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Top computer crime fighters to speak at OSU-Tulsa

The OSU Center for Telecommunications and Network Security (CTANS) will host computer crime fighters Steven D. Shirley, executive director of the Department of Defense Cyber Crime Center, and Jim Christy, director of the Defense Cyber Crime Institute, on Tuesday, Oct. 31, at the OSU-Tulsa Auditorium. The pair is scheduled to speak from 9:50 – 11:45 a.m. as the keynotes for the quarterly meeting of InfraGard, which is free and open to the public. No registration or RSVP is required to attend. Among his many distinctive "firsts," Shirley was the first case agent to investigate computer espionage and the first to use a stand alone personal computer for electronic surveillance. The afternoon portion of the meeting will be devoted to issues of voice over IP, a method for using the Internet and other networks to carry telephone traffic. An expert panel will field questions. For more information, contact CTANS at (405) 744-3000 or visit the website at http://ctans.okstate.edu/ .

Friends of the Forms spotlights Israel-Palestine conflict

Find out more about the conflicts in the Middle East and differing religious beliefs in the region. Friends of the Forms is sponsoring "The Israeli-Palestinian Problem: A Dialogue" on Thursday, Oct. 26, at 6 p.m. in the Student Union Theater. Speakers include Inmad Enchassi, a Palestinian immigrant and instructor at UCO, and Itai Lavi, an Israeli teacher who is spending two years in Oklahoma as a representative of his nation and of Judaism. Expect an informative and interactive experience. Everyone is invited to attend and admission is free.

Mortar Board book drive this week

Mortar Board is hosting a Wizard of Oz Book Drive this week. All books for children ages 4-8 are welcome (Wizard of Oz books are encouraged) and will be donated locally. Books can be donated at 060 Student Union. The deadline is this Friday, Oct. 27. For more information, contact natalie.trent@okstate.edu.This email address is being protected from spam bots, you need Javascript enabled to view it

Next OSU ECO-Film Project "An Inconvenient Truth"

The ECO-Film Project will present "An Inconvenient Truth" on Thursday, Oct. 26, at 7 p.m. in the Noble Research Center, room 106. From director Davis Guggenheim comes this Sundance Film Festival hit, which offers a passionate and inspirational look at Al Gore's crusade to halt global warming by exposing the myths and misconceptions that surround it. For more, click the following link Climate Crisis.

OSU-OKC Native American Students host "Code Talkers" Banquet

Dinner and activities honoring Native American World War I and II veterans as well as an exclusive preview of the Oklahoma History Center's new "Code Talkers" exhibit are among the highlights Wednesday, Nov. 8 at the OSU-OKC Native American Student Association "Code Talkers" Banquet. Tickets are \$25 (student tickets \$15 – quantity is limited) and advanced ticket purchase is required. Tickets may be purchased in person at the OSU-OKC Student Activities Office, or by mailing checks (payable to OSU-OKC NASA) to OSU-OKC Student Activities Office, Student Center Room 102A, 900 N. Portland Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73107-6195. Deadline for ticket sales is Monday, Oct. 30. The Oklahoma History Center, 2401 N. Laird Ave., is on the northeast corner of N.E. 23rd and Lincoln Boulevard, across from the state capitol. Parking is free. For more information, call the OSU-OKC Student Activities Office at (405) 945-3378.