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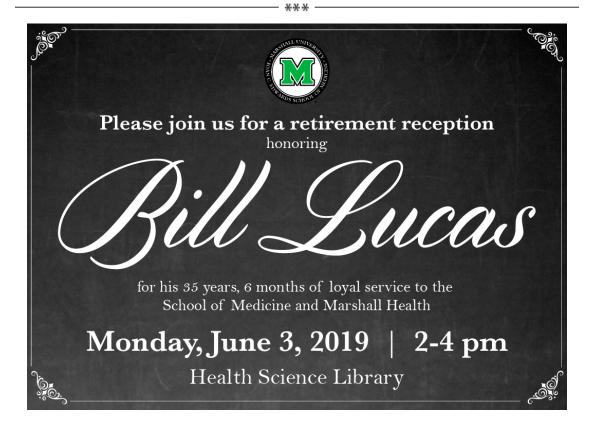
The Newsletter for Marshall University

May 29, 2019

Conference on supplier diversity to take place Friday



Reminder: If you've signed up for the Supplier Diversity Program Announcement and Meet the Buyers Luncheon, the event will take place this Friday, May 31, in the Brad D. Smith Foundation Hall, beginning at 11:30 a.m.





In Memoriam: Dr. Michael L. Cunningham



Dr. Michael L. Cunningham, professor of leadership studies at Marshall until his retirement in 2016, died Saturday, May 25.

Cunningham began his career as a science teacher at Elkview Junior High School, then transistioned to administration as assistant principal, then principal, at Clendenin Middle School. He played a key role in changing the junior high to a middle school, helping to create a path for other schools to follow.

He began teaching at the West Virginia Graduate College (which is now a part of Marshall) as an adjunct professor in 1993 and was appointed a full-time assistant professor in 1996. He served as as

program director in leadership studies beginning in 1999 and continuing until his retirement.

As a professor in the doctoral program, he was well known for his mentoring and persistence in helping doctoral candidates complete their dissertations. He received the John and Frances Rucker Graduate Advisor of the Year award in 2011.

A memorial service will be held this Saturday, June 1, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in Elkview at 11 a.m. Visitation will be held an hour before the service.











THE MARSHALL MEN'S SOCCER SUMMER 2019 CAMP SERIES





MARSHALL SOCCER DAY CAMP

Ages 5-18 Boys and Girls

June 24-27

July 15-19 (Held at both Shawnee Soccer Complex in Dunbar and Veterans Memorial Soccer Complex at Marshall)

9 am – 12 pm

\$150 per person

No matter your experience level, sign up for a fun-filled camp that will build overall skills and make great memories!

*\$50 off for siblings and groups of 5 or more | \$75 off for groups of 10 more more

MARSHALL MEN'S SOCCER SUMMER ELITE ID CAMP

Grades 8-12 and older

April 20th 10 am – 3 pm | June 26th 3 – 8 pm | July 20th 10 am – 3 pm \$100 per person

Whether you're an elite youth player interested in playing for the Herd one day, or just looking to take your game to the next level, this is one opportunity you don't want to miss!

MARSHALL GOALKEEPER/STRIKER CAMP

Ages 8-18 Boys and Girls July 27 - 28 \$175 per person

Challenge yourself to a weekend with great saves and world class goals! Players are put in front of the goal for two straight days. As one of the most well attended camps in the state, register early to reserve your spot!

Veterans Memorial Soccer Complex

at Marshall University 2590 5th Avenue, Huntington, WV Shawnee Sports Complex 519 King Street, Dunbar, WV 25064

HERDZONE.com

To sign-up please contact Alex Fatovic at, 304-696-2594 or fatovic@marshall.edu

Faculty members present at annual NASW statewide conference



A team of Marshall University faculty members presented research at the annual National Association of Social Workers West Virginia (NASW WV) conference May 3.

The presentation was based on information uncovered in the dissertation research of Dr. Kim White, assistant professor of social work at Marshall.

"The panel arose from my dissertation research where I interviewed six physicians who prescribe Suboxone to patients with Opioid Use Disorder to understand their perspectives on the practice from a strengths-based framework. I asked three Marshall faculty and two of the physicians from the study to co-present with me at the conference to make a cross-disciplinary case for the use of Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)," White said.

The NASW WV conference is the largest state chapter conference in the nation, with over 1500 registrants from all over the east coast. Learn more about research initiatives in the Department of Social Work by visiting <u>www.marshall.edu/social-work</u>.

Photo: (From left to right) Dr. Matthew Christiansen, assistant professor of medicine and one of the physicians interviewed in the study; Dr. Stephen Young, assistant professor from the Criminal Justice department, Dr. Kim White, assistant professor from the social work department, Dr. Christopher White, professor from the history department, and Dr. Richard Knapp, a family practice physician at Boone Memorial Hospital, who was also interviewed in the study.

Faculty Achievement: Dr. Victor Fet



Dr. Victor Fet, professor of biological sciences, received a travel grant from the Oxford University Museum of Natural History in Oxford, U.K., (shown at left) and spent three weeks while on sabbatical leave, working on zoological collections accumulated over 150 years. The museum was founded by Prince Albert (Queen Victoria's consort) in 1860, and immediately housed the historical debate on Darwin's evolution theory between Thomas Huxley and the Rev. Samuel Wilberforce, the Bishop of Oxford. See https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1860 Oxford evolution debate.

Women's soccer team to host youth camps for youth of both sexes



Marshall's women's soccer team will present soccer camps for young people beginning Monday, June 17.

The camps are designed for players interested in learning what it takes to play soccer at the next level and to get younger players interested in playing soccer. It will put players in a training environment similar to a college setting, with the ultimate goal of players enjoying their experience within the game.

Players will train with Marshall University coaches. Demonstrations and game play feature the correct

technical methods and enable players to recreate those skills in game scenarios.

Youth Half-Day Camp June 17-21, from 9 a.m.-Noon Boys and Girls, Ages 5-12

Striker and Goalkeeper Clinic June 19-21, from 6 -8 p.m. Boys and Girls Ages 11-18







The next regular issue of *We Are...Marshall* will be distributed June 5, 2019. Please send items for consideration to <u>WAMnewsletter@marshall.edu</u> by 5 p.m. Monday, June 3, 2019.

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