Syracuse ends season with a 38-20 win over Temple. Check out the photo gallery on DailyOrange.

Click here for tips on managing Winter weather.

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http://international.syr.edu/

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Get ready for the Winter weather

**Street plowing:** In the winter, major roadways receive priority, while secondary streets are plowed as soon as possible. The City of Syracuse operates a fleet of 40 plow and salt spreader trucks assisted by independent plow truck operators.

**Sidewalks:** Sidewalk snow removal is the responsibility of each property owner. In most cases, if the owner doesn’t live at the property, the tenant is responsible for keeping the sidewalk clear. Clarify with your landlord about whose responsibility it is to remove the snow, especially while you are away. Just a reminder, the rule is to clear snow and ice from sidewalks by 6pm after snowfall. The Fire Department must keep hydrants clear of snow in case of emergency, so residents are asked to assist in this task whenever possible, especially during a heavy snowfall.

Below are some other tips to keep in mind during the Winter:

- **Parking:** During the winter, all parking regulations are strictly enforced by the City of Syracuse so that snow can be removed from the street. Your car will be towed if you are parked across the sidewalks or if you are in violation of the odd/even parking regulation. Call the 315-448-CITY for more information.
- **Clothing:** Dress appropriately before going outdoors. The air temperature does not have to be below freezing for someone to experience cold emergencies such as hypothermia and frostbite. Wind speed can create dangerously cold conditions even when the temperature is not that low. Dress in layers so you can adjust to changing conditions. Avoid over-dressing or over-exertion that can lead to heat illness. Most of your body heat is lost through your head so wear a hat, preferably one that covers your ears. Mittens provide more warmth to your hands than gloves.
- **Footwear:** Wear waterproof, insulated boots to help avoid hypothermia or frostbite by keeping your feet warm and dry and to maintain your footing in ice and snow. Get out of wet clothes immediately and warm the core body temperature with a blanket or warm fluids like hot cider or soup.
- **Avoid drinking caffeine or alcohol if you expect you or someone you are trying to help has hypothermia or frostbite.**

For more detailed information visit [AmericanRedCross](http://www.americanredcross.org) website.

Upcoming dates for travel seminars

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With the Winter holidays approaching, the Slutzker Center for International Services (SCIS) will be holding additional travel seminars. If you are planning any travel, be sure to attend a seminar and ensure you are up-to-date on what you must prepare in advance. It will help make your trip as smooth as possible!

**Where:** Slutzker Center for International Services
310 Walnut Place (across the street from Bird Library)

**Cost:** Free
Call for Peer Assistants for Spring Semester

Interested in assisting the new incoming students at SU?

The Slutzker Center for International Services is looking for peer-assistants to assist new students with the registration process for Spring Semester. Come help us create a warm, welcoming space for new students and make great new friends!

Application Deadline: Sunday, Dec 2\textsuperscript{nd}

How to apply

Part One – click here to get the application form and send it to lescis@syr.edu or drop-off at SCIS

Part Two – click here to tell us your preference for the day and time of training

MIX-IT-UP is back in January

Yeah!! Mix-it-Up is back!

First meeting is January 18\textsuperscript{th} at 5pm at the Schine Underground.

Students of all backgrounds are welcome. Come out to share stories, eat food and have some fun! RSVP today with Elane Granger at elcarras@syr.edu.

New to SU? Come and MIX-IT-UP!

English Conversation Groups

Let’s Chat!

Academic Success

Family problems, roommate difficulties, academic concerns, or financial struggles? Stressed, sad, or feeling lost? Need to talk to someone?

Try “Let’s Chat!”

Need help to improve your academic performance? Don’t be late in getting proper support. Visit this link
Syracuse University Events

Who Are You? : A STOP BIAS Initiative

Today is the last day to tell us Who You Are. The STOP Bias is collecting brief anonymous statements from students answering the question, “Who are you?”. A display of these student expressions will be made available for public viewing during the spring semester.

Students can participate in the project by:

- Visiting the STOP Bias table in the Schine Student Center from 10am to 4pm and at the Goldstein Student Center from 5pm to 9pm.
- Filling out a form online at http://students.syr.edu/whoareyou
- Call in your answer to this question at 315-443-8850
- Tweet your answer at #BeYouatSU (not anonymous)

Read the full story on SyrNews.

Registrations for Student Leadership Conference

Sponsored by the Student Leadership Institute and the Lerner Center for Public Health Promotion, the theme of the 2013 Syracuse University Student Leadership Conference is "Real Talk. Real Action." The conference will be held in the Schine Student Center and the SU Sheraton Hotel and Conference Center on February 9, 2013.

- Registration: Students who register by Friday, Dec 14th will receive exclusive “swag”
- Proposals: Submit a program proposal here by Friday, Dec 14th.

Conversation About "Leadership" on Campus

What do you think about "Leadership" at SU?

We want to hear from you! Come participate in a conversation about "Leadership" on campus. Free food will be provided.

- When: Wednesday, Dec 5th from 11:30am to 12:30pm
- Where: 304 Schine Student Center
- Price: Free
- Contact: e-mail Scott Catucci at sacatucc@syr.edu or phone at (315) 443-0290

Leadership Luncheons : Women's Leadership Luncheon

“Leadership Luncheons” are a monthly lunch series facilitated by members of the Steering Committee. The purpose of the Luncheons is to provide an opportunity for women to speak openly and candidly with other women about what it means to be women in leadership.

- When: Friday, Nov 30th from 11:30am to 1pm
- Where: Hall of Languages 500
- Registration: Click here to register.

Note: Lunch is provided, but space is limited to the first 50 people who register.

Links to Check out: Conference website & Tips for Attendees
‘Artists and Social Profit’ class trades art for social good

The Mobile Literacy Arts Bus (MLAB) and 601 Tully, in collaboration with Professor Marion Wilson’s “Artists for Social Profit” class, have created a traveling art exhibition called “Trade Show”.

Using resources from the community around 601 Tully, students of the class created pieces of art for everyday use that satisfied an element or condition of food, shelter, clothing or happiness. These works serve as the foundational pieces and, in each place the exhibition travels, visitors and community members will be invited to create their own similar pieces of art to trade for one of the other products in the show.

**When**: Thursday, Nov 29th from 9am to 1pm  
**Where**: Sculpture yard behind the Syracuse University ComArt facility  
Read the full article on SyrNews.

‘A Thousand Cranes’ performs in Syracuse

Public performances of this year’s Bank of America Children’s Show, “A Thousand Cranes,” produced by Syracuse Stage and the Department of Drama, will be held. Performed in striking visual terms with puppetry and movement, "A Thousand Cranes" is based on the true story of a 12-year-old Japanese girl named Sadako. Ten years after the atomic bomb was dropped on her town, Hiroshima, Sadako fell mysteriously ill. Wishing that she would be cured, she started folding paper cranes, as an old Japanese legend says that if a child can fold one thousand paper cranes then her wish will be granted by the gods.

**When**: Saturday, Dec 1st at 12pm (noon) and Saturday Dec 8th at 12pm (noon)  
**Where**: The Storch Theatre - 820 E. Genesee St.  
**Price**: $8, Tickets available at Schine Box Office  
Read the full story on SyrNews.

“Intouchables”: Last film in Ciné-francais series

Interested in refreshing your French linguistic skills?  
Come and join us for the screening of the last film in the French movies series for Fall 2012! – “Intouchables”

**About the movie**: After he becomes a quadriplegic from a paragliding accident, an aristocrat hires a young man from the projects to be his caretaker.

**When**: Thursday, Dec 6th at 7pm  
**Where**: Eggers 018  
**Price**: Free  
**Note**: Movie will be shown with English subtitles.
**Bandersnatch Music Series - Walk the Moon, Ghost Beach to perform at SU**

Indie rock band Walk the Moon will headline University Union’s second Bandersnatch Music Series show of the semester. Brooklyn duo Ghost Beach will open the show. Walk the Moon, from Cincinnati, released its self-titled debut album in June. The band’s infectious, danceable sound is showcased in the single “Anna Sun,” which peaked at No. 10 on the Billboard Alternative Rock Charts. The band has played major music festivals, including South by Southwest and Lollapalooza in 2011 and Sasquatch Music Festival and Firefly Music Festival in 2012. It has appeared on “Late Night with Jimmy Fallon,” “David Letterman” and “Conan.” Walk the Moon members are known for painting their faces before live shows and bringing more paint to share with the audience. Read the full story here.

**When:** Wednesday, Dec 5th at 7:30pm  
**Where:** Schine Underground  
**Price:** $5 (Available at Schine Box Office, Limit two tickets per person)  
For more information, contact Sarah Fleisher at press.uu@gmail.com.

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**'Childhood Safety and Maltreatment' workshop**

The Jack Reilly Institute for Early Childhood and Provider Education, in collaboration with Upstate Medical University and Child Care Solutions, Inc., will sponsor a free workshop on Saturday, December 1. The program is purposefully designed for child care providers, therapists, social workers, mental health professionals, early childhood teachers and other childhood professionals, as well as parents and students.

“Childhood Safety and Maltreatment,” is this year’s annual workshop topic, which is part of an on-going series for home- and center-based child care providers covering a broad range of early childhood education topics. These workshops are brought to the community by the Jack Reilly Institute for Early Childhood and Provider Education in the Syracuse University Department of Child and Family Studies, David B. Falk College of Sport and Human Dynamics.

**When:** Saturday, Dec 1st from 8am to 12pm  
**Where:** The Inn Complete, South Campus  
**Cost:** Free

For the full article on the workshop please visit this link.
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| La Casita is committed to promoting and documenting the arts and culture of Central New York's Latino/Latin American community.  
**Next Event:** Angels on the Border (starting 11/9)  
For a full listing of events click [here](#). | The Setnor School of Music will be presenting a series of musicals, recitals and ensembles.  
**Next Event:** Guitar Ensemble (11/29, 8pm)  
For a full listing of events, [click here](#). | The diverse religious, spiritual, ethical and cultural heart of SU. Events include musicals, choirs, ensembles, etc.  
**Next event:** Holiday at Hendricks (12/2, 7:30pm)  
For more details and full list of events visit [this](#) link. |
| **Maxwell School Events** | **SU Athletics – Cheer for the Orange!** | **SU Graduate Student News** |
| The Maxwell school has several interesting events and speakers to broaden your mind and enrich your life.  
**Next Event:** Re-Enchanting Humanity (11/29, 7pm)  
For a full listing of upcoming events, [click here](#). | Don’t miss a huge part of the college/university experience. Attend a game or a concert. You never know what big event is coming to the Carrier Dome!  
**Next Event:** Northeast Conf. Bowl Game (12/1, 12pm)  
For a complete schedule of sports [click here](#). | Stay updated with all the latest events and news from the graduate school. [Click here](#) for the latest newsletter (Nov ‘12 edition). |
Don’t miss the Israeli Film Festival!

**First movie:** MENDELSOHN’S INCESSANT VISIONS

**When:** Thursday, Nov 29th at 7pm  
**Where:** Jewish Community Center  
**About the Movie:** A cinematic meditation about the untold story of Erich Mendeloshn, whose life and career were as enigmatic and tragic as the path of the century.  
**Length:** 71 minutes

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**Second movie:** FIRST AID  
**When:** Thursday, Nov 29th at 7pm  
**Where:** Jewish Community Center  
**About the Movie:** A day before his wedding, Shai visits his ex-girlfriend, Tamar, for a tempestuous encounter. Tamar leaves a love-bite, entangling the situation.  
**Length:** 16 minutes

New York State Fair Ground Events

Home of the annual New York State Fair and a number of other events. For a list of upcoming events [click here].

**Next Event:** Syracuse Holiday Crafts (11/30, 12 noon)

Events at Landmark Theater

A major venue for events in Syracuse. For a calendar of events, [click here].

**Next Event:** Holiday movie series (12/16, 1pm)

CNY Jazz Central Events

CNY Jazz hosts several musical events. For a list of upcoming events, [click here].

**Next Event:** “Jazz@Sitrus” Soda Ash Mix (11/30, 6pm)

Syracuse Opera Events

A limited season of major operas and musicals. For more information, [click here].

**Next Event:** The Adventures of Rudolph (12/8, 11am)

The Oncenter Events

Home for pro sports teams (including soccer and ice hockey) and major performances in Syracuse. For a list of upcoming events, [click here].

**Next Event:** Knights vs Comets (11/30, 7:30 pm)

Onondaga County Parks events

Outdoor events all over Onondaga County, including parks, beaches and the Rosamond Gifford Zoo. For a calendar of events, [click here].

**Next Event:** Wegmans Lights on the Lake (11/29, 5pm)

SU on the stage

SRC Arena & Events Center

Community Folk Art Center
The Department of Drama will be presenting several popular shows at the Syracuse Stage complex. The 2012-2013 season includes works by Sondheim, Shakespeare, and a Christmas production. For a full listing of events, click here.

Next Event: White Christmas (performing 11/23–12/30)

The SRC Arena and Events Center is a premier facility, hosting major college and community events, the arts, Commencement and award ceremonies, athletic events and more. For a full listing of events, click here.

Next Event: Shaolin Warriors (12/3, 8pm)

Community Folk Art Center showcases African Diaspora mid-career and professional artists. For a full listing of upcoming events, click here.

Next Event: One Million Bones (11/30, 7pm)

SU Sports and Trending News

SU ranked 14th in Face-off Yearbook poll

The Syracuse Orange is ranked No. 14 in the 2013 Inside Lacrosse Face-Off Yearbook Preseason Top 20, released by the magazine on Nov. 26. Defending national champion Loyola is ranked No.1. The Greyhounds are followed by Maryland, Notre Dame, Duke and North Carolina to round out the top five. Read full story on SUAthletics.

Deremer and Scharfe: Orange Scholars Athletes of the Week

Junior Russ DeRemer (Wrentham, Mass.) of the men’s basketball team and junior Margot Scharfe (Toronto, Ontario) of the women’s ice hockey team are the Syracuse University Orange Scholar-Athletes of the Week for the week of November 26, 2012. Read the full story on SUAthletics.

‘Movement on Main’ design competition to improve health in Syracuse area

“Movement on Main” is a new design competition created by Syracuse University in which landscape and architectural firms all over the world will compete for the best proposal to redesign the Near Westside neighborhood’s Wyoming Street. The winning design will help tackle the health issues in the area and promote exercise along the street. For years, Higgins, vice president of community engagement and economic development at SU, heard Near Westside residents at neighborhood meetings talk about wanting a safe place to exercise. After watching people with the musical pavements, she realized that “streetscape could inspire movement.” Read the full coverage on UpstateSyr.
SCIS Important Reminders

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Quotes to keep you thinking

“If you know you are going to fail, then fail gloriously.” – Cate Blanchett (Academy award winning actress)

“Everything that irritates us about others can lead us to an understanding of ourselves.” – Carl Jung (founder of analytic psychology)

“You don’t make peace with friends. You make it with very unsavory enemies.” – Yitzhak Rabin (Nobel Peace Prize winner and former Israeli prime minister)

“The politicians want to see it (my film) as black and white, good and evil, and art wants to see it as a human thing.” – Hany Abu-Assad (Golden Globe winning director)

“You may learn much more from a game you lose than from a game you win. You will have to lose hundreds of games before becoming a good player.” – José Raúl Capablanca (chess grandmaster and former world champion)
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