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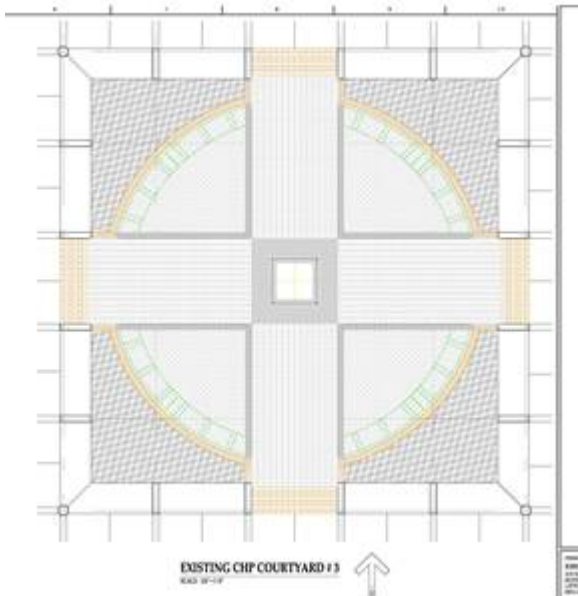
**Legacy Garden construction to begin Monday** – The College of Health Professions' new Legacy Garden will be moving from being a good idea to a reality very soon. Construction on the garden will begin Monday, March 3.

The new Legacy Garden is located between Buildings 6A and Building 7A on UAMS's west campus in Little Rock. Currently, the round courtyard is in poor shape. Several of the square stone seats are missing, the fountain is inoperative, and the landscaping is overgrown, in need of complete replacement.

Plans for the Legacy Garden include a renovation of the courtyard. Construction crews will install new brick pavers, fabricate and place new bench seating, replace the inoperative fountain with a new one that will harmonize with the mid-century modern architecture of the campus, replace landscape plans, and install new irrigation and lighting systems. The finishing touch will be the placement of "legacy bricks" that have been purchased by generous donors to honor or memorialize individuals.

The campaign to build the Legacy Garden started as part of the college's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration in 2011. At that time, legacy bricks could be purchased for the special price of \$40. Bricks may now be purchased for \$100. Proceeds from the sale of the bricks will be used for student scholarships in the College of Health Professions. [Click here](#) to download an order form. Bricks purchased now will be placed during the initial construction.

When completed around the end of May 2014, the Legacy Garden will be a pleasant, attractive space to relax, de-stress, and socialize. We expect, too, that it will be used for outdoor events and receptions. Please be patient with the dust and noise; the finished product will be worth the temporary inconvenience.



## Timely Matters

**February 28 (Today)** – Degree plans due in Registrar's office – all new students

**March 14 (Friday)** – Last day to drop courses with "W" showing on transcript; afterward only grades of "WF" (Withdrew-Failing) or "WP" (Withdrew-Passing) will be assigned

**March 24-28 (Monday-Friday)** – College of Health Professions Spring Break – no classes

**March 26 (Wednesday)** – Deadline for submitting abstracts for 2014 Student Research Day

**May 2 (Friday)** – Last day to withdraw from classes

**May 9 (Friday)** – Grades due in the Registrar's office for graduating students

**May 12-16 (Monday-Friday)** – Final examinations

**May 16 (Friday)** – Grades due in the Registrar's office for all students not graduating in May; Last day to remove grade of "I" earned in fall 2013; Last day to submit outstanding documents for May graduation; End of spring semester

**May 17 (Saturday)** – Commencement, Verizon Arena, 3:00 pm; faculty expected to attend



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