Baylor University

Student Life

WHAT'S NEW

March 11, 2024

Summer courses help you get ahead or catch up, and summer tuition is discounted too! Whether you choose courses online or in person, you can make the most of your summer – learn more at baylor.edu/discovery.

MONDAY

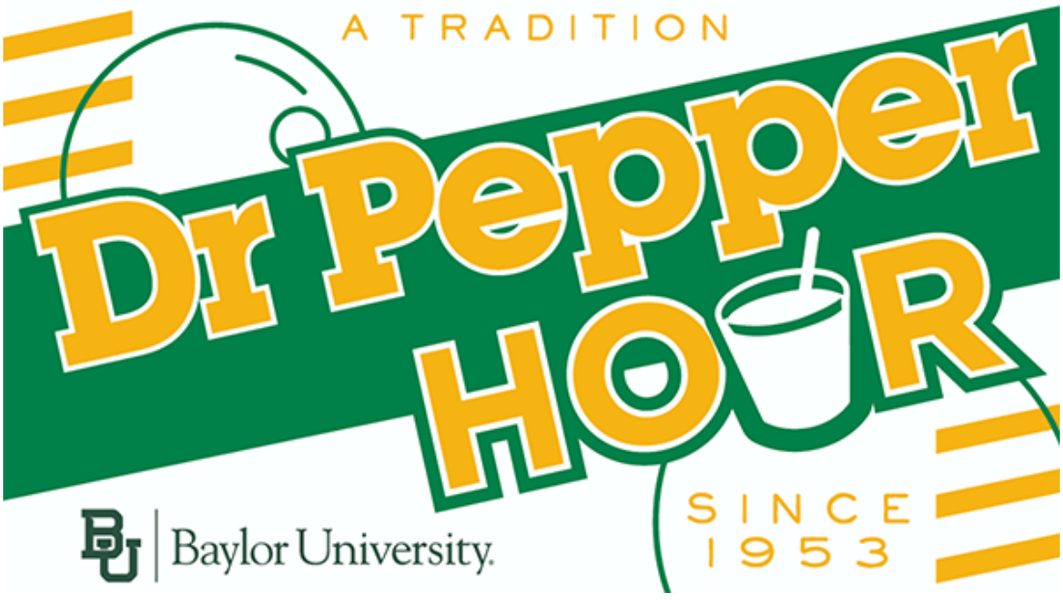
The Marina is OPEN!

Wanting to get back out on the water? Excited to sit out in the sun? Well good news! The Marina is back March 11, 2024! Come join us for some fun out on the water or on the beach!

Student Foundation Open House

Monday, March 11, 6-8 p.m. in the Ed Crenshaw Center. For the first time in its 55-year history, Student Foundation is inviting rising sophomores, in addition to juniors and seniors, to don the green-and-white striped jersey. Stop by an Open House to learn more about serving Baylor's past, present, and future. Applications due by March 31. For more information about Student Foundation, click HERE.

TUESDAY



Dr Pepper Hour

Tuesday, March 12, 3-4 p.m. in the Barfield Drawing Room (Bill Daniel Student Center Second Floor). 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 Softball vs Lamar (DH)

Tuesday, March 12, 4 p.m. at Getterman Stadium. For more information about Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.

Sailing Clinic

Tuesday, March 12, 5-7 p.m. at the Pullin Family Marina. Interested in Sailing?! Come down to the Marina on Tuesday or Wednesday to learn how to flow with the wind on the water.

Baylor Softball vs Lamar (DH)

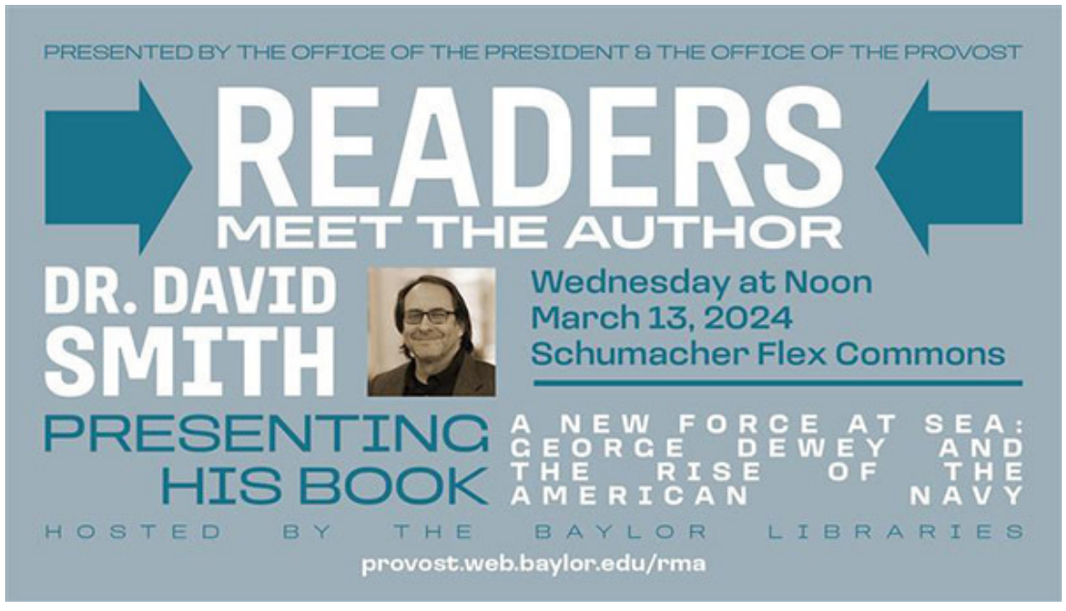
Tuesday, March 12, 6:30 p.m. at Getterman Stadium. For more information about

Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.

Baylor Baseball vs Stephen F. Austin

Tuesday, March 12, 6:30 p.m. at the Baylor Ballpark. For more information about Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.

WEDNESDAY



Readers Meet the Author Series featuring Dr. David A. Smith

Wednesday, March 13, 12 Noon at Schumacher Flex Commons, Moody Library. Welcome back! History Professors David A. Smith and Ronald A. Johnson will discuss Smith's recently released book, "A New Force at Sea: George Dewey and the Rise of the American Navy." Audience Q&A, a reception, and a book signing will follow the conversation. For more information, click HERE.

Don't Miss This! BP with Coach T

Wednesday, March 13, 6-7 p.m. at Baylor Ballpark. Have you ever wanted to yard at a Big 12 ballpark? Well here's your chance! Coach Thompson and **Baylor Baseball are inviting all students to the ballpark** on March 13 from 6-7 pm for batting practice. If that wasn't exciting enough, the first 100 students get **FREE t-shirts** and **pizza!** See you then! For more information, click HERE.

THURSDAY

Women's History Month Carillon Recital

Thursday, March 14, 12:15 p.m. outside Pat Neff Hall. Come out and enjoy a recital on the largest instrument on campus celebrating Women's History Month.

Mountain Bike Clinics and Trail Rides

Thursday, March 14, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Interested in bike rides? Come join us as we ride the trails of Cameron park! Gain a better understanding and hands on experience in the sport. For more information, talk to the front desk at Campus Rec in the SLC.

Chamber Singers Concert

Thursday, March 14, 7:30-9 p.m. at the Armstrong Browning Library. The Chamber Singers present a concert at the Armstrong Browning Library. This event is free and open to the public. **Students receive recital credit.**

FRIDAY

Baylor Baseball vs Texas Tech

Friday, March 15, 6:30 p.m. at the Baylor Ballpark. For more information about Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.

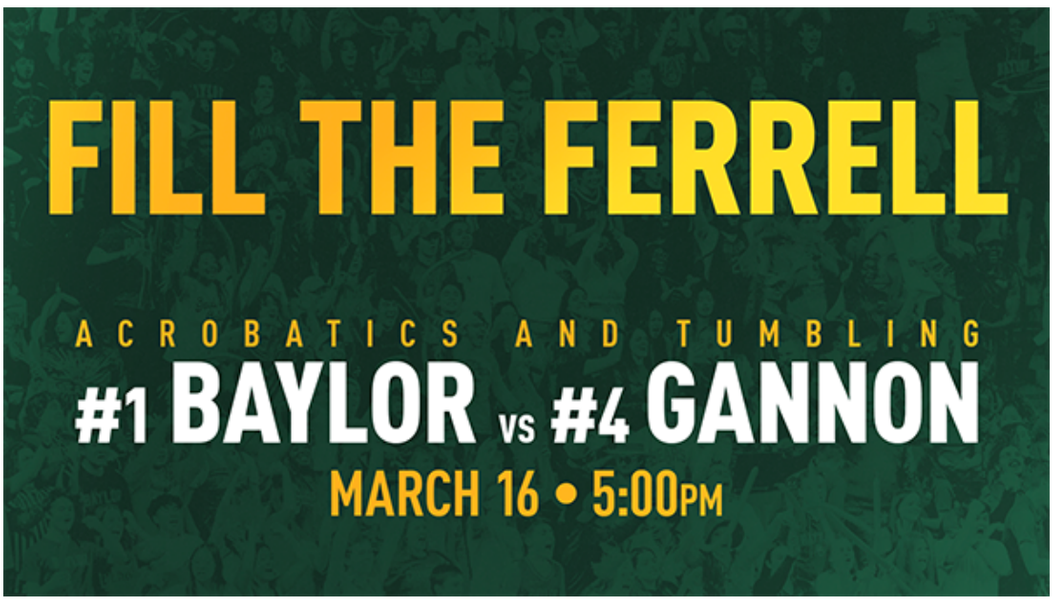
Sic 'Em Slam

Friday, March 15, 7 p.m. at the Barfield Drawing Room in the SUB. The art of storytelling and spoken-word poetry comes to Baylor! Brought to you by Baylor Activities Council and the Division of Student Life, this unique event promises to deliver a rich evening of diverse student, faculty, and staff storytellers and spoken-word artists sharing pieces of their lives in dramatic fashion. Featuring live music, mocktails and mouth-watering hors d'oeuvres, this is one event you don't want to miss.

SATURDAY

Baylor Baseball vs Texas Tech

Saturday, March 16, 2 p.m. at the Baylor Ballpark. For more information about Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.



#1 Baylor Acro & Tumbling vs #4 Gannon

Saturday, March 16, 5 p.m. at the Ferrell Center. Your #1 and 8-Time defending National Champion Baylor Acrobatics & Tumbling team wraps up their home

season on March 16 as they take on #4 Gannon at 5 p.m. in the Ferrell Center. Show your support for this year's senior class and help break the all-time attendance record! For more information about Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.

Afrique

Saturday, March 16, 6 p.m. at Cashion 506. Annual cultural showcase that allows people to dress up in traditional cultural wear. Includes different African cultures through fashion, live music, singing, dancing, food and several other aspects. For more information, click HERE or contact asabaylor@outlook.com.

Pre-Health Charity Gala

Saturday, March 16, 7-10 p.m. at the Hurd Welcome Center Ballroom D. The Pre-Health Charity Gala is an annual semi-formal event held for the purpose of supporting a local philanthropy. This year, all proceeds will go towards The Cove, a

non-profit that works to combat youth homelessness. The event is open to all Baylor students, not just pre-health students. Cost is $15 from 2/19-3/15 or $20 at the door. Venmo @MedicalServiceOrganization. Semi-Formal, catered dinner, dessert, & mask included. Live auction, guest speakers and dancing! Contact Miranda_Lutterbei1@baylor.edu with questions.

SUNDAY

Baylor Baseball vs Texas Tech

Sunday, March 17, 1 p.m. at the Baylor Ballpark. For more information about Baylor Athletics events, visit: baylorbears.com.

INTRAMURALS

Happening in Intramurals...

3-on-3 BASKETBALL & TABLE TENNIS registration is STILL OPEN. Registration closes 3/19. Register in the FusionPlay app.

Interested in playing Intramural Sports for Spring 2024? Register in 3 easy steps! Visit the Campus Recreation website here, click memberships, and purchase the IM Play Pass. | Download the Fusion Play app. | Register your team!

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Register to Run for Student Government Elections!

Student Government elections are coming up! File to run for a position by March 20! Click HERE for more information.

Leadership Development Grants

Student Government can fund your leadership development goals! Campus organizations, departments, and individual students are encouraged to apply for funding to cover their leadership development initiative. From books, to conferences, to experiences, we welcome your application! For more information, click HERE or contact Gabi_Vela2@baylor.edu.

OPPORTUNITIES

Nominate Your Org, Nominate Your Friends, Nominate Yourself for an Excellence In Student Leadership Award!

Apply today and nominate yourself, a friend, your org, or an advisor! The purpose of the Excellence in Student Leadership Awards is to recognize the outstanding contributions made by students, faculty, and staff advisors across campus and in the community. Departments and staff members throughout the Division of Student Life, in conjunction with Student Government, recognize nominees for their significant leadership and service in a variety of capacities within their respective organizations, across campus, and beyond. DEADLINE TO APPLY IS MARCH 31. Please complete the awards application **HERE**.

Register for Steppin' Out Day of Service!

April 6 at 8:00 a.m. Step out and serve our local community! Steppin' Out is a day of service where Baylor students volunteer at sites across the Waco area. Sign up to serve with your friends, organization, or as an individual by **March 27**. We're looking forward to serving with you - register HERE.

Register to Run in the Bearathon!

The toughest half in Texas is back! On **March 23**, the Bearathon & Sic 'Em 6K, hosted by Student Foundation, will be raced by runners from all over the country. Proceeds from the race go toward student scholarships with last year's Bearathon raising funds for over 200 Baylor Students. Sign up NOW!

Register for the Baylor Leadership Summit

March 21-22 Register today! Free with Baylor email! Join college students across the state of Texas to learn about leading for the common good. The event starts off at the Hurd Welcome Center Thursday night with a keynote and reception featuring Dr. Soong Chan Rah followed by small group sessions and lunch with community leaders and storytellers on Friday. Come as you can and bring your friends! Trust us: You don't want to miss this!

Email leadership@baylor.edu with questions and click the image above to register.

Leadership Speaker Series/Baylor Leadership Summit featuring Dr. Soong-Chan Rah, Prophetic Lament: The Necessity of Truth Telling in Untruthful Times

March 21, 6:30-7:30 p.m. at the Fudge Family Auditorium, Hurd Welcome Center. Join us as we kick off this year's Baylor Leadership Summit with the Leadership Speaker Series! Dr. Soong-Chan Rah will introduce us to this year's Summit theme of "Constructive Hope" through his session "*Prophetic Lament: The Necessity of Truth Telling in Untruthful Times.*"

The Leadership Speaker Series invites thought leaders to discuss the intersection of their areas of expertise; postures of leadership including character, virtue, and ethics, as well as flourishing and the common good. For more information email leadership@baylor.edu.

Step Challenge!

Grab your friends and your sneakers for the Step Challenge! All students, faculty, and staff are invited to accumulate steps anywhere and at your own pace throughout the week. You can also track your steps by taking Fitwell classes or through Intramural Sports. A link will be sent out on March 22nd to submit the total number of steps to win fun prizes and giveaways!

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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