Subject: West House NEWS: Super Bowl Party TONIGHT, Winter Carnival activities, IM basketball

CHAMPIONSHIP! Trips to Ice Castles and bowling

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Hi Westians,

Here's this week's Westletter. Congrats to the West House IM basketball team for a second straight championship. Hope to see you at the West House Super Bowl Party tonight!

Best, RCH

# THE WESTLETTER for the week of 2/3/19

as always, for more see <a href="mailto:sites.dartmouth.edu/west-house/">sites.dartmouth.edu/west-house/</a>



To add the West House calendar to your own calendar applications, you can use this iCal link.

To join the **West House facebook group**, go to <u>this link</u>.

### - Westians in the News

Westians Nicole DeBlasio '19 and Rachel Donner '22 finished sixth and eighth in the 200m and shot
put, respectively, as <u>Dartmouth Women's Track and Field finished second and the New England</u>
<u>Championships</u>. Congratulations to the whole team!





Director of the <u>Student Wellness Center</u> and West House affiliate <u>Caitlin Barthelmes</u> was featured in <u>a Dartmouth News article about the release of Dartmouth's latest statistics on alcohol-related incidents on campus. The Wellness Center is a great resource for students, and we're currently planning some House-based activities with them for the spring!
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(Correction: Last week's Westletter featured Stephanie Currie '20 for her skiing exploits, but got her last name mixed up due to a transcription error - apologies! This is now fixed on the online version.)

- SUPER BOWL PARTY TONIGHT! In the Fahey Downstairs Lounge





Your UGAs and Exec Board will bring you the annual **West House Super Bowl Party!** tonight by the big screen TV in the Fahey Downstairs Lounge. We'll have pizza and wings from <u>Cantore's</u>. A a proud New Englander I will be (once again) pulling for the Patriots, but I imagine some others may feel differently . If there's interest we may also make some milkshakes, and even fire up Madden on the new House XBox before the game. Come down and enjoy – all are welcome!

(As you might imagine there won't be the usual UGA snacks tonight in lieu of the SB party).

## - West House trips in Winter 2019

Once again an update on trips for this term:

• For this term's Resident Fellow Signature Event, the RFs are planning a trip to the <u>Ice Castles in Lincoln, NH</u> on **Saturday, Feb 23**. If you haven't been, the ice castles are quite magical. Keep an eye out for signup!



• We are planning another **Cosmic Bowling night** at Maple Lanes in Claremont, NH, tentatively for Friday, Feb 15. Watch this space!



## - Basketball IM CHAMPIONS! and HOUSE CUP NEWS



West House IM basketball have repeated as House intramural champions, with victories over East Wheelock in the semi-finals and Allen House in the championship game on Friday. Congrats to everyone who played this season!

Also, on Friday West House came in fourth in the **Polarpalooza** gingerbread baking competition, tied with House Cup points leader School House. The winners were South House in first and North Park in second. Thanks to all who represented West House!

# - First-year floor dinners

We will be continuing to host every first-year floor at the House Professor's Residence for dinner on Tuesday and Thursday nights. Please look out for notification from your UGA. We look forward to hosting you here!

#### - House events over WINTER CARNIVAL

Winter Carnival (theme: Ice Age) is coming up next weekend, and the Inter-House Council has put

together many opportunities to represent your House and earn points toward the House Cup:

- We have an opportunity to build a House ice sculpture for a House Cup competition (if interested contact Ryan.R.Monasch.19@dartmouth.edu).
- The House **broomball competition** (a super fun game like hockey but with brooms and no skates) is scheduled to take place again this year on Sunday, Feb 10. We were last year's de facto champs! Sign up here: <a href="http://dartgo.org/broomball2019/">http://dartgo.org/broomball2019/</a>
- The IHC is working on a House competition for the **Human Sled Dog races** on the Green on the afternoon of Saturday, Feb 9.
- There will be a big **snow sculpture** of a wooly mammoth on the Green for Carnival this year. You can earn House Cup points by helping with construction. **Sign up for a shift** at <u>THIS LINK</u> and be sure to include your House name in parentheses to earn points for West House.



## - Wine Tasting Seminars



West House Wine Tasting Seminars return on Tuesday nights this term! The next dates are: Feb 5, Feb 12, and Feb 19. If interested contact Resident Fellow Jennifer Franks (Jennifer.M.Franks.GR@dartmouth.edu)

## - Images from the Week



We had a great **West House ski trip** to Cannon Mountain yesterday! We had a really fun day on the slopes (which included a few unexpected adventures) and it was lovely to see everyone out there, especially those who had never skied before. We'll do another trip again next year!



On Friday we had a lovely Pathways to Medicine event with Dr. Ray Blackwell '80, Geisel '87, with a

number of interesting discussions.

#### - West House Executive Board

The West House student Exec Board plans and organizes many of our wide range of House activities. Being active on the Exec is a great way to get to meet Westians and shape your residential community! We have a substantial budget for House programming and how best to use it is up to you!

Everyone is welcome at Exec meetings, which are at **6:30pm on Sundays** (although not tonight due to the Super Bowl) and include dinner (if interested in coming please email chair <a href="mailto:Ryan.R.Monasch.19@dartmouth.edu">Ryan.R.Monasch.19@dartmouth.edu</a> so we can order some food).

## - Resident Expert schedule

A reminder that a great resource in your House are our **Resident Experts**. They're available on Thursdays, Saturdays, and Sundays for 90 mins to help with Biology, Chemistry, Math, and Economics. Get to know them!



### - Free HOP tickets

West House has available **free tickets** for House members to attend world-class performances at the Hopkins Center each term. Available shows for this term are <u>listed on the House website</u>. If you'd like tickets, please contact Pamela at <u>Pamela.K.Duffy@dartmouth.edu</u>.



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