The pre-Thanksgiving snowfall was perfect for snowballs. (Photo by Wendy P. Osborne)

Moon Library Outlines Plans to Meet Student Needs

Matthew Smith, director of College libraries, provided an update on plans for the library during the recent Friends of Moon Library meeting. Following is the presentation he gave to the group.

The F. Franklin Moon Library is the center of campus and its unofficial living room. Over the last five years the library has welcomed an average of 187,882 guests each year. The library space is attractive and functional but not without need for updates. We provide the warmth of natural wood furniture, leather and upholstered soft seating, and even fun, memory foam “bean bag” chairs. Save for the “bean bag” chairs, our current configuration is monolithic and hard to adapt by the user. Regardless, during peak hours, roughly between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m., our seats are full.
ESF Officer Bliss Promoted

University Police Officer Greg Bliss was promoted to Lieutenant Nov. 21, Lieutenant Bliss was publicly sworn-in in front of family and members of the ESF community. Bliss started his career as a SUNY police officer in 1999 at SUNY Cortland and has been with ESF since 2016. Bliss will be assigned to supervise the overnight shift.

Kimmerer Featured in Portrait Gallery

A portrait of Distinguished Teaching Professor Robin Kimmerer is among a collection of artwork that will be displayed at Syracuse University in connection with a lecture by the artist, Robert Shetterly.

All 238 paintings in Shetterly's masterwork portrait series "Americans Who Tell the Truth: Models of Courageous Citizenship" will be on public display for the first time en masse Nov. 29 through Dec. 14. And the artist himself will be on campus for a discussion with two prominent subjects of his work: a former Citigroup senior executive who blew the whistle on Citi's fraudulent mortgage practices in the mid-2000s and a crusading pediatrician and public health advocate whose research exposed dangerous levels of lead in the municipal water system in Flint, Michigan. Portraits will be displayed in Schine Student Center's Panasci Lounge.

College Holds Remembrance for Lost Species

ESF students, faculty and staff will observe Remembrance Day for Lost Species Thursday, Nov. 29.

The day provides a chance to explore the stories of extinct and critically endangered species, cultures, lifeways and ecological communities. Across the globe, it is observed Nov. 30. The ESF observation Nov. 29 means the event coincides with the College Hour, held each Thursday.

Haul Out the Holly at Heiberg Memorial Forest

Get a jump on decking the halls and hauling out the holly by purchasing your Christmas tree and holiday wreath at ESF’s Heiberg Forest.

ESF’s annual Christmas tree sale takes place the first three
TGIO with Friends

Come celebrate the end of the semester at the TGIO! Mingle with students, staff and faculty while enjoying refreshments. Don't forget to LYM and PYP!

Nov. 30, 2018
4 to 6 p.m.
Gateway Event Center

Holiday Craft Fair/QWL Social

Start your holiday shopping at the annual Holiday Craft Fair sponsored by the Quality of Work Life Committee. This year's charity is We Rise Above the Streets.

Nov. 29, 2018
11 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Gateway Center

Celebrate a Successful Campaign

Come celebrate the end of the ESF Community Campaign for the SEFA/United Way at the End of Campaign Bagel Breakfast. This is the last chance to buy raffle tickets.

Dec. 4, 2018
9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.
Gateway Center

ESF IN THE MEDIA

U.S Fish & Wildlife Service: Hell-bent on Conservation

ESF is playing a role in a hellbender research project.

Press Republican: Louis Marshall's Contributions to ADK Highlighted

ESF CEO Louis Marshall is being recognized for his contributions to the Adirondack Park.
Going Green: The Benefits of a Real Christmas Tree

Dr. Russ Briggs explains the many benefits of using a real Christmas tree as part of your holiday decor.

Louis Marshall's contributions to the Adirondack community will be among those highlighted in "Adirondack Jews - Community and Contribution" presented by the Ticonderoga Historical Society.

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