

## SAO Scoop – May 2008

### Student Senate Committee Chairperson Applications

Student Senate is seeking chairpersons for their six standing committees – Academic Affairs, Campus Affairs, Diversity Affairs, Internal Affairs, Student Relations, and Technology Services & Affairs. Deadline for application is **Friday, May 2 at 5:00pm**. Obtain an application at <http://www.bradley.edu/sao/SenateChairApp.pdf>.

### Student Graduation Speaker

Attention all graduating seniors!!! This is your last chance to share memories and offer advice to your peers by giving the 2008 student commencement address. All speeches must be turned in no later than **Friday, May 2 at 5pm** at the Alumni Center. For more information, call x2240.

### Electronics Recycling

On **May 10, 2008**, Bradley's Student Green Electronics Campaign and Recycling for Illinois are teaming up to host the first e-scrap recycling event on campus. The event will take place on Geisert's patio from 10am to 2pm the last Saturday of the semester. This event is a chance for all Bradley students and faculty to recycle their electronics safely, and Recycling for Illinois will accept anything that runs on a battery or plugs into an outlet. This includes large items, so think big! Broken electronics pose a danger to all of us and our environment, so don't leave anything behind this semester. Recycling for Illinois is downstate Illinois' largest recycler of e-scrap such as computers, electronics, and appliances. RFI also accepts and processes other recyclable materials, including metal. If it has a cord, RFI accepts it! Individual, business, and mass-quantity donations and recycling material are accepted. Visit [www.illinoisrecycles.org](http://www.illinoisrecycles.org) for more information.

### Orientation Binders

All student organizations are invited to place a one-page flyer in the orientation binder. Here are the details:

- 1300 copies (this can be both sides)
- Flyers must be 8 ½ x 11 size
- Flyers must be **3-HOLE PUNCHED**
- Flyers must be brought to Bradley Hall 239 by **MONDAY, MAY 12, 2008**
- All Greek organizations must have their flyers approved by Teniell Trolan, Associate Director of Fraternity & Sorority Life.

All flyers will be proofread before they are placed in the binder. Please be sensitive to language and images that are used. If inappropriate language or images are used, the information will not be included. Flyers pertaining to fundraising events will also need approval. If you have any questions, call the Orientation Office at x2420.

### The Edge

The Edge student radio is offering open advertising at fair rates. If you are interested in advertising your organization or its events, contact Ashley Wrobel, [awrobel@bradley.edu](mailto:awrobel@bradley.edu).

### Student Organization Registration

All student organizations are required to re-register with the Student Activities Office every year by September 15. However, it is never too early to register! If you have held elections and are still receiving this newsletter even though you are no longer the president, then please make sure you pass along this

message to the new president. Email is our primary mode of communication with the organizations, so it is imperative that the leadership keep their information updated with the SAO. The registration form is available at <http://www.bradley.edu/sao/policies/regform.shtml>.

### **Facebook**

The Student Activities Office has a Facebook group and we will make every effort to keep it updated with events and new information from our office. Please add it to your profile!

### **Welcome Week 2008**

Believe it or not, planning has already begun for Welcome Week 2008! A tentative schedule has been posted on the SAO website (<http://www.bradley.edu/sao/2008WWschedule.pdf>). If your organization is planning on hosting an event that week, please let me know so I can add it in. Also, please make sure you stop by the SAO to reserve a location for your event. That is a very busy week and we need to make sure you have the space you need.

### **Activities & Volunteer Fair 2008**

Registration forms are also being accepted for the Activities & Volunteer Fair (<http://www.bradley.edu/sao/2008actfairreg.pdf>) which will be held during Welcome Week. We will be making some changes to the event with the goal of drawing more attention to the student organizations on campus. Make sure to turn in your form before the end of the semester to secure your organization a spot in this great event.

### **Ribs for Cribs**

Panhellenic Council and Interfraternity Council in conjunction with ACBU, the Student Activities Office and Office of Intramural & Recreational Sports will be coordinating the third annual Ribs for Cribs on Tuesday, August 26 at Meinen Filed. All organizations are invited to create and present a rib sauce which will be judged by a panel of faculty and staff. The fee to participate is \$25, with all proceeds benefitting the Bradley Chapter of Habitat for Humanity. This is a fun event and a great marketing tool for all student organizations. Get your registration form at <http://www.bradley.edu/sao/RibsforCribs.pdf>.

### **Homecoming 2008**

Planning has begun for Bradley's 2008 Homecoming scheduled for October 1- 5. This year's theme will be based on the Indiana Jones films and will sure to be a great adventure. If your organization would like to host an event or assist with the planning of the week, please contact Kym Spooner ([kspooner@bradley.edu](mailto:kspooner@bradley.edu)) or Marianna Divietro ([mdivietro@bradley.edu](mailto:mdivietro@bradley.edu)) who are coordinating on behalf of ACBU.

### **Lydia's Lounge**

The U-Hall Cafeteria has been renamed to Lydia's Lounge and will feature food service this fall. Food will be available every Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights from 8pm-Midnight. This is a great location for student organization events, so please make sure you make your reservations early. Reservations can be made through the Student Activities Office. For a complete list of policies, visit <http://www.bradley.edu/sao/LydiaLoungePolicies.pdf>.

### **SAO Web Page**

We have added a list of events on the SAO web page (<http://www.bradley.edu/sao/>). If you have an event you would like added, please email Emily Marshall, SAO Graduate Assistant, at [emarshall@bradley.edu](mailto:emarshall@bradley.edu). We will keep two months up at a time.

We also will post a registration form/application for any upcoming events you have. When you visit the site, you will see some examples. Please make sure to include these in your email to Emily as well.

## Upcoming Events (you can always find these at <http://www.bradley.edu/sao/>)

### May 2008

- 1 - ACBU Spring Fling, 4-8pm, Olin Quad (Student Center rain location)
- 1 - ACBU Film: Juno, 8pm, Marty Theatre, \$1 BU students, \$1.50 all others
  
- 2 - ACBU Film: Juno, 8pm, Marty Theatre, \$1 BU students, \$1.50 all others
- 2 - Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Party, 10pm-1am, Haussler Hall, \$1 Greeks, \$3 BU students, \$5 public (must be 18 yrs.old with a valid ID)
  
- 3 - The Edge Pool Party, Noon-5pm, Olin Quad
- 3 - Epsilon Sigma Alpha Tug of War Contest, 2-4pm, Olin Quad, \$10/team, all proceeds benefit St. Jude
- 3 - ACBU Film: Juno, 6pm & 9pm, Marty Theatre, \$1 BU students, \$1.50 all others
- 3 - ACBU Presents: Kyle Dunnigan, comedian, 7pm, SC Ballroom
  
- 4 - Gamma Phi Beta Cookout, 11am-3pm, Olin Quad, all proceeds benefit Campfire USA
  
- 5 - worship@full.volume, 8:30pm, Olin Quad
  
- 6 - Intervarsity Upper Room Fellowship, 6:30pm, Student Center Room 6
- 6 - Barbeque Kitten, 8pm, CGCC 126, \$2 admission
  
- 7 - Earth Day Concert featuring Patchouli, Noon-5pm, Olin Quad, sponsored by Student Environmental Action Coalition
- 7 - Kappa Delta Midnight Munchies, Olin Quad
  
- 8 - Swing Dance, 7-10pm, Garrett Center
  
- 10 - Electronics Recycling, 10am-2pm, Geisert Patio
  
- 15 - Senior Celebration, 11am, SC Ballroom