

## Purchasing News ~ February 2019



### **\*\*Exciting Announcement ~ CTW OneSource Purchasing Portal Implementation\*\***



Did you know that Wesleyan University is very close to introducing one of the most innovative technological solutions that will transform your procure-to-pay experience? It is with great pleasure that we announce the pending implementation of the new Purchasing Portal, *CTW OneSource*. Expanding on the past success of the CTW consortium library integration, this project is a joint effort with Connecticut College and Trinity College to streamline internal eProcurement services in a user-friendly, cloud-based system. In just a few months, users will be able to access the consortium's preferred vendors and negotiated prices in one place via this Portal. In addition, the system creates a unified eMarketplace, Contract Management (Phase 2), and Sourcing and Bidding environment, accommodating all possible purchasing needs in one convenient location.

*CTW OneSource* is big news for every department on campus! So how does this change affect you? This system will allow you to search by keyword from an aggregate of vendors and compare discounted prices in real time. You will experience all of the convenience of online purchasing with none of the hassle, as the site is tailor-made to fit our needs. All of our negotiated discounts will be automatically factored into the end pricing. We will be rolling out the pilot program within the next couple of months. Keep an eye out for notices to come regarding training dates and progress updates!

### **Sprint ~ Employee Discounts**

Sprint offers special discounts to Wesleyan employees. Please reference Corp ID **GVRT\_ZZZ** to add the discount code to your account. If you have any general questions on Sprint Discount Program, please contact our Account Manager Joshua Parker via email at [Joshua.Parker@sprint.com](mailto:Joshua.Parker@sprint.com) or via phone at 781-494-1225.

For all current promotions, please visit [Sprint Works \(Education\) Program](#).

#### **Ways to Join the Discount Program:**

Online: <http://sprint.co/2CQXrtd>

In-Store: [www.sprint.com/storelocator](http://www.sprint.com/storelocator)

Telesales: (866) 639-8354

#### **Current Sprint Customer? Want to Add Your Corporate ID?**

Click on this link for detailed instructions: <http://bit.ly/2FiV8TL>

Click on this link to download a verification form: <http://bit.ly/2RmZH5S>

### **Enterprise Car Rental**

Ali Jamiel is our Sales Executive for Enterprise Car Rental. You may reach Ali via phone at 860-627-8080 ext.208 or via email at [Alexandra.F.Jamiel@ehi.com](mailto:Alexandra.F.Jamiel@ehi.com). As a reminder, there are two contracts numbers: **Business CID: XZ48457 and Leisure CID: XZ48458.**

### **BJs New Membership Savings ~ valid through March 30, 2019**

BJs is currently offering a membership discount to Wesleyan faculty and staff. There are two different offers, one for new memberships and one for existing memberships (renewals). Please review the following attached [application and instructions](#) for details. If you have any additional questions, please contact Maggie directly via phone at (860) 442-6963 or via email [mspada@bjs.com](mailto:mspada@bjs.com).

### **Courtyard by Marriott Hartford Cromwell ~ Wesleyan Contact & New Director of Sales**

Lisa Fish is our Sales Rep. Please direct any questions regarding Wesleyan discount rate (\$99 per night) to Linda. She can be reached via phone at (860) 894-5009 or via email at [lfish@waterfordhotelgroup.com](mailto:lfish@waterfordhotelgroup.com).

Brendan Saunders is the new Director of Sales and Marketing at Courtyard by Marriot Hartford Cromwell. Brendan first served as the Corporate Sales Manager in 2014 before departing to work with the Residence Inn Rocky Hill and most recently, the Courtyard by Marriott in Farmington. Brendan's personality, knowledge, and passion for customer service make him a natural fit to lead our sales effort. If you would like to reach out to Brendan directly, he can be reached at (860) 894-5006 or by email at [bsaunders@waterfordhotelgroup.com](mailto:bsaunders@waterfordhotelgroup.com).



*Purchasing Department Wishes You a Happy Valentine's Day!*