March 2014

**New York City**

Saturday, March 22

Prices:
- OCC Students- $10
- Faculty/ Staff/ Alumni/ Academy- $16
- Guests- $18

Bus leaves OCC Lot #2 at 9 am. Drop off locations are at Broadway & 47th, and the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Pick up is at the Museum at 6:30pm and Broadway & 47th at 7pm.

Don’t Wait! Sign up in Student Life & the SEC!

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**Happy St. Patty’s Day!!**

Enjoy Live Irish & Celtic Music By Mark Rust!

Monday, March 17
Starting at 11:30 am
In the Cafeteria

Sponsored by Student Activities Board.

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**Take Note:**

Spring Break is March 24-30

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**Philadelphia Flower Show**

Saturday, March 8

Prices:
- OCC Students-$30/ Faculty, Staff, Alumni, Academy- $35/ Guests- $37

Trip details:

- Price includes round trip transportation & admission to the show.
- Some highlights of the show:
  - Complimentary wine tastings
  - Horticultural demonstrations
  - Culinary presentations
  - Shopping in the marketplace

Tickets are on sale now in the Student Life office & Southern Education Center!

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**Trip to:**

The United Nations and Phantom of the Opera

Tuesday, April 8

Prices:
- Students- $40
- Faculty, Staff, Alumni, Academy- $45
- Guests- $50

Bus leaves OCC at 12 pm. Itinerary for the trip is as follows:

2:15 pm– Tour of United Nations
3:30 pm– UN Briefing
4 pm– Board the bus to go to Theater District. Dinner on your own.
7 pm– Phantom of the Opera begins
Board bus when show ends for return to OCC.

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**Trip to:**

The Metropolitan Museum of Art

Saturday, April 12

Prices:
- OCC Students- $18
- Faculty, Staff, Alumni, Academy- $21
- Guests- $25

Bus leaves OCC Lot #2 at 8:30 am. Drop-off is in front of the Metropolitan Museum. Pick up is at the museum at 4:30pm. Price includes round trip transportation & admission to the museum.

Sign up in Student Life & Southern Education Center!

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**Trip to:**

The National Constitution Center

Monday, April 14

Prices:
- Students- $18
- Faculty, Staff, Alumni, Academy- $21
- Guests- $25

Bus will leave OCC at 9 am. Film Showing of Freedom Rising begins at 11:30 am. Bus leaves for return trip at 2 pm.

On sale in Student Life & Southern Education Center!
The 2014 Drepung Gomang Monastery presents the:

Sacred Arts Tour

Monday March 3 – Friday, March 7, 2014
Monks will be working on the Sacred Sand Mandala from 9:30AM to 5:00PM
All events will be in the Solar Lounge

Monday, March 3, 2014
9:30AM to 10:30AM Opening Ceremony / Begin Sacred Sand Mandala Creation (Medicine Buddha – Healing)
11:00AM to 12:15PM Historical Background/Slideshow of the Drepung Gomang Monastery
12:30PM to 1:45PM Introduction to Buddhism
2:00PM to 3:15PM Basic Meditation
3:30PM to 4:30PM Cultural Presentation – Yak Dance
4:30PM to 4:45PM Daily Closing Ceremony
*5:30PM (sunset) Puja – Purification

Tuesday, March 4, 2014
9:30AM to 9:45AM Daily Opening Ceremony
9:45AM to 10:45AM Historical Background/Slideshow of the Drepung Gomang Monastery
11:00AM to 12:15PM Four Noble Truths
12:30PM to 1:45PM Introduction to Buddhism
2:00PM to 3:15PM Basic Meditation
3:30PM to 4:30PM Cultural Presentation – Snow Lion Dance
4:30PM to 4:45PM Daily Closing Ceremony

Wednesday, March 5, 2014
9:30AM to 9:45AM Daily Opening Ceremony
9:45AM to 12:15PM Expanded Cultural Presentations–Visual History Slideshow, Good Luck Dance & Sacred Chants, Prayers
12:30PM to 4:30 PM Art Workshops – Sand Mandala Workshop and Mani Stones
5:30PM to 7:30 PM Overtone Chanting / Traditional Tibetan Meal
7:30PM to 7:45PM Daily Closing Ceremony

Thursday, March 6, 2014
9:30AM to 9:45AM Daily Opening Ceremony
9:45AM to 10:45AM Traditional Tibetan Buddhist Debate
11:00AM to 12:15PM Lecture on Karma
12:30PM to 2:30PM Traditional Tibetan Meal / Cultural Presentation
3:30PM to 4:30PM Lecture on Impermanence
4:30PM to 4:45PM Daily Closing Ceremony

Friday, March 7, 2014
9:30AM to 9:45AM Daily Opening Ceremony
9:45AM to 10:45AM Traditional Tibetan Buddhist Debate
11:00AM to 12:15PM Lecture on Karma
12:30PM to 1:45PM Lecture on Impermanence
2:00PM to 4:00PM Closing Ceremony
*4:00PM Procession to Ocean County College Lake for the Ceremonial Disposal of Sand.
*Time to be Announced

This event is sponsored by the Global Education Committee and the Student Life Committee.

Student Life Purchase Procedures are posted at the Student Life Office.

Movie Tickets!

AMC GOLD TICKETS: $8 EACH
USE ANY DAY OF THE WEEK ON ANY MOVIE!

AMC SILVER TICKETS: $6.50 EACH
MOVIE MUST BE OUT 10 DAYS, USE ANY DAY OF THE WEEK, EVEN HOLIDAYS!

MARQUEE CINEMA TICKET: $8 EACH
MOVIE MUST BE OUT 14 DAYS, USE ANY DAY OF THE WEEK!

VIP SUPER Saver PASS: $7.50 EACH
REGAL CINEMAS ONLY. ANY DAY & ANY MOVIE! ON SALE AT SEC ONLY.

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