

The Spot This Week

Forty Years of IUPUI Flu Shots Student Life Address Jaguars Athletics

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[M. Mosbey] Hi. I'm Mitch Mosbey, your host for the January 21st edition of IUPUI's The Spot. It's IUPUI's 40th year anniversary! The yearlong celebration starts with a kick-off breakfast and a Senator Richard Lugar recognition dinner. The Spot spoke with Suzanne Vick, coordinator of campus pride, spirit, and traditions, to get the latest details.

[S. Vick] We are in charge of all the 40th celebration plans for the year. The birthday of the university is actually January 28th. We were founded in 1969 on that day, so on that day here in the Campus Center we're going to have cake for students, and we're going to have faculty and staff breakfast hosted by the chancellor just to kick off the celebration. Then on January 31st we will also have a recognition dinner for Senator Lugar, who's one of our main founders, and he'll receive a Chancellor's Medallion that day. You can find it as a link from the homepage or you can go directly to www.iupui.edu/forty, and it's forty spelled out.

[M. Mosbey] Better late than never! We are in the midst of flu season, and all IUPUI students and employees can receive a flu vaccination for free. Now through January 31st, just visit IUPUI Health Services, present your JagTag, and a vaccine will be administered to you at no charge.

On the topic of health, CAPS - Counseling and Psychological Services, will be offering free body image and eating attitude screenings on Tuesday, February 3rd in Campus Center Room 148 from 10am to 4pm. CAPS counselors will be onsite to discuss the results of your questionnaire.

Want to know what's going on behind-the-scenes here at IUPUI? Attend the State of Student Life Address to hear it all directly from Chancellor Bantz and Vice Chancellor Whitney. We met with Andrea Anderson, assistant to the chancellor, to learn more about the address.

[A. Anderson] On Tuesday, January 27th at 6:00 here in the Campus Center in Room 405 she will be hosting her 2nd Annual State of Student Life Address. This event is open for all students, faculty, and staff at IUPUI. Kind of like the president gives his State of the Union Address, this is her State of Student Life address where she'll be talking about things that are happening within student life and really impact students here on campus. I know some of the things that she'll be covering, very interested in the next phase of housing here on campus, interested in issues affecting student health and recreation, so she'll be covering those things as well.

Again, open to all students. There will be a short reception with food afterwards. We really encourage people to come. They'll have the opportunity to ask her questions. The Graduate Student Organization president will be there making some remarks as will the Undergraduate Student Government president and Chancellor Bantz will also be there as well.

For most students they will get their questions answered at Campus and Community Life at their office in the Campus Center, which is room 370. There they can get a lot of information about the different programs that are happening as well as the different events that are happening on campus, and

organizations that they can join. That's the best really one-stop-shop for students. Absolutely, if a student has a question or if they really want to talk with Vice Chancellor Whitney, absolutely, they can send her an email or give her a phone call. She's always happy to talk with students.

[M. Mospey] The State of Student Life address will be held on Tuesday, January 27th, from 6 - 9pm in Campus Center Room 405. Light refreshments will be served.

Are you an officer or member in a student organization and need help getting the word out? SOLD will be hosting a workshop on Promoting Your Organization Through Marketing and Recruitment on Tuesday, January 27th from 6-7:30pm in Campus Center Room 305. For more information you can visit lead.iupui.edu.

The women's basketball team defeated Centenary 65-53 Saturday night at the Jungle. Julia Whitted had a career high 18 points and 10 rebounds. This was Whitted's fourth double-double.

The men's basketball team lost to Centenary 58-56. The loss came as a result of Centenary's Maxx Nakwaasah's tip-in at the buzzer. Billy Pettiford had a career high 10 rebounds and 14 points. Although the Jags were defeated on the court, they certainly were not defeated off the court.

Ron Hunter coached his second game barefoot. This time coaches across the nation joined him in his goal with Samaritan's feet to raise 1 million shoes.

That's it for The Spot this week! Check us out next week at jagtv.iupui.edu for the latest campus news and student activities.

I'm Mitch Mosbey, and thanks for Spotting us!