

News

Dr. Zeller to speak; sign books at Highland Books

Dr. Ben Zeller will be signing copies of his new book and speaking at Highland Books on April 14 at 4 PM.

Dr. Zeller's new book is titled "Prophets and Protons: New Religious Movements and Science in the Late 20th Century." Dr. Zeller's talk should be brief, lasting about 20 minutes, but is sure to be interesting.

The NYU Press describes the book by saying, "By the twentieth century, science had become so important that religious traditions had to respond to it. Emerging



Above: Dr. Ben Zeller

religions, still led by a living founder to guide them, responded with a clarity and focus that illuminates other larger, more established religions' understandings of science.

"The Hare Krishnas, the Unification Church, and Heaven's Gate each found distinct ways to incorporate major findings of modern American science, understanding it as central to their wider theological and social agendas.

"In tracing the development of

these new religious movements' viewpoints on science during each movement's founding period, we can discern how their views on science were crafted over time.

"These NRMs shed light on how religious groups—new, old, alternative, or mainstream—could respond to the tremendous growth of power and prestige of science in late twentieth-century America.

In this engrossing book, Zeller carefully shows that religious groups had several methods of creatively responding to science, and that the often-assumed conflict-based model of "science vs. religion" must be replaced by a more nuanced understanding of how religions operate in our modern scientific world."

Campus Events

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HOUSING LOTTERY

The Housing Lottery will take place in Dunham Auditorium on Thursday April 8th starting at 6pm.

Student Involvement Events

Student Government Elections, All this week. SGA will be starting with a meet the candidates night at 7pm on Wednesday April 7th and elections will take place on Thursday and Friday April 8th-9th between the hours of 11am-1pm in the Myers Lobby.

Bingo Night, Friday April 9th 7pm, Reserve Dining Room. Come out and win up to \$250 in prizes for this Bingo night with the staff from Green Hall

Live Music with "49B", Saturday April 10th 8pm, Residential Quad. There will be live music and other activities with CAB as you relax and enjoy live music from a local on campus band.

The Debate Society/Young Politician's of America will hold a practice Law School Admissions Test (LSAT) at 10 am on Saturday, April 17th, 2010 in Room MG 138. This exam will be presided over by Dr. Ralph Hamlet and is free of charge to all interested students. Please respond to fortunab@brevard.edu with any questions.

Wellness Center

Alcohol Screening, Thursday April 8th 11am-1pm, - Brevard College will hold an 8th Annual Alcohol Screening

Campus and Outdoor Recreation

Open Gym, Sunday - Friday 7-11pm, play basketball, indoor soccer, pool and table tennis plus use the fitness center and weight room.

Intramural Ultimate Frisbee - Sign Up Now! Find 6 people to play and get your rosters in to Jason Djuren: djurenja@brevard.edu

Intramural Table Tennis - Sign Up Now in the Rec Room. A tournament will begin soon.

Thursday April 8th, 9pm, Aux Gym - Come out to learn some climbing skills with the Outing Club

Saturday April 10th, 10am, Brevard Rock Gym - Compete against other climbers from area schools in a bouldering competition.

Sunday April 11th, 9am - Come out to climb on natural rock with the Outing Club. Contact Mattie Carruth:

carrutml@brevard.edu to sign up!

Tuesday April , 4pm-9pm, Brevard Rock Gym - Check out the new routes at the Rock Gym during Free Climb Night

BC Athletics

Baseball vs. Intermont, Wednesday April 7th, 2pm

Men's Tennis vs. Citadel, Wednesday April 7th, 2:30pm

Softball vs. Belmont Abbey, Thursday April 8th, 2pm

Men's Soccer vs. Carolina Mountain Club, Friday April 9th, 5pm

Women's Soccer vs. BC Spring Classic, Saturday April 10th, 9:30am

Men's Soccer vs. SMC, Saturday April 10th, 1pm

Softball vs. Wingate, Saturday April 10th, 1pm

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If you require any further information please feel free to contact me either by phone 828-884-8359 or email adamsom@brevard.edu.