Thursday, August 1st, 2013  

**Bolder by Design Strategic Imperative:**
Increase research opportunities.

**August in Perspective:**
The busy month of August has arrived! Below are some important dates for this month that will all be here before we know it!

- **16 Days Away:** International Student Move-In (8/17)
- **23 Days Away:** New Freshmen and Transfer Student Move-In Begins (8/24-8/25)
- **25 Days Away:** Returning Student Move-In (8/26)
- **26 Days Away:** Sparticipation (8/27)
- **27 Days Away:** Fall Semester Classes Begin (8/28)

**MSU Student Organic Farm Tour**
Thursday, August 15th, 2013 from 1:00 – 2:00 pm  
The MSU Student Organic Farm is a 14.5 acre certified year-round teaching and production farm. Don’t miss the chance to take a tour! RSVP now for this free event that would be a great way to spend your lunch break!
You will learn about how the farm operates! Click here to register.

**Did you miss July’s Recipe for Health Cooking Demo?**
Read a recap in this [Eat at State article](#)! Chef Kurt made a peach and blackberry dessert pizza, which you can still get the recipe for [here](#).
Also, be on the lookout for August’s Recipe for Health, which features cucumbers and mark your calendars for this cooking demo on August 7th from 12:10 – 12:50 pm at Brody Square. You don’t want to miss it!

**Today’s Weather:**  
79° / 58°  
Mostly Sunny

**Happy August!**

**Help Desk Bi-Weekly Meeting**
10:30 – 11:00 am  
IS Resource Room 131

**Bi-Weekly OPTIM Meeting**
2:00 – 3:00 pm  
IS Conference Room 130

**Convival Reporting**
3:30 – 4:30 pm  
IS Conference Room 130

**IS Reminders:**
- The first CPR training session is next week on August 7th and the second one is the following week on August 14th! Calendar appointments were sent out for those who signed up. Be sure to double check!
- A refrigerator cleanout is scheduled for next Friday, August 9th! Please put a note on anything you don’t want thrown away!