



# Hut-A-Thon to raise awareness about homelessness

Chris Anderson doesn't want to raise just money to fight homelessness. He wants to raise awareness.

So he's going to spend the better part of two days outside doing just that, and he's inviting anyone concerned about the issue to join him and several members of the St. Bonaventure community.

Hut-A-Thon will be held from 3 p.m. Friday, March 23, until noon on Sunday, March 25, outside the University Ministries building (Thomas Merton Center) on the St. Bonaventure University campus. Anderson, a graduate student and intern in SBU's Collaborative Counseling Clinic, hopes to be joined by several students, faculty members and area residents in a makeshift hut being constructed this coming week with the help of local contractors and home improvement businesses.

The fundraiser will benefit Genesis House, the Olean shelter that helps the homeless get back on their feet, and Phi Rho, the local chapter of the Chi Sigma Iota National Counseling Honor Society.

"We decided to join forces with Genesis House to hopefully show how the two issues are linked," said Anderson, who was inspired to re-create at St. Bonaventure the Hut-A-Thon experience he had while he was an undergraduate at Allegheny College in Meadville, Pa.

"I think there are so many stigmas attached to homelessness that just aren't true, that people are just making poor choices, or that they're just not trying hard enough. So often

there are mental health issues that lead people to homelessness, so we hope to make people understand that more."

Participants can ask friends, family members, co-workers, teachers, etc., to pledge money for the period of "hut" time for which they sign up. Participants are asked to sign up for at least a two-hour period; the event will go around the clock, regardless of the weather, Anderson said.

People interested in just stopping by the hut and making a donation to the cause are more than welcome, Anderson said. The University Ministries building will be open the entire 45-hour window for coffee and hot chocolate, water and restroom access, he said.

Anderson hopes the event will also make people in the region more aware of SBU's Counseling Clinic, which opened last fall and provides affordable mental health and academic services for the region.

"Very few colleges have an on-site clinic like this that provides both mental health counseling and academic services," Anderson said. "It's really quite a resource for the community, especially to be able to reach such an underserved population with very affordable service."

Community members both on campus and off can register for a hut time slot and get a pledge sheet by calling Anderson at (716) 375-2353, or e-mailing him at anderscc@sbu.edu. Donated checks should be made out to Phi Ro, with Hut-A-Thon on the memo line.

## CAB Movie Schedule

7:30 p.m.      10:30 p.m.      1:30 a.m.

Thursday, March 22 - half nelson

Friday, March 23 - Tenacious D and the Pick of Destiny

Saturday, March 24 - Flags Of Our Fathers

Sunday, March 25 - School for Scoundrels

Monday, March 26 - The Departed

### Midterm Break Bus

#### Departure - Wed. April 4

Hickey Circle 11 p.m.  
Rob/Fal Circle 11:15 p.m.  
Francis/ Townhouses 11:30 p.m.

#### Place & Time of Arrival

Paramus, NJ 6 a.m.  
NYC Penn Station 6:30 a.m.

#### Departure - Mon. April 9

NYC Penn Station 9:30 a.m.  
Paramus, NJ 10 a.m.

**Cost: \$60 one way / \$75 round trip**



## CareerFest '07 internship, volunteer, full/summer/part-time positions for ALL students!

If you're looking for an internship, summer job, or full-time position be sure to attend CareerFest '07, SBU's on-campus career fair for ALL students/ALL majors! The event takes place Wednesday, March 28, from noon to 2 p.m., in Doyle Dining & Robert R. Jones Board of Trustees' rooms.

Advance Register Now! Get your résumé in the hands of employers planning to attend before the event so that you'll have a head start when you meet them that day...

1. Open an SBU College Central account at [www.collegecentral.com/sbu](http://www.collegecentral.com/sbu) or go into your already existing account.
2. Upload your résumé to your account or check to see that it's ready to be sent to an employer.
3. Go to the "Jobs Posted to my School" section in your SBU College Central account, search for JOB ID # 1092062, and submit your résumé.

Please contact the Career Center, room 216 RC, 375-2384, if you have any questions.

## World Renowned Modern Dance Company Philadanco to perform at tQCA

On Friday, March 23, at 7:30 p.m., the Quick Center will present modern dance giant Philadanco in the Rigas Family Theater. The program features four dances by four contemporary choreographers: Echoes: A Celebration of Alvin Ailey by Milton Myers; Enemy Behind the Gates by Christopher L. Huggins; Pulse by Daniel Ezralow; and (No More) Exotica by Ronald K. Brown. All are set to contemporary American music.

The dancers of the Philadelphia Dance Company, or Philadanco, have been hailed as a "miracle of skill and energy" (Dance Magazine) whose "blazing physicality and commitment light up the stage" (The Village Voice). Led by founder Joan Myers Brown, who is also a dance faculty member at Howard University, Philadanco emphasizes joyous and adventurous works with universal appeal, inspired by African American themes.

## Be a part of the DREAM Co-ed Basketball Tournament

The Damietta DREAM organization is sponsoring a Co-ed Basketball Tournament which will take place on Tuesday, April 10 and Wednesday, April 11. Team rosters must be submitted to Rob Defazio in the Richter Center by 2 p.m., on Wednesday, April 4. The tournament champion will take on the Faculty-Staff DREAM Team on Thursday, April 12. All SBU faculty and staff who are interested in participating in the game can contact Lamont Rhim at [LRHIM@SBU.EDU](mailto:LRHIM@SBU.EDU). Come out and have fun with the DREAM!



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**5:30 p.m.- 11 p.m.**  
Graduate School Open House  
Trustees Room  
Doyle Hall

**Thursday**

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**Friday**

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**Noon**  
Men's Tennis vs. Xavier  
Olean  
**3 p.m.**  
Hut-A-Thon  
University Ministries lawn  
**4 p.m.**  
Women's Tennis vs. Xavier  
Olean  
**7:30 p.m.**  
Philadanco  
QCA in the Rigas Theater

**Saturday**

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**All day**  
Hut-A-Thon  
University Ministries lawn

**Sunday**

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**Noon**  
Women's Lacrosse  
vs.  
Ohio State

**Noon**  
Hut-A-Thon ends

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