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# Programming Post

News and Tips from the Programming Resource Center



## Welcome!

To the October 2010 issue of the PRC's newsletter! The Post brings you helpful hints and ideas for activities and events you can hold for your residents, as well as news from the PRC!

## PRC on Facebook

The "Programming Resource Center at William and Mary" Facebook page is up and running! The PAs update the page every day with example bulletin boards, programming ideas for the upcoming dates, and updates on what's happening in the PRC. Check it out and "Like" us!



## Hidden Gems of the PRC

Our huge selection of specialty paper is an often overlooked resource in the PRC! If you're cutting out letters for a title, or stencils for a board, our patterned or metallic papers are a great option! There's also correctly-sized origami paper if you want to do an origami program, and everything from food- to animal-print papers that you can use to spruce up just about any project you're working on.



**Try this!**  
Use something that's already happening on campus as a hall program! Football games, AMP events, and philanthropy events are all great program ideas.

# October Inspiration & Ideas:

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<b>Monthly</b>		<b>Programming Ideas!</b>	2		<b>Daily</b>
	Emotional Wellness Month Gay & Lesbian History Month		∅ Cook a vegetarian dinner			<b>4:</b> World Teachers' Day
	National Book Month Breast Cancer Awareness Month Vegetarian Month		∅ Go stargazing!			<b>6:</b> Mad Hatter Day
	<b>Weekly</b>		∅ Host a Harry Potter party or Quidditch game			<b>9:</b> Universal Music Day
	2-9 No Salt Week		∅ Have a Mad Hatter's tea party			<b>10:</b> Nat'l Cake Decorating Day, World Mental Health Day
	3-9 Fire Prevention Week		∅ Hall CD exchange			<b>16:</b> World Food Day
	11-17 Fall Astronomy Week		∅ Cupcake decorating party			<b>18:</b> Nat'l Chocolate Cupcake Day
	17-23 National Chemistry Week		∅ Check out the Program at Your Fingertips about Credit Smarts			<b>21:</b> Get Smart About Credit Day
	18-24 Massage Therapy Week	28	∅ Costume contest!			<b>23:</b> Make a Difference Day
	25-31 International Magic Week					<b>24:</b> Lung Health Day
						<b>28:</b> Nat'l Chocolates Day
						<b>29:</b> Internet Day
						<b>31: HALLOWEEN!</b>

## BBBs and Posters for October!

The PRC has some great pre-made bulletin boards for you. Check out these, which are perfect for this month!

### Bulletin Boards in a Bag:

- Somewhere in the Rainbow (Sexuality)
- We Didn't Start the Fire (Fire Safety)
- Constellations
- Fun With Candy
- Halloween Dinner

### Posters:

- Breast Cancer
- Dia De Los Muertos
- About the Flu
- Safe Zone
- For Chocolate Lovers Only
- Computing on Campus

## Meet the PAs!

The PAs are always here to help you with anything you might need! We'll feature a different PA in each issue of the Post. This month—meet Andrea!



**Year:** Sophomore

**Major:** Business

**Hometown:** Fort Walton Beach, Florida

**Favorite Song:** "Mine" by Taylor Swift

**Favorite Color:** Green

**Why You're a PA:** I wanted to provide resources to RA's and other ResLife staff on campus.

**Random Fact:** I like to run!

**Motto:** "Be Who You Are and Say What You Feel Because Those Who Mind Don't Matter and Those Who Matter Don't Mind." Dr. Seuss