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Safe Spring Break, Caribbean Get-A-Way

Safe Spring Break Event Offers Education with Excitement

The first stop on your spring break itinerary should lead you straight to the Safe Spring Break, Caribbean Get-A-Way from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in and around the UC Arbor on Wednesday, March 8, 2006.

The annual event, hosted by the University Center & Associated Facilities, UH Wellness and Cougar PEP, will offer various activities and information booths throughout the Arbor area in order to give students the chance to have some fun, some food and get information on how to have a safe spring break.

During this one-day event, participants can join in the sand castle building competition, rubber duck races in the UC Arbor, a bean bag toss activity, a limbo contest, volleyball on the UC South Lawn and much more including Henna Tattoos sponsored by the Council of Ethnic Organizations (CEO).

Information booths will be on site to give tidbits to those interested such as the Women's Resource Center, UHPD, and Counseling and Psychological Services.

Sigma Pi Fraternity will also be on hand with their ACE project highlighting the effects of alcohol, drinking and driving and memorializing the brothers they lost to a drunken driving accident in the spring of 2005. Accompanying Sigma Pi will be the Houston Fire Department and Yellow Cab.

Free food such as popcorn, sno-cones and mini ice cream cones from Shasta's Cones & More will be offered and special prizes can be won by students who participate in activities and visit information booths while completing an event passport. Sponsoring organizations of the Safe Spring Break, Caribbean Get-A-Way include the University Center and Associated Facilities, UH Wellness, Cougar PEP, UH Dining Services, Council of Ethnic Organizations, Woodforest National Bank and Sigma Pi Fraternity. For more information on the Safe Spring Break, Caribbean Get-A-Way, please visit www.uh.edu/ucaf.

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