January 22: ‘Dear White People’ - Presented by SAC Cinema and the Diversity Center
There will be a showing of “Dear White People,” a film about a group of African American students navigating through a predominantly white college. There will be discussion after the showing.

January 24: Nordic Choir Midwest Tour Concert: Montevideo, MN
Nordic Choir will perform on their Midwest Tour in Montevideo, MN. The event takes place at Our Saviors Lutheran Church at 7 p.m. See the entire Midwest Tour schedule here.

January 29: Luther

Note from the editor
Rachel Brummond ’15
Ahh J-term, the time of relaxing, study abroad, and all around adventure. J-term provides such a neat experience for students on and off campus. For those who study abroad, J-term is an opportunity to travel and visit incredible places. It's unique because the entire experience is through the lens of a particular topic. Those who stay on campus for J-term also have the opportunity to throw themselves 100% into a class. J-term is one of my favorite times of the year because I know that it is my chance to try something brand new and exciting. For me this year, that new thing is pottery. You wouldn't believe the amount of time and energy it takes! Students are having a blast, and so am I. Remember, if you have questions, comments, or concerns about this month’s Parent Newsletter, I encourage you to contact us at parentnewsletter@luther.edu

Message from Corey Landstrom, vice president and dean for student life
College Men's Wrestling vs. University of Dubuque
The Luther College Men's Wrestling team will face off against the University of Dubuque. The meet is at home, and begins at 7 p.m.

See full events calendar

Nurse Pinning Ceremony 2014

Career Center Update

January 21: Wisconsin Broadcaster's Association Winter Job/Career Fair

February 10: Writing Your Resume and Cover Letter

February 13: 2015 Spring Interview Day

To learn more about the services offered, visit the Career Center's website.

Spotlight On: Dining Services

Dining experiences at Luther are more than great food. They are community experiences centered around culinary expertise, fresh ingredients, healthy options, and a shared sense of environmental and social responsibility. The Dining Services team works with local farmers to find fresh, locally sourced food for the student body.

The Dining Services team is committed to creating the best possible dining experience. Join us to experience comfort, convenience, outstanding food, and an inviting atmosphere designed especially for you. Students may choose from a number of board plans (all of which contain Dining Dollars). These debit accounts allow students to make cashless purchases at our dining locations using their campus I.D. card.

With awesome locations on campus like Sunnyside Cafe, Oneota Market, and the Cafeteria, Dining Services at Luther makes sure that students eat and that they eat well.

Multimedia Feature

Visit Luther
In this admissions video we get to see many of the ways that students interact with each other on campus, and how they live their lives. Here's a peek into life at Luther. Subscribe to Luther College Visual Media on YouTube to see more great video pieces.

Lighting

'Inside/Outside: Contemporary Folk Art by Dr. Charles Smith'
"Inside/Outside: Contemporary Folk Art by Dr. Charles Smith (1940)," consisting of six sculptures created by the contemporary folk artist is on display through Feb. 12 in the Kristin Wigley-Fleming Art Gallery in Luther College's Center for the Arts.

Curated by Katie Mathis, Luther College class of 2015, the exhibit is part of Mathis' senior project in art history and is open to the public with no charge for admission.

Luther College SAC Spotlight presents Magician Ben Seidman
Currently co-starring in two TV specials on the Travel Channel and named as the first Resident Magician at Mandalay Bay, Resort and Casino in Las Vegas, Magician Ben Seidman performed at Luther College on Friday, Jan. 16, in Marty's in the Dahl Centennial Union.

After several thousand performances at numerous luxury casinos, Seidman has become known as a powerful young staple of the Las Vegas entertainment scene. His residency at Mandalay follows a three-season contract as creative consultant for "Mindfreak" on the A&E channel, during which he designed the illusions performed by Criss Angel.

Judd Larson named interim pastor at Luther College
Luther College welcomes alumnus Rev. Judd Larson as interim pastor for J-term and second semester.

Larson, Luther class of 1974, received a Bachelor of Arts in philosophy from Luther and a Master of Divinity from Wartburg Theological Seminary, Dubuque, Iowa. Larson has served as pastor in congregations in Iowa, Wisconsin, and most recently, Duluth, Minnesota, before retiring in Decorah.