

# NDMU HR Newsletter

December 2017



## Faculty & Staff Christmas Luncheon

Wednesday, December 20  
12:00 – 1:30 p.m.

10:45 a.m. A Child's Place Caroling  
Marikle Chapel  
11:00 a.m. Mass  
12:00 p.m. Luncheon

Please RSVP by Friday, December 15 at  
[ndm.edu/luncheon](http://ndm.edu/luncheon)

## 2017 Annapolis Chocolate Binge Festival

With lighting of the new street light canopy and Holiday Market  
Sunday December 3rd noon-5pm on the first block of West Street

The Inner West Street Association and the Annapolis Arts District have joined forces to bring another unique street festival to downtown Annapolis for the holidays. On Sunday December 3rd from 12pm to 5pm on the first block of West Street will be the Annapolis Chocolate Binge Festival, featuring family friendly entertainment, chocolate, holiday shopping and the lighting of the newly expanded West Street Light Canopy. For more information, [click here](#).

## national SAFE toy and gift month



Safety tips to keep in mind this holiday season:

### Balloons

Children can choke or suffocate on deflated or broken balloons. Keep deflated balloons away from children younger than eight years old. Discard broken balloons immediately.

### Small balls and other toys with small parts

For children younger than age three, avoid toys with small parts, which can cause choking.

### Scooters and other riding toys

Riding toys, skateboards and in-line skates go fast, and falls could be deadly. Helmets and safety gear should be worn properly at all times and they should be sized to fit.

### Magnets

High-powered magnet sets are dangerous and should be kept away from children. Whether marketed for children or adults, building and play sets with small magnets should also be kept away from small children.

Once gifts are open:

- Immediately discard plastic wrapping or other toy packaging before the wrapping and packaging become dangerous play things.
- Keep toys appropriate for older children away from younger siblings.
- Battery charging should be supervised by adults. Chargers and adapters can pose thermal burn hazards to young children. Pay attention to instructions and warnings on battery chargers. Some chargers lack any mechanism to prevent overcharging.

For more information, [click here](#).



# HEALTHY GATOR



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Monday Mile Club 11:30am Personal Training 12pm-1pm YogaWorks 5pm-6pm	YogaWorks 12-1pm	Personal Training 12pm-1pm Spin 6pm	YogaWorks 12-1pm Spin 6pm	Personal Training 12pm-1pm

\*Wellness Classes end on December 15<sup>th</sup>

## December Birthdays!

- 2nd Renee Echartefonseca, A Child's Place
- 3rd Ward Eisinger, School of Pharmacy
- 4th Mary Packard, School of Nursing  
Joel Stob, Information Technology
- 6th Payal Agarwal, School of Pharmacy
- 8th Heather Carpenter, Business and Economics Department  
Zane Hunter, School of Nursing
- 10th Asish Dutta, School of Pharmacy
- 13th Ashley Moody, School of Pharmacy
- 14th Peter Ousby, School of Pharmacy
- 15th Janice Green, Information Technology
- 18th Valerie Smitheman-Brown, Campus Ministry
- 21st Jeana Del Rosso, English Department
- 22nd Dawn Bradshaw, President's Office  
Christina Brickwedde, Institutional Advancement
- 24th Diane Aschenbrenner, School of Nursing
- 26th Roberta Engel, Biology Department
- 28th Justin Gyurik, School of Pharmacy  
Preston Holloway, Public Safety
- 30th Mary O'Connor, School of Nursing  
Nancy Tarr Hart, Philosophy Department

## Please help us welcome...

Mike McManus,  
Special Events &  
Summer Program  
Manager

## Save the Date!

Notre Dame Day 2018 will be on Tuesday, February 6<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm in Doyle Formal. The Distinguished Staff Award winner will be announced during the event!

## Healthy Meal of the Month:

### Whole Grain Apple Cranberry Stuffing



Click [here](#) for the recipe.



## Holiday Events in Baltimore:

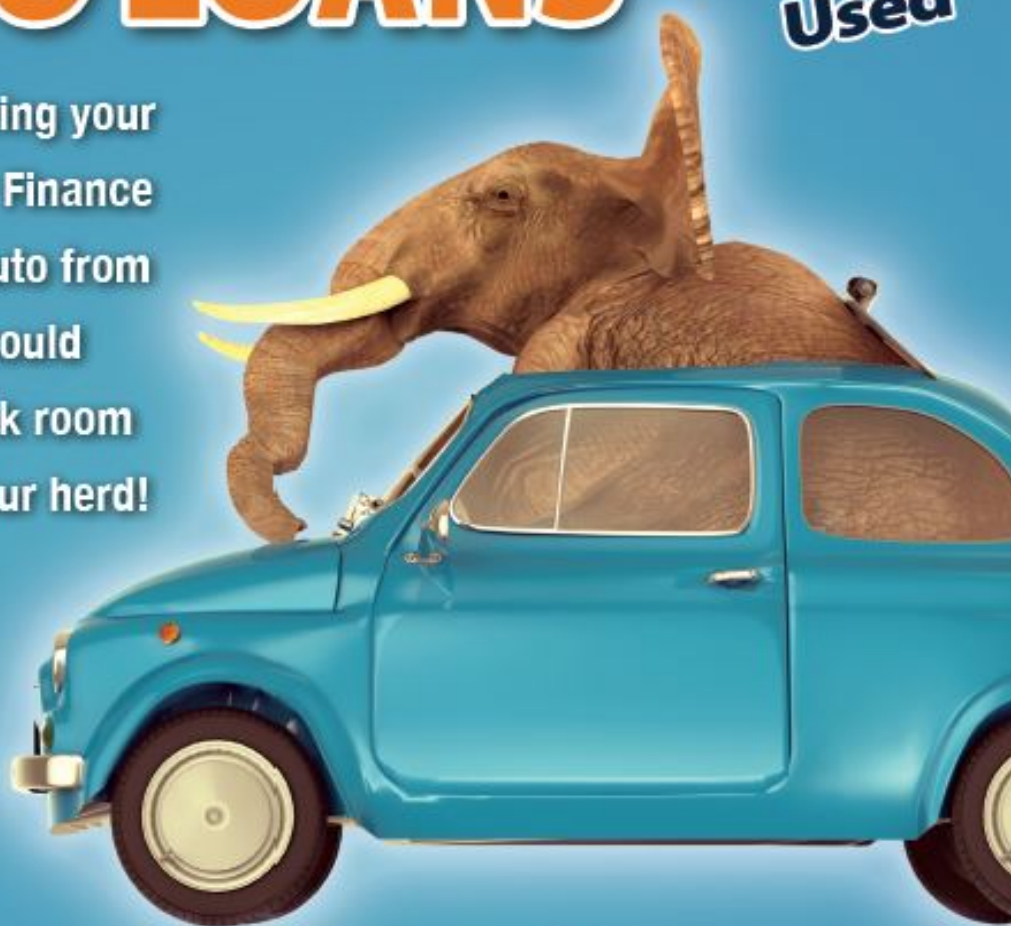
- \* **[German Christmas Village- Inner Harbor- November 23 - December 24](#)**  
Come and enjoy an authentic German Christmas market right here in Charm City! From Thanksgiving through December 24, Christmas Village in Baltimore returns to Baltimore's Inner Harbor to transform West Shore Park into European wonderland. The huge heated festival tent and the beautiful outdoor wooden booths around the majestic Christmas Tree will harbor 45 vendors and their high quality arts and crafts from all over the world, to offer you the perfect Holiday shopping experience within a festive atmosphere! Daily performances of local choirs, bands and performers and special themed weekend events will sweeten your visit at Christmas Village in Baltimore!
- \* **[46th Annual Monument Lighting- Mount Vernon Place- 699 Washington Place- December 7, 5-8 p.m.](#)**  
Illuminating the historic Washington Monument is a Baltimore tradition that includes caroling, food and good cheer. Fireworks cap the festive evening that marks the official start of the holiday season.
- \* **[Baltimore Chanukah Festival- McKeldin Square, Inner Harbor- December 12](#)**  
Celebrate the start of Chanukah with the lighting of Maryland's largest menorah, complete with live music, kid's activities and fireworks.
- \* **[New Year's Eve Spectacular- Inner Harbor- December 31, 9 p.m.-12:30 a.m.](#)**  
Ring in 2018 with family, friends, live music and a spectacular fireworks display over Baltimore's Inner Harbor! Starting at 9 p.m., the crowd at the Inner Harbor Amphitheater can enjoy a party music. At the stroke of midnight, colorful fireworks and lights fill the sky above downtown Baltimore. Those celebrating at the Inner Harbor can also enjoy skating at the PANDORA® Ice Rink, open until 12:30 a.m. Regular rink admission prices apply.



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