



Whitman Today

Wednesday, November 25, 2020

Whitman Food Pantry



The Whitman Food Pantry is located in the Glover Alston Center (GAC), 26 Boyer Ave and is open daily from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. including holidays and college closures. If you are experiencing food insecurity head over to the GAC and use your Whitman ID to gain swipe access to the building. Canned and non-perishable items are located on the 2nd floor. Freezer items are available in the kitchen.

Please make sure to observe COVID-19 policies when in the GAC. This means:

- Go directly in and out.
- Do not hang out in the GAC individually or with others; get what you need and then head out.
- The kitchen is currently not available for use. You may get items out of the freezer but do not cook these items at the GAC.

Contact [Monica Chapman](#) with any questions regarding the food pantry.

Announcements

Baker Center Parking Closed Today

The Baker Center parking area will be closed on Wednesday, Nov. 25 while tree maintenance is performed. Please do not park in that parking lot.

Submit Nominations for the Campus Compact Newman Civic Fellowship

Nominations for the Campus Compact Newman Civic Fellowship are now open until Dec. 2. The Campus Compact Newman Fellow is an exceptional student who shows dedication toward implementing positive social change in the community. The fellow demonstrates the motivation and potential for effective long-term change and is engaged in collaborative action to address issues of inequality and political polarization. Sound like a first, second or third year student you know? Nominate them using the [online nomination form](#).

Spring Semester FAQs

The [Student Town Hall meetings](#) last week shared many important details regarding the spring semester, covering move-in, COVID-19 testing processes, student life on- and off-campus and more. That information has been consolidated into a [Spring Semester FAQs document](#) on our website for reference.

Campus and Community Health

COVID-19 in Walla Walla

Currently there are 571 active cases of [COVID-19 in Walla Walla County](#). Of these, 557 residents are isolating at home and 14 in the hospital.

Over the past week, one case of COVID-19 was confirmed in a Whitman student living in Walla Walla and follow-up protocols are underway. No new cases were reported in staff or faculty.

Whitman community COVID-19 case numbers appear weekly in Whitman Today and are updated regularly on the [COVID-19 at Whitman webpage](#).

Happening This Week

TODAY

[Thanksgiving Break](#)

Thanksgiving Break will take place Nov. 25-27.

TOMORROW &
FRIDAY

[Campus Offices Closed](#)

Campus offices will be closed Nov. 26 and 27 in observance of Thanksgiving. Regular office hours will resume Monday, Nov. 30.

[More Upcoming Events](#)

Have a virtual event you'd like to share with campus? Email the details to whitmantoday@whitman.edu.

Question of the Week: Answer Edition



This week we asked how tired you are, and however you choose to interpret "#@*%!" it's clear that a lot of us are feeling pretty worn out. Hopefully the long weekend will be a time to get a lot of sleep, eat some good food and do something that you enjoy.

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Submissions are welcome! If you have a professional or personal accomplishment to celebrate, an event to publicize or other content to share with the Whitman community, email whitmantoday@whitman.edu. Submissions should be 125 words or less. The deadline for submissions is noon for the following day's newsletter, though submissions may be held for a later date according to space and editorial needs.



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