



# Boise State International Insider

## News for International Students

December 15, 2011

International Student Services

### Coming Events & Activities

December 16<sup>th</sup>, 10:00am: Winter Commencement ceremony. Congratulations, graduates!!

December 16<sup>th</sup>, noon: University Residence Halls will close for Winter Break.

December 26<sup>th</sup> thru' January 2<sup>nd</sup>: University offices will be closed (including ISS)

January 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>: Orientation for new international students.

January 30<sup>th</sup> thru' February 3<sup>rd</sup>: International Check-in for returning students. Mark your calendar NOW! More details on this later.

### ♪ Winter Break Notes ♪

- ♪ This will be the last newsletter for the Fall semester. The first edition of the Insider for the Spring semester will go out on January 12<sup>th</sup>.
- ♪ Coffee & Conversation will return on Wednesday, January 18, 2012. Christy will send out an announcement if ISS is able to host a social event on Wednesday, December 21 and Wednesday, January 4 for the students who are in town.
- ♪ ISS will be closed December 26<sup>th</sup> thru' January 2<sup>nd</sup>. If you have a situation that comes up during the break that cannot wait until we return to the office, please call 208-426-3652 and leave a detailed message, including your name, contact number and a *brief* description of your issue. The staff will be checking voice mail. We will respond only to true emergencies.
- ♪ Want to know an easy way to save \$50.00? Come to International Check-in, January 30<sup>th</sup> thru' February 3<sup>rd</sup>. This check-in is required by US Immigration and only takes a few minutes. It will cost you a \$50.00 fee if you show up late or don't come at all!
- ♪ For students who are not leaving Boise, continue to watch your email and FB messages. ISS is hoping to plan some activities during the winter break for you.



The **Boise State International Insider** is a weekly feature of International Student Services, in the Student Diversity Center.

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