like a “newbie” for long.

-Michelle Cauley

Cody Clemenson—Thanks for being very patient “hallway buddy” this past semester and summer. Cody was great at answering my many questions with a smile—and I know I asked a LOT. Now that I've moved to a different office, he can work in peace—but I will miss our chats! Thanks again Cody!

- Michelle Cauley



UPCOMING EVENTS 2024-2025 - Please let me know if you have events you would like added.

| AUGUST 2024 | | |
|------------------|--|--------------------|
| August 5 | Lego Fundraiser | PTK |
| August 8 | Book Read | Albrightson |
| August 9 | Staff Senate Potluck | Staff Senate |
| August 9-10-11 | Volleyball Athletes move in | Housing |
| August 19 | New Faculty & Staff Orientation | Academic Affairs |
| August 19-23 | Fall In-service | Academic Affairs |
| August 21 | EDC Board Meeting (Heritage Room) noon | Denise |
| August 23, 24,25 | Welcome Weekend Festivities Axe throwing (New Student Social), Pool Party, Bonfire, Cornhole Tournament | Student Life |
| Aug 25 | Lumberjacks Softball PAR 3 Tournament | Softball |
| Aug 26 | Community Welcome "Tour'tle Bottineau" | Metcalfe |
| Aug 27 | First full day of classes | Academics |
| SEPTEMBER | | |
| Sept 5 | Labor Day – Campus Closed | |
| | Fall Career Fair | |
| Sept 10 | Book Read | Albrightson |
| Sept 14 | Turtle Trot | Logrollers |
| Sept 16 | Constitution Day | Anderson |
| Sept 19-21 | Fall Festival | Housing |
| Sept 24 | Bottineau Community Rockhounds 6pm-7pm | Michelle |
| Sept 28 | Evergreen | Foundation |
| OCTOBER | | |
| Oct 14 | Professional Development Day | Academic Affairs |
| | Book Read | Albrightson |
| Oct 29 | Foundation Annual Meeting | Stevens |
| Oct 29 | Bottineau Community Rockhounds 6pm-7pm | Michelle |
| NOVEMBER | | |
| Nov 1 | Alumni Awards Banquet | Alumni Association |
| Nov 10 | Veteran's Day Recognition | Staff Senate |
| Nov 11 | Veteran's Day – Campus Closed | |
| Nov 26 | Bottineau Community Rockhounds 6pm-7pm | Michelle |
| Nov 28 | Thanksgiving Day – Campus Closed | |
| | Book Read | Albrightson |
| DECEMBER | | |
| | Honors Symposium | |



**LUMBERJACKS
SOFTBALL**

**Wings & Wedges
PAR 3 TOURNAMENT**

Funds go to help support the DCB softball team's expenses.

Sunday, August 25

Shotgun start at 10:00 a.m.
Entry fee of \$60 per person with 2-person teams
Includes golf, prizes, and lunch
Carts extra, reserve with clubhouse

- Every hole is set up as a Par 3
- Prizes for lowest score
- \$5,000 Hole-in-1 opportunities on Front 9
- Closest to Pin and other Prizes on the Back 9
- Will be flighted accordingly: men's, women's, co-ed
Dependent on participants

Sign up at Bottineau Clubhouse or contact Coach Jason at 701-490-0278 or Jason.Lindgren@DakotaCollege.edu to get your team entered.



**DAKOTA COLLEGE AT BOTTINEAU
LOGROLLERS
TURTLE
TROT**

WHAT: 5K FUN RUN/WALK
AND KIDS FUN 1 MILE

WHEN: SEPTEMBER 14TH, 2024

WHERE: MET CENTER, LAKE METIGOSHE

For more information contact Jennifer Cote
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