

NEWSLETTER

UPCOMING TOWN HALLS

Town Halls will be Mondays or Wednesdays from 4:00PM-5:00PM. Each org needs to attend **6/10**

Town Halls for attendance requirement

DECEMBER

12.04.23: Mental Health Awareness
(HGSC 217B)

JANUARY

01.22.24: Community Engagement
(HGSC 200B)

FEBRUARY

02.05.24: Black History Month
02.28.24: Textbook Affordability
(HGSC 200A)

MARCH

03.04.24: Sexual Violence Awareness
(HGSC 200A)

APRIL

04.08.23: Earth Day
(HGSC 200A)



PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT REMARKS

For the remainder of the year, we will be using Owl Connect and emails to send out updates, surveys, feedback forms, and other important information. **Therefore, please make sure all Owl Connect Pages are fully updated.**

We had our third Town Hall on Basic Need this pass week. [Check out the slides here!](#) Our Director of Basic Needs, Halle Howard would like to thank everyone who attended, including Dr. Lori Lorditch, who partnered with us to make this event a success! If you want more details about this event there is more information underneath "What Happened This Week."

The Cherry Pantry [Slack](#) channel is a resource for students to use in order to receive alerts if there is free food or leftovers from an event. The link is attached to this newsletter, underneath the work Slack!

WHAT HAPPENED THIS WEEK

On Wednesday November 15th our Basic Needs Director, **Halle Howard** hosted a Basic Needs Town Hall today from 4pm-5pm. She discussed what basic needs are, why it is important for students to be aware of them, and the resources Temple provides to help students address their basic needs. Dr. Lori Lorditch, the Senior Health Services Coordinator at Temple, was featured as a guest speaker to speak to student about the importance of nutrition and well being for students.

On Thursday November 16th, Halle hosted a Basic Needs Fair and cleaning supplies donation drive. At this event she collected cleaning supplies for the Cherry Pantry to distribute to students. We are trying to make strides towards addressing student's non-food basic needs. She also hosted a pie raffle, so any student that donated had the chance to enter into a raffle to win a pie for the holidays! The Cherry Wardrobe was available for students to stop by!



INTERNAL SERVICES REPORT:

- Nothing to report



EXTERNAL AFFAIRS REPORT:

We have a new Director of Community Engagement!
Peyton Giordano!

COMMUNICATIONS REPORT

- Be sure to check out the Bulletin Board outside our room in SAC 244. Director of Digital Media, Layla Longo, designed it for student use.
- Janeese Hochstetler, Director of Outreach and Engagement, is hosting her “We Hear You” Roundtable on December 1, 2023. If you are a member of a STEM club, check your email for an invite sent from the TSG email. We encourage other students to reach out to Janeese to find out more information, and to see if your organization is eligible to attend.



ALLOCATIONS REPORT

Last day to submit any allocation requests for this fall semester will be **NOVEMBER 20th, 2023!!!**



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STUDENT ORG SHOUTOUTS

This week's shoutout will be for Temple's Hindu YUVA. Temple Hindu YUVA invites you to join our Dev Diwali event. This event celebrates Dev Diwali, an auspicious holiday in the Hindu calendar that is celebrated 15 days after Diwali. During the event, we look to celebrate the holiday with puja, food, and fun activities, while also exploring the history behind the holiday and its significance to Hinduism.



THANKSGIVING

This week is the start of Thanksgiving/Fall Break. TSG wants to wish you a good break and good luck on any midterms/finals you might be taking when you come back!



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