

Subject: West House NEWS: Cookout TODAY 5pm, HOUSE GEAR, Senior Events, Big/Littles, Ben & Jerry's, Cereal Bar

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Hi Westians,

Hope you're having fun this beautiful Memorial Day weekend, and also have had a chance to reflect on this most solemn US holiday as we collectively pay our respects to those Americans who gave their lives in the service of their country.

For this afternoon, the weather is looking great for our annual **Memorial Day Cookout TODAY** at **5pm at Fahey-McLane**, and we have lots of other great activities lined up for the end of term. Here's this week's Westletter.

Best,
RCH

THE WESTLETTER for the week of 5/26/19

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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 [this link](#).

- Westians in the News

- Westians [won major prizes at the Hopkins Center's "The Arts at Dartmouth" Awards Ceremony](#) on Tuesday. **Kelleen Moriarty '19**, who directed five productions at the Hop including her senior thesis, *The Glass Menagerie*, won the Clifford S. Gurdin Prize for the best student director in a Department of Theater production. **Soomin Kim '20** won the Macdonald-Smith Prize for high achievement in musical performances and performed at the ceremony. Big congratulations to both!



- Westian **Kierra Sweeney '19**, a member of the women's lacrosse team, [won The Dartmouth's 2018-19 Female Athlete of the Year award](#) after a huge season including 58 goals and an Ivy League championship for the Big Green. Congratulations!



- Memorial Day Cookout TODAY 5pm – with LIVE MUSIC and WEST HOUSE GEAR

WEST HOUSE



Annual MEMORIAL DAY COOKOUT

Food, Games, Friends, Fun!

**MONDAY
MAY 27, 2019**



FAHEY LAWN
STARTS 5pm



Our last Community Dinner of the year will be our annual Memorial Day Cookout on **TODAY, Monday, May 27 at 5pm** on the Fahey/McLane Lawn. The weather looks perfect. We'll have **live music, games, and lots of food and drinks**, and West House gear available to pick up (see below). See you there!

- WEST HOUSE GEAR PICKUP

Sweatshirts (Crew neck)



Joggers



Blankets



The **West House Gear** for this term is finally here this week! We have **joggers** (the flannel pants were discontinued so we went with joggers instead), **blankets**, and **water bottles** here already so if you ordered one of those you can pick it up **TODAY starting at 5pm** at the Memorial Day Cookout. The **sweatshirts** won't arrive for a couple days, so if you ordered a sweatshirt you can pick it up on Thursday at the Resident Fellows' **Ben & Jerry's party** (see below).

- Reading Period Ice Cream with the Resident Fellows on THURSDAY





Your **Resident Fellow** Signature Event for this term will be an **Ice Cream party** during reading period on **Thursday, from 5 to 6:30pm** with **Ben & Jerry's Ice Cream** on the McLane lawn. Come celebrate the end of term with the RFs and pick up your West House gear!

- West House CEREAL BAR open during reading and exam periods in THE HYPHEN



The famous **West House CEREAL BAR** is back in **THE HYPHEN** over reading and exam periods! This is organized by the House and your Resident Fellows, who keep it stocked throughout reading and finals period. Milk is in the fridge. Please keep the space clean and offer suggestions any additional cereal flavors. Happy studying!

- Welcoming the '23s and Big/Little Program

Before long the Westian '23s will be assigned to the House and members of our community! Next year we'll see a significant shift in that all the West House first-year floors will be in the **River** (French or Judge) so we'll have more coordinated programming over in that part of campus. We'll also have more opportunities to welcome the '23s to campus, starting with the Big/Little program from your Exec Board.

From Exec member Ben Brody '22:

Your West House Exec Board is once again setting up a **Big/Little program for the '23s!** They're going to be the "Littles" when they're assigned to West House sometime over the summer, but we need "Bigs" to match them with. That's where you all come in.

Attached is a brief form to sign up to be a "Big" for incoming '23s. Our plan is to match you over the summer so that you can help them get excited about college and address any concerns they might have. Once the term starts, you can grab a meal with them, take them out to coffee (or gelato!), or do anything else you think will help you get to know each other and help them feel more comfortable at Dartmouth!

Here's the link:

dartgo.org/west_biglittle

Feel free to blitz benjamin.s.brody.22@dartmouth.edu with any questions!

Warm Regards,
Your West House Exec Board

SENIOR EVENTS

- Senior Celebration and post-Commencement Family Celebration

WEST HOUSE



SENIOR RECEPTION

TUESDAY, June 4, 6 to 8pm
West House Professor's Residence
18 Webster Ave

Celebrate Senior Week with food, drinks (including beer, wine, and cider for 21+) and great conversation with your fellow seniors, faculty and staff. All Westians, friends, and family are welcome! RSVP at dartgo.org/west_seniors



For the **seniors**, mark your calendars! – we'll be hosting our annual **West House Senior Reception** during

Senior Week on **Tuesday, June 4** starting at **6pm** the HP's residence (there will be lots to eat catered by Peking Tokyo, and beer, wine and cider for 21+). **RSVP** at dartgo.org/west_seniors.



Also, this year we'll be hosting a **West House Family Celebration** right after the **Commencement** exercises on **Sunday, June 9**. Before you (and your family and guests if they're here too) head out of town after graduation, come by the House Professor's Residence in all your academic regalia, enjoy some hors d'oeuvres and refreshments, and pick up a little gift from West House to take with you on your journey. Families and guests (including friends from other Houses!) are very welcome. **RSVP at [THIS LINK](#)**. (In case you're curious if your friends are coming, you can see who else has signed up at [this link](#).)

- Photos from the Week





A busload of Westians and friends had a great time at Ice Cream and mini golf Fore-U on Saturday! Congrats to Sasha Kokoshinskiy '22 (a guest from EW) for the low score in the mini golf, and to Ryan Monasch '19 who (along with yours truly!) scored a free game on the last hole. Great fun!

- 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! Thanks to this year's Exec Board and especially our chair, **Ryan Monasch '19**, for developing a huge number of great initiatives for the year. This weekend was the last meeting of the spring, although we will be convening a "task force" of Exec members who are on campus this summer to make plans for welcoming the '23s. For the '21s on campus this summer, please keep an eye out and join the discussion!

- Resident Expert schedule

A reminder that a great resource in your House are our **Resident Experts** who are available to help with Biology, Chemistry, Math, and Economics. See the schedule below - Get to know them!



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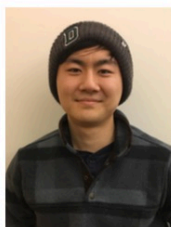
*Couldn't make office hours? Need a tutor?
Get help from your Resident Expert!*



Biology

Miranda Grieg

WEDNESDAYS
8 - 9:30 PM
3RD FLOOR
FAHEY



Chemistry

Don Joo

SATURDAYS
7:30 - 9 PM
3RD FLOOR
FAHEY



Math

Claire Gasque

SUNDAYS
4 - 5:30 PM
3RD FLOOR
FAHEY



Economics

Seamus Walsh

THURSDAYS
7:30 - 9 PM
3RD FLOOR
FAHEY



WEST HOUSE EVENTS 19S

Tue Apr 9 6pm: Community Dinner

Sat Apr 13: Inter-House Escape Room

Thu Apr 18 12-1pm: West House Lunch

Thu Apr 18 5pm: Hood Museum Tour

Sun Apr 28: Inter-House Chef Challenge

Sat/Sun Apr 27/28: New York City trip including Chicago on Broadway

Tue Apr 30 4pm: Room Draw Party

Sun May 5 10am: First-Year Family Brunch at HP's residence

Thu May 16 12-1pm: West House Lunch

Mon May 27: Memorial Day Cookout

Tue, Jun 4 6pm: Senior Reception

Sun, Jun 9: Commencement

Regular events (see calendar)

Tue 8pm: Wine Tasting Seminars

Thu 6pm: Dinner at HP's residence

Fri 5pm: West House NY/NJ/Philly



Fri 5pm: West House IM Volleyball

contact Cory.T.Cline.TH@dartmouth.edu to sign up

Saturdays: Game Nights and Snack Shack
in Fahey Lounge

Sun 9pm: Food with UGAs in the Hyphen

Sun 6:30pm: Exec Board meetings

Weekly: Free shows at the Hop (see
website for schedule!)

TBA: The Russell Stage performances
and Open Mic nights

For **more** see sites.dartmouth.edu/west-house



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