



Events on the College Calendar
September 25, 2017 – October 2, 2017

Monday, September 25

11:05 a.m. – Chapel: President Mullen (WC)

Tuesday, September 26

9:30 a.m. – Allegany County Counselors' Assoc College Fair (KPFH)

11:30 a.m. – Math & Science Colloquium (DHS)

7:00 p.m. – VB @ St. John Fisher

Wednesday, September 27

11:05 a.m. – Chapel: Ammajee Morampudi (WC)

4:00 p.m. – WT @ Alfred University

5:00 p.m. – WS vs Alfred University

7:00 p.m. – FH vs. SUNY Brockport

8:00 p.m. – GCF (AD)

Thursday, September 28

5:00 p.m. – Guest Professional Dinner (DHS)

8:00 p.m. – CAB Coffeehouse (Java 101)

Friday, September 29

11:05 a.m. – Chapel: Dean Jordan (WC)

7:30 p.m. – VB vs. D'Youville

Saturday, September 30

1:00 p.m. – FH @ Hartwick College

1:00 p.m. – WT @ Elmira

2:00 p.m. – MS @ Stevens Tech

3:00 p.m. – WS @ Utica

6:00 p.m. – Exhibit/Opening Reception (OAG)

Sunday, October 1

7:00 p.m. – Koinonia (WC)

Monday, October 2

Purple & Gold Week

11:05 a.m. – Chapel: Mike Niebauer (WC)

The Scoop

September 25, 2017

Wondering what's new this week? Look for items which are bolded and italicized in purple.

ADMINISTRATIVE & ACADEMIC

***Live Animal Event is Here Again!** Are you feeling stressed? Do you miss your pets? Take a break on **Friday September 29th**, and come to **Gillette Main Lounge** anytime from **3pm-5pm** to play with some **real live furry animals!** All are welcome! Contact the Counseling Center with any questions.*

***MBA representative for R.I.T. |Saunders College of Business, Jenna Lenhardt, will be on campus this Thursday, 9/28.** She will have a table in the Campus Center lounge and will hold an information session at 11:00a.m. in the Investment Center (Chamberlain Center 316) for students who want to check out the 4+1 MBA relationship between Houghton College and Saunders College of Business.*

***OFF CAMPUS STUDIES OPPORTUNITIES FAIR!!!** Are you interested in a semester or Mayterm abroad? Come to the Off-Campus Studies Fair on Tuesday, October 10th, 2017 in the Van Dyk Lounge from 10:30AM - 1:30 PM. Come and learn about the following programs:*

- *Houghton in Tanzania*
- *GOED*
- *Mayterm opportunities*
- *Other Affiliated programs*

This is a great opportunity to talk to professors and students about the program and how you can benefit from a study abroad opportunity. There will be faculty and students available to answer your questions.

Did you know many students are eligible to reserve a library study carrel (desk) for their own use for an entire semester? If you're enrolled in a Senior Seminar, or doing an Independent Study or Honor's Project, you may apply. Stop by the library to pick up an application and learn more about our Reserve Carrel policy. The sooner you apply the better chance you'll have of reserving one before they fill up!

Water Aerobic classes start Sept 19th at 11:15am or Sept 20th at 6:15pm (10 weeks / \$5 a session). To register or to request more information email sandra.johnson@houghton.edu

Are you feeling anxious? Do you struggle to manage your anxiety well? Do you want to learn some easy and effective ways of coping with the worry and stress that is so common among college student? Well, the Counseling Center will be offering a 3-session **Anxiety Toolkit workshop** for students. Contact CounselingServices@houghton.edu or stop by the office to sign up. The workshops are free and will be offered several times throughout the semester. Sessions are limited to the first 10 students who sign up, so sign up now to secure your spot.

Nutrition Support Group: Have questions about healthy eating? Looking for support to improve your health through nutrition? Community Registered Dietitian, Rebekah Harter, facilitates this group Tuesdays 5:30-6:30pm in Chamberlain 224. Discuss relevant topics in nutrition and find accountability for your personal nutrition goals. Students and faculty are welcome! Email CounselingServices@houghton.edu if you have questions.

Personal Nutrition Counseling: Have concerns about your current diet or eating habits? Want one-on-one support to reach your nutrition goals? Registered Dietitian, Rebekah Harter, is offering personal **nutrition counseling** for students and faculty this semester. Appointments are available Mondays and Thursdays from 2:30-5:30pm in the Student Health Center. Initial consultations are free and last about one hour. For more information feel free to reach out to Rebekah Harter RD at rebekahh.nutrition@gmail.com. To book an appointment, stop in the Counseling Center or email CounselingServices@houghton.edu today!

SERIOUSLY DATING? ENGAGED? "NEWLY" MARRIED? SAVE THE DATES!!!

DATES: Friday and Saturday, October 27th – 28th, 2017 for the 10th Annual Relationship Retreat
Saturday Evening, December 9th – Date Night Follow-Up Event

LOCATIONS: Weekend Seminar @Asbury Camp & Retreat Center, 16 Lakeside Ave, Silver Lake, NY 14549
Date Night Follow-up Event – To Be Determined

THEME: Healthy Conflict: The Key to Intimacy

Presented this year by Jackson and Krista Dunn, who have spent their married life developing resources and facilitating workshops designed to prepare couples for healthy marriages, to enrich the lives of married couples, and to help couples in crisis.

COST: \$30 per Couple Gets You . . .

- October 27th – 28th Seminar @ the Asbury Camp and Retreat Center
- Friday Evening Seminar, Pizza, Snacks
- Overnight Accommodations at Camp Asbury Wilmott Lodge
- Catered Saturday Morning Breakfast & Seminar
- Catered Luncheon & Afternoon Seminar
- December 9th Date Night Follow-up – Event Location to be Announced

LIMITED TO THE FIRST 14 COUPLES TO SIGN UP AT COUNSELING SERVICES!

Sign up by Tuesday, Oct. 10th in the Counseling Center with Eliza Kelly.

Questions??? Contact Wendy Baxter via email.

We NEED Your Study Abroad Photos!! The Off-Campus Programs Fair is coming on **October 10th, 2017** and we are hosting the "Superlative Study Abroad Snapshots" **PHOTO CONTEST**. Please submit your study abroad photos by e-mailing them to ocs@houghton.edu by **September 27th, 2017**. Photos will be chosen for the fair based on the following criterion:

- Photo must include students
- Photo must indicate involvement in the host culture/**preferably** interaction with host people
- We would love to see photos that are specific to where you are
- Please submit photo as an attachment to an e-mail as a 'jpg'

Prize categories include:

- Most powerful/moving shot
- Studious-est class shot
- Poshest (or sneakiest) professor shot
- Most personal interaction with host residents
- "Best-est" Overall

Make sure to tell your friends to come to the fair and VOTE for your photo as prizes will be awarded to the top of each category and overall!

Crowder: American Prodigal Tour: Coming to Houghton College, Sunday, November 5. Tickets are on sale at the welcome center. Student tickets allow entry 15 minutes early to find a good seat!

The 2017 Penn-York Undergraduate Research Conference will be held at Hilbert College (approximately 90 minutes from Houghton) on Saturday, November 4. Students in all academic disciplines are welcomed to present papers that take 15 minutes or fewer to read, excerpts from papers, or posters about a topic they have studied or are currently studying.

The deadline for abstract submission is Friday, October 20th. Abstracts can be submitted via email to pennyork@hilbert.edu. In the abstract submission, please indicate if an oral presentation slot or a poster presentation is desired.

To express interest, reserve a spot in a Houghton van (with the approximate time of departure being 7:00 a.m. and time of return being 4:00 p.m.), or ask questions about paper or poster ideas, contact (or have students contact) Laurie Dashnau at Laurie.Dashnau@houghton.edu

Fall 2017 Writing Center (ChC 101) Hours

Mondays	6:00-7:30 p.m.:	Emily Friesen		
Tuesdays	10:00-11:30 a.m.:	Carina Martin	6:00-7:30 p.m.:	Alyssa Rogan
Wednesdays	6:00-7:30 p.m.:	Emily Friesen		
Thursdays	10:00-11:30 a.m.:	Carina Martin	6:00-7:30 p.m.:	Alyssa Rogan
Fridays	4:00-5:00 p.m.:	Emma Carpenter		

The Writing Center is a free, walk-in service available to all Houghton College students. A sign-up sheet is posted on the door, as well as available via the Center's web page, for anyone wanting to schedule a conference in advance.

Let our friendly peer consultants talk with you about your writing projects in all stages: brainstorming, drafting, revising, and editing.

Whenever possible, please bring with you your assignment sheet and any grading criteria/rubrics provided.

Tuesday and Thursday morning sessions are scheduled in 45-minute increments, with the remaining (afternoon and evening conferences) lasting up to 30 minutes. Students are, however, welcomed to sign up for two sessions in a row (an hour) if having longer essays to review or simply desiring more time.

\$\$\$\$ Looking for \$\$\$\$ for Study Abroad? The Gillman Scholarship is open to students who receive a Federal Pell Grant. Early application is now open - the deadline for application for the Spring 2018 semester (must be for at least 4 weeks) is October 3, 2017. Houghton students have frequently received this scholarship. For more information check out the website <http://www.iie.org/en/Programs/Gilman-Scholarship-Program>. If you are applying please email the Off-Campus Studies Office now at OCS@houghton.edu.

Planning to Study Abroad for Spring 2018?! It is important that you contact the Off-Campus Studies office (ChC 413). Even if you have done so in the past, you need to come by so we can make sure all the right paperwork gets taken care of on time. Please don't put it off!

Study abroad and Houghton College financial aid! Did you know:

- your complete Houghton College financial aid package goes with you for **any Houghton** off-campus studies program?
- you can apply to take your Houghton aid to an affiliated program?--This is available to a limited number of students and has application restrictions. Need more information? Come by the Off-Campus Studies office (ChC 413). Deadlines apply!

STUDY ABROAD opportunities! If you are interested in an opportunity to study abroad, don't miss out! First year students can apply as well as upperclassmen. This fall we will be looking at applications for the 2018-2019 Academic Year which include Houghton in Tanzania 2019. We also have information on other programs available to us through other institutions. Please visit our website at <http://www.houghton.edu/academics/off-campus-programs/> for further information about our programs and others as well as links to the online applications. Please feel free to stop by the Off-Campus Studies Office (Chamberlain Center, 413) with any questions or e-mail us at ocs@houghton.edu.

CAMPUS STORE

Take our short survey about your experience with the new Online Bookstore by clicking here:
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/28RVMH3>

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Store hours:

Monday – Thursday: 9am-8pm

Friday: 9am-6pm

Saturday: 11am-2pm

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

Drop/Add period has ended. The only schedule changes permitted at this time are adding second-half semester classes and/or withdrawing from courses. A withdrawn course will appear on your permanent record and will be classified as attempted hours.

DECLARING A MAJOR

Talk with your advisor about declaring a major.

First year and transfer students can now declare majors. All students have the option of remaining Undeclared until they reach Junior level status.

To declare a new major, change or add one, follow the instructions laid out in the new **Major Declaration Form**. You can find this form on the Registrar's Office webpage [here](#). The Major Declaration Form can be filled out electronically. Students declaring any BMus degree majors must receive prior approval and acceptance into the Greatbatch School of Music.

Course Withdrawal

If you wish to withdraw from a course, make sure to talk to your advisor. Then fill out the course withdrawal form found on the Registrar's Office [forms for students webpage](#).

STUDENT BIRTHDAYS

9/25: Maggie Clune, Erica Craft, David Cruz, Olivia Dobmeier, Emma Steele

9/26: Shaphan Hestick

9/27: Cori Beck, Anna Judd, Samuel Yuly

9/28: Ryan Wills

9/29: Lucy Greisner, Marc LeGrand

9/30: Madison Detwiler, Jakob Knudsen

10/1: Marie David, Olivia Hamberger

10/2: Daniel Bussey, Olivia Flint, Valerie Hills, Melissa Hodde

LOCAL/AREA EVENTS & INFORMATION

Ministry opportunity: Child care worker needed for Friday morning women's Bible study at Houghton Wesleyan Church. We meet at the church Friday mornings from 9:00-10:50 following the college schedule as well as the Fillmore Central schedule. You will be paid \$12 per week. Please contact Annie Wiesman at annie.wiesman@gmail.com if you are interested.

** For the Love of Art * Fine Art lessons * Instructor : Bev Rhett * Now in it's 14th Year !**

**Registration for New Students , Grades 1 - 12 , and Adults * Group & Private Lessons offered **

** Friday , September 29 * 4 - 6 p. m. at The For the Love of Art Studio ,7361 Park Dr. Houghton*

I am pleased and excited to offer Art lessons where kids can explore their artistic talents and learn everything from basic skills to advanced techniques in a variety of media. Students receive one-on one instruction in a small group setting and have their work featured in an exclusive end of the year exhibition in the Houghton College chapel gallery! Classes are fun, creative and rewarding!

Feel free to contact me with any questions you may have at 585-567-2288 email : bevarhett@gmail.com

Ministry Opportunity – Meals on Wheels: Allegany makes meals available for Senior Citizens who are in need of nutritional prepared meals. I arrange for local people to deliver these meals. Monday – Friday, for our local route (Houghton/Fillmore/Hume/Wisoy-Rosburg.) I'm looking for 2 – 3 additional volunteers who would be willing to commit to drive **one day a month** (First Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or 2nd Thursday). It takes about 1 ¼ - 1 ½ hours to drive each time.

The meals are delivered to the Houghton Wesleyan Church between 11 – 11:15 a.m. Monday – Friday. You take the meals to the door of each client. Not only do you provide a needed meal, you are also able to make sure they are OK and have not fallen, etc.

Please let me know if this is a ministry you would like to be a part of. Contact Judi Mayhle at 585-567-8241, 585-365-8695 or dmayhle@hotmail.com

STEPS Dance Studio in Houghton, NY offers hip hop, tap, and ballet classes for adults! College Students receive a 10% discount! See our full schedule at www.stepsstudios.com

Building Abbreviations: AA=Adelmann Atrium AAC=Alumni Athletic Complex AD=Alumni Dining Room CC=Campus Center ChC=Chamberlain Center CS=Campus Store CFA=Center for the Arts DBR=Dieter Board Room DH=Dining Hall DHS=Dining Hall-South End EC= Equestrian Center FD=Field of Dreams GH=Gillette Hall HA=Houghton Academy HWC=Houghton Wesleyan Church JAVA=Java 101 Coffeehouse KPAC=Kerr-Pegula Athletic Complex L=Library OAG= Ortlip Art Gallery in Center for the Arts OCG=Our Common Ground NPEC=Nielsen PE Center PH=Presser Hall (in Chapel) SCI=Science Bldg. RH=Recital Hall SAS=Art Bldg. TD=Trustees Dining Room VDL=VanDyk Lounge (in Campus Center) WC=Wesley Chapel PPC=Paine Prayer Chapel SHC=Student Health

Sports Abbreviations: @=Away FH=Field Hockey vs=Home IT=Indoor Track MBB = Men's Basketball MS=Men's Soccer MLAX = Men's Lacrosse MT = Men's Tennis WB=Women's Basketball WS=Women's Soccer WLAX = Women's Lacrosse WT = Women's Tennis BB= Baseball SB = Softball XC=Cross Country TBA=To Be Announced TF=Track & Field VB=Volleyball