



IME Newsletter Week 12



Happy Monday and cheers to a new week! This week is [Trans Awareness Week](#) (celebrated from November 13-November 19), a time when trans people and their allies bring attention to the trans community and the issues they face. Trans Awareness Week culminates on November 20, with Transgender Day of Remembrance.

Additionally, November is Indigenous Peoples' Heritage Month, a time to celebrate the histories and ongoing cultures and traditions of Indigenous people around the world. Join IME, Native Student Union, and our Indigenous Peoples' Heritage Month Planning Committee in celebrating this special month -- see below for a list of events and opportunities!

For PDF versions and archives, visit the [IME website](#) or click [this link](#).

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IME Events and News

First Gen Table Talks

Tuesday, November 18
3:30-5:00pm
Beth Miller Lounge

Enjoy some free food and engage in a monthly community/networking informal meeting with other First-Generation students, staff, faculty, and those just interested in learning more. Gain navigational skills by asking 'adulting 101' questions!

Guests: Gaby Herrmann (Case Management) & Susan Metcalfe, LCSW & Max Usman, Counseling Trainee (Student Counseling Center)



Send Some Love

Wednesday, November 19
3:00-5:00pm
IME Suite

Feeling homesick or just wanna send someone a little love? Join IME & ISS for our Send Some Love Postcard Event!

Drop in, grab a postcard, decorate it, and write a note to someone you care about. We'll have treats, tea, and all the supplies ready for you. Just fill it out, hand it back,

and we'll mail it for you.



GEM Gathering: Fiber Arts Night

Wednesday, November 19
6:30-7:30pm
IME Suite

Join Mentors Jazmin and Rosa for their GEM Gathering: Fiber Arts Night! Learn how to crochet or knit. No experience required! All materials provided or bring your own. There'll be snacks, warm cider, and cozy creations!



Community Connect: Financial Literacy

Thursday, November 20
7:00 PM
IME Suite

Join Mentors Jazmin, Jatniel, and Thoan, along with Assistant Director Kai, for their Community Connect Event, where they provide a crash course in Financial Literacy! From credit cards and loans to investing for your future, this workshop aims to give you the tools to start moving forward!



FINANCIAL LITERACY: CREDIT, DEBIT, AND EVERYTHING IN BETWEEN

Join us for a laid-back financial literacy crash course! We'll break down the basics of credit cards, debit cards, loans, savings, and even a tiny intro to investing. Whether you're trying to avoid debt, build credit, or just keep your bank account alive past midterms, this workshop gives you the tools to start your financial life.

Where? IME Suite Thursday November 20th 7:00 PM

QUESTIONS? MULTICUTURAL@LCLARK.EDU




COMMUNITY CIRCLE

NOVEMBER 20, 2025

(DOORS 3:45) 4 - 6 PM **SMITH HALL**

Theme: Navigating Our Intersecting Identities and Belonging Under Current Social and Political Forces.

Join SACNAS and IME for an interactive Community Circle exploring identity, belonging, and how current social and political forces shape our communities.

Campus-wide event. Open to students, faculty, and staff
Questions? Email multicultural@lclark.edu or sacnas@lclark.edu

Please RSVP




IME x SACNAS: Community Circle

Thursday, November 20
4:00-6:00pm
Smith Hall

Join IME and SACNAS for a Community Circle centered on identity, belonging, and navigating our experiences within current social and political climates.

This space is open to all faculty, staff, and students and will include small-group discussions guided by themed prompts, as well as opportunities to connect, reflect, and build community.

Doors open at 3:45 PM.

Transgender Day of Remembrance Vigil

Thursday, November 20
5:30-6:30pm
IME Suite

Join IME and Queer Student Union in honoring Transgender Day of Remembrance. We will be lighting battery-operated candles to honor the lives lost due to anti-trans violence in the past year. We encourage everyone to come and be in community.

Join QSU and IME in honoring
**TRANSGENDER DAY OF
REMEMBRANCE**

We will light candles to honor the lives lost due to anti-trans violence in the past year. Come be in community. Candles will be provided or bring your own.

Thursday, November 20
5:30-6:30pm
IME Suite



Questions? multicultural@lclark.edu



GEM Gathering: Dear My Future Self

Saturday, November 22
3:00-5:00pm
IME Suite

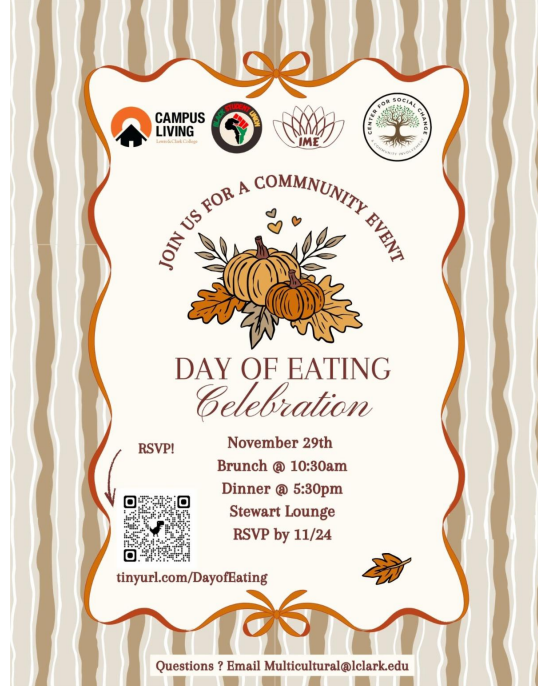
Come join Mentor Thoan's GEM Gathering: Dear My Future Self! Make your own wishing bottle with a letter to your future self.

2025 IME x Campus Living x Center for Social Change: Community Dinner

Saturday, November 29
5:30pm
Stewart Main Lounge

Staying on campus for the holiday break? You're invited to join us for a cozy community dinner filled with great food and friends! Let's come together to celebrate the season of gratitude in community—you deserve it!

RSVP
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Indigenous Peoples' Heritage Month

November is Indigenous Peoples' Heritage Month!

During November, we honor and celebrate the culture, traditional practices, and customs of Indigenous peoples. With many Indigenous peoples spread over many countries worldwide, we take this month to recognize the stories of all Indigenous peoples. Please see our website to learn more about each specific event!

Learn More About IPHM
Events!



Contemplative Resilience Workshop

Wednesday, December 3
4:00-5:30pm
Meditation Room, Center for Spiritual Life

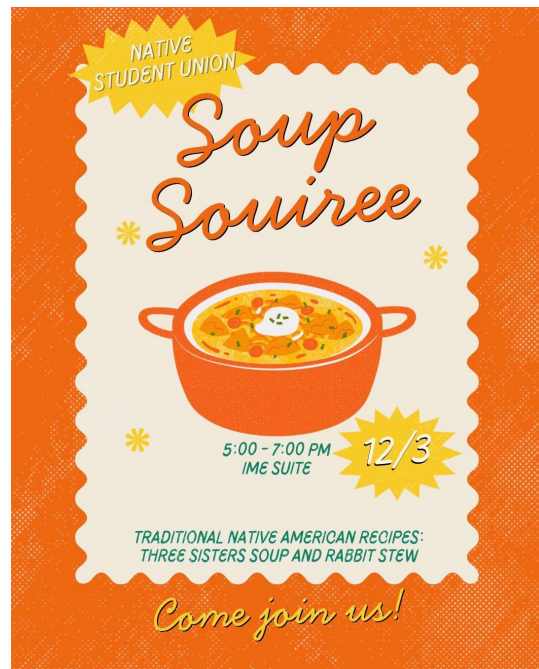
Join Psychology instructor, Sarina Saturn in a restorative and regenerating space! We will be practicing mindfulness and meditation in order to strengthen our internal resilience. We will have self-care items for folks to take with them post-event.

Attendees are encouraged to join NSU for their Soup Soiree after this event!

Native Student Union Soup Soiree

Wednesday, December 3
6:00-7:30pm
IME Suite

On December 3rd the Native Student Union is hosting a Soup Souiree in the IME Suite. Come by to try some delicious Native soup recipes of three sisters soup and rabbit stew! Event will take place from 6-7:30pm.



More Events and News

The Nest Resource Center Opens!

The Nest, Lewis & Clark's resource center located on undergrad campus in Roberts 112, is opening up starting the week of November 3rd! It is available to Law students, Grad students, and Undergrad students

The Nest offers a clothing swap closet, food pantry, resources, textbooks, and much more.

Roberts 112 hours will be open 10am-10pm. If you have any questions, please email thelcnest@gmail.com.



Ray Warren Symposium Art Show Reception!

Wednesday, November 19
3:30-5:00
Library Atrium

Please join us this Wednesday at a reception celebrating this year's Ray



Warren Symposium Art Show! The reception will offer an opportunity for students, faculty, staff, and community members to speak to the curators of this year's exhibit as well as the artists whose work is showcased, and there will be snacks!

The Palestine Exception: Film Screening & Dialogue with the Producer

Wednesday, November 19
5:00pm
Council Chamber

The Lewis & Clark Jewish Student Association presents The Palestine Exception, a documentary film that tells the story of the largest anti-war movement since the 1970s as students, faculty and staff on campuses across the US demand divestment from companies doing business with Israel and an end to the war on Gaza.

Producer Marlene Eid will be in attendance for the dialogue!



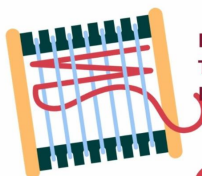
STUDENT COUNSELING CENTER

THE LET OUT

PRESENTS

GRATITUDE AND ART SESSION

A safe, empowering space for BIPOC students to reflect on gratitude for self, others, and community while in college. All are welcome to weave, colour, and create together.



Date: Wednesday, 19th November
Time: 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm
Location: Lower Odell Rm003

DROP BY TO CONNECT WITH
PEERS, ENJOY PIZZA, AND
REFLECT THROUGH CREATIVITY.

CONTACT CLEONCE@LCLARK.EDU WITH ANY QUESTIONS

The Let Out: Gratitude and Art Session

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Lower Odell Room 003

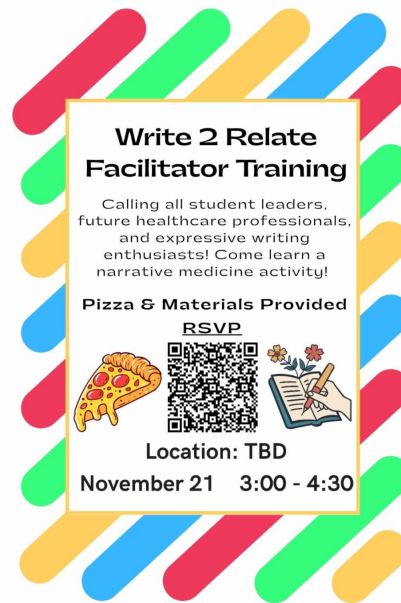
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Drop by to connect with peers, enjoy pizza, and reflect through creativity

Friday, November 21
3:00-4:30

All are welcome and invited to join us for the Write 2 Relate training! Please make sure to RSVP early so we can update you on the location and get your favorite kind of pizza.

RSVP
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Hosted by the Lewis & Clark Center for Community and Global Health
Email jnaworski@clark.edu with questions, concerns, or bright ideas.



ISLC Friendsgiving Event

Friday, November 28
5:00-8:00
Gregg Pavilion

Are you staying on campus over Thanksgiving Break? Come join us for a meal and celebrate our community on November 28th from 5 to 8 PM at the Gregg Pavilion. To ensure we have enough food for everyone, please fill out the RSVP form by Friday, November 21st. This event is co-sponsored by ISLC, VPSL and Forest RAs.

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Opportunities

Get involved with Affinity Student Orgs!

Looking to gain some leadership experience?! Consider taking on a leadership role in one of our many Affinity-based student orgs. We are currently seeking additional student leaders in the Adoptee Club, Asian Student Union, Native Student Union and Queer Student Union. See the link to

express interest and to learn more!

Express Interest
Here

CALLING ON NEW LEADERS!



GET INVOLVED!



Learn more about all our Affinity Student Orgs by emailing
multicultural@clark.edu

WE ARE SEEKING NEW LEADERS FOR:

Adoptee Club (adopteeclub@clark.edu)
Asian Student Union (asue@clark.edu)
Native Student Union (nsue@clark.edu)
Queer Student Union (qsue@clark.edu)



express your interest here by 1/23!
[tinyurl.com/
2025LeaderInterest](https://tinyurl.com/2025LeaderInterest)

CALL FOR STORYTELLERS: INDIGENOUS STORIES ABOUT MOSS



Love storytelling, theatre, or spoken word? Join us in bringing Indigenous stories to life for an Ear Forest exhibition for Moss Week 2026. Help us record six stories celebrating the relationship between humans and moss. No experience required. Participants will receive a \$75 honorarium.

More info - sign up here!



Call for Storytellers: Indigenous Stories About Moss

Love storytelling, theatre, or spoken word? Help us bring Indigenous stories to life for an Ear Forest exhibition for Moss Week 2026. We are looking for participants to help record six stories featuring the relationship between humans and moss. No experience necessary.

Participants will receive a \$75 honorarium. Sign up before December 1. Find more information and sign up below.

Learn More and Sign Up

The Organizing Committee of the 61st International Fair is recruiting!

Have a culture you would want to share? Want to play a part in the annual International Fair? Join us as a Region Chair or General Volunteer (Country Representative) to make the 61st International Fair unforgettable! ALL are invited to sign up!

Volunteer Sign Up

Region Chair Sign Up

61st International Fair Logo Contest

We invite you to submit a designed logo under the theme "World Canvas" to be used on the t-shirts and throughout the fair.

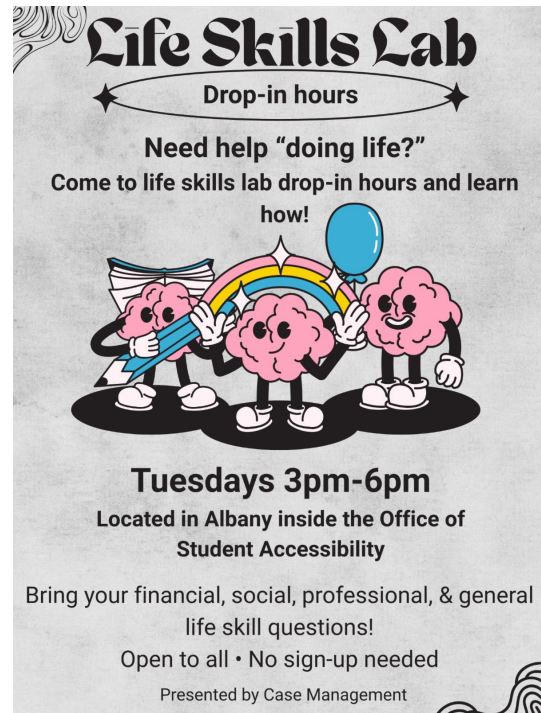
Submit a Design

Life Skills Lab Drop-In Hours

Tuesdays 3:00-6:00pm

Albany, Office of Student Accessibility

Case Management presents Life Skills Lab Drop-in Hours. This is an opportunity for students to ask life skills questions about budgeting, banking, grocery shopping, professional communication and more. Drop-in hours are first come first serve and students will be able to work with a case manager one-on-one.



Visit the IME Suite on the 3rd floor of Fowler: 9-5pm Monday to Friday

Interested in submitting something to be added to the IME Newsletter?

If you would like to submit something to be added to the IME newsletter, please fill out the form below. The IME newsletter goes out every Friday morning. All submissions to make it into the weekly newsletter must be done by Monday at 9am or they will be put in the next week's newsletter.

Submit to the IME Newsletter

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