

SSALI Newsletter

October 2017

Halloween

During the month of October, you may notice signs of Halloween. Your neighbors may have headstones suddenly in their yards, plastic skeletons, witches riding on broomsticks, and jack-o-lanterns on their front door steps! When Halloween arrives on October 31, be prepared to enjoy to see children and adults – maybe even some of your SSALI teachers – dressed up as monsters, superheroes, or ghosts! We hope you celebrate by attending a costume party or giving candy to trick-or-treaters who may come to your door this night.

Get in the Halloween Spirit!

This is the time to visit a haunted house, watch scary movies, visit pumpkin patches, carve pumpkins, and enjoy all of the things that only happen during this time of year. (The film Hocus Pocus and pumpkin spice treats just to name a few!)

Meet Mohammed

Mohammed is from Saudi Arabia, near Al-Hasa. This is his second semester at SSALI.



Mohammed learned about SSALI from his cousin who also studied at SSALI three years ago. Mohammed likes the temperature in California, which he says is not too hot or too cold. In his free time he likes to visit the Recreation Center on campus, where he lifts weights at the gym. He also likes to play soccer and every weekend he visits friends in San Francisco. While studying at SSALI, he has visited Sacramento and Yosemite. One of his favorite memories from the past semester is his trip to Yosemite.



Join the IIEC

The SSU International Education Exchange Council (IIEC) is a campus club for all SSU students interested in studying abroad, international students, and National Exchange students.

Join IIEC and meet new friends while learning about different cultures. Every Thursday, the IIEC hosts a Coffee and Culture hour from 12-1 pm in International Hall with themed events, snacks, and great conversation! The IIEC also hosts many events throughout the year.

IIEC October Events:

- Sonoma Serves
Saturday, October 14, from 9:30 am-3:00 pm.
Sonoma Serves is the biggest volunteering event of the year! Sign up soon by visiting <https://orgsync.com/24644/forms/270527> and find the team "International Squad 2.0".
- IIEC Goes to Peter Pumpkin Patch
Friday, October 20, from 2:30 pm-5:30 pm.



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Interested in SSALI?

SPRING 2018:

- January 17, 2018 (ends May 11, 2018).
Tuition: \$4290.00

SUMMER 2018:

- June 13, 2018 (ends August 9, 2018).
Tuition: \$2400.00

October Events:

*Find more events at seawolfiving.com

- October 5: ASP Free Bowling! Join fellow students at Double Decker Lanes from 10-11 pm.
- October 7: Getaway Trip to Alcatraz Island! Sign up here: seawolfiving.com. (Events, Trips)
- October 13: Disney/Pixar Trivia! Every Friday play to win prizes at Lobo's, 8:30-9:30 pm.
- October 21: Magician Nash Fung. See him live in Ives 101, 7:30 pm - 9:30 pm.
- October 30: Seawolf SPOOKFEST Haunted House. Bring a friend and walk through the scary haunted house in Ballroom A.
- October 31: Halloween! Celebrate by wearing a fun or spooky costume.
- Every Monday: Conversation with Judy, Marilyn, and Howard in the SSALI café at noon.
- Every Thursday: Join IEEC at SSU for Coffee & Culture from 12-1pm in the SSALI café. Come for coffee, tea, snacks, and make new friends!

SSALI FIELD TRIP WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Campus Tour @ UC BERKELEY



African American Museum @ OAKLAND

Meet at the SSU Flagpoles at 9:00 AM

Bring a lunch!

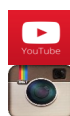
IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- Midterm Exams: **October 16-20, classes as usual.**
- Midterm New Student Class Start: **October 27**
- Prepare for Thanksgiving Break: **November 22-24**
- Daylight Savings Time Ends: **November 5**

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