HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!

Now that summer is near, will you be staying around the Kalamazoo Area? Want something fun to do this summer? Here is a list of FUN Festivals that will be going on in the Kalamazoo Area! Make sure to check them out!

Greek Fest - June 2-4
Kalamazoo Pride - June 10-11
Kalamazoo Island Fest - June 16-18
Irish Fest - June 26-27
Kalamazoo Blues Festival - July 7-9
Black Arts Festival - July 13-19
Taste & Brew of Kalamazoo - July 23-25
Community Advocates Ribfest - August 4-6
Audiotree Music Festival - August 20

For more information, check out the MLive Article: http://www.mlive.com/entertainment/kalamazoo/index.ssf/2015/02/downtown_kalamazoo_festivals_2_3.html
MEET OUR NEW OSI INTERNS!

Alejandro Alaniz
Hometown: Alamo, TX
Favorite Color: Blue
Position with OSI: Programming Intern
“I am really excited to work with OSI as a Programming Intern! I think it’s going to be a lot of fun being able to plan awesome events that students want to see on campus!”

Chido Chigwede
Hometown: Harare (Zimbabwe’s capital. …Zimbabwe is in Southern Africa …which is not the same as South Africa)
Favorite Color: Green
“What are you most excited about for your role with OSI: Working with other OSI humans! I love the community that is fostered within OSI itself, and the dedicated and selfless people that go out of their way to make the campus a happier and more fun place to be.”

Melissa Erikson
Hometown: Rochester Hills, MI
Favorite Color: Purple
Position with OSI: Programming Intern
“I’m very excited to have a more formalized leadership role on the team and I’m excited to be able to get the change to help take OSI to new heights!”

Amber Sims
Hometown: Chicago, IL
Favorite Color: A deep, rich purple
Position with OSI: Marketing Intern
“I am excited about helping to make first years feel welcomed during orientation week as well as helping returning students to feel welcomed and excited particularly at the beginning of each quarter when everything is fresh and open.”

Jasmine Khin
Hometown:
Favorite Color: Burgundy
Position with OSI: Programming Intern
“The ability to improve my skills and learn new ones in programming & event planning. Also, to make new friends. This internship will change the way I relate to the student body as I will have an active role in bringing the campus together.”

Grant Rios (New OSI Graduate Assistant)
Hometown: Flossmoor, IL
Favorite color: Red and its varying shades
Favorite candy: Kit-Kat
What you are most excited about for your role with OSI: I’m excited to work with a diverse student population and put on some high impact, quality programs!