SUS News

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Your Student Union Society

A new Semester at SUS…

Welcome to your SUS newsletter! It is a way for us to keep the UFV community updated on a monthly basis. If you have any questions or comments please contact Megan Zacharias at AbbyAssist@ufvsus.ca.

Referendums

Voting will take place this February.
1. "Do you support up to $6.75 per semester Chilliwack-to-Abbotsford transit fee to secure mass transit between Chilliwack and Abbotsford for our students, and have this removed when a public option becomes available?"
2. "Are you in favour of the University of the Fraser Valley Student Union Society setting the Health and Dental fee to $229.92, to increase Basic Dental and Prescription Drug coverage to 60% and 80% respectively?"
3. "Are you in favour of allowing the University of the Fraser Valley Student Union Society Board to adjust the Health and Dental fee by up to 5% each year after 2014, to adapt to cost fluctuation?"

SUS Election

Your SUS election is coming up in March. Every SUS member is encouraged to run or/and vote. Questions? Contact Meghan McDonald at gm@ufvsus.ca

Health and Dental

Go use your plan!
Coverage:
- Prescription drugs: 70%
- Practitioner visits: $20 per visit up to $300 per category.
- Travel: 120 per trip and up to $5,000,000 per incident.
- Vision: up to $275.
- Dental: up to $500.

Questions?: email-abbyassist@ufvsus.ca

UPASS

Your VP Advocacy, Dan Van Der Kroon, has been working hard on our U-Pass program. Visit the SUS website at ufvsus.ca and check out all the new discounts available to you!
Recreation Facilities:
Abbotsford Rec Centre
Chilliwack Landing Leisure
Matsqui Rec Centre
Mission Leisure Centre
Cheam Leisure Centre
Transit:
Abbotsford and Chilliwack
Questions?
Chilliwack@ufvsus.ca or 604.795.2825

AfterMath

Aftermath vs. Campus Lounge, what's up?!
Great news! After discovering a trademark issue with the pub's name, we've received the all clear to use the name Aftermath once again and will only have to omit the words "Social House". Come on in and check out Deb's special of the day!
Hours of operation:
Monday-Wednesday 11 am—6pm
Thursday 11am-8pm
Friday 11am-2pm

Clubs and Associations

A reminder to all UFV clubs and associations to get your Winter 2013 registration/verification packages as well as any claim forms and receipts submitted to the SUS office.

New Email System for Students

A new, more reliable student email system will go live on February 3rd, 2013!
It is not possible to atomically move email in the old system into the new system. If you have messages in the old system you want to keep beyond April 30th, you will have to forward them to another address before then. All email in the old system will be deleted after April 30, 2013.
For more information, please visit www.ufv.ca/myEmail/nfo or contact Laurie Klesh at Laurie.Klesh@ufv.ca.

Your SUB

Coming Soon! Your Student Union Building!
We're happy to announce both the Master and Lease Agreements have been passed by your SUS Board of Directors and UFV Board of Governors and are now at the BC Ministry of Secondary Education for the final steps. We're so grateful for everyone's hard work and support in getting us ready to begin construction. This February we'll be holding an open house where everyone will have an opportunity to see building plans and ask questions!

Come get your free agenda at any SUS office!
Abbotsford Campus: C1015 CEP: A0010

Upcoming Events:

- Pub crawls every Thursday night starting at 7pm in AfterMath and ending at Phoenix Lounge. Different themes every week from 70s, 80s, 90s to suit up.
- Foosball on the CEP Every Thursday from 11am-2pm, Drop-in Billiards and Foosball Tournaments at CEP campus downstairs in the student lounge. If you win enough games you could get your name on a plaque! Come check it out!
- Valentines is just around the corner. The SUS is Selling Candy Grams for $5 each until Feb. 4th in the SUS office.
- St. Patricks Day Kick Off party in AfterMath on March 14th.
- Big Bang 2!– UFV Clubs and Associations are hosting the Big Bang for a second round at AfterMath on April 5th.