



Upward Bound Newsletter

October 2009

From the Director's Desk

[1] Additional Tutoring 1st Quarter Tutoring-

Those returning students who received a "C-" or lower in the 4th Quarter of the 2008-2009 Academic Year will be required to receive additional tutoring throughout the 1st Quarter of the current Academic Year, and you should have received a memorandum to this effect within the last week. NB: This requires to receive additional tutoring both at your high school as well as the UB study session on a weekly basis.

[2] Upward Bound Student Government (UBSG)-

Via an election which was held during this year's UB Summer Program, the following will be the officers for the UB Student Government for 2009-10:

- President: Mai Der Vang
- Vice President: Mary Xiong
- Secretary: Pa Shoua Xiong
- Senior Rep.: Tony Xiong
- Junior Rep.: Stephen Moua
- Sophomore Rep.: Sunny Yang
- Freshman Rep.: Brianna Biesterveld

You will be receiving updates from the UBGB officers on Tuesdays. For now, UBGB is considering the following activities/projects for the current Academic Year-

- UB Potluck during the week of Thanksgiving;
- UB Secret Santa in December
- 2010 Senior Bash
- Options for 2010 end-of-summer trip

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October Birthdays

- * October 2nd - Pazau Lor
- * October 5th - Mai Kou Lee
- * October 6th - Davis Klevgard
- * October 7th - Karly Pickerign
- * October 16th - Jasmyne Hazelton
- * October 27th - Breanna Johnson-Hovde

Outlook for the Month	
10/8-10/9	N.W. Education Association Convention [All Schools Closed]
10/20	Parent-Teacher Conference for 9th-12th Graders
10/24	Hmong Education Day at North High Gym: 1) 11:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.: Workshops & Lunch; 2) 6:00-11:00 p.m.: Evening Social
10/25	International Folk Fair at Davies Center, UWEC from 12:00 noon-4:00 p.m. (Required Monthly Activity)
10/27	Parent-Teacher Conference for 9th-12th Graders

Calvin and Hobbes

By: Bill Watterson



From the Student Services Coordinator, Shelly Voegeli

ATTENTION SENIORS:

ONCE ACCEPTED, CHECK WITH SCHOOLS BEFORE CHANGING CORE ACADEMIC CLASSES.

Admission Requirements:

UW-System Required Course Preparation:

- English 4 credits
- Mathematics 3 credits
- Natural Sciences 3 credits
- Social Science/History 3 credits
- Elective Credits 4 credits (foreign language, fine arts, computer science, and other)

Chippewa Valley Technical College (CVTC):

- Graduation from High School or
- Completion of an accredited high school equivalency program or
- Completion of a GED or HSED

~ Shelly Voegeli

College & Career News

Study Skills Are The Key to Success in School!

By: Channing Bete Company

They make learning more efficient and rewarding. Students with strong study skills:

- * Listen actively: listening is an essential, but often neglected skill.
- * Take good notes: the better your notes, the better your chances of doing well at exam time.
- * Get involved in class discussions: this helps you exchange ideas and polish your communication skills.
- * Make the most of reading: it's the foundation of academic success.
- * Score higher on exams: developing good study skills pays off!

Developing good study skills is an investment----in yourself.

It can benefit you:

Today:

It can help you:

- * make the best use of the time you spend on studying
- * understand the subject matter
- * get better grades.

Tomorrow:

Many of the skills that make you a success in school can make you a success in the work world, too.

“What is Your Personality Type?”

By: “*Movin’ On Your College and Career Guide*,” 2009 Edition

What is your Personality Type? Look at the following descriptions and see which type (or types-most people fall into more than one group) fits you best.

Realistic	Social
* Likes working with tools or machines	* Likes to do things to help people including teaching, nursing, or social work.
* Generally avoids social activities like teaching or preaching	* Generally avoids working with machines, tools or animals
* Considers him or herself to be practical and down-to-earth	* Considers him or herself to be helpful, friendly, and trustworthy
Investigative	Enterprising
* Likes to study and solve math or science problems	* Likes to lead and persuade people and to sell things and idea
* Generally avoids leading, selling, or persuading people to do things	* Generally avoids activities that require careful observation and scientific thinking
* Considers him or herself to be precise, scientific and intellectual	* Considers him or herself to be energetic, ambitious and sociable
Artistic	Conventional
* Likes to do creative activities including art, drama, music, or creative writing	* Likes to work in a set and orderly way
* Generally avoids highly ordered or repetitive activities	* Generally avoids ambiguous and unstructured activities
* Considers him or herself to be expressive, original and independent	* Considers him or herself to be orderly and good at following a set plan