NEWS

Spring Class Registration Under Way
Registration has opened for the spring 2008 semester which begins Tuesday, Jan. 22. More than 1,000 classes will be available at Western's campuses, teaching centers and online. Continuing and returning students may begin signups via Web-REG this week, and registration for new students starts Monday, Dec. 3.
http://www.wnc.edu/academics/schedule/

EVENTS

Explore Mars in Upcoming Lecture
Thursday, Nov. 29, 7 p.m.
WNC Carson City, Marlette Hall
Info: 775-445-3000
Admission: Free
Take an armchair trip out of this world when WNC Physics/Astronomy Professor Robert Collier lectures about "Mars – The Planet of Intrigue and Enchantment" as part of the college's "Faces, Voices and Stories" lecture series. Professor Collier, also director of the Jack C. Davis Observatory, is featured faculty lecturer.

ARTS

"Story Theatre" Brings Humor to Stage
Friday-Saturday, Nov. 30/Dec. 1 – 7:30 pm
Sunday, Dec. 2- 2 pm,
Sarah Winnemucca Hall, WNC Carson City Aspen Building
Information: 445-4249
A hilarious collection of fairy tales from stories in the Grimm Brothers’ Collection and Aesop’s fables will be presented by WNC actors in training.
WNC Choir Plans Holiday Events
Sunday, Dec. 2, 3 pm, Carson City Community Center
& Tuesday, Dec. 11, 7:30 pm, Sarah Winnemucca Hall
Information: 445-4249
Two free concerts are planned by the Western Nevada College Choir to help celebrate the holidays. The student group directed by Bill Zabelsky will perform on Sunday, Dec. 2, with the Capital City Community Band, and on the Carson City campus on Tuesday, Dec. 11, for its annual holiday concert. Come and get into the holiday spirit.

BLOOMS THROUGH TIME
Artist April Richardson shows a series of mixed media monotypes in the Main Gallery at the Carson City campus, Monday, Dec. 3 – Friday, Jan. 11. A reception is set for Tuesday, Dec. 4, 4:30-6:30 p.m. The artist will speak about her work to students in Visual Foundations and Drawing classes, and will conduct a workshop with Printmaking students.

Image at Left:
"Tiger Lily Pair II, 2007."

Nursing Students Offering Holiday Gift Boutique & Food Drive
Wednesday & Thursday, Nov. 28-29, 10 am – 7 pm
WNC Carson City: Bristlecone Building
Info: Instructors Edda Gibson/CED 217 or Debbie Ingraffia-Strong/CED 231
Kick off the holiday season by helping others at a Holiday Gift Boutique sponsored by WNC members of the National Student Nurses Association. Shop, enjoy baked goods, and give back by donating food or selecting an Angel Tree child's name. Funds generated will help WNC students attend the national NSNA conference in Texas this winter. Donations of items for the boutique are being accepted until the event.
CAMPUS CORNER

WNC PROFESSOR ELECTED TO MATHEMATICS ORGANIZATION
Dr. Michael Hardie, community college professor of mathematics at Western Nevada College, has been elected West Vice President of the American Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges. http://www.wnc.edu/news/2007-11-26a.php

TECH PREP COLLEGE DAY STILL NEEDS VOLUNTEERS
Contact: JW Lazzari in Outreach Services – 445-3241
Tech Prep students from Carson, Douglas and Dayton high schools will be on the Carson City campus Friday, Nov. 30, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. for tours, lunch and to learn about college technical programs. A number of area employers have been invited to learn about career paths to diverse types of jobs. There are plenty of places to assist.

PARAMEDIC RECOGNITION
Sixteen area firefighters and emergency medical personnel were recognized last week for completing an Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (Paramedic) program through WNC.

FALLON NURSING STUDENTS TO HOST SPAGHETTI FEED
Saturday, Dec. 1, 4 – 7 pm
VFW Hall, 405 S. Maine St., Fallon
WNC nursing students will cook and serve a spaghetti dinner to raise funds for nursing projects. The dinner is open to the public and costs $5 plus one non-perishable food item. The food items collected will be donated to the Fallon Community Pantry.

PRINTMAKING STUDENTS TO SHOW WORK
Monday, Dec. 3-Friday, Dec. 6 - College Gallery - WNC Carson City
WNC Fallon and Carson printmaking students will exhibit work from this semester.