

# HONORS UPDATES

*Weekly announcements for the NKU Honors Program*

**29 September 2009**

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## Capstone preview – Tue, Sep 29 @ 6:30 pm in Budig Theatre

Rachel Warden will be showing her 10-minute film on Fractal Geometry. Bloopers and food included for the price of admission (FREE!)

## IMPORTANT: All-Program Meeting – Thurs, Oct 1, 4:30-6:00 pm in BEP 200

- Attend and receive **mandatory** information about the Honors Program
- Submit winter/spring travel scholarship applications
- Discover Honors spring course offerings
- Capstone, service and scholarship and advising workshops
- AND MORE!

## Winter and Spring Honors Scholarship Applications due Oct 1

Turn yours in at the **All-Program Meeting**. See the Honors website for more information - <http://honors.nku.edu/current/scholarships.php> - or contact Belle Zembrodt at [zembrodt@nku.edu](mailto:zembrodt@nku.edu) or (859) 572-5634.

## Sylvia Mendez Lecture and Reception – Fri, Oct 2

Hear from the woman who as an 8-year-old integrated California schools – before *Brown v Board of Education!*

- 12:00-1:30 pm in Budig Theatre
- 2:00 pm reception in the Honors House Lounge

## Peace Corps is coming to campus. Find out more! – Oct 5

- Information Table in the SU from 12:00-2:00 pm
- General Information Meeting in UC 300 @ 5:30 pm

## Proposal Writing Workshop with Dr. Smith – Tue, Oct 6 @ 3:00 pm

Dr. Smith will conduct a proposal-writing workshop at the Honors House. This workshop is important for anyone planning to begin the Capstone within the next three semesters, but we encourage all Honors students to attend. It's never too early to start thinking about your Honors Capstone!

Go to <http://honors.nku.edu/capstoneprojects.php> for more information on the Honors Capstone.

## 2nd 2009 HNR 101 Mentor Event – Wed, Oct 7 from 6:00-8:00 pm @ Callahan!

Come to the Callahan classroom J101 from 6-8pm. It will be a costume party and photo scavenger hunt. There will be free food, games, and prizes for the best costume and winning scavenger hunt team. Anyone interested in participating in the hunt should bring a camera or cell phone camera.

**NOTE: This event takes place conveniently RIGHT BEFORE the Drag Show, which starts at 8:15 in the lounge.**

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Drag Queen Beauty Pageant – Wed, Oct 7 @ 8:15 pm in J-Wing Lounge of Callahan

Join the men of the Callahan Honors Wing as they strut their stuff in drag for the second year in a row. And bring your camera, because this will be a night you won't want to forget! This year's beauty pageant will be preceded by a workshop on diversity, tolerance, and GLBT support facilitated by members of the campus group Common Ground, and by Dr. Ernest Smith, Director of the Honors Program.

## Honors Serves @ Service on Saturday – Oct 10 from 10:00-2:00 pm

Honors will have a dedicated site during NKU's annual fall Community Service Event. Bond with your 'Fellows', do good deeds and enjoy free food and a T-shirt! Service on Saturday is held during Parent's Weekend. Even if you haven't pre-registered, please come. Check-in at SU Ballroom at 9:30 am for free breakfast. We'll carpool to the site together.

## Hoops and Hearts ~ October Madness Film Festival ~

Celebrate the theme of basketball as a metaphor for life with two films at the Honors House. Food provided!

- The Heart of the Game – an inspiring documentary of a girls' high school team and a coach who made a difference. Wed, Oct 14, 5:00-7:00 pm.
- Hoop Dreams – a heartbreaking true story of two young men attempting to take a ticket out of the project and to the NBA. Thurs, Oct 22, 6:00-9:00 pm.

## Intern for credit at the KY Legislature

Future Leader Internship Program (FLIP) applications for Spring 2010 are due Fri, Oct 23.

*Students In All Majors Are Encouraged To Apply.* For questions or applications contact: Dr. Jonathan McKenzie, Founders Hall 427B, (859) 572-5323 or [mckenziej1@nku.edu](mailto:mckenziej1@nku.edu).

## Save the date: HoHoCoHo – Wed, Nov 4

Work up your act in preparation for the next Honors Coffee House. The VoCo will be raising funds by selling cups of delicious joe.

## Callahan and HoHoVoHo team up – Sat, Nov 7, from 1:00-3:30 pm

The Callahan Honors Hall and the HoHoVoCo are sponsoring a service event at Lakeside – the senior citizen apartments next to Callahan Hall. We want to invite everyone in the Honors program to come and join us!

## Other future Callahan events

- Haunted House @ Callahan – Wed, Oct 21 @ 8:00 pm
- 2nd Annual "Honors Night Inn" – Fri, Nov 13 @ 7:00 pm in the Honors Hall Wing
- Winter Break Party – Fri, Dec 11 @ 6:00 pm in the Honors Hall Lounge

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