



## SOUTH SUBURBAN COLLEGE PRESS RELEASE

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### **South Suburban College announces October calendar of events at main campus in South Holland**

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#### **General Activities**

##### **Returning Adults Brown Bag Seminar**

##### **“Self Empowerment” (Reclaim your Essential Self)**

Presented by Alexandra Glumac, local mental health therapist and South Suburban College/Business and Career Institute Workforce Development specialist.

Wednesday, October 7, 11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Mi-Jack Room

##### **Hispanic Heritage Month Event-“Transformation”**

Presented by Sergio Gomez, SSC Art Instructor

In recognition of Hispanic Heritage Month, students, faculty and staff can attend a Live Art Performance by award-winning SSC Art Instructor Sergio Gomez. Accompanied by renowned Flamenco Guitarist Mehran, Mr. Gomez will take the audience through a unique visual narrative of the art making process. Drawing from his personal experience, Professor Gomez will explore aspects of change and cultural assimilation. There will be refreshments served following the program.

Wednesday, October 7, 12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.

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##### **Returning Adults Brown Bag Seminar**

##### **Evening with Governors State University (School of Interdisciplinary Learning)**

Presented by Lana Bilyk, Student Services Coordinator

Wednesday, October 21, 4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Student Services Mall Area

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## **Red Ribbon Week Activities**

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#### **Presented by (SSHARK) South Suburban HIV/Aids Regional Coalition**

What do you really know about HIV/Aids and how can drugs and alcohol play a pivotal role in acquiring this disease? Health Educator from SSHARK, Brian Taylor will speak about how to avoid this powerful disease and will answer some of your questions. Students, faculty, and staff are invited to this informative session.

Tuesday, October 27, 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Heritage Room

### **Red Ribbon Week**

#### **Presented by (AAIM) Alliance Against Intoxicated Motorists**

Students, Faculty and Staff are invited to listen to speakers from AAIM tell real life stories of how their lives have been changed forever because of a drunken/drugged driver and offer realistic assessments of how we can help ourselves and others avoid these dangers.

Wednesday, October 28, 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

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### **Red Ribbon Week**

#### **Richard Tucker, U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA)**

Presented by the Office of Student Life and Leadership

Students, Faculty and Staff are invited to listen to Richard Tucker, former Assistant Special Agent in Charge for the United States Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) to discuss the life of an undercover law enforcement agent.

Friday, October 30, 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Lecture at 11:00 a.m.

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## **Performances**

### **Ensembles Concert**

Featuring the SSC Voices, directed by Al Jackson, the Jazz Combo and Jazz Band II, directed by Fred Miller and the Percussion Ensemble, directed by Glenn Ellison. No charge for admission. Donations to music scholarship funds will be accepted.

Tuesday, October 6, 7:30 p.m.

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### **Jazz Bands Concert**

The SSC Jazz Ensemble and Jazz Orchestra perform under the direction of Andy Hoefle. No charge for admission. Donations to music scholarship funds will be accepted.

Friday, October 9, 7:30 p.m.

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### **SSC Evening Chorale Concert**

SSC's premiere 70 member choral group, directed by Al Jackson. From Mozart to Moses Hogan, the Chorale will range across a broad spectrum of sacred music, including the lovely "Wedding Cantata" of American composer Daniel Pinkham. Admission to the concert is free.

Tuesday, October 13, 7:30 p.m.

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### **Symphonic Band Concert**

Directed by Andy Hoefle. No charge for admission. Donations to music scholarship funds will be accepted.

Friday, October 16, 7:30 p.m.

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### **SSC Evening Chorale Concert at All Nations Community Church**

Join us for our sacred music concert at All Nations Community Church, 18620 Kedzie Ave, Homewood, IL. From Mozart to Moses Hogan, the Chorale will range across a broad spectrum of sacred music, including the lovely "Wedding Cantata" of American composer Daniel Pinkham. Admission to the concert is free.

Sunday, October 18, 2:00 p.m.

All Nations Community Church, 18620 Kedzie Ave, Homewood, IL

### **Open Auditions: *Rumplestiltskin***

Director Ellie Shunko is looking for a cast of 8 for Michele L. Vacca's adaption of *Rumplestiltskin*. No prior experience or prepared material is necessary. Copies of the scripts will be on reserve in the SSC library about 2 weeks prior to auditions.

Friday, October 23, 7:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 24, 1:00 p.m.

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**Guitar Lecture / Recital**

South Suburban College guitar instructor Fred Miller performs in an informational and entertaining recital. No charge for admission.

Friday, November 6, 12:00 noon

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Friday, December 4, 7:30 p.m.

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**SSC Evening Chorale Concert at St. Victor's Church**

SSC's premiere 70 member choral group, directed by Al Jackson. Come experience the splendor of Christmas as the Chorale and orchestra presents its ninth annual Christmas concert in the glorious visual and acoustic spaces of St. Victor Catholic Church, 553 Hirsch Avenue, Calumet City, IL. We will celebrate Christmas around the world, with songs and carols from North and South America, Hispaniola, Africa, Russia, and Europe. Featured in the concert is the beautiful Bach Cantata "How Brightly Shines the Morning Star," performed with orchestra and soloists. There is even opportunity for the audience to join us in some seasonal singing! Admission to the concert is free. For further information, call 708-596-2000 ext. 2349 or email [ajackson@southsuburbancollege.edu](mailto:ajackson@southsuburbancollege.edu)

Sunday, December 6, 4:00 p.m.

St. Victor Catholic Church, 553 Hirsch Avenue, Calumet City, IL

**Student Recital**

Students of SSC Music Faculty perform a variety of classical pieces. No charge for admission.

Tuesday, December 8, 2:00 p.m.

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**Ensembles Concert**

Featuring the SSC Voices, directed by Al Jackson, the Jazz Combo and Jazz Band II, directed by Fred Miller and the Percussion Ensemble, directed by Glenn Ellison. No charge for admission. Donations to music scholarship funds will be accepted.

Wednesday, December 9, 7:30 p.m.

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**Holiday Concert**

Join the good cheer as the SSC Voices, PAC Rats Theatre Company, Symphonic Band present their annual Holiday Card to the Community. Hosted by Al Jackson and Andy Hoefle, with special appearances by SSC president George Dammer, faculty members

Art and Patrice Burton and more. No charge for admission. Donations to music scholarship funds will be accepted.

Friday, December 11, 7:30 p.m.

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