

Events and Happenings through March 7

Wednesday, March 3:

- 6-7 p.m. Spanish Table—Massman Gallery
- 7 p.m. Hawks for Life—Massman Gallery (fishbowl)

Thursday, March 4:

- 4-6 p.m. Health Science Fair—Convocation Center
- 9 p.m. Voices for Justice: Engineers Without Borders presentation—CMC

Friday, March 5:

- Faculty & staff commencement attire order due
- 1:15 p.m. Service Trip Send Off—Mabee Chapel
- 5:30 p.m. Residence halls close

Saturday, March 6:

Sunday, March 7:

Additional information about events and happenings can be found at <http://calendar.rockhurst.edu>.

The Counseling Center hours:

- ❖ Monday and Friday—8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 - ❖ Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday—8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
 - ❖ Please call ext. 4275 for an appointment
- The Counseling Center is located in Massman 5.

Today's Mass times:

- ❖ St. Francis Xavier Church (chapel): 7 & 11 a.m.
- ❖ Mabee Chapel, Massman Hall, noon

Campus Ministry

Hawks for Life—meet at 7 p.m. tonight (Wednesday, March 3) in the fishbowl to carpool to a presentation by Darryl Burton, a native of St. Louis who spent 24 years in prison for a murder he did not commit. He will speak on the injustices of our criminal justice system and the death penalty. **We will not have Stations of Cross tonight.**

Hear from Engineers Without Borders, a non-profit group that serves the world over, at the VOICES for JUSTICE meeting tomorrow, March 4. They will share stories about their work in Haiti. The meeting begins at 9 p.m. at the CMC.

The Service Trip Send-off will be at 1:15 p.m. Friday, March 5, in Mabee Chapel. Please join us as we pray for those from the Rockhurst community departing for a week of service.

Due to spring break, there will be not be a 6 p.m. Student Mass on Sunday, March 7. Mass will resume at 6 p.m. Sunday, March 14, in the Mabee Chapel.

Miller Service Scholarships: Need scholarships to help cover tuition? Do you enjoy doing service? Campus Ministry has applications available for any undergraduate student interested in volunteer service over summer break. Service may be done in your hometown or wherever you will be over summer break. **The application deadline is Monday, March 15.** Stop by the office of Campus Ministry for an application or more information.

Announcements

Career Services is sponsoring the Health Services Fair from 4–6 p.m. tomorrow, March 4, in the Convocation Center. More than 40 regional health care providers will be in attendance to speak with nursing, OT, CSD and PT students. If you are an undergraduate student wanting to explore career paths in health care, this will be an excellent opportunity to talk with professionals currently working in the field. Those seeking employment opportunities should dress professionally and bring plenty of resumes. In addition, Career Services has other events scheduled for the rest of the spring semester. For details check out www.rockhurst.edu/career or contact Career Services at ext. 4061.

Commencement 2010 News

Faculty and staff: if you participated in the May 2009 ceremony, we have your information on file and will repeat your order for the May 2010 ceremony. If you are new to Rockhurst and do not own your own attire, please reply with the following information:

- Name
- Height
- Hat size (in inches)
- Cap or tam
- Your highest degree
- From what institution
- Alma mater school colors
- Other pertinent information



If you have any questions regarding colors, gown or cap size, etc., the Herff–Jones representative will be here at the Grad Fair (see student announcement for details.) **All orders must be placed before spring break Friday, March 5. Please contact Brenda Tidmore at ext. 4076 with your order or Brenda.tidmore@rockhurst.edu.**

For information on the 2010 Commencement and the Baccalaureate Mass, go to www.rockhurst.edu/graduation.

The RDN will not be published during spring break—March 8-12.

The PT Class of 2011 is sponsoring a cell phone drive.

Now through Friday, March 19, you can donate your used cell phone for a good cause; phones will be given to women in domestic help shelters. Collection boxes for your donated cell phones can be found in the lobby of the Science Center, Van Ackeren, Sedgwick, Conway and in Massman by the SAB box. For details, please contact Ashley Whitwell at whitwella@hawks.rockhurst.edu.



You are invited to the Physical Therapy Class of 2010 student research papers 1-5 p.m. Friday, March 5, in Science Center 115.

- 12:30 p.m. Refreshments served Science Center 115
- 1 p.m. Welcome and opening remarks by Brian McKiernan Department Chair, Department of Physical Therapy Education and Jeffrey Breese PhD, Dean of the School of Graduate and Professional Studies
- 1:10 p.m.** *The Effects of Carbohydrate Supplementation on Cognitive Measures during Prolonged Aerobic Exercise* presented by Mike Crawford, SPT; Gary Eichenberger, SPT; Holly Rauch, SPT; and Megan Wainscott, SPT; faculty mentor: Don Hoover PT, PhD
- 1:28 p.m.** *Long Term Effects of ACL Reconstruction on Performance* presented by Jamie Fuqua, SPT; Sarah Roberts, SPT; and Katy Watson, SPT; faculty mentor: Jean Hiebert PT, PhD
- 1:46 p.m.** *The Relationship Between Documenting and Treating Scapular Dysfunction by Physical Therapist* presented by Kelli Richardson, SPT; Tracey Brown, SPT; Darin Pape, SPT; and Ashley Roberts, SPT; faculty mentor: Jim Dronberger PT, DPT, OCS, MBA
- 2:04 p.m.** *The Effects of Parent Training Augmented by Audiovisual Instruction on Motor Practice and Motor Development of Children with Down Syndrome* presented by Anastasia Stalworth, SPT; Anthony Thomas, SPT; and Megan Weber, SPT; faculty mentor: Catherine Thompson PT, PhD, MS
- 2:22 p.m.** *The Use of Technology in Physical Therapist Education Programs* presented by Adrienne Klein, SPT; Curtis Kempton, SPT; and Jenny Aloisio, SPT; faculty mentor: Steve Wilkinson PT, PhD
- 2:40 p.m.** *The Development of Leadership in Physical Therapy: Emerging Leaders* presented by Mary Krogmeier, SPT; Jessica Barr-Crane, SPT; and Lauren Holle, SPT; faculty mentor: Ellen Spake PT, PhD
- 2:58 p.m. Intermission and refreshments**
- 3:18 p.m.** *A Biomechanical Comparison of Gait Between Normals and Patients with Total Knee Arthroplasty Using Body Weight Support During Treadmill Ambulation* presented by Leah McBride, SPT; Rebecca Fisher, SPT; Carrie McDonald, SPT; and Justin Trent, SPT; faculty mentor: Mohamed Kohia PT, PhD
- 3:36 p.m.** *Older Adult Activity Patterns Associated with Perceived Barriers and Benefits to Exercise in a Large Metropolitan Area* presented by Natalie Bliss, SPT; Jessica Crawford, SPT; Stephanie Otte, SPT; and Elizabeth Lewis, SPT; faculty mentor: Ann Marie Decker PT, GCS, MSA
- 3:54 p.m.** *The Effect of Different Pedal Types on Maximal Oxygen Consumption and Power Output* presented by Madeline Cline, SPT; Katie Greubel, SPT; Kara Page, SPT; and Jamie Bovay, SPT; faculty mentor: Jean Hiebert PT, PhD

- 4:12 p.m.** *The Effects of a Computerized Audience Response System on Exam Scores in a Physical and Occupational Therapy Neuroscience Course* presented by Jolyn Noble, SPT; Gregory Hollenbeck, SPT; and Sarah Hargrove, SPT; faculty mentor: Brian McKiernan PT, PhD
- 4:30 p.m.** *The Effects of Treadmill training with Partial Body Weight Support on Patients Following Total Knee Arthroplasty* presented by Laura Hale, SPT; Aubrey Swank, SPT; and Nikki Waterworth, SPT; faculty mentor: Mohamed Kohia PT, PhD

Student Life

If you weren't able to join members of the Student Alumni Association at the information session, but are interested in joining SAA, stop by the Alumni Office (Massman 239) to pick up a new member application. All applications are due Wednesday, March 17, to the Alumni Office. Interviews will be held the week of March 22. For details, please contact Deanna at ext. 4375 or deanna.johnson@rockhurst.edu.

Attention first-year students and senior students: are you challenged, enriched and supported by your experiences at Rockhurst? Here's your chance to be heard! Look for the National Survey of Student Engagement (NSSE) in your e-mail in box. Please complete the survey and become eligible to win a \$20 Target gift card. Your opinion matters!

SAB is sponsoring GOTCHA!—a campus wide game of tag. Signups are Monday, March 15, through Thursday, March 18, in the SAB box. There will be an informational meeting for all participants at 9 p.m. Thursday, March 18, in the Rock Room. Cost is \$5 per person. Each player will receive a GOTCHA! T-shirt. All proceeds from signup fees will go to the winner. There are a limited number of slots.

Seniors and graduate students who plan to complete degree requirements by December 2010 must submit a degree application to the Registrar's Office by Tuesday, March 30. Applications received after that date will be charged a late fee. Undergraduate degree applications are available on the [Registrar's Web page](#) or stop by the Rock Stop or dean's offices. Graduate degree applications are available through the program offices. *Students who plan to graduate in May or August 2010 and have not applied should do so now!*

It's time to file your FAFSA for the 2010-11 academic year. Please be aware that the deadline is quickly approaching. **Priority deadline is March 15;** find out more at www.fafsa.ed.gov. If you have questions about FAFSA please contact your financial aid counselor. **If you completed a FAFSA this year but will not be completing one for the 2010-11 academic year it is very important that you notify the Financial Aid Office.** Junior and senior nursing students who will be attending Research in 2010-11 school year please use Research as your school code on the FAFSA.