

# CAMPUS LIFE NEWSLETTER

FALL 2007

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## Happy October!

The Department of Campus Life has had a busy first month of Fall quarter! We hope that you are enjoying the beginning of the school year, as well.

Please don't forget to submit your student organization or department events and advertisements to be included in the bi-weekly Campus Life Newsletter. Have a great October!

For up-to-date information, please visit [www.ohio.edu/campuslife](http://www.ohio.edu/campuslife)

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## Homecoming

The school year is just beginning and along with it comes the Homecoming Parade! We would love for you to become a part of this Ohio University tradition. The theme this year is:

## **Bobcat Pride 2007**

**on Saturday October 13th at 9am**

What the Homecoming Parade could do for your organization:

Provide an opportunity to showcase your unique organization

Give you and your members an opportunity to bond while experiencing all the fun and excitement of Homecoming.

Offer a non-expensive outlet for your organization's advertising (the entry fee for a banner is only \$15)

If entered, your organization could have the chance to win the following:

Prizes for Float Competition= 1<sup>st</sup>-\$200 2<sup>nd</sup>- \$175, 3<sup>rd</sup>-\$75

Prizes for Banner Competition=monetary prizes will be donated by the Alumni Assoc. and OU Foundation



**Parade Packet Due: Monday, October 1st at 5pm in Baker 363 with a late fee starting October 2nd. Applications will not be accepted after October 3rd.**

**MANDATORY Parade Orientation Meeting: Tuesday, October 8th at 7:30 pm in Baker 239**

Contact: Nicole Pariano or Jessica Engster at np102304@ohio.edu or 440-263-8043 for more info

Want to Be a

# CAREER CAT

## A NEW VOLUNTEER STUDENT GROUP DEDICATED TO:

- Developing dynamic and fun career services promotional materials
- Increasing the awareness of Office of Career Services' events on campus
- Providing input and feedback for Career related events
- Assist with Career Fairs and special career events

The Career CATs (or Creative Advertising Techs) is a new volunteer student group dedicated to expanding the **Office of Career Services** marketing efforts while also providing more student input in all our future marketing and publicity efforts

If you want to be part of something **NEW**, **EXCITING**, and **FUN**, the Office of Career Services is always looking for students who are **creative, fun & hardworking**.

**BE PART OF SOMETHING  
NEW, EXCITING AND FUN!**

***APPLY TODAY!!***

**APPLICATIONS  
AVAILABLE IN THE  
CAREER SERVICES  
OFFICE.**

***DUE BY OCTOBER 5TH***



### **FOR MORE INFORMATION**

#### **VISIT**

[www.ohio.edu/careers](http://www.ohio.edu/careers)

#### **OR CONTACT**

**Emily Sullivan**  
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740.593.2909

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# Fall 2007 Career Fair

Wednesday, October 3  
Baker University Center  
10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

Bring your student I.D!  
Nationally recognized companies will be  
seeking to fill a variety of positions.  
Résumés and professional dress suggested



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Career Services  
Baker University Center 533  
593-2909

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## TREASURER INFORMATION

Please remember to complete and submit a **new signature card** to the Cashier's Office Student Organization Account window in Chubb Hall. The signature card must show the signatures of both the treasurer and the advisor. A new card must be completed each time there is a change of either the advisor or treasurer. **The officers listed on the signature card must match the registration on file at Campus Life located at Baker University Center 355.**

- \* The Cashier's Office Student Organization window is your main contact with the university fiscal operations and is available to assist you with any problems related to your position as treasurer. The Cashier's Office Student Organization window is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (hours may vary during the summer). For your convenience, some of the forms you need are available on-line at <http://www.finance.ohiou.edu/cashier/studentorgs.html>
- \* Registered Student Organizations are exempt from paying Ohio State Sales Tax. The tax-exempt card must be on hand when making purchases. A copy of the tax-exempt card is available at the Cashier's Office Student Organization window in Chubb Hall or at <http://www.finance.ohiou.edu/components/ouexempt.pdf>
- \* All registered student organizations ***must*** maintain their account with the Cashier's Office Student Organization window. **A separate bank account is strictly prohibited.** Any Greek organization that is recognized by WPA, IFC, or NPHC, and have a housing corporation, are exempt from this requirement.
- \* Deposit all checks and cash within 48 hours of receipt. Reimburse for purchases within 90 days of receipt.
- \* **DO NOT** pay individuals and/or performers in CASH. Payments for any "services rendered" have to be paid from O.U. directly to the individual. **You cannot be reimbursed for payments you make to individuals for services they provided.** You need to have a written contract/agreement and a completed W-9 tax form in order to process a payment.

### STUDENT ORGANIZATION CHECK(S) PROCESSING!

Student organization checks are available for pick up at the Cashier's Office Student Organizations window at Chubb Hall, on Wednesdays and Fridays after 1pm. Please adhere to the following schedule:

#### Voucher Drop Off Day

Monday by Noon  
Tuesday  
Wednesday by Noon  
Thursday  
Friday

#### Day Available for Pick Up

Wednesday After 1pm  
Friday After 1pm  
Friday After 1pm  
Wednesday After 1pm  
Wednesday After 1pm



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## COMMUNITY SERVICE

Volunteer-Make A Difference!  
Get Involved!

Find...

- Volunteer Opportunities
- Habitat for Humanity, Red Cross and more student organizations
- Work-Study Service Corps, jobs in non-profits
- Service-Learning Courses
- National Service Days:
  - Fall-**Make a Difference Day**
  - Winter-**Martin Luther King, Jr Day**
  - Spring- **National Volunteer Week**
- AmeriCorps /VISTA

### **Make a Difference Day**

**Saturday October 27th**

**Stay Tuned...**

**More details to follow!**



**1-800-volunteer.org**

**New Online Volunteer Website**

Students can use this website portal that provides you with a direct connection to volunteer opportunities that match your interest, skills and the common desire to make a difference. Non-profit organizations use the system to more efficiently promote their organization and its volunteer opportunities and to recruit, communicate with, and track volunteers. **Register Today!!**

**Go to [www.ohio.edu/commserv](http://www.ohio.edu/commserv)**

**Follow link : [Volunteers:Find an Opportunity](#)**

After you have registered you will be able to access volunteer information, receive emails about upcoming volunteer opportunities and more!

**Interested in receiving funds for community service projects? Apply for a SCORE grant!**

**Contact:**

**[communityservice@ohio.edu](mailto:communityservice@ohio.edu) for more details**

**Center for Community Service**

**355 Baker University Center**

**(740) 593-4007**

**[www.ohio.edu/commserv](http://www.ohio.edu/commserv)**

**[community.service@ohio.edu](mailto:community.service@ohio.edu)**

# Up 'Til Dawn

***Up 'til Dawn*** is a campus-wide organization that helps raise money for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. The hospital provides treatment to children suffering from catastrophic diseases throughout the world regardless of their race, religion, or ability to pay. We are recruiting teams that would like to take part in our upcoming fundraising/letter writing event!



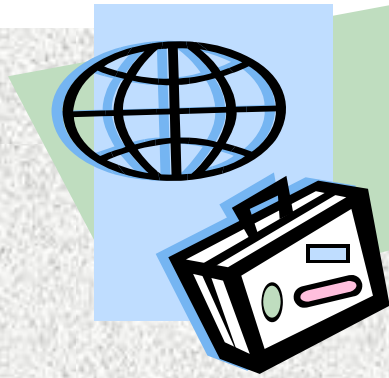
**Please email: [uptildawn @ohio.edu](mailto:uptildawn@ohio.edu)**

**Meetings will be held:**

**October 3rd @ 7 p.m. in Baker 236**

**October 10th @ 6 p.m. in Baker 226**

# 19TH ANNUAL STUDY ABROAD FAIR



**Monday, October 8th from 11 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Baker Center Ballroom**

*Hosted by Ohio University's Office  
of Education Abroad, this event is  
free and open to the public!*

**Ohio University has study abroad  
and exchange programs in more  
than 30 countries, including  
Australia, Ecuador, England,  
Germany, Ghana, Italy, Japan, Spain  
and Mexico.**

**For more information, contact Phyllis Moody  
740-593-4583  
moodyp@ohio.edu  
[www.ohio.edu/educationabroad](http://www.ohio.edu/educationabroad)**

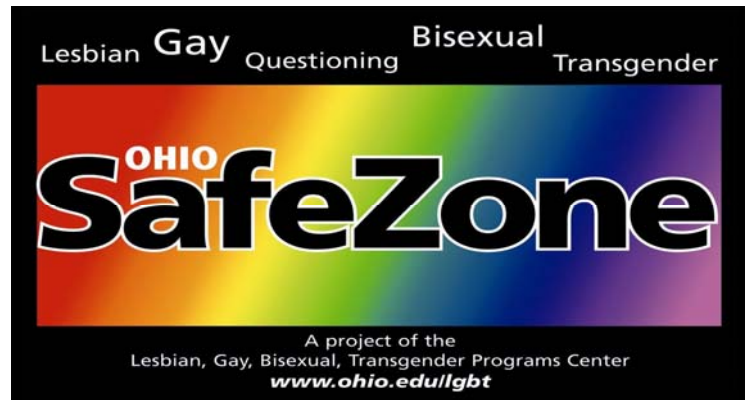


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## Campus Life- Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Programs Center Announcements

### OHIO SafeZone Project

This project identifies a growing network of students, faculty, staff and community members who are willing and prepared to provide support and information to LGBT and questioning people. SafeZone members participate in a 2 hour training



### OHIO SafeZone Fall

#### Workshop Dates:

#### **Wednesday, October 3rd**

10am-12pm, Baker University  
Center, Room 226

#### **Tuesday, October 9th**

7:30pm-9:30pm, Read Hall Lobby,  
East Green

#### **Thursday, October 18th**

1pm-3pm, Baker University Center,  
Room 226

#### **Monday, October 22nd**

7:30pm-9:30pm  
Sargent Hall Lobby, West Green

#### **Tuesday, November 6th**

3pm-5pm, Baker University Center,  
Room 226

#### Book Club & Discussion:

Pick up the book from the LGBT  
Center during weeks 2 & 3 of the  
quarter. While supplies last.

#### **Sunday, October 28th**

7-9:00pm

UCM Lounge (18 N. College St.)

#### OUT Week Speaker:

Bisexual Author and Activist:

#### **ROBYN OCHS**

**Tuesday, October 9th at 8pm**

Baker Center Theater

#### Dine & Discuss

(Lunch will be provided)  
Baker University Center 334  
Wednesday, Oct. 17th at 12pm  
Thursday, Oct. 8th at 12pm

#### The Lesbian Lectures

Thursday, November 1st  
7:30 pm  
Baker Center's  
1804 Lounge, 5th Floor

**Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual,  
Transgender Programs Center**

354 Baker University Center

(740) 593-0239

[www.ohio.edu/lgbt](http://www.ohio.edu/lgbt)

[lgbt@ohio.edu](mailto:lgbt@ohio.edu)

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## PING AND CAMPUS REC



### **October 5-7: Intro to White Water Kayaking Trip**

Pre-register at the Outdoor Pursuits Rental Center or call 597.2154

<http://www.ohiou.edu/recreation/op/SCHEDULETrips.html>

### **October 6: Challenge Course Clinic**

Pre-register at the Outdoor Pursuits Rental Center or call 597.2154

<http://www.ohiou.edu/recreation/op/SCHEDULETrips.html>

### **October 6-7: Whitewater Rafting Trip**

Pre-register at the Outdoor Pursuits Rental Center or call 597-2154

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### **October 12 & 13: Ohio Hockey vs. Oakland**

Game starts at 7:30 p.m.; Bird Area doors open at 6:45 p.m.

## **PLANET PING**

**Friday, October 19, 2007**

**9pm-12am**

**Held the weekend before Halloween, Planet Ping is sure to get you spooked!**

**Campus Recreation aims to provide an alternative to the Uptown scene, while promoting a fun and safe environment. Planet Ping activities include**



# PAINT THE TOWN GREEN CONTEST!

**Join the Student Alumni Board during Homecoming Week to help collect food for the Athens Food Pantry!**

If you choose to participate in reaching out to those in need, the Student Alumni Board will drop off a collection box decorated by our local Girl Scout troop #5243 during the week of **September 30, 2007.**

On **October 10, 2007** we will return to your headquarters to pick up your collected canned goods and judge your spirit decorations. Two awards will be given, one for the organization which collects **the most canned food**, another for the organization that shows **the most school spirit.**

## **AWARDS INCLUDE:**

\*A **FREE advertisement** in the SAB Planner for the 08-09 school year, distributed to over 2,000 students!

\*A plaque of recognition for you to display from the Student Alumni Board and the Ohio University Alumni Association

\*Your organization will be acknowledged at the "Yell Like Hell" Pep Rally, the kick off event of Homecoming 2007 which is attended by students, faculty, alumni, and community members on Friday October 12, 2007

**please email [SAB@ohio.edu](mailto:SAB@ohio.edu) or call (216) 544-4965 to confirm your organization's participation.**

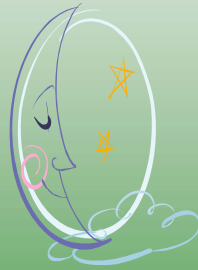
## **FACT**

According to Hocking, Athens, and Perry Community Action Agency, during this year alone (2007), the Athens County Pantries have served approximately 14,258 residents. Compared to 2006, this is a 25.9% increase in the number of families being served in Athens County.



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## LATE NIGHT EVENTS



### GAMMA After-Hours Fall Quarter Dates

This is an alcohol risk-reduction program. Come out and enjoy an evening of alcohol-free fun!

All Fridays from 11:00 pm to 2:00 am

Free Hot Dogs, Nachos, PB& J and drinks

Patio in the front of The Front Room (1st floor Baker rain location)

### Sexual Assault Prevention Speaker

*“Voices of Men”*

Wednesday, September 18th at 8:00 pm

Baker Center Ballroom

### Alcohol Speaker Erica Upshaw

*“Keeping Friends Alive”*

Tuesday, October 9th at 7:00 pm

Baker Center Ballroom

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## Calendar of Events

The purpose of Ohio University's Calendar of Events is to communicate accurate, timely and comprehensive information to all students, faculty, staff, community members, visitors, guests, media, and the general public about events and activities at Ohio University. To add an event, please go to <http://www.ohio.edu/calendar/>

You will need your Oak ID and Oak Password to "Add an Event."

For complete instructions, please visit:

<http://www.ohio.edu/technology/training/upload/Event-Calendar-Reference-Guide.pdf>

Also, please email events you would like to be included in the newsletter to:  
Campus.life@ohio.edu



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