

Rides for Sparta and Tomah **students** (only)
pick up/drop off at SPARTA Amish Cheese House
(711 Avon Road)
leave at 8:45 a.m., return by about 2:30 p.m.
(Ride not guaranteed if registration is late!)

Clip and mail the reply form below.
MAIL BY FEB. 3 for FEBRUARY 10 DEADLINE!
or go to <http://tinyurl.com/UB218RSVP>
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1725 STATE STREET
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Finding the BEST path to your
wonderful, challenging,
memorable
future in college!

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thaum 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

*Saturday, February 18
9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Skogen Auditorium
1400 Centennial Hall
UW-La Crosse*



Upward Bound
176 Murphy Resource
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UW-La Crosse
La Crosse, WI 54601
608 785-8539
www.uwlax.edu/upbound



ACT for your FUTURE!
Saturday, February 18, 2012
1400 Centennial Hall, UW-L

Program

- 9:30 a.m. Arrival and check in
- 9:40 Welcome and Introductions
Kate Oganowski, UB Interim Director
- 9:45 Keynote Address:
Phillip J. Daniel, American College Testing Consultant and ACT Red Quill Award committee chair
- 10:40 Break
- 10:45 Concurrent Workshops
see descriptions on next panel
- noon Student writing / Closing
- 12:30 p.m. End (depart for bowling)

Student Attire

UB students - please wear "business casual" for the conference. Bring and change into more casual clothes for bowling.

Following the conference

From 12:30 to 2:00 p.m., UB students will go bowling at Pla-mor Lanes (807 Fourth St. S.). Parents are invited to join us! Registration by Feb. 10 is required and adults must pay for their own shoes/games. We will have more info about cost by January. We expect it will be about \$6 per person.

Higher education makes a huge difference!

With a college degree, you're likely to make lots more money than people who stop at high school. More education means more job choices, and that means more opportunities for you. A college degree increases your chance of employment by nearly 50%. Jobs for college graduates typically offer more and better benefits like insurance and retirement plans.

In November, 2011, the unemployment rate for those with a college degree or higher was half that for people with just a high school diploma (4.4% vs. 8.8%).
- Bureau of Labor Statistics, UW Dept. of Labor

WORKSHOPS

Planning Your Future

How to get there from here

Join **Barbara Martin-Stanley**, a counselor in the UW-L Admissions office, to learn which high school courses you should take and why!
for ninth grade students & parents



It's about TIME!

Managing school, work, friends & activities



A UW-L professional will discuss planning a schedule that allows you to fit in all the important stuff!
for tenth grade students & parents

Countdown to College

ACT, college applications, FAFSAs and more!

Paul Krause, UB's assistant director, will take you on a month-by-month trip from now to fall 2013, covering specific steps and how UB will help.
for eleventh grade students & parents



You Made it! Now What?!

Andrea Higgins, UW-L's First Year Experience/Student Success Coordinator, will discuss the transition to and survival during the first year of college including what to expect and how to avoid pitfalls!
for twelfth grade students & parents



REGISTRATION FORM

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for UB students **and their parents/guardians**
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Number attending: ___ UB student(s) ___ adults

Name(s) _____

Check here if OTHER (not UB students) family members will bowl at Pla-Mor Lanes (est. \$6 per person payable at Pla-Mor). **HOW MANY OTHERS (not including you!) WILL BOWL?**

STUDENT needs ride from/to Sparta

Upward Bound students are required to attend. If you are a UB student and will NOT attend this required event, please note reason below and talk to Paul, Kate or Lisa: