World’s Largest Ice Sculpture

Looking for something new to see in the Twin Ports? Stop by Barker’s Island to see what is planned to be the World’s Largest Ice Sculpture! When all is said and done, Iceman Roger will have completed a 75’ tall, 90’ wide creation weighing nearly 7 million pounds! Light shows, bonfires, and food & beverage vendors will make this an attraction you will not want to miss! (Photo by Mara Duke)

Locks of Love

On Wednesday, February 4th, Student Involvement will be hosting a Locks for Love event at WITC in Superior. Anyone with 10 inches of hair or more can come in for a free haircut that will be donated to financially disadvantaged children who are suffering from a long-term medical hair loss from any diagnosis. Appointments will run from 8:00am-12:00pm and last about an hour. If you would like to schedule an appointment in advance, please call 715-394-5942. Walk-ins are welcome as well! Please consider donating and helping children in need.

Head of the Lakes Job Fair

It is that time of year again to get ready for the Spring 2015 Head of the Lakes Job and Internship Fair! This is a great, FREE event for students and alumni from the Twin Ports, as well as community members, to interact with over 80 different employers from the area. While at the fair, you can learn more about the current job market and find all sorts of opportunities from internships and summer work to part-time and full-time positions.

Job & Internship FAIR

All UWS students should strongly consider attending this event. Even if you are not currently looking for a job, this is a great way to begin networking with people in the community, and it’s the perfect chance to get your resume put together or updated. If nothing else it is great practice for learning to interact with potential employers and preparing you for future interviews. The details of the event are as follows:

When: Wednesday, February 11 1:00pm - 5:00pm
Where: UWS Yellowjacket Union, Great Room
*Free parking in lots 2, 11 and 14
Dress: Business Professional

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Snowshoeing at Gooseberry

Join Superior Adventures on Saturday, February 21st as they snowshoe the trails of Gooseberry Falls State Park. Gooseberry Falls is located about 40 miles north of Duluth along the north shore of Lake Superior, and it is a great place to visit year-round. This trip will take place during Gooseberry’s annual candlelight snowshoe and hiking event on Saturday, February 21st from 6:00pm-8:30pm. After an evening of exploring the many trails of the park, there will be a fire and hot beverages for all to enjoy.

This trip is only $15 for UWS students with their ID and $20 for the general public. Don’t have snowshoes? Not a problem! Superior Adventures will provide equipment and transportation. The group will be leaving UWS at 5:00pm and plans to return around 10:00pm. If you have any questions or are interested in registering, please contact Superior Adventures at adventures@uwsuper.edu or 715-395-4647. Registration for this event is due on February 18th.

UWS Exercise Program

February kicks off the start of the new Campus Recreation weight loss program! This is an eight week program for both campus and community members that is designed to help people learn how to stay motivated in their weight loss goals, help people create their own personally designed workouts, and give them the opportunity to get nutritional advice from a dietician. Get involved and learn how to stay motivated in the long run. Being healthy is more than just a quick-fix diet. It’s creating a lifestyle that will help bring out the best in you.

Come and support UWS Athletics as they host their annual Beer and Wine Showcase at Barker’s Island Inn. The purchase of a ticket will get you a night filled with beer and wine sampling and hors d’oeuvres. All proceeds will go to Yellowjacket Athletics. There will also be a silent auction held during the evening. Tickets are available for $25 and can be purchased from any UWS athlete or in the Athletics Office. The event will be held on Thursday, February 12th from 5:30pm-7:30pm at the Barker’s Island Inn Great Room, 300 Marina Drive in Superior. Hope to see you there!

Have you “liked” the UW-Superior Parent and Family and the First Year Experience Facebook pages yet? We would love your feedback on what to include in next month’s newsletter. Tell us what you want to read about by emailing Kristen at kjaspers@uwsuper.edu