

Hi!

See below for important information, updates, and event details for this week. There's a lot of good information so make sure to read all the way through!

COVID Vaccine Incentive and Clinics!

On Campus Vaccine Clinics

Due to low registrations, Monday, September 13 COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics have been CANCELLED.

The status of the Thursday, September 16, 2021 Vaccination Clinics will be announced. Sign up ASAP if you want to attend the Thursday clinics.

[9/16/2021 10:00 AM-12:00 PM: Location TBD](#)

[9/16/2021 4:00-6:00 PM: Bollinger Family Conference Center Room K100](#)

If you are unable to make the clinic but still want to get vaccinated visit [the State of MD Vaccination website](#) for information pertaining to the COVID-19 vaccination from the State of MD. For questions, call the COVID-19 Call Center at 410-876-4848 between 8 AM to 5 PM on weekdays; after hours, leave a message or call 2-1-1. You can also call the COVID-19 Vaccination Support Center at 1-855-MDGOVAX (1-855-634-6829).

Student Vaccine Incentive

If you got the COVID-19 vaccine, provide documentation to the Records Office in A112 and you will receive \$100!!! Students can also [fill out this form](#) to provide proof of vaccination. The deadline to submit has been extended to October 18!

COVID Relief Funds

If you haven't taken advantage of the COVID relief funds available to students, click the link below to fill out a short form to tell us how you've been affected by COVID. If you have any questions, please visit the Financial Aid Office in A114, call them at 410-386-8437, or email them at financialaid@carrollcc.edu.

[Click here to fill out the form.](#)

The Opioid Prevention Coalition is Looking for Two Student Representatives!

Are you interested in joining the Carroll County Opioid Prevention Coalition? Student representatives will work with various community members and collaborate to identify needs and gaps in outreach and services for the prevention of opioid misuse, overdose, and addiction in our communities. Some ongoing prevention activities of the Coalition include:

- Safe storage and disposal of opioid medications education
- Education on the Good Samaritan Law, signs of overdose, and naloxone use
- Youth education and training in refusal skills, coping skills, and future orientation
- Prescriber and pharmacy education
- Awareness to reduce stigma surrounding substance use disorder and mental health
- First Responder's support through training and appreciation

Please complete [this survey](#) by September 27th, 2021 to express your interest.

Meeting Information:

The Coalition meets on the second Wednesday of every other month (September-July) from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. All meetings are virtual at this time. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. DaVida Anderson, danderson3@carrollcc.edu.

Blood Drive: Calling Donors and Volunteers!

Join us for our Red Cross Blood Drive. We are looking for people to help volunteer with the Red Cross and offer support, as well as those wishing to donate blood.

Tuesday, October 5 – Wednesday, October 6
9 AM - 2:30 PM | Harman Student Center A*202

To sign up to volunteer, click here: [Volunteer Link](#)

To sign up to donate blood, click here: [Red Cross donation](#)

A Message from the SGO!

SGO Senators Wanted – Deadline Extended!

Hello, fellow students! SGO is recruiting students for the senator position, join us in being the new change. Students are welcome to apply if they are registered for 6 credit hours and have a 2.5 GPA. To look more into the senator position, you can check our Instagram, @carrollccsgo, or our [SGO Canvas site](#) for more information. You can find the SGO senator application in the Student Engagement Office (A118) or on the SGO's Canvas page. The application deadline has been extended to Friday, September 24. In terms of concerns or inquiries, you can contact us at sgo@carrollcc.edu.

Join the SGO Mental Health Committee!

Did you know that the Mental Health Committee is looking for new members interested in joining? From mental health discussions to activities, we plan on catering to our community's mental health as much as we can this semester. Join us in the Board Room (L090) biweekly on Thursdays from 2:30 to 3:30 pm starting on September 16. Contact us at sgo@carrollcc.edu for further concerns or inquiries.

Virtual Reality Experience of the Week!

Are you a student who needs to learn Anatomy? Check out the VR experience [Anatomy Explorer](#)! It contains skeletal system, muscular system, nervous system (peripheral and central nervous system), cardiovascular system, respiratory system, integumentary system, digestive system, reproductive system, lymphatic system, and connective tissue. Application contains multiple functions and modes to further improve the experience, interaction with the anatomical structures (tests, quizzes, slice mode, ant mode, etc.).

[Make a lab appointment](#) and experience immersive education! Questions? Visit L192 or email Andrea Gravelle at agravelle@carrollcc.edu.

What's Happening on Campus This Week and Beyond?

- **First Year Success Series – Tell Me Why on 9/13!**
College comes with so many challenges to be successful. But we are here to offer you support and guidance to get the best experience possible. Our first session on Monday, September 13 at 3:30 PM in A125 will cover understanding your syllabus and professor expectations. [Sign up on the Student Engagement Canvas site!](#)
- **Bingo on 9/14!**
Meet in the Student Center (A202) on Tuesday, September 14 from 3 to 4 PM to play bingo and win prizes! No sign up required! Only current credit students are eligible to win prizes.
- **Home Lynx Soccer Game vs. Prince George's Community College on 9/14!**
Come root for the home team on the Lynx field on Tuesday, September 14 at 4 PM and show your Lynx pride!
- **Employer on Campus: Springfield Hospital Center on 9/15!**
Each Wednesday we'll feature a different employer in the Cafe from 10:30 AM to 1 PM looking to hire Carroll students. On September 15, Springfield Hospital Center will be on campus. Head over to talk to them about job openings!
- **Communicating Across Political Divides on 9/16!**
Americans storming the Capitol, normally sleepy school board meetings descending into chaos over the prospect of mask mandates... Democracies depend on their citizens being committed to gather peacefully, speak honestly, and listen to others with an open mind. Join us, then, at Democracy Lab as we explore techniques for engaging in constructive dialogue with people from across the political spectrum. The first Democracy Lab will be on Thursday, September 16 from 7 to 9 PM and will take place on Teams. [Click here to sign up.](#)
- **What Can I Do with This Major? on 9/21!**
Not sure how your major fits with your career goals? Career Development can help! Join us on Tuesday, September 21 at 1 PM to get a better understanding of your options and discover paths within your major that will lead to a successful career.
- **Discovering Racism in the Teaching and Learning of History on 9/23!**
This session on Thursday, September 23 from 7 to 9 PM in K100 will be taught by Dr. Rev. Marty Kuchma and will examine ways racism has shaped the traditional teaching and learning of American history. In the process, we will talk about historical misinformation and misconceptions related to race and racism. [Sign up here to attend!](#)

- **Swift Kick Student Leader Training on 9/24!**
Through this student leader training, we will explore Dance Floor Theory with Swift Kick's own, Tom Krieglstein. All students are welcome to come! This will be the kickoff of the Leadership Challenge as well. [Sign up on the Student Engagement Canvas site!](#)
- **STEM Club Aquarium Trip on 9/25!**
Join the STEM club for a trip to the National Aquarium on Saturday, September 25 from 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM! A limited number of tickets are available, so make sure to save your spot before they run out! Students can sign-up at the Business/Cashier's Office (A101). Students will also need to make a \$5 deposit that is refunded after they attend the event. Transportation is included and will leave campus at 8:15 AM. If students plan to stay down at the Inner Harbor for Carroll Night at the O's game, they **MUST** sign up for the game prior to going and notify Topher Overdorff at toverdorff@carrollcc.edu.
- **Carroll Night at Camden Yards on 9/25!**
Current credit students can sign up to attend the Orioles game on Saturday, September 25 at the Business Office. A \$5 refundable deposit is required. Transportation and a free t-shirt is provided and the bus will depart Carroll at 5:30 PM for a 7:05 PM game time. Guests, faculty, and staff can [sign up online](#) to purchase a ticket. A t-shirt is included for the first 50 who register. Transportation is not included for guests, faculty, or staff. Questions? Contact Topher Overdorff at toverdorff@carrollcc.edu.
- **In Our Own Voice Presentation: NAMI Carroll County on 9/30!**
NAMI In Our Own Voice presentations change attitudes, assumptions, and ideas about people with mental health conditions. The presentation provides a personal perspective of mental health conditions, as leaders with lived experience talk openly about what it's like to have a mental health condition. [Sign up here to attend](#) on Thursday, September 30 from 3 to 4:45 PM in K100.

Don't forget to connect with Student Engagement online!

- **The Student Engagement DEN on Canvas!**
To keep up with what's happening "on campus," visit the Student Engagement DEN (Digitally Engaged Network) on Canvas. There are weekly events and information about campus resources. You should already be enrolled in the Student Engagement "course." If not,
 1. Go to Canvas.
 2. Click on Courses on the left-hand menu.
 3. Click on all courses and then browse more courses.
 4. Search for Student Engagement.
- **Follow Student Engagement on Instagram and Facebook!**
Follow Student Engagement on Instagram and Facebook @CarrollCCStudentEngagement! We'll post tips, quotes, funny things, and host contests where you can win e-gift cards. Follow us today!