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# This Week at Stony Brook Southampton

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**\*\*\* Students, Faculty, Staff: H1N1 Immunization Available in the Student Center Special Events Room TOMORROW (Tuesday) 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. See separate email for details. Free, while supplies last.\*\*\***

## *Successes!*





**SBS had a busy past week -- be sure to check out:**

The Rake-in [Photo Gallery](#) . Thirty students, faculty and staff grabbed rakes -- accounting for 8-man-hours of leaf blowing!

The Japan Classic Live [Photo Gallery](#) . Approximately 450 people attended!

*“On behalf of the Sustainable Forum Greening Committee, we are thankful to all the students, faculty and staff who came out on a beautiful day to participate in the rake-in. I especially want to thank Rick Greening, Dr. Quigley and the facilities staff for coordinating this future campus tradition. I spoke to several students involved who enjoyed the experience of giving back to their campus and moving toward a sustainable goal of decreasing leaf blowers on campus. Thank you!”*

**--Anamaria Cobo dePaci, Dean of Students**

***Monday, 11/9***

**Scribes Creative Writing Club Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Writing Center (Library).** Explore your creative side through writing!

***Tuesday, 11/10***

**Commuter Breakfast, 9 a.m., Duke Lobby** . Meet fellow commuters for some free food before class! Also learn about exclusive commuter events, courtesy of the Commuter Student Association.

**Board of Finances Meeting, 6 p.m., Library 132.** If you're interested in budgeting or starting a club, stop by!

**H1N1 Immunization, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m., Special Events Room.** Free, while supplies last. See separate email.

**Club Congress, 7 p.m., Duke Lecture Hall.** Join the Board of Finances and all of our on-campus clubs for a collaboration of events for the next month.

**Yoga, 7 p.m., New Gym.** All levels are welcome! Perform a mix of gentle hatha, core, and power yoga. Mats are available, but please bring your own if you have one.

**Marine Biology Club Meeting, 7:30 p.m., Tree House Lounge.** Come share your love for the scientific world of ocean life with others.

**Wednesday, 11/11 Veterans Day****Blood Drive, 11 a.m. – 4 p.m. in the Large Gym. Save a Life!****Writers Speak: Roger Rosenblatt, 7 p.m., Duke Lecture Hall.** Writers Speak is presented by Southampton's MFA in Writing and Literature program. Events are free and open to the public.**Southampton Gaming League Meeting, 8 p.m., LL Shelter Island .** Get your game on!**Freewrite, 8:30 p.m., LL Shelter Island.** Get those creative gears cranking and let your mind flow with some unstructured writing! Hosted by R.A. Diana.**Thursday, 11/12****Mindfulness Meditation, 2:15 p.m., Windmill .** Take time out of your busy schedule to relax and get some peace of mind.**Sands of Time Newspaper Club Meeting, 6 p.m., Library Rm. 132.** Bring your campus paper to life! Come share ideas, stories, and interests. Questions? Concerns? Contact Jessica at (631) 276-8686 for more information.**Yoga, 7 p.m., New Gym.** All levels are welcome! Perform a mix of gentle hatha, core, and power yoga. Mats are available, but please bring your own if you have one.**Friday, 11/13****Dean's Distinguished Lecture Series: "Alonso Aguirre: Marine Mammals as Ocean Sentinels," 7:30 p.m., Duke Lecture Hall .** Alonso Aguirre is the Senior Vice President of the Conservation Medicine Program at the Wildlife Trust. This event is free and open to the public. Read More: <http://bit.ly/29g9f6> .**Sunday, 11/15****Yoga, 7 p.m., New Gym.** All levels are welcome! Perform a mix of gentle hatha, core, and power yoga. Mats are available, but please bring your own if you have one.

Did You Know?  
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As part of an ongoing Environmental Education Writing & Advocacy project, student Kathleen Furey and Professors Heather Dune Macadam and Jim Quigley are sponsoring a free presentation open to the public on GM foods and their environmental impact. There will be a film screening entitled: "**THE WORLD ACCORDING TO MONSANTO; PRESENTATION: FOOD SOVEREIGNTY & GM FOODS.**" The event will be held on Thursday, November 19 at 7 p.m. in Duke Lecture Hall. For more information, contact Kathleen Furey at (916) 397-1588 or email [cleanfoodearth@gmail.com](mailto:cleanfoodearth@gmail.com) . Furey adds, "The community, students, faculty and staff are invited for this interactive educational outreach and advocacy for Food Sovereignty and the dangers of Genetically Modified foods and food patenting."

**From the Dean of Students, Anamaria Cobo dePaci:** "When you are in the cafe, please read the packaged ingredients or ask the chef. It is our responsibility to ask **questions regarding food matters** . The cafe staff is always available to assist you."

**Also from the DoS: "A big thank you to:** Adam Ortiz, Alison Wells, Amauwa Igue , Anamaria Cobo de Paci, Carla Rodriguez, Darren Johnson, Dan D'Amato, Dana Folman, Erin Budka, James Quigley, Jessica Adamowicz, Joe Russell, John Jay, John Waldron, Kara Nipper, Kenny Zhu, Lucas Merlo, Marc Clancy, Martha Weller, Merriah Eberts, Michael Geddes, Nay Htun, Nick Zaussi, Peter Priola, Rachael Gordon, Rene Anderson, Rian Holman, Roxanne Light, Sam Rogers, Sherille Shabazz, Steve Berard, Zack Wagner and everyone else who lent a helping hand at the **Rake-in!** You all did a wonderful job in reducing the use of leaf-blowers on campus."

**Four R's Newsletter...**



America Recycles Day is coming!

What is America Recycles Day? ARD is the only day that is nationally recognized and dedicated to encouraging Americans to recycle and to buy recycled products. Every year, millions of people learn why it is important to recycle and to buy products with recycled content. How can you celebrate? At Stony Brook and Stony Brook Southampton, you can take the ARD Recycling Pledge and say that you'll pledge to encourage other people to make greener decisions and to lead by example.

Our Outreach Coordinators will be tabling on Monday the 9<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday the 11<sup>th</sup> and Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> from 9 AM-12 noon in Chancellor's Hall. They will have pledge cards for you to sign, and will be available to answer your questions about sustainability on and off campus. Be on the lookout for calendars, pencils, and facts to impress your friends with!

Have you taken the pledge yet?

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*Mike Youdelman, Manager of the Dept. of Recycling and Resource Management, and Anjelica Whitehorne, Stony Brook Southampton's Senior Outreach Coordinator, show their commitment to living sustainably!*

Sports at SBS

This section is dedicated to the intramural sports divisions and other physical activities here at

**Stony Brook Southampton!** Please send us your meeting times and dates, as well as scores from previous games. ***Please be aware*** that your meeting times must have been approved by Student Activities.





**Billy Swezey**, a Marine Science major in his junior year at Stony Brook Southampton, is taking on a new sport. Since his 2006 vacation in Aruba, where kiteboarding is extremely popular, Billy has become a part-time **kiteboarding instructor** and actively practices during his free time. He was certified this past February and gives lessons through the local Wind/Surf Shop on Sunrise Highway. "I can teach anyone with a proper wetsuit and a proper attitude anytime!" Billy can be reached at (631) 879-5956 or email: [wswezey1@gmail.com](mailto:wswezey1@gmail.com). For those interested, keep in mind that like any sport you must be committed to learning the proper techniques involved in getting started, Billy said. Also please be aware that due to seasonal changes in the ocean and atmosphere, the difficulties of learning will be increased throughout the winter months, he added. Pictured above on Old Fort Pond off Little Neck Road.

--Jessica Adamowicz

**Tennis:** Meets Wednesdays, Thursdays, & Fridays 7-9 p.m. at the Tennis Court (behind Student Center).

## *In the News*

### ***Hamptons.com***

#### **Japan Classic Live For The United Nations Musical Performs At Stony Brook Southampton Avram Theater**

<http://www.hamptons.com/the-arts/top-stories/9349/japan-classic-live-for-the-united-nations-musical.html>

### ***27East***

#### **A conversation with Kaylie Jones**

[http://www.27east.com/story\\_detail.cfm?id=235842&town=Southampton&n=An%20interview%20with%20Kaylie%20Jones](http://www.27east.com/story_detail.cfm?id=235842&town=Southampton&n=An%20interview%20with%20Kaylie%20Jones)

### ***Dan's Papers***

**Art Commentary: "Seeing Southampton"**

[http://www.danshamptons.com/content/danspapers/issue33\\_2009/ac.html](http://www.danshamptons.com/content/danspapers/issue33_2009/ac.html)



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**Contact:** [Darren.Johnson@stonybrook.edu](mailto:Darren.Johnson@stonybrook.edu) to include your news and events in next week's edition of "This Week at Stony Brook Southhampton." **Have a great week!**

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