Once Upon a College Night:
Storybook

Tuesday, January 24, 5:30-7 pm
Cowell Dining Hall

It’s a winter Tuesday evening in January 2012, in the land of magical golden slugs, students, staff and faculty gathered for a feast of fancy. They entered the world of storybooks and fairy tales in the great hall of Cowell. They were tested on their knowledge of stories of ere and were awarded with prizes o’ plenty. They dined on delicacies such as: Brothers Grimm veggie pot pie, pork with Snow White prides o’ plenty. They entered the world of storybooks and fairy tales and hot apple cider.

28th Annual Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Convocation
Thursday, February 2nd, 2012, 7pm, Santa Cruz Civic Auditorium
For more information please contact Tiffany at tajimene@ucsc.edu

Please join us at the annual Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Convocation featuring Nikki Giovanni, world-renowned poet, activist, writer, and professor. Meet us at the Cowell College Fountain at 5:45pm on February 2nd to gather then catch a bus together to the Santa Cruz Civic Auditorium. After the event come enjoy dessert and discussion in the Cowell Apartment Community Room! Look out for more specific details about this wonderful event in the February Cowell Handout and flyers around the college!

Dripping in Gold: Dance ‘Til the World Ends!
Saturday, January 28; 9:30pm - 1am
Stevenson Events Center

The world needs saving, so let’s dance! You’ll want to look your finest in this ancient golden apocalypse. Come dressed in your own gold decadence. And adorn yourself with free gold leaf and body paint in the depths of our golden temple. King Midas ain’t got nuthin’ on our golden cupcakes and other delicacies. Free and open to all UCSC students. Must show ID at the door. Non-UCSC guests welcome if accompanied by a host. This is a sober event.

College Night Admission Info:
Cowell students with a mealplan: swipe your mealcard at the door. Cowell students without a meal plan: pay $2 & get your ticket by 5pm at the Student Life Office. Be on time to be sure to get in!

Lockers for Rent!
$5 for the whole year; Available in the Student Life Office
Don’t want to carry textbooks and other heavy items back and forth to Cowell? Want to keep your items safe in a Cowell locker while dining? For $5, you get the convenience of a locker for a whole year! It even comes with a lock!
Welcome Back Events!

The Music Exchange
Friday, January 13; 7 - 9 pm Apartment Community Room
For More Information: atupper@ucsc.edu
Calling all music buffs! Join us for some music sharing, conversation, and snacks. All genres welcome.

Winter Quarter Kickoff
Saturday, January 21; 1-3 pm Stevenson Events Center
For More Info: David, dmori@ucsc.edu
Welcome back! Come and celebrate the new year and quarter with your sister college Stevenson! There will be snacks and food for everyone, and even an opportunity to compete in events like tug of war, balloon war, and donut-on-a-string! Bring those lovely smiles and let’s start off the new quarter with a BANG!

Important Housing & Academic Deadlines

Date Event/Deadline
Jan 6 Residences reopen, first meal is brunch
Jan 9 Classes begin
Jan 30 Add/drop/swap begins
Jan 11 Undergraduate enrollment deadline
Jan 18 Permission numbers required
Jan 30 Deadline: grade option change, part-time program
Add/drop/swap
Jan 26 Add by petition, withdraw from a class begin

Dizikes Art Cases--New Display!
Tuesday, Jan. 10 - Thursday, Feb. 2, Dizikes Art Cases
For more info: wpatty@ucsc.edu
Come see the art of Cowellies Jason Evans and David Shugar!

Cowell Writers Circle
Wednesdays Jan 11 & 25; 7:30 pm; Senior Commons Room
For more info: Jennifer, jealane@ucsc.edu
Bored with papers? Want an outlet for all your creative energy? Come by Cowell Writers circle where you can discuss creative writing for fun without being graded!

Legacy of Shame - Japanese Internment
Thursday, January 12; 6-7:30 pm; Stevenson Events Center
Contact: Faye, fjcroby@ucsc.edu
Professor Donna Nagata of the University of Michigan is visiting during the week of Jan 9 - 13 as our Distinguished Faculty Lecturer. Dr. Nagata, a professor of clinical psychology, will be giving an informal talk called “Legacy of Shame: Intergenerational conversations about the internment of Japanese Americans during World War II.” Everyone is welcome.

Poetry Slam
Wednesday, January 18, 8pm; Fireside Lounge
For more info: kineticpoeticsproject@gmail.com
A poetry slam is an oral performance competition in which people share their piece and have it judged by randomly chosen members of the audience. Don’t be shy about coming and performing for the first time!

Need Funds for a Cool Project?
Deadline: Wednesday, January 18; 5 pm
For more info: Jaden, jadense@ucsc.edu
Cowell College offers funds of up to $500 to support undergraduate student projects. Both individual and collective efforts are encouraged. Stop by the Provost Office in COWL 117 to pick up an application packet. Apply now!

NEW! Weekend Jogs
Every other Sunday starting Jan 22; 11am; Meet outside the ACR
Contact: Kinetic Poetics Project
Join the Cowell Jog Club for extended weekend long runs. Weekend Jogs will be a great opportunity to explore the trails further from campus in Wilder Ranch and Henry Cowell State parks, and a great way to relieve stress before studying at the end of the weekend. See you there!

Chess Club
Thursday, January 26; 2:30-3:45pm; Fireside Lounge
For more info: Gary, groe@ucsc.edu
Come play a fun game of chess! Everyone welcome - all levels / all colleges. Boards available, or bring your own. Drop-ins welcome!

Pick up W-2s!
Monday, January 30th.
Contact: Tony Scottinichai 459.2253, cowell@ucsc.edu
Student Workers, please pick up your W-2s at the Cowell College Office on Monday, January 30th. Per federal law, they will be mailed to your permanent address if you do not pick them up then.

Become a 2012-2013 Resident Assistant (RA)
Attend one of the Info Sessions to get an application.
Tues. 1/17, 12pm Fireside Lounge, Wed. 1/18, 7pm Senior Commons 225 Thurs. 1/19, 7pm Senior Commons 225
Interviews: Saturday, March 3
For more info contact: Siobhan Byrne, sbyrne@ucsc.edu
Being an RA is much more that enforcing campus and housing policies. RAs make your residential living experience fun, safe, informative, and entertaining. This is a great leadership opportunity to add to your resume because it provides you with so many transferable skills. If you think you’ve got what it takes, come to one of the Mandatory Info Sessions listed above. Sessions are the ONLY place where you can pick up an application, so don’t miss out!

Group Process Date: If you are selected to interview for the RA position, you will need to attend the RA Group Interview Process, Saturday, March 3. Also, be on the look out for the Diversity Workshop offered to Cowell students. RA candidates are highly encouraged to attend!

2nd Annual UCSC Bone Marrow Registration Drive
Friday, Jan. 20; 10:30am-4:30pm; College 9 Namaste Lounge & College 8 Red Room
For more info: www.getswabbed.org or contact Serena; sidionysu@ucsc.edu, 831-459-2101
You can make a difference! As you may know, the National Bone Marrow Registry is in desperate need for a diverse donor pool. Please consider taking a few moments to register; who knows, you might be able to save a life! The testing process is extremely simple - swabbing the inside of the cheek with a q-tip. If a registrant is identified as a potential match, they can still choose not to be a donor. Donating is generally as simple as giving blood. Registering is free through donations will be accepted.

Color Guard Club NEW!
Tuesdays & Thursdays, 2-3pm; Founders Glen Lawn
Rain location: Beard Lounge
Contact: pagonzal@ucsc.edu (or) ymmendoz@ucsc.edu
Come join to learn how to spin, dance, toss, and much more. Meet new friends. All levels welcome, no experience necessary. Bring comfortable clothes to stretch in.

Public Speaking Club
Wednesdays starting January 18; 7:30 pm; Cowell Conference Room
For more info: Sam, sbruns@ucsc.edu
Prepare for the eventful occasion that you will need to publicly speak. All welcome to practice and explore the craft.

Cowell Cinema: Classics
Wednesdays; 8 pm; Apartment Community Room
For more info: Chris, crsuba@ucsc.edu
Want to watch the movies that have helped define the art? Come to the classic film series every Wednesday and see the films that have left such deep cinematic impacts!

Cowell Tea Time
Tuesdays starting 1/17; 9-10:30 pm; Apartment Community Room
For more info: Elly, ewesby@ucsc.edu
You know what sounds good on a cold and rainy night? Tea of course! Come join other cowell residents for a relaxing evening and bring a mug with you, tea provided.

Book Club
Tuesdays; 8pm; Cowell Senior Commons
For more info: Katie, klinder@ucsc.edu
Love to read? Join us in our reading adventures. This quarter we are reading House of Leaves. Feel free to stop by the club if you have any questions, or to send us an email.

Jog Club
Mondays; 7:30pm; Apartment Community Room
For more info: Michael, mknanning@ucsc.edu
Come join us as we explore the trails of Upper Campus, Pogonip, Wilder Ranch, and more. All levels welcome. See new weekend jog info in the listing to the left!

Warrior Yoga Classes
Wednesdays; 9:30-10:30am; Fireside Lounge
For more info: Karen, hilkker@ucsc.edu
Take advantage of free yoga right at Cowell! Bring your mat (or towel), water, and warrior spirit! Wear comfortable clothes. All levels welcome- no experience necessary!

DVD Library
Monday-Wednesday 5:00pm & Thursday Noon-1pm; Room 135 cowelllibrary@gmail.com
Sign up to be a member (free for Cowell). Stop by rm 135 and bring your Student ID to register. We have a growing selection of movies. Members can rent out one DVD for a week at a time. Return DVDs anytime through the drop slot in the rm 135 door.

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