University of Connecticut Avery Point 50th Anniversary Festival



UCONN AVERY POINT

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2017

CELEBRATING 50 YEARS AT OUR BEAUTIFUL CAMPUS BY THE SEA!

The University of Connecticut (UConn) is a public research university in the state of Connecticut. UConn was founded in 1881 and is a Land Grant and Sea Grant college and member of the Space Grant Consortium.

The Avery Point Campus was founded on September 18, 1967 on the property that was once Morton Plant's private residence. Beautifully situated on Long Island Sound, Avery Point excels in offering undergraduate and graduate education and research training to the Southeastern Connecticut region and beyond.

We are excited to celebrate 50 years of excellence and invite you to enjoy our beautiful campus!

EVENTS HAPPENING ALL DAY			
TIME	EVENT	LOCATION	
11:00-4:00	Academic Showcase: See back of program for details	SC	
11:00-4:00	Avery Point Historical Displays: 50 years of campus history and time capsule	BH	
11:00-4:00	Barnes and Noble: UConn official bookstore. Gail McDonald, author of Morton F. Plant and the Connecticut Shoreline, will be signing copies of her book from 12:30-1:30	ACD	
11:00-4:00	Basketball : Interactive instruction with Avery Point Men's and Women's players and coaches. See back of program for details	GYM	
11:00-4:00	Children's Activities: See back of program for details	SC LAWN	
11:00-4:00	Coast Guard Research and Development: Past, Present and Future	ВН	
11:00-4:00	Connecticut Institute for Resilience and Climate Adaptation at the University of Connecticut	MS, 1st Floor	
11:00-4:00	John Gardner Boat House: Boat-building Demonstrations	JGBH	
11:00-4:00	Food: Mort's UConn Dining Services located in the Student Center and various food trucks from the region such as, Captain Scott's Lobster, Food Extrovert, RedBean Coffee Roasters, Meriano's Cannoli Truck, The Bridge Market, PopCentric	BH, SC	
11:00-4:00	Marine Sciences & Technology Demonstrations: Marine creatures Touch Tank, and research demonstrations	RANKIN LAB	
11:00-4:00	Marine Sciences & Technology Demonstrations: Demonstrations of the research being conducted by marine sciences students, staff, and faculty: Remotely-operated Vehicles, Underwater gliders, and more	MS Basement/ Seawall	
11:00-4:00	On The Water With Marine Sciences: Research-Vessels, Scuba Club, and Fishing Club demonstrations	MS DOCK	
11:00-4:00	Meet Morton Plant: Meet and learn about Morton Plant, the original owner of the Avery Point property portrayed by Jim Streeter, Local Historian. Presentation at 1:30	ВН	
11:00-4:00	Meteorological Tower: See how meteorological data is being collected right here at Avery Point	BH LAWN, South Side	
11:00-4:00	Nursing Lab Tours: The simulation lab provides UConn students an opportunity to apply their newly-acquired nursing skills in a safe and controlled environment	СР	
11:00-4:00	Organization Fair: UConn Admissions, UConn Alumni Association, CT Sea Grant, Animal Welfare League of NL County Connecticut Trust for Historic Preservation, Covenant Shelter	BH LAWN	
11:00-4:00	Public Seminars, Research & Technology Displays: See back of program for details	MS 103	
11:00-4:00	Sailors, Sea Creatures and Strings! Puppetry Exhibit	BH, 2nd Floor Gallery	
11:00-4:00	Student Art Show: Found Object Sculptures	SC	

MS DOCK

TIME -SPECIFIC EVENTS

11:00-1:00	The Rivergods: A roots/folk/alternative country band from southern New England, featuring Avery Point's own Nancy Parent as a vocalist and acoustic guitar player	BH LAWN
11:30 & 3:00	The Lorax: Enjoy a live performance of Dr. Seuss' timeless classic <u>The Lorax</u> , a comic-poetic tale about human greed and environmental awareness, presented by Marine Sciences professor Hannes Baumann. Great entertainment for kids and adults of all ages	Auditorium, 2nd Floor ACD
12:00-1:00	Take your photo with our UConn mascot, Jonathan the Husky!	BH Steps
12:00-3:00	Project Oceanology Boat Rides: See back of program for details	Project O DOCK
12:00-3:00	UConn Waterfront Programs: Sailing, Kayaking, and other small boats	APBEACH
1:00	The Pirate, the Princess, and the Pea: <i>Pirate lore meets fairy tale in <u>The Pirate, the Princess, and the Pea,</u> a swashbuckling pirate and princess adventure story from Crabgrass Puppet Theatre</i>	Auditorium, 2nd Floor ACD
2:00-4:00	The Cartells : The Cartells are always a local favorite! Jazz, swing, rock, R&B, Motown, and pop hits of the '60s, '70s, '80s, '90s, and the 21st century	BH LAWN
2:00	Rain Garden Grand Opening Presentation by EcoHusky Club	ACD

UCONN WATERFRONT PROGRAM

The UConn Avery Point Sailing Club will be offering opportunities to get out on the water in kayak, stand-up paddleboards, dories, and small sailboats (weather permitting)

12:00– 1:00 Paddle craft

1:00-3:00 Sailing

FOR THE KIDS!

Attention all Mermaids and Pirates! Join us on the Student Center Lawn!

Pick up your very own treasure hunt map at the Information booths, complete the map, and create your own Jonathan the Husky (while supplies last!), <u>or</u> grab some loot from the treasure chest!

*Create your very own pirate name

*Snap a photo at Polly Parrot's Photo Booth

*Get your face painted at Pirate Pete's Tattoo Parlor

*Test your seafaring skills

*Dig for treasures

*Take part in pirate-themed arts & crafts

*Join Mystic Aquarium for fun games and opportunities to learn about sea creatures *Reach into our touch tanks in the Marine Sciences Rankin Lab

*Enjoy a live performance of Dr. Seuss's timeless classic The Lorax at 11:30 and 1:00

*Be sure to attend <u>The Pirate, the Princess, and the Pea</u> *a swashbuckling pirate and princess adventure story from Crabgrass Puppet Theatre performance at 1:00 in the Auditorium 2nd floor of the Academic Building!*

Don't miss out on the fun!

ACADEMIC SHOWCASE

Student Center 11:00-4:00

As you wander through the Student Center, you can talk with students about their research, art, and service projects. Young participants are encouraged to ask Avery Point students about their experiences on campus and get some tips on how to succeed in college.

11:30-12:00 & 1:00-1:30: Technology in the Classroom, ACD 106

Jamie Kleinman PhD, Assistant Professor in Residence from the Department of Psychology, will demonstrate some of the technological tools she uses to create an active and engaged learning environment. Participants will get the chance to try out iClickers (classroom polling devices), online polling apps, and more.

11:30-12:00 & 1:30-2:00: Dialogue Outside the Classroom, ACD 206

The coordinators of the Avery Point Global Cafe will facilitate a mini structured dialogue on "The Power Of Simple Questions." The Global Café is a faculty-driven, student-focused interdisciplinary learning community. Its mission is to bridge disciplinary perspectives, provide students with opportunities to make connections across courses, and enrich our campus's learning community through lunchtime discussions and events. The structured dialogue events bring a facilitated forum to develop deep listening skills, reflect on individual values, and support a culture of mutual understanding and community-building on our campus.

12:30-1:00: Case Study in Biology, ACD 201

Christine Giambartolomei-Green, Faculty in Biology, will present a case study, "Search for The Missing Sea Otter," that she uses in her biology course for non-science majors. Case studies engage students and render biology relevant to their everyday life while they learn critical and analytical thinking.

PUBLIC SEMINARS, RESEARCH, & TECHNOLOGY DISPLAYS

Faculty Talks: Marine Sciences Building Seminar Room 103

11:00 The Oceans from Space: Satellites, Storms, and Sea Processes presented by Heidi Dierssen, Professor of Marine Sciences

11:30 **The Black Sea Maritime Archaeology Project** *presented by Kroum Batchvarov, Associate Professor of Anthropology*

12:00 Coldwater Corals and the Fish That Love Them: Science, Policy, and Management presented by Peter Auster, Research Professor Emeritus of Marine Sciences and Senior Research Scientist at Mystic Aquarium

12:30 Diving Into Green Waters presented by Jamie Vaudrey, Assistant Research Professor of Marine Sciences

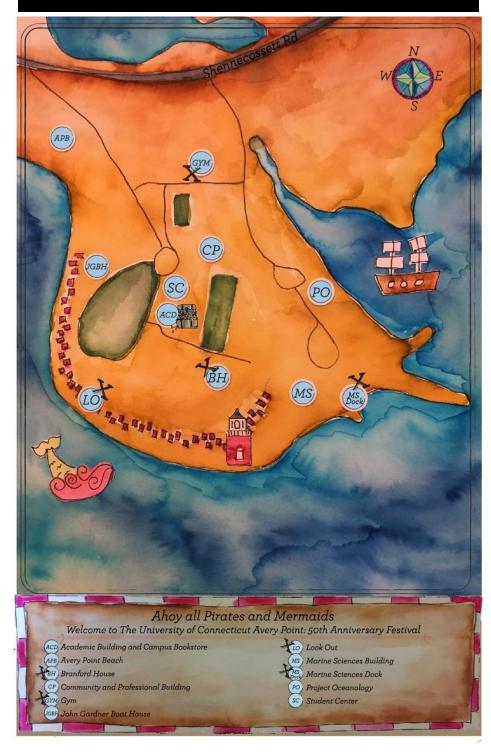
1:00 **The Shetland Islands and the Ocean: 6,000 Years of History** *presented by Helen Rozwadowski, Associate Professor of History*

1:30 Why Dystopian Literature Matters presented by Pam Bedore, Associate Professor of English
2:00 Red Tides and Corals Through a Dinoflagellate Lens presented by Senjie Lin, Professor of Marine Sciences

2:30 **The Big Bang** presented by Moshe Gai, Professor of Physics

3:00 **20 Years Out – A Perspective on the Origin of the Marine Sciences Undergrad Major** *presented by James Kremer, Professor Emeritus of Marine Sciences*

UCONN AVERY POINT CAMPUS MAP



Poster Exhibit Marine Sciences Building, Atrium

Topics in Environmental Economics presented by Michele Baggio, Assistant Professor of Economics **The Environmental and Economic Impacts of Moorage Marinas on the West Coast** presented by Nat Trumbull, Associate Professor of Geography

Navigating Towards Tomorrow in the Urban Sea: The Challenges and Opportunities of Marine Spatial Planning in Long Island Sound presented by Syma Ebbin, Associate Professor in Residence, Sea Grant College Program

Carbon Storage in the Mid-depth Atlantic during Millennial-Scale Climate Events *presented by Matt Lacerra, Marine Sciences Graduate Student*

Living Shorelines and Ecosystem-based Coastal Protection presented by Amin Ilia, Marine Sciences Graduate Student

Break the Banks: Cultural Representation and Industrial Realities in the New England Fisheries, 1866-1966 presented by Matt McKenzie, Associate Professor of History

MARINE SCIENCES & TECHNOLOGY DEMONSTRATIONS

Marine Sciences Rankin Lab and Marine Sciences Basement/Seawall

Demonstrations of the research being conducted by marine sciences students, staff, and faculty: Remotely-operated Vehicles, Underwater Gliders, & more.

1) What is ocean acidification and will it harm our fish? presented by Hannes Baumann, Assistant Professor of Marine Sciences

2) Nitrogen: Friend or Foe? presented by Craig Tobias, Associate Professor of Marine Sciences

- 3) Antique Oceanographic Equipment presented by George McManus, Professor of Marine Sciences/ Helen Rozwadowski, Associate Professor of History
- 4) Go with the Flow! presented by Michael Whitney, Associate Professor of Marine Sciences
 5) Hold your Breath for Seaweed! presented by Jamie Vaudrey, Assistant Research Professor of Marine Sciences
- 6) Gliders in the Sound presented by James O'Donnell, Professor of Marine Sciences and Director of CIRCA
 7) 30 Years of ROVs Experience UConn's Remotely –Operated Vehicles presented by Ivar Babb,
- Program Director of NURTEC 8) Mother Nature's Vacuums presented by Evan Ward, Professor of Marine Sciences

9) Ocean Heartburn and too Much Gas presented by Penny Vlahos, Associate Professor of Marine Sciences

10) **Plankton Party: Life Under the Microscope** presented by Hans Dam, Professor of Marine Sciences 11) **Undergraduate Research at Avery Point** presented by Michael Finiguerra, Assistant Professor in Residence of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology

12) **So You Want to be a Marine Scientist...?** presented by Claudia Koerting, Research Associate and Marine Sciences Undergraduate Program Coordinator

PROJECT OCEANOLOGY BOAT RIDES



\$10 for one-hour boat rides! Sign up at the information Booth on the Marine Sciences patio! Boats leave from the Project O Dock.

> 12:00—1:00 1:30—2:30 3:00—4:00

BASKETBALL

12:00-1:30 Avery Point Men's Basketball coaches/players, instructional basketball skills.

1:30-3:00 Avery Point Women's Basketball coaches/players, instructional basketball skills.

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