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HONORS WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS – 2/24/26

HONORS MERCH WINNERS!

Congratulations to Anya De La Pena and Sam Donovan who won Honors hoodies! They were both entered into the raffle by filling out the Honors first year survey. Stay tuned for other opportunities like this one where you might win some Honors swag!

ALL-COLLEGE MEETING

LinkedIn Workshop

Earn Honors All-College Meeting credit by attending a workshop on **Friday, February 27th, from 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.** in University Hall 203 where you can transform your LinkedIn profile into a powerful professional asset! Join us for a hands-on workshop where you'll learn exactly how to build a profile that gets noticed. A peer leader will guide you step-by-step on how to find and network with key people in your field, set up job alerts and application tips. This is a practical, hands-on session where you'll learn from your peers who have successfully secured internships and jobs this way; **please bring a charged device and, if possible, create a LinkedIn account in advance. We will edit your profile together!** Food will be provided.

Graduate School Workshop

Earn Honors All-College Meeting credit by attending a workshop on **Thursday, March 5th, from 12:30 to 1:45 p.m.** in University Hall room 115. This will provide students with the opportunity to ask WP Honors College Alums who are now in graduate school questions about choosing and applying to grad school. RSVP using the QR code on the flyer below. Seats are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

CIVIC ENGAGEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Slices of Service - this Saturday, 2/28!

Earn LOW-Level Honors civic engagement credit by participating in Slices of Service on SATURDAY, 2/28 from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. in the Honors Office (Raubinger 207). Participants will make peanut butter and jelly sandwiches and notes of encouragement for unhoused individuals in Paterson. Space is limited and preregistration is required: [Slices of Service SIGN-UP](#).

Saturday Service

Saturday Service at the Father English Food Pantry with the Honors Club continues this Saturday, 2/28 from 8:00 – 10:00 a.m. Students who participate will receive Honors LOW-level civic engagement credit. Duties include packaging food, unloading donations, stocking shelves, and general cleaning. Limited transportation from campus is available. If you are interested in participating, please use this link to sign-up: [Saturday Service Sign-Up Sheet](#). We will contact you on Thursday, 2/26 with more details.

Virtual Knowledge Cafe – Must register by tomorrow, 2/25

Join a Virtual Knowledge Cafe for a conversation on global mindset on Thursday, March 12th from 12:30-1:55 p.m. to earn LOW-level civic engagement credit. This will be an opportunity to converse with students from different countries about global topics. Students who join MUST actively participate and stay for the entire session to earn credit. To sign up, fill out this [form](#) by tomorrow, February 25th. Spots are limited on a first come, first served basis.

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

M.A. in Clinical & Counseling Psychology Open House

Attend a virtual open house to learn more about the M.A. in Clinical & Counseling Psychology program here at William Paterson University. The event will take place tomorrow, Wednesday, February 25th at 5:00 p.m on Zoom. To join, use the QR code on the flyer below. For details about other info sessions about WP graduate programs, click [here](#).

Partners in Peace

The National Collegiate Honors Council (NCHC) has opened applications for the virtual Fall 2026 *Partners in Peace* course “*The Nobel Peace Prize Laureates – Exemplars of Determination, Faith, and Hope in Striving Towards Peace*” housed at Oslo New University College. The course includes weekly virtual class sessions, in person connections at NCHC 2026 in New Orleans (Nov. 12-14), and a trip to Oslo, Norway from December 7-12

to engage in the festivities surrounding the awarding of the 2026 Nobel Peace Prize. For more information and to apply, click [here](#).

HEAR FROM YOUR PEERS! (Angie, Owen, Preston, Rory, Sarah, and Thays)

Each week, the Honors College Peer Leaders provide tips for ways to help you have a successful semester. Honors Peer Leaders are upper division students who serve as a support network for other Honors students. Although they work with many first-year Honors students, assisting them with the successful transition from high school to college, all students in Honors can benefit from their knowledge and experience. Please visit [Peer Leaders!](#) to learn more.

Peer Leader Tip of the Week – Contribute Actively Rather than Attending Out of Obligation!

As a college student, you are expected to attend lots of things – class, meetings, and other events only to name a few. It’s easy to get in the routine of showing up only to get credit for attending, but this almost defeats the whole purpose of attending at all. Each class, meeting, and event is intended to provide you with a meaningful experience that will help you to grow as a student, professional, or an individual. This is why it is important to not only show up, but to engage, contribute, and soak up everything you can from each of these experiences.