

The Grouper

Vince Lombardi:

- “The difference between a successful person and others is not a lack of strength, not a lack of knowledge, but rather in a lack of will.”



Submissions from your organization must be received by 5:00 pm on Sunday to be included in Monday's GROUPER.

Submissions may include calendar items, awards, or anything else newsworthy.

To submit an item for inclusion in the newsletter, simply go to:
<http://usfsp.edu/grouper>
and complete the form.

Questions?

Contact Ralph Reid at
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727-873-4500.

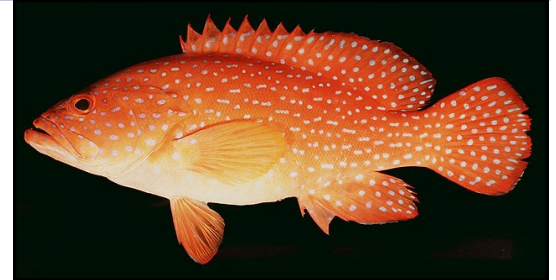
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Lead Week 2012

Mark your calendars, Lead Week 2012 is almost here! Lead Week is a week-long celebration of leadership at USFSP. Each day, a leadership inspired event takes place. For more information, go to <http://usfsp.edu/leadweek>.



Lead Week 2012 Events:

Monday, February 20th, 2012 (11:00 am - 1:00 pm) - "A Taste of Leadership" Lead Week 2012 Kickoff
Tuesday, February 21st, 2012 (7:00 pm - 10:00 pm) - Reel Leadership
Wednesday, February 22nd, 2012 (11:30 am - 1:30 pm) - Kayak Cleanup
Thursday, February 23rd, 2012 (6:00 pm - 8:00 pm) - LeaderSpeak
Friday, February 24th, 2012 (9:00 am - 5:00 pm) - Corporate Leadership Retreat

February Student Health 101

Check out USFSP's Student Health 101 magazine – and enter to win \$1,000: <http://readsh101.com/stpt.html>.

The February issue has some great articles including:

- Keeping Your Relationship Healthy
- Apps to Keep You Fit and Healthy
- What to Do If Your Grades Are Slipping
- Résumés: How to Get Yours in Shape
- How Better Sleep Can Improve Your Life
- A Good Wrap: Why Condoms Are King

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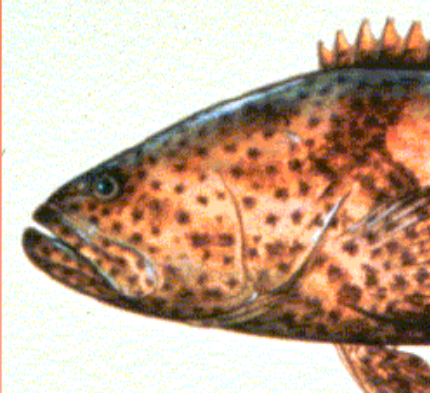
Leadership & Engagement Awards

The Department of Student Life & Engagement is proud to announce the opening of nominations for our 2011-2012 awards program for our student leaders, organizations/clubs, and supportive members of the faculty and staff. The Leadership & Engagement Awards Ceremony recognizes the leaders, programs, and events that make the University of South Florida St. Petersburg a better place. Awards will be presented to recipients at the Leadership & Engagement Awards Ceremony which will be held at 6:00 pm on Monday, April 23, 2012 in the Harbor Hall (HBR) Gallery.

Freshman/Sophomore/Junior/Senior Student Leader of the Year
Outstanding Organization of the Year
Student Organization Advisor of the Year
Emerging Student Leader
Outstanding New Student Organization
Outstanding Program of the Year
Diversity Program Award
Unsung Hero Award – awarded to a student and an employee
The Incredi-"BULL" Award

Download nomination forms at http://usfsp.edu/studentlife/student_organizations/awards.htm.
The deadline to submit completed nomination forms is 5:00 pm on Monday, March 19, 2012.

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This week's catch....

Week of February 6th

Wednesday, February 8, 2012 from 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm at Nelson Poynter Library (POY) Poynter Corner

Celebrating our Autonomy: A Centennial Celebration for Pinellas County

Speaker: Jim Schnur, Special Collections Librarian

Long before the battles over the best site for a baseball stadium, the regional rivalry between Tampa and St. Petersburg focused on political sovereignty, the power of the purse, and a struggle for independence. Celebrate Pinellas's Centennial and learn about the political battles that raged across Tampa Bay long before the first bridge spanned the water.

Thursday, February 9, 2012 starting at 3:30 pm at Davis Memorial Hall (DAV) 130

Cynthia Barnett and the Case for a Water Ethic

Longtime Florida journalist and author of two books about water issues, including the recently acclaimed *Blue Revolution: Unmaking America's Water Crisis* (Beacon Press, 2011), Barnett will engage the USFSP community about a key issue in Florida and the U.S., as well as globally.

Americans use more water than any other culture in the world, much to quench what's now our largest crop—the lawn. Yet most Americans cannot name the river or aquifer that flows to our taps, irrigates our food and produces our electricity. And most don't realize their freshwater sources are in trouble. Barnett proposes the most important part of the solution is also the simplest and least expensive: a shared water ethic among citizens, government and major water users.

Part of a lecture series sponsored by the university's Center for Science and Policy Applications for the Coastal Environment (C-SPACE) and the Florida Studies Program, this event is FREE and open to the public.

For more information, please visit www.usfsp.edu/cspace and www.usfsp.edu/floridastudies or call (727) 873-4872.