

Welcome back after the long weekend! 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 Vaccination Clinics for Students & Employees!

The College has agreed to host a **Carroll County Health Department (CCHD) Free Voluntary COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic** on campus for students and employees. This clinic will not be open to the general public. Vaccinations will be provided while supplies last. The College cannot guarantee a specific vaccine will be available to you. Supply of the Moderna vaccine is readily available in Carroll County. Our clinic will be able to ensure first and second doses of the Moderna vaccine. The supply for the Pfizer vaccine is limited in Carroll County; therefore, second dose vaccinations will take priority. The one-dose Johnson & Johnson vaccine will not be available at our clinic due to insufficient supply in Carroll County. Please bring your College photo ID with you to the clinic.

Below are the four registrations links that coincide with the September clinic dates. There will be additional communication regarding the second dose clinics scheduled for October. These links were provided to us by the CCHD. Only the Health Department has access to the information provided through these links. Anyone interested in getting vaccinated at one of our clinics needs to pre-register through the links below. According to the [COVID-19 Data Tracker](#), Carroll County continues to be in the **High Community Transmission** category with a climbing positivity rate of 7.4%. Currently 71.9% of the County's eligible population is fully vaccinated. Let's do our part to help move Carroll Forward! **Please don't wait, registration is now open!**

[9/13/2021: 10:00 AM-12:00 PM: Bollinger Family Conference Center Room K100](#)

[9/13/2021 4:00-6:00 PM: Bollinger Family Conference Center Room K100](#)

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

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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).

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.](#)

Fitness Center Information

Fitness Center Hours (September 6 - December 17, 2021)

Monday and Wednesday, 12:30 - 6:00 PM

Tuesday and Thursday, 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM and 3:15 - 6:00 PM

Friday, 10:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Gymnasium Hours (September 6 - December 17, 2021)

Mondays, 10:00 - 11:00 AM, 12:30 - 2:00 PM, and 3:15 - 6:00 PM

Wednesdays, 10:00 - 11:00 AM, 12:30 - 2:00 PM, and 3:15 - 4:45 PM

Tuesdays, 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM and 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Thursdays, 10:00 AM - 12:30 PM and 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Fridays, 3:30 - 4:30 PM

To receive a Fitness Center/Gymnasium authorization card, please bring your schedule of classes and a photo ID.

Basketball Intramurals

Tuesday, 3:30 - 5:00 PM - Free Play

Thursday, 3:30 - 5:00 PM - Team Bracket Challenge

Sign up today as an individual or team! Email Alec Cascardo at acascardo@carrollcc.edu if you have any questions.

Fitness Center Student Aides (Fitness Assistant) - Still Hiring!

Visit the [Carroll employment web page](#) to apply to be a Fitness Center Student Aide!

A Message from the SGO!

SGO Senators Wanted!

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. Applications are due on Friday, September 10. 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.

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](#)

Get Your Carroll Night at Camden Yards Orioles Tickets!

Carroll Night at Camden Yards will be on Saturday, September 25th 7:05 PM in a game against the Texas Rangers. Credit students can go to the Business Office in the A building to sign up for this **FREE** trip. Sign-ups are available now. There will be a \$5 refundable deposit that you will receive back after the trip. Free T-Shirt included. Transportation is included via bus that will leave the College at 5:30 PM the day of the trip.

Faculty, staff, and guests can go [HERE](#) to purchase a ticket. An Orioles T-Shirt included for first 50 who register, then tickets will be offered at a lower price. Transportation is not included for faculty, staff or guests.

Questions and concerns can be directed to Topher Overdorff at toverdorff@carrollcc.edu.

STEM Club's Baltimore National Aquarium Trip:

Come join the STEM Club for a trip to the National Aquarium on Saturday, September 25 from 8:00 AM - 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) starting Tuesday, September 7. Students will 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 you have any questions or concerns about the event, please email Luther Daigle ldaigle@carrollcc.edu.

We Need Student Voices!!! Are You Interested in Joining the R.E.A.C.H. Committee?

This committee will promote student-centered *resources* to provide *empowerment* and *advocacy* for *community health*.

We need you! Do you have an interest in creating resources and programs to spread awareness about mental health, drugs, alcohol, and/or interpersonal violence? If yes, click on the link below to complete the interest form.

Complete the [R.E.A.C.H. Interest Form](#) by September 13, 2021. The survey will take less than two minutes. If you have any questions, please contact Dr. DaVida Anderson, danderson3@carrollcc.edu.

National Suicide Prevention Week, September 5-11!

The Office of Student Care and Integrity invites you to participate in National Suicide Prevention Week from September 5 to 11.

We all have mental health. It's time we take the next step, ask more deeply about what someone is experiencing, and if we need it, find help together. Join @AFSPnational all month long as they share simple steps to encourage our friends, family, and communities to work together to help #StopSuicide. Visit <https://afsp.org/nspw> for more information and tune in for the official all-day Facebook Live Event from 12 to 8 PM on Friday, September 10th for World Suicide Prevention Day at <https://fb.me/e/1z7lMwyrK>.

Looking for support on campus for mental health?

Access our free, 24/7 & confidential **Student Assistance Program (SAP)**! Help is just a call or a click away! Get connected to speak with an expert counselor.

Call 800-327-2251, download the BHS App, or visit the MyBHS Online Portal.
URL: portal.BHSONline.com | Username: CARROLLCC

Common reasons to call your SAP:

- Depression/anxiety
- Suicidal thoughts
- Burnout/anger
- Substance abuse
- Relationships
- Health or body image issues
- Academic or career stress
- Challenges balancing school and life

*If you require a referral for long-term treatment, costs may be incurred. Your health insurance plan often covers long-term treatment.

Call for Models!!

Calling all Carroll students! Join our Marketing team on September 22 and participate in a 2-hour photoshoot. Engage with your fellow students and help showcase our Carroll community!

[Book your 9:30 a.m. or a 2 p.m. time slot here.](#)

Auditions for Fall Theatre Production!

We are bringing back our outreach show geared towards elementary school kids, but instead of touring it, we will film and send to them virtually! We'll be creating it ourselves with our fabulous guest director, Emily Hall!

When: Wednesday, September 8th from 4pm-6pm

Where: The Theater in the Scott Center

- Sign up for the audition by emailing Sophie Barden (sbarden@carrollcc.edu) or filling out the form through this link: <https://forms.gle/RL5GTbMSWEW6D7CA8>! (Walk ins will be welcome)
 - All CCC students and community members age 18 and above can audition!
 - For your audition, please prepare a 1-minute contemporary monologue.
 - Come prepared to move.
 - Please have all conflicts (work, classes, special events, etc.) with you to fill out the audition sheet completely on September 8th!
 - Devising sessions and rehearsals may be a combination of virtual and face to face in the early evenings mid-September – November. Filming will occur on November 17th and 18th.
 - Please plan on arriving no later than 4:00pm and staying for the full session. If you cannot make this date and time, please contact Sophie Barden as soon as possible (sbarden@carrollcc.edu)
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What's Happening on Campus This Week?

- **What Makes a Lynx? Today 9/7 at 11 am!**
Join us for this session today, September 7 at 11 AM to meet other students and learn what makes each of us unique. This session will take place in M157.
- **Open Mic Event on 9/8!**
Sing, dance, perform, act, tell a joke, read a poem, and more! Join us for an Open Mic in the Student Lounge (K119) from 12 – 1 PM on Wednesday, September 8.
- **Club Fair on 9/9!**
Join our Club Fair on Thursday, September 9 from 11 AM to 1 PM in Courtyard Quad between the A, C, M & P buildings as we kick off the new year! We have so many clubs and something for everyone. Meet students from various clubs and find out how to find your group.
- **Home Lynx Soccer Game vs. Montgomery on 9/9!**
Come root for the home team on the Lynx field on Thursday, September 9 at 4 PM and show your Lynx pride!
- **9/11 Tribute on 9/10!**
Pay tribute to those who lost their lives 20 years ago. We will hear from our College President Dr. Ball as well as watch a video from the Memorial and Museum on Friday, September 10 at 9:30 AM.
- **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.

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!