Day of Stress Reduction
Friday, October 24, 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m., at Maryknoll in Ossining, NY

The Office of Campus Ministry is sponsoring a Day of Stress Reduction, where you can unwind and relax with friends or by yourself! We will leave for Maryknoll’s 55 acres at 8:30 a.m. from Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC] cafeteria by van, or you can use your own transportation. Come and enjoy a hot lunch and de-stress! The donation is $20 for faculty and staff, and $5 for students. For reservations, please contact Reverend Sheehan by email at james.sheehan@bcc.cuny.edu, or call 718.289.5954.

The Office of Campus Ministry is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Loew Hall [LO], Room 422, to walk with you on your journey. Reverend Sheehan has been a Bronco for 15 years!

Relationships Workshop Series
Thursday, October 23, 12 - 1:45 p.m., in North Hall and Library [NL], Room 130

Intimate partner violence (IPV) is a serious, preventable public health problem that affects millions of Americans. The term “intimate partner violence” describes physical, sexual or psychological harm by a current or former partner or spouse. This type of violence can occur among heterosexual or same-sex couples and does not require sexual intimacy. The Office of Psychological Services invites the campus community to join them for Intimate Partner Violence 101, a workshop designed to explore healthy relationships and dating, as well as how to detect the warning signs of domestic and interpersonal violence.

Blood Drive
Tuesday, October 21 and Wednesday, October 22, 12 - 6 p.m. in Meister Hall [ME], Lobby

Please participate in the fall Blood Drive! There is no substitute for human blood. Severe weather has caused a blood supply emergency. Donating blood is easy and the blood supply relies exclusively on the generosity of volunteer blood donors. Please donate blood or platelets. Most people qualify as a volunteer donor; even if they are taking medications. To donate, you must: Be between 16 and 76 years of age (16 year old donors require parental permission - if you are over 76, you may donate with a note from your doctor), weigh at least 110 pounds, be well hydrated, and bring ID with photo or signature. For medical eligibility questions, call 800.688.0900. All life-saving blood and platelet donations earn Donor Advantage points, redeemable for a wide variety of gifts and gift cards. You can even donate your points to support selected charitable organizations. For more information, visit www.mydonoradvantage.com.

Writing Support in the Library
Every Thursday, 12 - 2 p.m. and 4 - 6 p.m., in North Hall and Library [NL], Room 242

Students can receive assistance with their writing in the library this semester, thanks to a collaboration between the Library Department and the Writing Across the Curriculum [WAC] program. For more information, please contact Prof. Carl R. Andrews at 718.289.5100, ext. 3568.

Go Global Study Abroad Fair
Thursday, October 30, 12 - 2 p.m., in Gould Memorial Library [GM], Rotunda

Are you interested in studying abroad? Are you looking to advance your academic agenda? Do you want to gain valuable international resume-building experience? Come see what Studying Abroad at BCC can do for you! Speak to BCC faculty, students and staff about their study abroad experiences. Learn about available scholarships, grants and financial support. If you are interested, please RSVP by contacting the Office of International Education and Study Abroad Programs, 718.289.5100, ext. 3728 or email L. Vicki Cedeno at loida.cedeno@bcc.cuny.edu. Light refreshments will be served, with raffle prizes for BCC students every half hour, and much more!

Children’s Halloween Celebration
Friday, October 31, 3 - 6 p.m. in Colston Hall [CO], Lower Level

Dress your children in their favorite costumes and bring them to our Halloween celebration! Enjoy an afternoon of fun and games, with lots of Halloween treats (some tricks, too!) For more information, contact the Office of Student Life at 718.289.5194, or visit Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC], Room 309.

Pre-Order Graduation Regalia
Deadline is Monday, November 3

Attention potential January and June 2015 graduates: Cap and gown orders are now being accepted online at www.herffjones.com/college/graduation. The cost of regalia is $33. Also, save the date for the Graduation Fair, December 1 - 5, 2014. For more information, visit the Office of Student Life in Roscoe Brown Student Center [BC], Room 102 or call 718.289.5194.
CONTACT
The Center for Teaching, Learning and Technology is offering faculty workshops in the Center for Teaching Excellence, Philosophy Hall [PH], Room B02. This week’s workshops are:

Monday, October 20
10:30 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Blackboard Collaborate: Online Learning and Collaboration*

Tuesday, October 21
1 - 2 p.m.
Epson Brightlink Smartboard

Tuesday, October 21
2:30 - 4 p.m.
Blackboard Content Collection and File Sharing*

Wednesday, October 22
10 - 11 a.m.
Softchalk: E-Learning Authoring

Wednesday, October 22
12:30 - 2 p.m.
Preventing Plagiarism in the Technology Era

Friday, October 24
11 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Responding to Developmental Writers

To attend a workshop, please register online at https://www.bcc.cuny.edu/InstructionalTechnology/workshops/
*To attend Blackboard workshops, participants must have working CUNY Portal accounts.

Quote of the Week

““I change myself, I change the world.”