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# THANKSGIVING BREAK SURVEY

The Student Commission is collecting feedback from faculty, staff, and students on the length of Thanksgiving Break. This survey consists of a few quick questions that will help the committee get a better understanding of what faculty and staff think of the current academic schedule and what impact changing Thanksgiving Break would have on them and their curricula. Please share your feedback here. The survey is anonymous but if you wish to get into contact with this committee feel free to email the student co-chairs Maria Burke, mburke1@mtech.edu, or Evan Guengerich, eguengerich@mtech.edu.

## RECOGNIZE SOCIAL ENGINEERING THREATS

Social engineers try get you to react quickly rather than logically and they can be persuasive, convincing, and demanding. If you feel rushed or pressured, pause and think if

someone is trying to get confidential information from you, or use your credentials to access information. Document as much information as possible about the incident (phone number, name, the website referenced) and report it to the IT Help Desk if unsure.

#### **DIGGER INTEGRITY DAY**

Join the writing program for an Escape Room scenario! Escape with your integrity and win a prize. The event will take place on **Wednesday**, **October 19**, **2022** from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm in SUB 212 AB. Please email ccrooker1@mtech.edu to reserve your time. The event is presented by the Montana Tech Writing Program.

## **STAFF SENATE MEET & GREET**

The Montana Tech Staff Senate is hosting a Meet & Greet on **Wednesday**, **October 19** from 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm at Slainte. A portion of the proceeds will be donated back to the Staff Senate. Bring the whole family. For more information, email staffsenate@mtech.edu.

#### **DESTRESS FEST**

Montana Tech's ACE & TRIO present the 3rd Annual Destress Fest on **Thursday**, **October 20, 2022** from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm in the SSC. Lots of fun events planned with DIY caramel apples, word searches, therapy animals, coloring, games and prizes.

# **ALL FACULTY MEETING**

An all faculty meeting will take place on **Thursday**, **October 20** from 3:00-4:30 pm in the Library Auditorium.

## INDIGENOUS MENTORING PROGRAM WORKSHOP

You are invited to an Indigenous Mentoring Program Workshop on **Friday, October 21**, from 12:00 pm to 2:30 pm, via Zoom. Marilyn Zimmerman, Senior Director of Policy and Programs, National Native Children's Trauma Center, and Jennifer Harrington, Native American Natural Resource Program Director, W.A. Franke College of Forestry and Conservation, will lead a two-part workshop series for faculty, graduate students, administrators and staff who currently mentor, or who are interested in mentoring, American Indian/Alaska Native students. Attendees will engage in facilitated sessions with a number of presenters who will share knowledge about cultural humility, establishing and sustaining healthy mentor-mentee relationships, and campus and community-wide services and programs available for Al/AN students. The workshop will also focus on Indigenous research methodologies, best practices for disseminating research in Native communities, and Indigenous mentoring practices. RSVP here.

### **ROAD CLOSURE**

The 1923 Production will be filming on Park Street on **Monday, October 24**. Trucks and heavy equipment will be in use so Park Street and Excelsior will be closed from 4:00 am to 4:00 pm on this date. Please plan an alternate route to campus on the 24th.

### **CAMPUS STORE COSTUME CONTEST**

The Campus Store is holding a costume contest on **Monday, October 31, 2022** from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Prizes for the best costume (student), best costume (faculty/staff), best group costume (student), and best group costume (faculty/staff).

### **CLIFTONSTRENGTHS TRAINING**

The LEAD team continues to create opportunities to build leadership potential at Montana Tech. Our goal is to elevate a culture of leadership and role modeling. Consider taking the CliftonStrengths assessment and join a Strengths session on **November 3** at 3:00 pm in the Copper Lounge. Whether you're looking to improve yourself or a leader who wants to empower your people to perform better, your efforts start with CliftonStrengths (Gallup, 2020). Contact Sarah Raymond, sraymond@mtech.edu for an assessment code if you have not taken the assessment!

### **MAIL & COPY CENTER SERVICES**

Are you pressed for time, but need some copies made? Do you need either binding services or a few things laminated, and don't know where to turn? The Mail & Copy Center is here for you!

Services offered at the Mail/Copy Center include:

- Inter-Campus Mail Delivery and Collections
- Processing of Incoming (Faculty/Staff) and Outgoing USPS, UPS and FED EX Shipments
- Postal and Shipping Services for the Public, Including Postage Stamps
- Photocopies and Prints (Up to 11"x17")
- Binding Services Coil Binding and Small Booklet Binding
- Lamination (Up to 11"x17")
- Pamphlet and Brochure Printing and Folding

The Mail/Copy Center also currently has scratchpads made from recycled materials available, so stop in and grab a few! Email your requests and/or questions to CopyCenter@mtech.edu, or stop by the Mail & Copy Center on the first floor of the Student Union Building and visit with Mark, Bree, or Mike! You can also visit our webpage here for more information. Hours of operation during the academic year are 8:00 am–4:00 pm, Monday through Friday.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

## **OCTOBER**

19

Digger Integrity Day | 10:00 am-2:00 pm | SUB 212AB

#### 20

All faculty meeting | 3:00-4:30 pm | Library Auditorium

### 21

Indigenous Mentoring Program Workshop | 12:00-2:30 pm | Zoom (register here) Hall of Fame Banquet | 6:00 pm | Butte Country Club (open to the public)

#### **22**

Make A Difference Day

Football vs Southern Oregon University | 1:00 pm | Alumni Coliseum Volleyball vs University of Providence | 6:00 pm | HPER

## 31

Costume Contest | 10:00 am-3:00 pm | Campus Store

### **NOVEMBER**

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Public Lecture | 4:00 pm | Copper Lounge

3

CliftonStrengths Training | 3:00 pm | Copper Lounge

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Women's Basketball vs Dickinson State | 2:00 pm | HPER Men's Basketball Tlp Off Classic | 4:00 pm | HPER Volleyball vs MSU-Northern | 7:00 pm | HPER

5

Football vs Montana Western | 1:00 pm | Alumni Coliseum Men's Basketball TIp Off Classic | 4:00 pm | HPER

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Election Day (no classes/offices closed)

#### 11

Veterans Day (no classes/offices closed)

# 11-12

Frontier Conference Volleyball Tournament | HPER

### 18

Tech Day

Men's Basketball Fall Classic | 6:00 pm | HPER

19

Men's Basketball Fall Classic | 6:00 pm | HPER

## 24

Thanksgiving (no classes/offices closed)

#### 25

Holiday (no classes/offices closed)



