Dialog Extra for June 19, 2014

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

SYSTEM UPGRADES TO OCCUR OVER THE WEEKEND — The Office of Information Technology will upgrade the campus load balancers on Saturday, June 21, from 6 a.m. until 8 a.m. DNS, myBama, Web mail, DegreeWorks and other services may experience a brief interruption. The quarterly Oracle patch set will be installed on Sunday, June 22, from 8 a.m. until noon. The following services will not be available during this time: myBama, Banner, DegreeWorks, Astra, OneStep, Tidebytes and Xythos. In case of an emergency, contact the IT Service Desk at 348-5555 or itsd@ua.edu.

FOSTER SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE – The Professional Staff Assembly is accepting applications for the Mark G. Foster Scholarship. The $1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a member of the UA professional staff in the fall. Visit http://psa.ua.edu/mark-g-foster-scholarship.html for scholarship criteria. Click here to apply. For more information about the application process, contact Jennifer Clark at jclark@fa.ua.edu. Applications are due by midnight on July 8.

CAMPUS ROAD CLOSED FOR SEWER REPAIRS — The road at the intersection of Stadium Drive and Marr’s Spring Road will be closed through June 30 for sewer repairs. Detour signs will direct vehicle and pedestrian traffic. Contact Rob Cooper at rcooper@fa.ua.edu with questions or issues. Click here to search for other campus closures.

SUMMER FAMILY MAKEOVER BEGINS JUNE 25 — Open to UA faculty, staff and their families, this five-week wellness program focuses on healthy eating and increased physical activity, while limiting screen time and sugar-sweetened beverages. The makeover begins with a party at the Student Recreation Center outdoor pool on June 25 from 6:15 p.m. to 8 p.m. Prize drawings will be held throughout the program. For more information, alternative kickoff events and to register, visit http://wellness.ua.edu or contact the Office of Health Promotion and Wellness at 348-0077 or wellness@ua.edu.

OFFICE PLANS TO RECOGNIZE CAMPUS SUSTAINABILITY — All colleges, departments or organizations on campus that want the Office of Sustainability to recognize their sustainability programs or initiatives should contact Tony Johnson at 205-348-8798 or tjohnson@fa.ua.edu.

ALABAMA CREDIT UNION IN TEMPORARY LOCATION — The Alabama Credit Union branch inside the Ferguson Center is closed until the beginning of August due to renovation of the Ferguson
Center. Customers can visit ACU’s mobile branch on Campus Drive West next to the Publix parking lot. Mobile branch hours are Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.–3 p.m. Visit https://www.alabamacu.com or call the Member Care Center at 888-817-2002 for additional account options. Customers can also make free deposits and take advantage of other features via ACU’s mobile application.

LECTURERS SOUGHT FOR “FEMINISM SPOKEN HERE BROWN BAG LECTURE SERIES” –
The “Feminism Spoken Here Brown Bag Lecture Series” provides the campus and community with a space to gather and discuss ways to support feminism. The Women’s Resource Center and women’s studies lecture committee are seeking submissions that focus on gender-related scholarship and praxis with a feminist focus. All members of the campus and community are eligible to submit. Click here for submission requirements and to obtain an application. Submissions are due July 15 by 11:59 p.m. Send questions, concerns and comments to Jessi Hitchins at jlhitchins@sa.ua.edu or Jennifer Purvis at jpurvis@ua.edu.

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

THURSDAY, JUNE 19
“Princesses and Paupers: The Golden Age of Children’s Literature” exhibit, Pearce Lobby of Gorgas Library
WellBama group session: “Health Over 40,” 1-1:45 p.m., 356 Russell Hall
Crucial Conversations, 1-4:45 p.m., G-54 Rose Administration Building
Homegrown Alabama Farmers Market, 3-6 p.m., Canterbury Chapel lawn

FRIDAY, JUNE 20
“Princesses and Paupers: The Golden Age of Children’s Literature” exhibit, Pearce Lobby of Gorgas Library
VALIC individual counseling sessions, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., G-54 Rose Administration Building

SATURDAY, JUNE 21
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UPCOMING
“Princesses and Paupers: The Golden Age of Children’s Literature” exhibit, June 24-Aug. 3, Pearce
Lobby of Gorgas Library

**Basics of the Family and Medical Leave Act and the Americans with Disabilities Act**, June 24, 9-11 a.m., G-54 Rose Administration Building

**TIAA-CREF individual counseling sessions**, June 24, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., G-54 Rose Administration Building

**WellBama group session: “Knowing Your Numbers,”** June 24, noon-12:45 p.m., Ancillary Services computer lab

**How to Submit an IRB HSP**, June 24, 2-4 p.m., G-54 Rose Administration Building

**Summer Family Makeover pool party**, June 25, 6:15-8 p.m., Student Recreation Center

**Homegrown Alabama Farmers Market**, June 26, 3-6 p.m., Canterbury Chapel lawn

**VALIC individual counseling sessions**, June 27, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., G-54 Rose Administration Building

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**WORTH QUOTING** — “People are generally apathetic about government and politics today. They don’t expect much to be accomplished in a positive way. Running to win is pricey. I have often heard that the man or woman who really aspires to be successful will have to spend most of his or her time raising money — and lots of it.” Dr. William Stewart, a UA professor emeritus of political science, as quoted on Al.com.

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