

The Honors Report

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December 2015 Graduation



Lauren Kriebel, Mary Paul, and Erin Runyon celebrate their graduation with close friend Leah Schwartz! Congratulations ladies!!

Fall Recognition Banquet

The Fall Recognition Banquet was held on Sunday, December 6 with special guest speaker, Dr. Diane Umble, Dean of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences. President Anderson stopped in to say a few words of congratulations to our graduating seniors being recognized that day; Lauren Kriebel, Mary Paul, and Erin Runyon.



President Anderson



Guest speaker Dr. Diane Umble



Dr. McPherson presented students with their awards



Students recognized for academic achievement included Joseph Asbury, Alyssa Bingaman, Hannah Campbell, Alexis Chin, Brandi Deaven, David Deighan, Elizabeth Dulac, Samantha Gillis, Maria Glotfelter, Jason Iyobhebhe, Joshua Larson, Leo London, Krista Mamet, Zach Mansfield, Seth Martin, Quinn Minnich, Katie Newcamp, Lauren Ostopowicz, Elizabeth Quinn, John Schoenewald, Roy Stetler, David Wuestner, Rachel Ashmore,

Sarah Barnes, Emily Cuthbert, Derick DeCamp, Sara Howell, Ivanny Jacome Ottati, Alexander Kaltenbaugh, Stefanie Mangir, Brett Morgan, Olivia Ober, Peter Sitarik, Kelsy Snavely, Jose Urena, Elizabeth Wahba, Cody Youse, Shannon Barns, Pineal Bekere, Jessica Butts, Jordan Card, Rebecca Hayes, Lauren Kriebel, Rachel Kunicki, Taylor Lagler, Julianne Metz, and Laura Saltzman. Our heartiest congratulations to our graduating seniors Lauren Kriebel, Mary Paul, and Erin Runyon.

*Times, Dates and Other
Items of Importance:*

Jan 17 (Sun): Residence Halls open 15:00 pm

Jan 18 (Mon): Holiday – University is closed

Jan 19 (Tues): Classes begin, late registration online.

Jan 26 (Tues): Last day to drop or add a course online by 11:59 pm.

Feb 27 (Sat): HCSA Formal in Lehr Dining Room, Bolger Conference Center

Mar 7 (Mon): Fall 2016 class schedule available online

Mar 7 (Mon): Spring Break!!!

Mar 14 (Mon): Classes resume



!Birthdays!

Birthday greetings to our students celebrating their arrival on this earth during December and January:

Andrew Wolins	Dec 2
Haley Poust	Dec 3
Brooke Dobbs	Dec 6
Julianne Metz	Dec 8
Delaney Costante	Dec 8
Shane Billbrough	Dec 9
Cara Discavage	Dec 9

Amanda Dzedzic	Dec 10
Alyssa Bingaman	Dec 11
Tabitha Brobston	Dec 11
Emily Cuthbert	Dec 15
Kelly Brievea	Dec 17
Ivanny Jacome	Dec 21
Alex Paul	Dec 21
Elizabeth Siebold	Dec 26
Tyler Smith	Dec 27
Megan Davis	Jan 5
Samantha Raum	Jan 5
David Deighan	Jan 7
Paul Clemmer	Jan 8
Harry Betz	Jan 9
Brandi Deaven	Jan 17
Mary Gilbert	Jan 19
Ashley Wells	Jan 19
Emily Wessel	Jan 19
Ryan Lower	Jan 22
Joy Thames	Jan 30
Rita Laychock	Jan 30

Remember your friends on their special day!

Dr. Downey's Spring 2016 Office Hours:

**Monday, Wednesday, & Friday
9:00 am-12:00 pm**

Other times available by appointment! Call: 871-7552. Dr. Downey's office hours may be subject to change at times.

Honors College Student Association

The Honors College Student Association encourages all freshmen to become involved in this organization as it is for YOU! Officers for the 2015-2016 year are:

President:	Jo Caruso
Vice-President:	Bryan Diehm
Treasurer:	Ben Zwolan
Secretary:	Elizabeth Siebold
Community Service:	Emily Wessel
Fundraising:	Brandi Deaven
Special Events:	Jaclyn Belew

Public Relations: Joshua Larson
 Historian: Kevin Goldfinger
 Mentor Chair: Sara Howell
 Membership Retention: Jan van der Veken
 Alumni Chair: Zach Cober

New York City Bus Trip

Tickets for a Broadway show will be purchased during the first 2 weeks of January for the New York City bus trip on April 2, 2016. Those students who have been active in the HCSA during the fall semester and have participated in the community service events will be the first ones to receive an email to sign up for the trip. Please note that if you sign up for this trip, it will cost you \$22.00 this time and you will automatically be put down for a ticket for the show. If you are not able to attend on that day, you will forfeit any monies paid by you. This is due to the cost of the tickets for the show. There will only be one coach to NYC on that day. Total number of seats and tickets will be 53 to students.

Thank you!!!

A HUGE thank you going out to Dr. McPherson for spending the fall semester with all of us here at the Honors College. Her time with us gave Dr. Downey the chance to finally take his sabbatical and get his current research project off the ground!

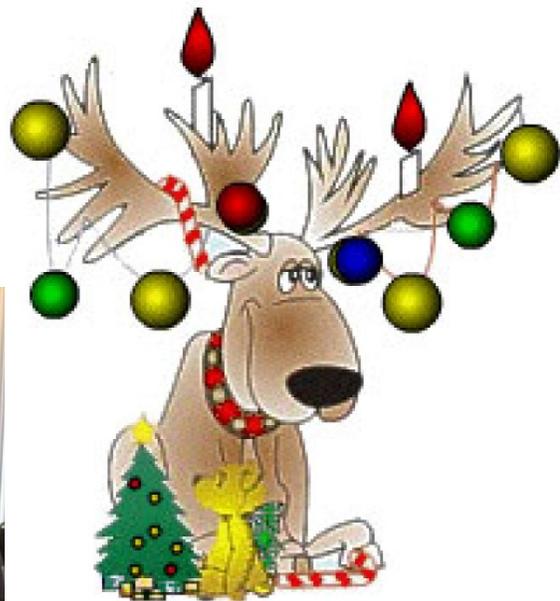


Dr. McPherson did enjoy her time with all of us ----



Escape from Lancaster!

Students had the opportunity to attend Escape Room Lancaster as the December special event on either December 4th or 5th. The groups of students were locked inside a room and given one hour to solve the clues in order to get themselves out! This trip served as a great team building exercise and gave everyone a break from studying for finals! The group that went on Saturday the 5th solved the clues in record time!



For those who celebrate – Merry Christmas from all of us to all of you!! See you in the spring semester!!