GSED will soon be releasing their programming for this year's National Hazing Prevention Week! We would like to market the event that will kick off the week on Sunday, September 20th at 7pm EST.

The Anti-Hazing Coalition is a group of parents whose children passed away due to hazing in fraternities/sororities. The parents of students such as Tim Piazza, Max Gruver, and Collin Wiant. They frequently attend national conferences and events, and speak to current members of organizations to show them the damage that can be done as a result of hazing. They are moving and powerful speakers that want to see the fraternity and sorority system change. Consider registering for this event in place of a chapter meeting! It also fulfills a R&R requirement!

https://www.antihazingcoalition.org/events/?fbclid=IwAR2McsbtHgE_XXNPMckvkhnmABGsjESFh2z9ERSWww0464BVBk1OYU
"Do the best you can until you know better. Then when you know better, do better." - Maya Angelou

MAJOR HIGHLIGHTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SELF REPORTING

GSED wants to encourage you and all members of the community to recognize the importance of self-reporting COVID cases to the university. In order for the university to adequately monitor the student population and fulfill its mission of keeping students safe, we need students to let us know when they've been exposed to COVID and when they test positive. If you have been tested anywhere other than Health Services, you need to go online to the link below to fill out a self-reporting form. Once the form is submitted, a member of Health Services will be in contact with you shortly.

Here is the link to the reporting form:
https://home.my.wcu.edu/student/Pages/COVID-19-Self-Reporting.aspx

Here is the link to the WCU reporting page:
https://www.wcu.edu/coronavirus/reporting.aspx

TUCK RIVER EVENT

Kay Tuft, the Assistant Director of Outdoor Programs, reached out to GSED with a community service opportunity for our members.

How to Participate

- Between August 17th - November 20th (or until supplies last), pick up trash in your favorite outdoor location or the space you frequent the most. Outdoor spaces can include, and are not limited to: trails, parks, neighborhoods, rivers, lakes, waterfalls, yards, creeks, parking lots, sidewalks, etc.
- Take a photo of yourself in your chosen location with the trash you collected.
- Stop by the front desk of the CRC Monday or Friday between 8am-5pm. Show your trash collection photo to the staff to receive a free t-shirt while supplies last.
- ***If one person is going to pick up shirts for your entire group, please bring all trash collection photos of the group and a roster including names, 920's, and shirt sizes to ensure we can provide a shirt for everyone who participated while supplies last.

For more information about Tuck River Clean Up please visit tuckcleanup.wcu.edu

CATAMOUNTS CARE

GSED would like to remind you that all students, faculty, and staff must be wearing their masks, physically distancing, washing their hands, and doing what they need to in order to keep everyone safe. You should not be gathering in groups of more than 10 people indoors and 25 people outdoors, unless specified capacity regulations allow more people.

RED ZONE INFO

GSED wants to take a moment to promote the ICA Red Zone Event Sessions to the Fraternity/Sorority community:

- RAD Express - 9/9 at 4pm
- Stop the Violence: Students Taking on Prevention - 9/15 from 5pm-7pm
- The Power of Words - 9/16 at 12pm
- Film & Discussion: He’s Just Not That Into You - 9/23 at 5pm in the UC Theater

To register for any of these events visit: redzone.wcu.edu

Please note that many of these sessions and event would cover R&R requirements!