

WHAT'S NEW



December 5, 2022

Good luck on Final Exams this week, Bears! Remember to get lots of rest as you wrap things up. This is the last What's New BU for the Fall semester. If you need a break from studying this week, head over to the Ferrell to support our mens and womens basketball teams! And don't miss Midnight Breakfast at Penland on Wednesday night.

MONDAY

Caroling at the Carillon

Monday, December 5, 5-6 p.m. Bring a friend and come out to the McLane Carillon at Pat Neff Hall to sing Christmas carols as University Carillonneur Lynnette Geary performs.

Chamber Singers Christmas Concert

Monday, December 5, 7:30-9 p.m. at the Armstrong Browning Library. Some of Baylor University's finest vocalists bring the Christmas spirit alive in the visually and aurally resplendent McLean Foyer of Meditation. Students receive recital credit. Tickets are available at baylor.edu/tickets.

TUESDAY



Dr Pepper Hour: Last One of the Semester

Tuesday, December 6, 3-4 p.m. in the SUB Den (First floor of the Bill Daniel Student Center). Since 1953, Dr Pepper Hour has been a long-standing tradition of the Student Union. Sponsored by Student Activities. Click [here](#) to learn about the Dr Pepper Hour Club! Don't miss the chance to earn your DP Hour Mug. Contact jordy_dickey@baylor.edu for more information.

Baylor Bronze Concert

Tuesday, December 6, 5:30-7 p.m. at Roxy Grove Hall. Baylor Bronze, Baylor's handbell ensemble, presents a Christmas concert under the direction of Bob Avant. This event is free and open to the public. Students receive recital credit.

Baylor Men's Basketball vs. Tarleton

Tuesday, December 6, 7 p.m. at Ferrell Center. For more information about Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.

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WEDNESDAY

Baylor Women's Basketball vs. UT Arlington

Wednesday, December 7, 7 p.m. at Ferrell Center. For more information about Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.

Midnight Breakfast

Wednesday, December 7, 10 p.m.-12 a.m. at Penland Dining Hall. Free food and Karaoke! Need we say more?

AWESOME OPPORTUNITIES

PREPARING OUR HEARTS for Advent

Preparing Our Hearts for Advent Daily Devotionals

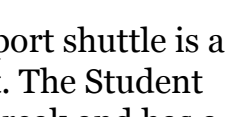
Join the Baylor Family as we prepare to celebrate the birth of our Savior. Daily devotionals, penned by Baylor University faculty, staff and students, start Sunday, November 27, and will continue through Christmas Eve. For more information, click [HERE](#).

STUDENT GOVERNMENT AIRPORT SHUTTLE



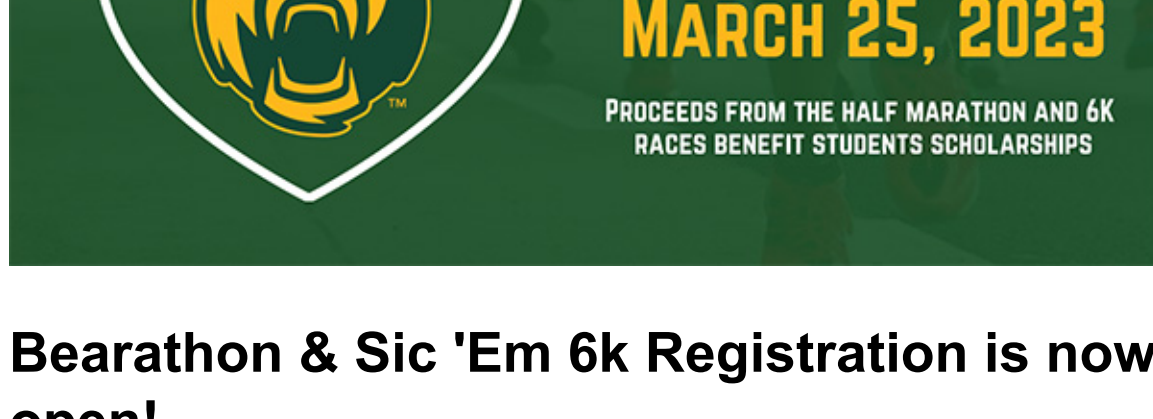
SCAN TO BUY YOUR TICKET

Servicing the DFW airport on December 14th and January 14th



Need a Ride to the Airport? Stu Gov Airport Shuttle

Dec. 14 and Jan. 14, 8 a.m., 8 p.m. The Stu Gov airport shuttle is a brand-new initiative led by Baylor Student Government. The Student Government Airport Shuttle will debut this Christmas break and has a limited capacity of 110 students. Tickets cost \$20 per trip between Baylor and DFW Airport, and will be available until they sell out. For more information, click [HERE](#). If you have questions, contact nick_madinceau@baylor.edu.



Bearathon & Sic 'Em 6k Registration is now open!

With its 'punishing hills and challenging competition, the Bearathon, known regionally as "The Toughest Half in Texas," is back! This year, the Bearathon celebrates its' 20th Anniversary in one of the most challenging courses yet. The race will be held at McLane Stadium on March 25th, 2023. Get more information [HERE](#) or email bearathon@baylor.edu.

Crime Prevention Tips for the Holidays:

When shopping:

- When parking your vehicle to go shopping, remember where you parked it! Always park in a well-lit and well-traveled area. Do not park in a remote dark area. Use a pin drop feature on a smart phone to mark where you park.
- When you return to your vehicle, scan the interior of your car to be sure no one is hiding inside or underneath the vehicle. Check to see if you are being followed. Avoid being pre-occupied while walking to your vehicle. Keep your head up and walk with confidence.
- Have your keys in hand when approaching your vehicle. You will be ready to unlock the door and will not be delayed by fumbling and looking for your keys.
- When storing items purchased at the stores, place them out of sight. The best place is in a locked trunk.
- Keep a wallet and phone in your front trouser pocket.
- Do not resist if someone tries to take any of your belongings. Do not chase someone who robs you. They may have a weapon. Call 911 instead.
- If you go to an automatic teller machine, check your surroundings and make sure it is well lit and in a safe location.
- Check the ATM for external "skimmers" or devices that copy your credit card information. Look for the red seal at gas pumps.
- Carry only the credit cards you need and avoid carrying large amounts of cash.

Your Vehicle:

- Do not leave your purse, wallet, or cellular telephone in plain view unattended in your vehicle.
- Lock your vehicle and make sure your windows are always up even while you are driving.
- Drive defensively. Traffic is heavier during the holidays. Drivers may also have indulged in too much holiday spirits. According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, DUI arrests are the highest between Thanksgiving and New Year's Eve.

For the Home/Apartment:

- Always lock doors and windows when you leave your house or apartment, even for a few minutes.
- Don't advertise...burglars look for occupancy cues like outdoor lights burning 24 hours a day, piled up newspapers, mail, or advertising flyers hanging on the door knob and merchandise boxes such as TV, computers, etc.
- Use an inexpensive light timer when you are away and ask a neighbor to pick up your newspapers and mail. If you are going away for the holidays you can stop your mail online [here](#).
- Before leaving, report any building security issues to the hall director or apartment manager.
- Properly secure your bicycles to a bike rack using a U-lock.
- Determine who the last person will be to leave and ensure they do a double check prior to leaving.
- If you go out for the evening, turn on lights and a radio or television so the house or apartment appears to be occupied. Burglars know to look for the hidden door key near the front entrance. Don't hide spare keys under rocks, in flowerpots, or above door ledges. Instead give the spare key to a trusted neighbor.
- Burglars prefer to enter through unlocked doors or windows at the rear of the building to avoid detection. Turn on intruder alarm if you have one.
- When packing your vehicle for the holidays, never leave your vehicle unsecured or unattended between loads. Do not leave valuable items in plain sight.

If you have items you would like to see appear in What's New BU, submit them for consideration by Friday at 8 a.m. by clicking [here](#). View past issues of What's New BU [here](#).

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