**SALUKI SPIRIT ANNOUNCEMENTS (5/14/18 – 5/21/18):**

1) As always, if anybody has items that they would like to add to the weekly Saluki Spirit Announcements, please send them to Dr. Phil Anton at:  panton@siu.edu  

The Announcements are designed to reflect Saluki Spirit in all aspects of campus and the community, so send whatever you want from any corner of southern Illinois. Pictures are always a great addition.

2) #SalukiFriday is here: Remember to wear your Saluki gear on Fridays!  

Also, send pics of your group(s) to Dr. Anton, as well as Randy Johnson at 710:  randyj@seventen.com  

Photos will be featured in the Saluki Spirit Announcements and on 710's Facebook and Twitter platforms.

3) The #SalukiFriday Picture Poll winner is now being determined by adding up the total likes from all three of our social media platforms:

   A) Facebook (https://www.facebook.com/SIUC-Department-of-Kinesiology-201366063240550/)  
   B) Twitter: https://twitter.com/SalukiSpirit  
   C) Instagram (“salukispirit”)  

The winner of our Picture Poll from our #SalukiFriday photo shoot with the Old School Basketball League at the SIUC Student Recreation Center is at the end of these Announcements.

4) Congrats to SIU Aviation's Flying Salukis who finished 3rd at the National Intercollegiate Flying Association Championships – their 8th straight year in the Top 3!  

5) Saluki Baseball is at the Itch for their final homestand of the season at the Itch vs. Bradley with games on Thursday, May 17 at 6:30 PM, Friday, May 18 at 6:30 PM, & Saturday, May 19 at 2 PM  

At 1:45 on Saturday, please join the team in saluting seniors Hunter Anderson (Automotive Technology), Michael Baird (Speech Communication), Logan Blackfan (Exercise Science), Drew Curtis (Finance), Connor Kopach (Sport Administration), Allen Montgomery (Management), Ryan Netemeyer (Mechanical Engineering), and Jamison Steege (Agricultural Systems & Education).

6) If your Dept, College, RSO, group, etc. is doing outreach in the community, please share details with SIUC Director of Community Relations, Karen Stallman, at 618-453-2425 OR karenstallman@siu.edu  

7) If you or your group are looking for service opportunities, check out the Adopt-a-Spot program. Check it out at:  http://www.keepcb.org/adopt-a-spot.html
8) Kudos to the College of Education and Human Services Dean’s Office Staff who put together an amazing spread during Finals Week all for the benefit of their students!

9) Every summer, SIUC hosts a wide variety of great camps and if kids are interested in exploring LEGO, sports, art, music and more, please check out the link below:


10) Congrats to Peyton Wilhoit (Marketing) of Saluki Men’s Golf who finished 37th at the NCAA Regionals!

11) ComSciCon-Chicago has extended their deadline to May 20. Learn & practice skills communicating research and scholarship!
12) Numerous **Saluki Track and Field** stars won titles at the **MVC Outdoor Championships**.

- **Jared Kern** *(Exercise Science)* – Shot Put
- **Kezia Martin** *(Behavior Analysis & Therapy)* – Triple Jump
- **Mesha Newbold** *(Sport Administration)* – 400 M Hurdles
- **Maddi Meyer** *(Exercise Science)* – Heptathlon
- **Ricky Hurley** *(Management)* – Discus & Hammer Throw

**Genesis Ewell** *(Exercise Science)*, **Shafiqua Maloney** *(Geography & Environmental Resources)*, **Tyjuana Eason** *(Psychology)* and **Bri’Anna Branch** *(English)* won Most Outstanding Female Track Athlete and Most Valuable Athlete for the **Women 4 x 100 M Relay Team**.

**Shafiqua Maloney**
- 200 M, 400 M
For their efforts, Shafiqua Maloney and Ricky Hurley were named the **MVC Scholar-Athletes of the Week**

Select members of the team will compete **May 24 – 26** at the **NCAA West Regionals** in Sacramento, CA. If you can’t make it to Cali, run with the team on **Twitter**: [https://twitter.com/SIU_TrackXC?lang=en](https://twitter.com/SIU_TrackXC?lang=en)

13) **Saluki Softball** finished the **MVC Tourney** as the runner-up to champion Drake. Sydney Jones (**Sport Administration**), Brianna Jones (**Dental Hygiene**) and Katelyn Massa (**Sport Administration**) were named to the All-Tourney Team. Congrats on a great season! Keep up with their off-season exploits on **Twitter**: [https://twitter.com/SIU_Softball?lang=en](https://twitter.com/SIU_Softball?lang=en) See you in the fall!

14) Congrats to Trenton Taylor (**Information Systems Technologies**) who won the spring **2018 National Cyber League Individual Competition!**
15) Congrats to Jake and Kyle Wagner (Engineering) who finished in the top five at the Fishing League Worldwide Yeti College Fishing Central Conference Bass Tournament at Lake Barkley, KY, which qualified them for the 2019 FLW College Fishing National Tournament.

16) Check out www.facebook.com/ExploreCarbondale for more info on the May 2018 Bicycle Scavenger Hunt

GO DAWGS!
#WEAREALLSALUKIS
Our #SalukiFriday Social Media Poll winner from our time with the Old School Basketball League at the SIUC Student Recreation Center is below. After we dominated during warm-ups, Old Schooler Bill Bruns showed us that the real game would be a bit more challenging...