



Student News, Student Views

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Student News

The Los Alamos Section of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) would like to extend an invitation to their picnic to all summer students working at Los Alamos.

Here's the details:

What: PICNIC !!!

Sponsored by: Los Alamos Section of the Institute of Electrical & Electronics Engineers (IEEE)

When: Thursday, July 31st, 2003, 3:30 PM to 6:00 PM

Where: Park Pavilion at Urban Park, Los Alamos

Menu: hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, and drinks

Prizes: Hats and Mugs available to members (means of distribution depends on turn out)

Contact Teri Roberts for more information at:

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The Student Breakfasts were a huge success!



Almost 100 students took part in this opportunity to enjoy a complimentary breakfast, network with fellow students and meet the library staff at the LANL Research Library on June 19th. Library staff were on hand during the two-hour training sessions to answer questions about online research tools and address student issues. Students learned about SciSearch® Plus and FlashPoint for locating publications and MyLibrary for organizing often used sites, papers, and other electronic tools. -Lou Pray



The pictures on the left and right are students enjoying breakfast with STB-EPO and Carolyn Mangeng, Acting Deputy Director.



Student Views

Highlighted Student Event(s)



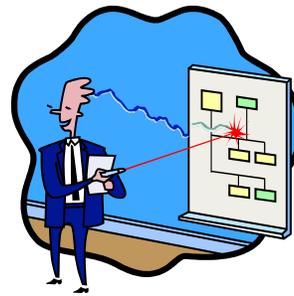
By now you have probably heard of Symposium 2003. Symposium 2003 provides a unique opportunity for students and postdoctoral appointees to present their research. The intent of the Symposium is to broaden students' and postdoctoral appointees' expertise and prepare them for careers in science and nontechnical fields. This is an excellent forum for students to network and make professional contacts.

If you are not participating in the symposium we still encourage all students to come check out the poster exhibits and oral presentations that will be presented by your fellow peers. Symposium will be held at University of New Mexico-Los Alamos (UNM-LA), August 7, 2003. There will be a number of exhibitors also in attendance from business and industry, LANL, and college/universities available to talk with students. For the agenda of events please visit the Symposium website at

<http://education.lanl.gov/symposium/index.html>.

Don't Forget!

The All Student Meeting with the Director begins at 8:30 and will be held Thursday, July 24 at the **Main Auditorium** (behind the old badge office). Students are highly encouraged to attend this meeting. The Main Auditorium will be open to all badge holders (uncleared, L or Q). This meeting will allow students to meet Director, Pete Nanos. Refreshments will be served!



Up-Coming Student Events

Events can also be found on the LANL Events and Work/Life Calendars along with description of the activities.

July 21-25

Tuesday- 1:00 p.m., Presentation Skill Class at Canyon Complex, room 165. (Seating is limited. To register contact Liz at eramirez@lanl.gov.)

- 4:00 p.m., SA General Meeting at Otowi Cafeteria

Wednesday- 12:45 a.m., GRA Brown Bag Lunch. Meet at ATM by Otowi Cafeteria

Thursday- 8:30 a.m., Student Breakfast with LANSCE at Pinon Conference room.

<http://sa.lanl.gov>

- 8:30 a.m., All Student Meeting with the Director at the Main Auditorium. Meeting will be open to all badge holders and refreshments will be served.

- 9:00 a.m., B.A.S.I.C for Students at Canyon Complex, room 168.

July 28-August 1

Tuesday- SA General Meeting at 4:00, Otowi Cafeteria

Wednesday- 12:45 a.m., GRA Brown Bag Lunch. Meet at ATM by Otowi Cafeteria

Thursday- Mentor Appreciation Day! ©

August 4-8

Wednesday- Symposium 2003 "Championing Scientific Careers" Day 1

<http://education.lanl.gov/symposium> to see schedule of events.

Thursday- Symposium 2003 "Championing Scientific Careers" Day 2

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Know a student who is not receiving Student News, Student Views? Invite them to contact eramirez@lanl.gov to get on the list serv.



Community Corner

Attention MIT Students!

Event: MIT students at LANL/Sandia are invited to a summer picnic.

The MIT Club of New Mexico is hosting a summer picnic at the home of MIT alumnus Abe Lederman in White Rock. This is a great opportunity for MIT students at Los Alamos National Laboratory and Sandia National Laboratories to informally meet with alumni of MIT and other MIT students here for the summer. MIT alumni are very interested in learning from MIT students what MIT is like today, and also learning about some of the projects that MIT students are working on for the summer.

Date and Time: Saturday, August 16, 2003 - 4:00 p.m. 9:00p.m.

Location: Abe Ledermans residence, 154 Piedra Loop, White Rock

The event is free to MIT students. Food and drink will be provided

Please call/email if you have any questions and RSVP to Dave Bentley, president of the MIT Club of New Mexico at dbentley@unm.edu, 505-299-6871 by August 13.

Additional information, including directions, about the event is available at:

<http://alumweb.mit.edu/clubs/newmexico/event.html>

Los Alamos County Festival, Fair and Rodeo

Come join in the fun at Ashley Pond, downtown Los Alamos and Brewer Arena (on North Mesa). The event will be held Friday, August 8, 2003 through Sunday, August 10, 2003. Contact Debbie Jo Almager at 662-8173 for more information on events.

Safety/Security Tip of the Week

Now that it officially summer and the whether is HOT you might be planning a trip to one of New Mexico's lakes. If you are planning to take a boat out on the water but are concerned about the lower water levels you might be interested in taking a free boating class from New Mexico State Parks.

The free course covers legal requirements, navigational rules, accidents and other relevant boating topics. Participants will receive a certificate from the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators and two free nights of camping at any New Mexico state park. Most insurance companies also offer discounts to participants who successfully complete the course. Reservations are preferred. Although the course is voluntary in New Mexico, course certification is valid in 33 states that currently require it for boat registration and operation. Minimum age for participants is 12 years. Participants under age 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

For class, date, time, and locations visit the New Mexico State Park website at <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/nmparks/> and click on the calendar class link.

About The Education Program Office.

The Education Program Office is dedicated to developing an employment pipeline to the Laboratory. Efforts begin with K-12 students and teachers and progress through undergraduate and graduate level students. The following teams are located within the Education Program Office: the Math and Science Academy Outreach team, the Laboratory's Student Program Coordination team and the Critical Skills Development Program team. We strive to enhance the learning environment at the Laboratory for both the students and Laboratory staff members.

