

News Items for 2012 - March

Audible alert system test Monday

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Morehead State University will conduct the monthly test of its audible alert system on Monday, March 5, beginning at 12:30 p.m.

The system consists of three speakers that use an alert tone as well as voice messages to warn the campus during an emergency.

The high powered amplifiers are located on Ginger and Cartmell halls along with Jayne Stadium.

MSU aids in 'Disaster Relief'

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Several counties within the Morehead State University service region (Johnson, Lawrence, Magoffin, Menifee and Morgan), as well as other areas across the Commonwealth, have been devastated by recent tornadoes and storms, most notably West Liberty in Morgan County, which has been hit twice within just a few days.

Many have inquired about ways that the MSU community can assist. Local law enforcement and the Kentucky Emergency Management Office caution that in the immediately impacted areas, emergency crews are still at work and civilian volunteers will need to stay clear.

However, there are many ways that the MSU community can help those affected. Kentucky Emergency Management (KEM) has established a volunteer site at <https://khelps.chfs.ky.gov/VolunteerMobilizer/>. The University's Center for Regional Engagement (CRE) is posting opportunities via Volunteer Hub at www.MSUCaREs.volunteerhub.com as well as working in coordination with KEM, the American Red Cross and local emergency and law enforcement. MSU will begin to deploy volunteers this weekend, that will be headquartered at the MSU at West Liberty facility.

Spring break is coming up and MSU is in the process of planning Spring Break/Spring Back cleanup and repair activities in the region for the week of March 19.

MSU has established two funds to assist students, employees and others affected by the weather damage in the region. The MSU Cares Student Support Fund will provide financial support for academic-related costs incurred by our students who have been impacted by the disaster. The MSU Cares Community Outreach Fund will provide financial support to our official relief efforts coordinated through the Center for Regional Engagement and/or support employees who have been impacted by the disaster. Gifts can be made to the MSU Foundation and directed to either fund by sending a check to Palmer Development House, Morehead, KY 40351, or by credit card online at <https://alumni.moreheadstate.edu/makegift>. Cash or check donations for the MSU Cares Disaster Relief Funds also may be made at the Student Activities Office, 204 Adron Doran University Center.

The CRE, located at 320 University Street, is a drop off point for clothing and other material donations.

Donations to the Red Cross KY Tornado Relief may be made in various ways.

Cell phone: text "Red Cross" to 90999 for a \$10 donation.

In person: Central Bank locations in Kentucky - campaign "Kentucky Cares" or Morehead Kroger Store (at check-out).

Online: American Red Cross at <http://www.redcross.org/>

Phone: 1-800-RED-CROSS.

Supplies needed: cleaning products, canned and non-perishable foods, diapers, diaper rash creams, pull ups, adult diapers, baby clothes, nursery water, formula, new socks/underwear and toiletries.

Please note: there are scams going on during this tragedy - there are people going door-to-door soliciting for the Red Cross. The Red Cross does not solicit door-to-door, so please be aware.

MSU has a website at www.moreheadstate.edu/msucares with information for students, faculty, staff, alumni and the community for resources on how to assist and what to do if you are an MSU student or employee affected by the storms. Inquiries also may be made by phone to 606-783-9055.

Spring Career Fair set for March 13

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Are you a Morehead State University student, alum or community member and looking for full-time work, a part-time position, or an internship? Are you considering graduate school or would you like to get your name out to employers? If so, the

Spring Career Fair at MSU may be the opportunity for which you have been searching.

The fair will be held in the Crager Room on the third floor of the Adron Doran University Center from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Tuesday, March 13. Employers from a variety of fields will be in attendance, including both the private and public sectors.

Participants should research the employers, come professionally dressed, and bring several copies of their resume.

Organizations may still register through Friday, March 2. If you are interested in targeting MSU students, alumni, or community members, you may call 606-783-2233 or register online at www.moreheadstate.edu/career.

Employers who have registered to be on MSU's main campus include:

21st Mortgage; Aerotek; AK Steel; Asbury University Master of Social Work Program; Auditor of Public Accounts; Bellarmine University; Campbellsville University Graduate Admissions; Cintas Corporation; Comprehend Inc.; Eastern Kentucky University; Eastern State Hospital; Enterprise Holdings; Federal Bureau of Prisons-U.S. Penitentiary Big Sandy; Federal Correctional Institution; Federal Medical Center, Federal Bureau of Prisons; First Investors Corporation; General Electric (GE); Hitachi Automotive Products (USA) Inc.;

Hope Hill Childrens Home; Huntington, W.Va., Police Department; K and K Technical Group Inc.; Kentucky Department of Juvenile Justice, Morehead Youth Development Center; Kentucky Farm Bureau Insurance Company; Kentucky Department of Parks; Kentucky State Police; Kroger Company; KY Staffing Solutions; Louisville Metro Police Department; Lowe's Home Improvement; Marshall University Biomedical Sciences and STEM Graduate Programs; Mazak Corp.; Methodist Theological School in Ohio;

MSU Camden-Carroll Library; MSUCorps; MSU Center for Regional Engagement; MSU Dining Services; MSU Enrollment Services; MSU Human Resources; MSU School of Public Affairs; MSU Small Business Development Center; MSU Study Abroad; MSU Tutoring and Learning Center; MSU Americorps/VISTA; MSU Master of Arts in Social Sciences; NASA Wise DEVELOP; Northeast Kentucky Regional Health Information Organization; Northeast Returned Peace Corps Volunteers; Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital; Shawnee State University; Sherwin-Williams, Indianapolis, Ind.; Smithfield Packing; Speedway LLC; SRG

Global (Guardian Automotive Trim); St. Claire Regional Medical Center; Stober Drives Inc.; Summit Engineering Inc.;

Total Quality Logistics (TQL); University of Kentucky (UK) Gatton College MBA Center; U.K. Health Profession Colleges; UK College of Medicine; University of Kentucky College of Health Sciences; University of Louisville-Integrated Programs in Biomedical Science; USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS); USDA Rural Development; Verizon Cellular Sales; Viamedia; Wal-Mart; Western Kentucky University Graduate Studies and Research; and WKYT-TV.

Nominations wanted for the Founders Award for University Service

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